

<p><b>PARISH DIRECTORY:</b>  <b>Parish Priest:</b> Monsignor Brian Rayner  <b>Assistant Priest:</b> Father Greg Morgan</p> <p><b>Presbytery:</b> 123 Gymea Bay Rd Gymea.  <b>Secretary:</b> Kerry Ginman  <b>Office Hours:</b> 9:30 am - 12 noon &amp;  12:30 pm - 3:30 pm  Monday to Friday inclusive</p> <p><b>Office &amp; Presbytery telephone:</b> 9525.1138  <b>Email:</b> office@stcaths.org.au  <b>Website:</b> https://www.stcaths.org.au</p> <p><b>Pastoral Council Email:</b>  pastoralcouncil@stcaths.org.au</p> <p><b>Archdiocese Website and links:</b>  https://www.sydneycatholic.org</p>	<p><b>Safeguarding Officer:</b>  Kerry Ginman safeguarding@stcaths.org.au</p> <p><b>Sacramental Programs:</b>  Grant Scott  sacramentalprogramme@stcaths.org.au</p> <p><b>Catechists:</b>  Grant Scott catechists@stcaths.org.au</p> <p><b>St Catherine's Friendship Club:</b>  Email: friendshipclub@stcaths.org.au</p> <p><b>St Catherine Labouré Parish School:</b>  <b>Principal:</b> Jodie McKay  <b>School Office:</b> 9524.9706  <b>Website:</b> https://sites.google.com/a/syd.catholic.edu.au/sclgymea</p>
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25 / 26 July 2020 *The 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year A*

	Sat 5 pm Vigil	Sunday 7:30 am	Sunday 9:30 am	Sunday 6 pm
<b>Acolyte</b>	Kevin Bourke	Sam Keir	Jim Gothard	David Gormley
<b>Minister</b>	Emma Honey	Graham Ward	Barbara Foster	Amelia Paras
<b>Minister</b>	James Clancy	Gary Reneker	Michele Anthony	
<b>1st Reading</b>	Jodie McKay	Jeff Greenaway	Moira Loader	Joan Pinto
<b>Psalm</b>	Maureen Pocock	Doreen Vernon	Jed Loader	
<b>2nd Reading</b>	Helen Reece	Adele Greenaway	Carole Venier	Jenni Gormley

May God and our Lady of Lourdes  
care for and protect all of us.

God bless each one of you.

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*Effective immediately, we have cancelled the Office facsimile. Please use email (office@stcaths.org.au) or phone the Office (9525.1138) instead...*

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**Lord, Grant Eternal Peace to:**

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**Recently Deceased;**

*Jennifer Joseph - A Funeral Service will be held at Olsen's Chapel, Old Princes Highway Sutherland, Tuesday, 21 July @ 1 pm*

*Erica Overton - A Funeral Service will be held at the South Chapel, Woronora Cemetery Wednesday, 22 July @ 10 am*

*Manus M'Gee - A Requiem Mass will be celebrated here Wednesday, 23 July @ 11:30 am*

*Jacqueline Scherer - A Requiem Mass will be celebrated here Thursday, 23 July @ 12:30 pm followed by a burial at Woronora Cemetery*

*Joan Rose (the generous lady who made Rosaries to hand out - died aged in her 90's), Barbara Lauf, Andreas 'Andrew' Deutsch, René Donoso, Carlo Massarotti, Elsie 'Meg' Campbell, Paul Charman.*

**We remember those whose Anniversaries we commemorate at this time:**  
*Domenico Grieco, Giuseppe & Maria Rose Iervasi, Lourdes Valdoria Palma.*

**Also;** *Roy & Mary Esplin, Lean Family, John Vincent Sidgreaves, The Holy Souls, Deceased and Members of the Friendship Club.*

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Dear Parishioners,

*Please be aware that Government restrictions prevent us from having communal singing and choirs until further notice but we have started the Overheads again from this week-end with the responses and will only have music played at some Masses.*

**PARISHIONERS ARE WELCOME TO WEAR MASKS AT MASS –  
1 PERSON PER 4 SQUARE METRES**

**CONGRATULATIONS TO THE McSTAY FAMILY** for receiving their Australian Citizenship on 24 June.

Coming to Australia with their six children in 2010, Paul & Anne Marie, chose to make a new life for their family.

Paul, known as “The Maestro” in Scotland is the most famous of all Soccer players from his country.

With the whole family as practising Catholics, our parish is blessed by their presence.

**COVID VICTIM:** 70 year old Archbishop Costa of Bangladesh died after contracting the virus.

**PLEASE** take extra care to be safe and pray to Our Lady of Lourdes to protect you and your loved ones (*see back page of Bulletin*)

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***We pray for all the sick of our Parish Community and their carers.***

***Especially;*** Pam Buckley, Alice Elliott, Bev Hurst, Larry McDonnell and Marié Rayner, who are gravely ill.

***Also;*** Jean Bell, Carmel Farnham, Dorothy Fraser-Bell, Cheryl Lim, Rosemary Mayborn, Veronica Nugent, Tony Ryan, Evelyn Spiteri, Megan Thomas, Father Reg Wilson.

Dear Parishioners:

**MASS TIMES:** Monday to Saturday mornings @ 9:15 am.

**Sunday Observance:** Saturday Vigil Mass @ 5 pm  
Sunday Mass @ 7:30 am, Sunday Mass @ 9:30 am and  
Sunday Evening @ 6 pm.

**CONFESSION TIMES AFTER FIRST SATURDAY MASS AND  
BENEDICTION AND AGAIN SATURDAY BEFORE THE 5 PM  
VIGIL MASS FROM 4:30 PM TO 4:45 PM.**

**TAX RECEIPTS:** Should you require a Tax Receipt for your donations to Charitable Works, Project Compassion, etc. please contact Kerry at the Parish Office immediately via email: [office@stcaths.org.au](mailto:office@stcaths.org.au)

Anyone who wishes, may bring their Parish Planned Giving Envelopes to the Office, please do so as the finances are minimal at this time as you will understand.

**PLEASE DO NOT USE YOUR OLD ENVELOPES  
AS WE HAVE TOTALLY RE-NUMBERED  
CONTRIBUTORS BOXES  
AS PER OUR PREVIOUS ADVICES.**

**MY THANKS** to all those who contributed with back-monies for the Parish giving. Such generosity reflects the love a, concern and ownership you have for your Parish.

*To help reduce expenditure, we have successfully undertaken the re-numbering of our Planned Giving Envelopes as a result of the number of boxes that were left unclaimed from the financial year 2019-2020 and those parishioners who have relocated or opted for Credit Card direct debit, thus saving the parish the cost of over 150 boxes of envelopes.*

***The new Planned Giving Envelopes are available at the back of the Church. Please collect yours today.***

God bless you for all you do for our Parish.

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