



Our Lady of the Rosary Church
14 Barker Rd, Prospect 5082

Dominews

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time Yr A
October 4, 2020
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Mass Timings

Rosary Church (Maximum 130 people)

Thursday, Friday
1st, 3rd, 5th Saturday:
12 noon

Saturday Vigil:
6pm

Sunday:
8am, 10am, 5:30 pm

St Laurence's (Maximum 51 people)

Monday, Tuesday,
Wednesday
2nd, 4th Saturday:
12 noon

Sunday:
9 am, 11 am

School Holidays:
8:30 am Mon- Fri

Confessions will be
available
before Mass,
Monday- Saturday.

Parish Office

If you need to visit the
Parish Office, please note
it will be open by
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We are reachable by phone and email

**Monday- Friday from
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Our Lady of the Most Holy Rosary



Rosary Shrine at St Laurence's Church

That is the full title under which our Prospect church was established, according to the foundation stone at the right of the front door. (but it is in Latin there)

Dominicans, men and women, had a strong connection with the Rosary from the beginning of our 800-year history. The story that the Rosary began when Our Lady gave it to St Dominic, and/or St Catherine, is a myth. This story no doubt reflects the way the Rosary has been used extensively by preachers to teach people the mysteries of our salvation.

Because the Rosary is such a peoples' prayer, when Pope St John Paul II suggested an extra set of 5 mysteries, 'the mysteries of light', I was skeptical that it would catch on. But such was the popularity of this pope, that it has indeed caught on.

One of the strengths of the Rosary is that the mysteries can be easily memorized. Then it does not need a book or anything else to be prayed.

Not even beads, if you have ten fingers!

But there are helps to pray it well, meditating on the mysteries: Scripture passages; meditations on the scripture; images illustrating the mystery; prayers to sum up our response to the mystery.

Above all, the words of the simple, common, well-known prayers, Our Father, Hail Mary, Glory Be, are treasures when said attentively, carefully, reflectively. We call God our Father, as Jesus taught us; we praise God's work in Mary and ask her help; we give glory to God as we are called to do for eternity. Let us not get into the habit of saying them mechanically, distracted, not thinking what we are saying.

All these things will be part of praying the Rosary this Sunday afternoon at 2 pm in Rosary church.

There have often been campaigns of prayer with the Rosary. Let campaigns to not distract us from formation in the mysteries of salvation as we pray the Rosary. They are the mysteries of Our Lord's life, death and resurrection, as seen through the eyes of his mother, the Blessed Virgin, the Immaculate Conception.

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**Fr Kevin Saunders OP (Prior); Fr David Halstead OP; Br Brendan O'Hearn OP; Fr Kieran Adams OP
Fr Ben Hensley OP; Fr Paul Rankin OP; Fr William Loh OP**

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There is no one better to show them to us. These mysteries are completed in the glorious mysteries of Our Lady's Assumption and Coronation. They bring us confidence that the mysteries will allow us to follow her into the glory of heaven and join her in praise of God.

About Covid regulations:

Thank you to the Covid Marshals for faithful attendance keeping us observant of our legal obligations. And to the many volunteers who sanitise the pews, door handles, etc. after Mass. **Please don't forget to wipe the used pens too!**

Everyone, please continue to observe social distancing as you come to receive Holy Communion and return to your seats.

The **collection bowls** have caused some concern about security; two parishioners independently have produced closed boxes instead. We will try them both. I have decided that the collectors - when we had collections - can take responsibility for taking the boxes inside the church when Mass begins, and return them after Holy Communion. If they have time to bag the collection after Mass, that would be a bonus. Otherwise, the sacristan will do that. Thank you for doing this. It will leave the Covid Marshals free to attend to their proper role.

Fr Paul.

Rosary Sunday- Volunteers Needed



I still need volunteers to help with the recitation of the Rosary on Sunday, October 4. We will begin at 2pm afternoon, in Rosary Church. Come at any time; we will pray all 20 decades of the Rosary, which will probably take until after 4pm. I will give volunteers a booklet, from which to read a scripture, or a meditation, or a prayer – they are all short.

