



ST. BEDE'S AND ST. JAMES'



Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time –Year B Sunday 28th January 2018

St James' Church.

2 Woolley Street,
Glebe

Weekday Masses

Wednesday &

Friday: 9am

Sat: 8.30am

Sunday Mass Times

Saturday Vigil: 5pm

Sunday: 9.30am

(Tongan Choir: 4th Sunday)

Confession (Reconciliation)

Saturday at 4pm (St. James)

Baptisms

2nd Sunday of the month at
12.15pm. Bookings required.

St Bede's Church

43 Pymont Street,
Pymont

Sunday Mass Times

8am and 11am

Baptisms

3rd Sunday of the month at
12.00 noon. Bookings required.

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Reflection by Fr Michael Tate

The word 'diabolical' comes from a Greek word referring to something broken in two, shattered. Looking at persons and societies torn apart, it is obvious that the diabolical spirit is powerful. However, it harbours a fear that a more powerful Holy Spirit could reintegrate a personality, could make a community out of divided groups.

'Have you come to destroy us?' indicates that this fear was realised in the coming on to the scene of Jesus Christ. Jesus' answer was a resounding 'Yes', not in words but in action, healing a man torn apart by a diabolical spirit.

Jesus Christ invites and empowers us to join in his healing mission to overcome whatever it is which tears people apart, whether at the individual, community or global levels. We do so in the confidence of His Resurrection which overcame the diabolical tearing apart of His body and soul.

We could pause for a moment to commit ourselves to joining Jesus' mission, so putting the fear of God into the devil!



WELCOME TO THE CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY

EVELYN ROSE SHURLEY,
daughter of Matthew and Isobel Shurley.
Baptised at St Bede's Pymont.

JACK YEONG WARNER,
Son of William and Jenny Warner,
Baptised at St James, Forest Lodge



BACK TO SCHOOL
Are you ready?

NOTICES, NOTICES, NOTICES, NOTICES, NOTICES, NOTICES, NOTICES.....

FEAST DAY OF ST BAKHITA

Sydney Catholics are warmly invited to join the Archbishop of Sydney, Most Rev Anthony Fisher OP, at St Mary's Cathedral at 5.30pm on 8 February to celebrate the Feast Day of St Bakhita.

St Bakhita is the patron saint of South Sudan and Human Trafficking.

The Archbishop will also launch the Archdiocese's Anti-Slavery Taskforce, its strategy and initiatives in respect to supply chains, education and wider community engagement, all directed toward the eradication of modern-slavery and human trafficking. The announcement of the taskforce and its initiatives follows the Archbishop's evidence before the NSW Legislative Council inquiry into human trafficking last year and calls from Pope Francis for increased efforts to end human trafficking and slavery-proof supply chains. The Archbishop is encouraging every parish to mark the feast day of St Bakhita with a Mass on the day for those who cannot attend the cathedral.

CATHOLIC CARE

Support Coordination helps families with a child living with a disability put in place their NDIS plan.

To find out more about CatholicCare's Support Coordination services please call our friendly CCareline Team on 13 18 19 or email connect@catholiccare.org

FR PEDRO WALPOLE SJ

Fr Pedro Walpole SJ, Coordinator of Ecojesuit and an international expert on environmental issues, will be visiting Sydney and celebrating Mass following by a talk on Friday February 2.

Laudato si' Mass (5.30 to 6.15pm) at St Mary's Church 42 Ridge Street, North Sydney

6.30-7.30pm An Australia - Philippines Conversion about Laudato si' at Nth Sydney Parish Centre, 42 Ridge Street, Nth Sydney

GUIDED SILENT RETREAT

"Walk with me", this Lent, through a guided silent retreat given by the Verbum Dei Missionaries:

Sunday 11th February 9.30am - 3pm. It will be held at Mt Carmel Retreat Centre, Varroville and cost \$30. Please BYO lunch as no food will be provided. For more information contact Kylie 0403453620 or verbumdeisydney@gmail.com

CATHOLIC MINDFULNESS WORKSHOP

THIS ASH WEDNESDAY: Join Catholic USA psychologist, Dr Gregory Bottaro at his workshop where he will teach you new skills to help support the people in your communities. Gain more peace in your life by trusting God, letting go and becoming more present with his Mindfulness strategy.

