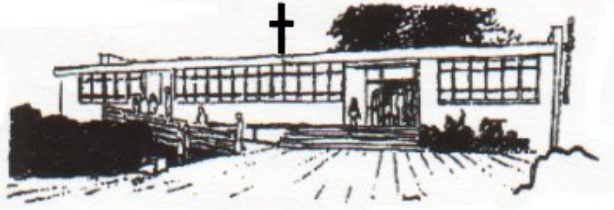


ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH



Fr. Andrew Fornal OP

Parish Priest

EMERGENCY PHONE: 02 4721 8905

Please leave a detailed Message

11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

15/ 16 June 2013, Year C

Sunday Masses:	Saturday Vigil:	4:00pm (Mass in Polish)
		6:00pm
	Sunday	8:30am
		10:00am
Weekday Masses:	Monday-Friday	8:00am
	Saturday	8:30am
Sacrament of Reconciliation:	Saturday	after 8:30am Mass

Parish Office Hours: Tuesday, Thursday: 9:00am—2:00pm; Friday 8:30am—1:30pm
(closed 12-12.30pm Tue & Thur.)

Address: 12-22 Richmond Road, PO Box 39, Kingswood NSW 2747; **Telephone:** 02 4721 4080; **Fax** 02 4721 0089
Email: parish@stjosephskingswood.org; **Web:** www.stjosephskingswood.org; **Facebook:** [stjosephkingswood](https://www.facebook.com/stjosephkingswood)

LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS / MASS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY:	8:30am	Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time	
Responsorial Psalm: Lord, forgive the wrong I have done			
Monday:	8:00am	Eleventh week in Ordinary Time	no Mass intention
Tuesday:	8:00am	Eleventh week in Ordinary Time	no Mass intention
Wednesday	8:00am	Eleventh week in Ordinary Time	no Mass intention
Thursday	8:00am	Eleventh week in Ordinary Time	no Mass intention
Friday	8:00am	St Aloysius Gonzaga	no Mass intention
Saturday	8:30am	Eleventh Week in Ordinary Time	no Mass intention

ADORATION CHAPEL

Open during office hours or speak to Father Andrew to arrange another time.

ANOINTING:

Fr. Andrew will anoint personally if the need arises. Please see Father to arrange an anointing.

RCIC—If you know of any children aged 6-14 who are committed to going to Mass each week and are ready for baptism, please phone the Parish Office 4721 4080.

RECENTLY DECEASED: Stanislaw Grzadka

DECEASED ANNIVERSARIES:

Pamela Vass

PARISH CELL GROUPS

Times and Venues

- A) 1st & 3rd Tuesday of month at 1:30pm
1/23-25 Walter St. Kingswood
- B) 2nd & 4th Wednesday after Mass
Parish Hall.
- C) 2nd & 4th Thursday at 7:00pm
2/40 Single Road, South Penrith

Any enquiries please ring Maria during office hours.

BECOME A JUNIOR ALTAR SERVER:

If your child has made their First Holy Communion and would like to be a Junior Altar Server, please see Fr. Andrew.

USED STAMPS: Please bring your used stamps and leave in the box at back of the Church. They are sold to help the missionaries.

PARISH WEBSITE: Why don't you check out our parish website and see what is happening. All our web addresses are at the top of the front page of the Bulletin.

**CENTACARE COUNSELLING FOR CHILDREN
RING 9630 7788**

WEEKLY ENVELOPES: BANKED \$979.00

Most sincere thank you to all volunteers who on Monday helped to clean the storage room and prayer room and reorganize the Church.

Fr. Andrew.

WE PRAY FOR THE SICK: George Churchward, Aaron Rhodes, Tony & Angelina Bogdanovic, Jonathon Ansell, Adell Matloob, Shakib Yousif, Kathy Carberry, Kathy Hogarth, Bertha Wetton, John McCahon, Marija Paponja, Mary D'Vaz, Kathryn Knighton, Joan Fleming, Joan Evans, Corrie Noort, Karen Morvan, Kevin Collins, Katie Domotor, John McLintock, Jeanette Rogers, Elaine Neal, Ken & Pat Fleming, Barbara Thompson, Judy Spence, Allan Tuckwell, Michael Holstein, Charles Timmins, John Ashford, Gisela Drobiszewski, Sienna Ongoongo, Faye Noonan, Josephine & Frances Zammit, Alistair McArthur, Valerie Davis, Margaret Loyola Woodward, Carmel Kerr, Michaela Barney, Faye McPherson, Brandon Stevens, Matthew McPherson, Debbie O'Connor, John Curtain and Lawrence Devitt.

Sick List: If you have anyone for the sick list, (due to privacy laws) contact the Parish Office to fill in a form.



**The Rosary Statue will be at the home of
Taline & Raphael Ghougassian—16th June 2013
Therese Ghougassian—23rd June 2013**

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

For odd jobs!!!! See Fr. Andrew.

Our Icon of St. Joseph: Cards of the Icon are for sale at \$2.50 in the St. Vincent de Paul Pious Stall.

8:30AM MASS ONLY:

The school gates on Joseph Street will be open after the 8:30am Mass as an **Exit Gate Only** for those leaving the Car Park after Mass, leaving the **Main Gate** as an **Entrance only** for the 10:00am Mass.

MEETING WITH FR. ANDREW for all Readers after morning Mass on Saturday 22nd June. Please make a special effort to be there.

RCIA: If you are interested in becoming a Catholic or would like to learn more about your Catholic Faith, please come along to our Enquiry Session at 7:30pm on Monday 29th July in the Parish Hall .