Others will lead the prayers of each decade. Please let me know now, otherwise I will have to recruit on the day.

Did You Know? ...

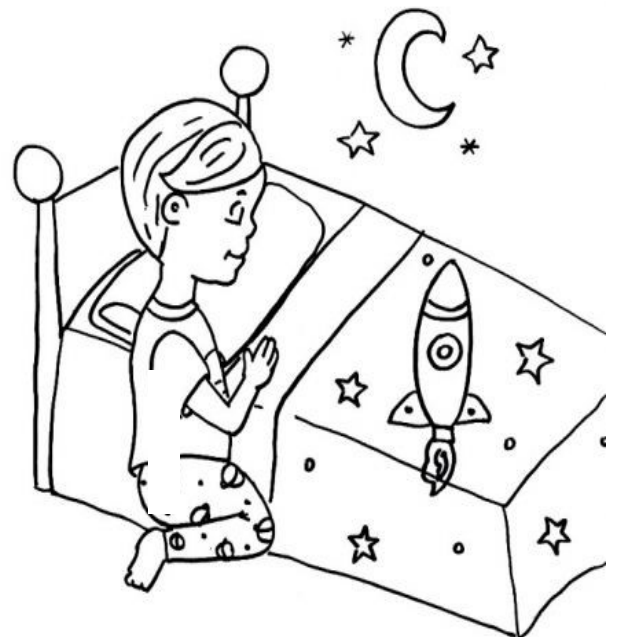
Did you know? ... that one of the late Helen Reddy's fans is our own Siobhan Rowe. Another feminist rocker.



Don't Worry

Are there times when you feel scared? Or maybe there are times when you're worried about something? From today's second reading we learn that we should not worry or be afraid; instead, pray about everything. We should tell God what we are feeling, ask him to help us with whatever we are facing and thank him for all he has done. Thankfulness chases fear and worry away. God wants us to experience his peace and not be weighed down by worry.

God hears me



when I PRAY.



MARRIAGE MATTERS

Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time (Isaiah 5:1-7 Phil 4:6-9 Matt 21:33-43)

Loving and Honouring Each Other and the Lord

When you married you took each other for better, for worse. God experienced the 'worse' when his 'bride', the Jewish people, rejected him by worshipping other gods. The 'worse' for you may be when your spouse mocks your beliefs. Have you shared your hurt, let them know your pain? Remember, though, that God has loved the 'worst' in you.

PARISH

Dominews

We ask that parishioners who take a copy of parish bulletin take it home and not put it back in the trays after Mass. This is for COVID hygiene.

Divine Mercy Devotion



Takes place on the 2nd Sunday of the month. The next one is on Sunday October 11 from 2.50 pm to 4 pm in Rosary Church . Confessions available. Ph Mario 0412 700 300

Parish Knitting and Craft Group

The Parish Knitting and Craft Group will be meeting on Mondays at 1 pm in the Parish Hall. Contact Marie Whitehead for details: 0428 768 333



ARCHDIOCESE

Holy Father's Appeal - October 3/4

The Peter Pence collection provides Pope Francis with the funds to carry out his charitable works around the world. It represents a small offering, accompanied by grand desires and visions. It is an offering that each member of the faithful decides to give to the Pope so that he can provide for the needs of the whole Church, and wherever it finds itself most in need. *There will be an extra collection this weekend.*

The Southern Cross newspaper

The October edition of *The Southern Cross* will be available. The tenth anniversary of Mary MacKillop's canonisation, clergy golden jubilees, the Plenary Council and the relocated Vinnies Migrant and Refugee Centre feature in this month's issue.