When: Wednesday, February 14 **Where:** Notre Dame University, Broadway Campus **Cost:** \$100 **Register:** www.rom.org.au

FOOTPRINTS OF JESUS PILGRIMAGE MAY 2018

The 16-day pilgrimage departing on 16th of May, 2018, features Petra, Mt. Nebo, Bethlehem, Jericho, Sea of Galilee, Jerusalem, Dead Sea, Masada, Nazareth, Caesarea Philippi, for an all-inclusive New Year offer of \$5,490. To avail the early bird offer you can reserve your seats with an initial deposit of \$500. This offer ends on 31st of January, 2018. For further details or any queries please feel free to call Magi Pilgrimages on 03 8562 2246 or email: pilgrimage@magiholidays.com.au

DEVOTIONS TO HONOUR OUR LADY OF LOURDES

Mass and Blessing of the Sick will be held at Our Lady of Lourdes Grotto, Earlwood, on Sunday the 11 February 2018 (behind Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Earlwood), entrance via St. James Avenue, Earlwood, commencing with recitation of the Rosary at 2:30 p.m. followed by Mass and the Blessing of the Sick at 3:00 p.m. The Principal celebrant will be Bishop Anthony Randazzo.

POSITIONS VACANT

Director of Care Services, Rosary Village Aged Care.

Permanent full-time position. Yennora-based. For further information please contact Anthony Spata at REACH Human Resources, on [0402 210 055](tel:0402210055). Applications close 14 February 2018.

Housekeeper

St Francis Xavier Lurnea, Presbytery and office. 5 - 8 hours a week Days and times negotiable. Cleaning & cooking required Experience preferred Applications Close: Friday 2 February 2018 Please contact Mary-Ann on 9607 8760 or

admin@sfxlurnea.org.au

ST VINCENT'S COLLEGE POTTS POINT

Celebrating their 160th Anniversary in 2018. The College, Ex-Students Union and the Foundation are working together to document their rich history and conduct the Vinnies Census of Alumnae and Community. All former students, staff and families are invited and encouraged to participate and spread the word. www.vinniescensus.nsw.edu.au

PALMS ENCOUNTERS

Palms Encounters are ethically run group tours that provide participants with authentic, hard to come by experiences. The tours have been carefully designed to give you an insight into the daily life of people of another culture, an understanding of sustainable approaches to reducing poverty, and an insight into the life and work of Palms development volunteers.

We still have **limited places** available for our next trip to **Timor-Leste 11-23 March** Please contact Palms on 02 9560 5333 or see www.palms.org.au/encounters



Palms
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Readers for next Sunday, 4th February 2018

	St. James' 5pm	St. Bede's 8am	St. James' 9:30am	St. Bede's 11am
First Reader	Michael & Sue McAlister	Joanne Giannini	Anne Connolly	Monique M Ras
Second Reader	Michael & Sue McAlister	Robert Gavagna	Martin Morris	Judy Fitzpatrick

Please pray for the sick:

Elizabeth Fletcher, Neave Mackey, Anne Owens, Patricia O'Leary, John Jones, Gillian Ellis, John & June Ebert, Debbie Julius, Archbishop Anthony, Fran Campisi, Irene Malin, Fr. Michael Walsh, Bp Geoffrey Robinson, Kate Mara, Leslee Hoad-Mara, Lee Tillam, Noreen Hayes, Kay White, family members, parishioners, friends.

Please pray for the deceased:

Norma Fisher, Eileen Casey, Allan White, Georgia Hoad, Hazel O'Connor, Peter Walsh, Sam Tinman, Maria Lo, Sean & Pat Flanagan, Frank & Melina Galluzzo, O'Connor family members & all the faithful departed Parishioners.

If you would like to add names to the "pray for the sick" or "pray for the deceased" lists, please contact the office. Please note that any names added for an anniversary to the pray for the deceased will remain for 4 weeks.

Help spread the good news by connecting all the faces 😊. Only use straight lines - including diagonal lines - but do not pass through crossed boxes ☒.