FUND-RAISING TEAM needed to organize events to raise money for our new Sanctuary. If you can help or have any suggestions please see Fr. Andrew or Clare.

TO OUR NEW PARISHIONERS: If you are new to our parish or have lived in the neighborhood and attend Mass but just never registered, we invite you to become an official member of St Joseph's Parish. Your registration is a part of being an active and responsible member of our Parish community. There are registration forms in the back of the church or in the sacristy. Please fill them out and put them in the collection basket, mail them to our Parish or give them to the priest.

The Parish membership will enrol you automatically in our Planned Giving System where your donations to the Parish will be recorded.

If you are not able to financially support our church, you can donate your time as a volunteer on a weekly basis, in lieu of your donation. Please indicate this on the form.

It is important to be a registered member of a parish since membership is required in the Catholic Church for various sacramental occasions such as: Marriage, Baptism of a child, Funeral or to serve as a godparent or sponsor for Confirmation even if the Sacrament will take place in a different parish.

CATHOLIC MISSIONS will be having a collection at all Masses this weekend 15/16 June. Please be generous. Thank you.

ST. JOSEPH'S PRIMARY SCHOOL'S 50TH JUBILEE DINNER

Friday 28th June at 7:00pm. Tickets are \$50.00.

Please see notice board for information on how to order tickets and what the menu will be.

A GIFT BY WILL: You can continue your support for your parish and the Diocese by making a Will to benefit your parish. Supporting the Church's work in a Will is one way to thank God for all we have received. For a confidential discussion on any aspect of making such a provision please contact the Diocesan Bequest Officer: 02 9630 0325, 0418 612 122, bequests@parra.catholic.org.au

Walk Together 2013 22nd June will take place at 1pm in Parramatta Park on the Saturday of Refugee Week. Details Christine D'Rozario 9390 5935

HOLY HOUR FOR VOCATIONS

Date: 20th June 2013, Thursday at 7:00pm.

Place: Blessed Sacrament Chapel, St. Patrick's Cathedral, Parramatta. Who: Everyone is welcome to come for the Holy Hour for Vocations for an hour of adoration, prayer, music and quiet time. Join us for a light supper afterwards.

VOCATION REFLECTION AFTERNOON

Date: 23rd June 2013, Sunday from 2pm to 7pm.

Place: 31-33 Allen Street, Harris Park 2150.

Who: To all young men who are discerning for the Vocation to the Priesthood or Religious Life.

For catering purposes: Give Fr. Warren Edwards, Vocation Director for Parramatta Diocese, a call:

0409 172 700 or email him:

vocations@parra.catholic.org.au if you are able to come for this upcoming Vocation Reflection Afternoon.

GOD LOVES FAMILIES: Break open the Bishops' 2012-13 Social Justice Statement: 'The Gift of Families in Difficult Times'. In this Year of Faith explore with us the pressures of time, competing for wealth in a consumer society, pressures on family relationships and concern for the most vulnerable families. From 7-9pm, cost \$10. An initiative of the Diocesan Social Justice Office in conjunction with the Institute for Mission, 1-5 Marion St, Blacktown. Bookings 02 9831 4911.

BAPTISM: Prior to having a child baptized at St Joseph's, you must have been registered in the parish for at least four months, attending Sunday Mass each week, using the stewardship envelopes (even if you cannot afford to contribute, please put an envelope in the collection basket), and participating in the life of the parish (make yourself known to the priest and be involved in parish activities).

Baptisms take place on Sundays at 11:15am after the **10:00am Mass**.

Attending a Baptism Preparation Class is required and may be attended prior to the birth of a child.

Vatican City, 12 June 2013 (VIS) – The Church, defined in Vatican Council II as the People of God, was the topic of Pope Francis' catechesis during the Wednesday general audience. The Holy Father explained the concept of the People of God.

To be the People of God “first of all means that God doesn't belong to any particular people because He is the one who calls us ... and this invitation is addressed to all, without distinction, because God's mercy 'wills everyone to be saved'.

A person becomes part of this people “not through physical birth, but by a new birth ... Baptism ... through faith in Christ, God's gift that must be nourished and made to grow throughout our lives.”

What is the law of the people of God? “It is the law of love, love for God and love for neighbour ... which isn't a sterile sentimentalism or something vague, but is the recognition of God as the one Lord of life and, at the same time, welcoming others as true brothers and sisters ... the two go hand in hand.

“This people's mission,” the Pope continued, “to bring God's hope and salvation to the world: to be a sign of the love of God who calls all to friendship with him Let us make our lives the light of Christ. Together we will bring the light of the Gospel to all of reality.”

The goal of this people is “God's kingdom, begun on earth by God himself, and which must be further extended until it is brought to perfection, when Christ, our life, shall appear. The objective [of the people of God], therefore, is full communion with the Lord, familiarity with him, entering into the divine life itself, into his family, where we will live the joy of his boundless love.”

“Being the Church, being the people of God,” Francis concluded, “... means being God's leaven in this our humanity. It means proclaiming and bearing God's salvation in this our world, which is often lost and needful of having encouraging answers, answers that give hope, that give new energy along the journey.”

Following proclamation of the Privacy Act 1988 at the end of 2001, a privacy policy has been developed in accordance with Diocesan norms and has been approved by the Parish Priest. A copy is available from the Parish Office.

Readings: 2 Sam 12:7-10; Gal 2:16;19-21; Lk 7:36; 8:3