Catholic Mission – October 2020

This year the appeal focuses on the work of the Church in Cambodia, whilst supporting work in over 1100 dioceses worldwide and 14 parishes within Australia. Please support Catholic Mission via envelopes, online catholicmission.org.au/Cambodia or Text GIVE to 0488 854 436



ARCHDIOCESE (continued)

Worldwide Marriage Encounter Virtual Weekend

'A Beautiful Relationship is a journey from *me* to *we*.' Worldwide Marriage Encounter Australia invites couples and priests for Australian Worldwide Marriage Encounter Virtual Weekend – Friday October 9 from 6.30pm to Sunday October 11 3.30pm. For more info please visit www.wwme.org.au or contact Mercy & James on M: 0409 183 676 (Australia) Begin or renew your couple/pastoral "ME to WE" journey from the comfort of your home.

Tenth anniversary of canonisation of St Mary MacKillop

The Archdiocese will be hosting a number of events on Saturday, October 17 to mark the 10-year anniversary of St Mary MacKillop's sainthood. Archbishop O'Regan will unveil and bless a new statue of Mary MacKillop in the Cathedral at 10am, a local bus tour led by Sr Patricia Keane RSJ will leave the Cathedral at 11am to visit places of significance to St Mary, and an overnight pilgrimage to Penola will depart Adelaide on Saturday early morning. For more information regarding any of the above events or to book a place on either tour, please contact Archdiocesan Events on P: 8210 8220 or E: events@adelaide.catholic.org.au

Please pray for:

The recently deceased: Sr Carmel O'Reilly OP, Bill Blunden, Bruno Duregon, Pietro Russo, Manuel D'Silva, Michael Smiley, Krsto Despoja, Maria Nastasi, Hipolita Resane, Robert Dametto, Steven Jung, Nora Emmerton, Domenico Naccarella, Maria Nguyen Thi Thuyet, Sam Matters, John Hume

Those whose Anniversaries occur about this time:

Phyl and John Elwood, Giuseppina Maria Filippone, Michele Giarratano, Michael North, Anita Button, Fr Bernard John Curran OP, Paul Brincat, Fr Luke Stanislaus Huzarski OP, Domenic Curtale, Raffaella Maiorana, Luigi Rocca, Alicia Despoja, Angela Argentieri, Francesca Gagliardi, Karol Urbancic, Angela Desiderio, Vittorio Cardillo, Fr William Vincent McEvoy OP, Ted Milne

Those who are sick: Please keep in your prayers John Parrish, Ross Calabria, Fr Karl and all members of our Parish and their families and friends who are sick or in any other way in need of God's healing.

Baptisms: Ava Portolesi, Archie Comagon & Ava Crescitelli

To have the names of your loved ones printed in the weekend bulletin, please contact the office no later than Wednesday afternoon of that week.

2nd Collection 26/27 September 2020

Planned Giving Envelopes:	\$ 393.00
Our Lady of the Rosary Church	\$ 525.10
St Laurence's Church	\$ 290.45
TOTAL	\$1208.55

Thank you for your continued support of the Parish.

This Week's Readings
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Entrance Antiphon

Within your will, O Lord, all things are established, and there is none that can resist your will. For you have made all things, the heaven and the earth, and all that is held within the circle of heaven; you are the Lord of all.

A reading from the prophet *Is 5:1-7*

Isaiah

A reading from the letter of *Phil 4:6-9*

St Paul to the Philippians

Alleluia, alleluia!

I call you friends, says the Lord, because I have made known to you everything I have learnt from my father.

Alleluia!

A reading from the holy Gospel *Matt 21:33-43*
 according to Matthew

Communion Antiphon

The Lord is good to those who hope in him, to the soul that seeks him.

Responsorial Psalm

You brought a vine out of Egypt;
 to plant it you drove out the nations.
 It stretched out its branches to the sea,
 to the Great River it stretched out its shoots.

Then why have you broken down its walls?
 It is plucked by all who pass by.
 It is ravaged by the boar of the forest,
 devoured by the beasts of the field.

God of hosts, turn again, we implore,
 look down from heaven and see.

Visit this vine and protect it,
 the vine your right hand has planted.

And we shall never forsake you again:
 give us life that we may call upon your name.

God of hosts, bring us back;
 let your face shine on us and we shall be saved.

Next Week's Readings: 28th Sunday Year A

Isaiah 25:6-10
 Philippians 4:12-14, 19-20
 Matthew 22:1-14



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