Complete the sentence below by adding each letter that your line passes through.

START



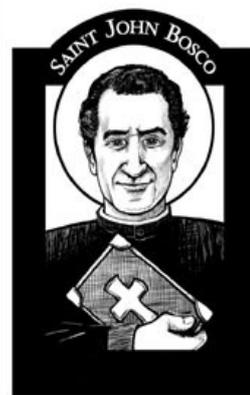
FINISH

People were amazed at his _____ teaching.

Wordsearch

Try to find these words:

- amazed
- Capernaum
- destroy
- evil
- Holy
- Moses
- Nazareth
- powerful
- quiet
- Sabbath
- shook
- teaching



St John Bosco was the youngest son of a peasant farmer in the town of Turin, Northern Italy. Soon after his ordination in 1841 he began his life's work of educating poor and orphaned children. He had an extraordinary gift for handling difficult youths without punishment, but with gentle and effective firmness. Inspired by St Francis de Sales, Don Bosco called his helpers "Salesians", who were formally recognised by the church in 1874.

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ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

Save us, O Lord our God!
And gather us from the nations,
to give thanks to your holy name,
and make it our glory to praise you.

GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father.

COLLECT

Grant us, Lord our God,
that we may honour you with all our
mind, and love everyone in truth of
heart. Through our Lord Jesus Christ,
your Son, who lives and reigns with you
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever.

FIRST READING

Deuteronomy 18:15-20

Moses said to the people: "Your God will raise up for you a prophet like myself, from among yourselves, from your own brothers; to him you must listen. This is what you yourselves asked of the Lord your God at Horeb on the day of the Assembly. "Do not let me hear again" you said "the voice of the Lord my God, nor look any longer on this great fire, or I shall die"; and the Lord said to me, "All they have spoken is well said. I will raise up a prophet like yourself for them from their own brothers; I will put my words into his mouth and he shall tell them all I command him. The man who does not listen to my words that he speaks in my name, shall be held answerable to me for it. But the prophet who presumes to say in my name a thing I have not commanded him to say, or who speaks in the name of other gods, that prophet shall die."



RESPONSORIAL PSALM

If today, you hear his voice,
harden not your hearts.

SECOND READING

1 Corinthians 7:32-35

I would like to see you free from all worry. An unmarried man can devote himself to the Lord's affairs, all he need worry about is pleasing the Lord; but a married man has to bother about the world's affairs and devote himself to pleasing his wife: he is torn two ways. In the same way an unmarried woman, like a young girl, can devote herself to the Lord's affairs; all she need worry about is being holy in body and spirit. The married woman, on the other hand, has to worry about the world's affairs and devote herself to pleasing her husband. I say this only to help you, not to put a halter round your necks, but simply to make sure that everything is as it should be, and that you give your undivided attention to the Lord.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!

A people in darkness have seen a great light: a radiant dawn shines on those lost in death.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL

Mark 1:21-28

Jesus and his followers went as far as Capernaum, and as soon as the Sabbath came Jesus went to the synagogue and began to teach. And his teaching made a deep impression on them because, unlike the scribes, he taught them with authority. In their synagogue just then there was a man possessed by an unclean spirit, and it shouted, 'What do you want with us, Jesus of Nazareth? Have you come to destroy us? I know who you are: the Holy One of God.' But Jesus said sharply, 'Be quiet! Come out of him!' And the unclean spirit threw the man into convulsions and with a loud cry went out of him. The people were so astonished that they started asking each other what it all meant. 'Here is a teaching that is new' they said 'and with authority behind it: he gives orders even to unclean spirits and they obey him.' And his reputation rapidly spread everywhere, through all the surrounding Galilean countryside.

NICENE CREED

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven & earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

O Lord, we bring to your altar these offerings of our service: be pleased to receive them, we pray, and transform them into the Sacrament of our redemption.
Through Christ our Lord.

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION:

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we proclaim your death, O Lord, until you come again.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Let your face shine on your servant.
Save me in your merciful love.
O Lord, let me never be put to shame, for I call on you.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Nourished by these redeeming gifts, we pray, O Lord, that through this help to eternal salvation true faith may ever increase. Through Christ our Lord.