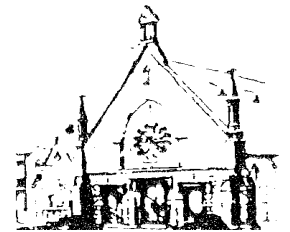


ST. BEDE'S AND ST. JAMES'



Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time –Year B Sunday 12th August 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)

Children's Liturgy

1st Sunday of the month (St. James)

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

Your mother and my mother, carrying her baby in the womb for nine months, effectively said: 'Take, eat, this is my body.' A mother able to breastfeed continues this communion as she offers her body to give life to her child.

Our Lord Jesus Christ adopts maternal language to express his deepest desire for us! He gives us his risen and glorified Humanity: 'Take, eat, this is my body', and a sort of life-giving mutual indwelling occurs: 'Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood abide in me and I in them.' This is as intimate as a baby dwelling in the womb of its mother. As St Paul put it in a different context, 'In Him we live and move and have our being.'

The Saviour of the World, the Conqueror of Death, dwells in my body and I dwell in his glorified body. This gives us 'eternal life' which is not something which begins after death, but is simply a label for Our Lord's Divinehuman life which we can share right now. However, because it is the life of the Conqueror of Death it will certainly impel us beyond the grave: 'The one who eats this bread will live forever.'

We could take a moment to pray to more fervently realise and take advantage of the fact that, at every Mass, we can respond to the invitation to come forward to Holy Communion so as to be enwombed in the maternal Christ.

Welcome to the Christian Community

With great joy we welcome Niketut Mantella (Maria)

to our community.

Maria will be Baptised, Confirmed and take first Communion

during the 9.30 mass at St James.

Marjorie Britton—Funeral Service

There will be a funeral service held for Marjorie Britton,
on Wednesday 15th August at 2pm at St James Forest Lodge.

Marjorie was a parishioner of St James for many years.
Marjorie passed away aged 97.

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

NEW READERS ROSTERS FOR SEPTEMBER TO NOVEMBER WILL BE AVAILABLE NEXT WEEK.

WRITE TO SENATORS TO OPPOSE EUTHANASIA

The Senate will this week vote on a Bill which would allow territories to legalise euthanasia and assisted suicide. Please contact your senators TODAY and ask them to protect vulnerable people by voting against the Bill. Visit the HOPE website to send your message <http://www.no euthanasia.org.au/sign>

MEMORIAL MASS FOR THE UNBORN

Most Rev Anthony Randazzo, Auxiliary Bishop of Sydney, will offer the annual *Memorial Mass for the Unborn* on Wednesday 29th of August at 7.00pm at St Mary's Cathedral. The Mass will be offered in commemoration of the unborn children lost to abortion and in solidarity with the mothers and fathers who grieve this profound loss. During the Mass 74 candles will be bought forward in remembrance of the 74 lives lost to abortion each day in NSW. All are invited to attend. Enquiries: Life, Marriage and Family Centre: 9307 8400 or LMFevents@sydneycatholic.org.

THE SHALOM WELLNESS 2018 FRI 7TH SEPT 6PM TO SUN 9TH SEPT 3PM

This weekend retreat is all about finding balance and nurturing your mind, body and spirit. For your body, you can learn some exciting healthy cooking; have available lovely walks and a yoga session. For your spirit, we have meditation, Ignition First Spiritual Exercises and walking our labyrinth. For your mind, you can attend wellness coaching talks and art therapy.

You can do as much or as little as you want while enjoying the good food and lovely atmosphere of Shalom House of Prayer.

Cost: suggested donation \$250 (All meals, materials & accommodation)

Bookings: ph: 02 63673058 or email: shalomcarcoar@gmail.com or book on line: www.shalomcarcoar.com SHALOM HOUSE OF PRAYER, 7 COLLINS STREET CARCOAR

Presenters: The Shalom Community, Life/Wellness Coaches - Simon and Majella Price, Artist - David Newman-White and Jan Green Pranayoga Bathurst.

VOCATION WEEKEND FOR MEN (18-35yrs) 24-26th AUGUST 2018

Live the Gospel! Build the Kingdom! Share the Joy! Change the world with us!

The Capuchin Friars are inviting single Catholic men who are interested in exploring a possible vocation to the priesthood/religious life to come for a discernment retreat weekend. Begins 7:30pm Friday and concludes 4pm Sunday at 98 Catherine St, Leichhardt. There will be Mass on Saturday and Sunday, Adoration, quiet prayer, talks, confession available and quiet time. Come and reflect on God's will in your life, and these amazing ways of making a gift of self for the glory of God and in service of His Kingdom. The cost is free/optional donation but you must register by 20th August.

Contact Father Thomas: vocations@capuchinfriars.org.au or 0432 362 052. <https://www.capuchin.org.au>

CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE

Holiness is for everyone! All men (married, single, divorced) are called to be spiritual leaders in their families, workplaces, parishes and communities. Don't make this journey alone! Come to the inaugural Australian Catholic Men's Conference on Saturday 1 September this year! Includes great speakers, lunch, Mass with Auxiliary Bishop Anthony Randazzo and the chance to connect with other Catholic men. Only \$48 per person (early bird) or \$60 (standard). For full details and to book visit www.trybooking.com/vdgl Numbers limited to 100 - be quick!

The conference schedule can be found @: www.sydneycatholicmen/conference

CONFIRMATION 2018 St James Catholic Church

**The Most Reverend Terence Brady
will be conferring the Sacrament of Confirmation
Friday 9th November, 7:00pm**

Summary of dates:

Friday 14th September

Forms and payment due to St James School.

Sunday 23rd September

Commitment Mass and information session.
Commencing at 9.30am—11.30am
(Attendance is Compulsory)

Friday 26th October (before 3pm)

All Sponsor and Confirmation name documents must be emailed to Brooke at the parish office: info@stjames-stbede.org.au

Sunday 4th November

Reflection Day.
(Please bring completed activity books)

Friday 9th November at 7:00pm

The Sacrament of Confirmation.

For more information, please contact Brooke at St James Parish office, on 9660 1407 or email: info@stjames-stbede.org.au

The Feast of the Assumption

Mass for the
Feast of the Assumption will
be:

Wednesday 15th August

9am—St James,
Forest Lodge

7pm—St Bede's,
Pyrmont

Readers for next Sunday, 19th August 2018

	St. James'	St. Bede's	St. James'	St. Bede's
	5pm	8am	9:30am	11am
First Reader	Guido & Margaret Gianni	John O'Meally	Steve Rogers	Judy Fitzpatrick
Second Reader	Guido & Margaret Gianni	Robert Gavagna	Rocco Ranieri	Brenda Aguilar

Please pray for the sick:

Jack Williams, Dr Ron Morstyn, Karen Ingui, Guido Gianni, Peter Spillane, Fr Dom Murphy, Mia Hoad, Audrey Tate, Elizabeth Fletcher, Neave Mackey, Patricia O'Leary, Gillian Ellis, John & June Ebert, Debbie Julius, Fran Campisi, Irene Malin, Fr. Michael Walsh, Bp Geoffrey Robinson, Kate Mara, Leslee Hoad-Mara, Lee Tillam, Kay White, family members, parishioners, friends.

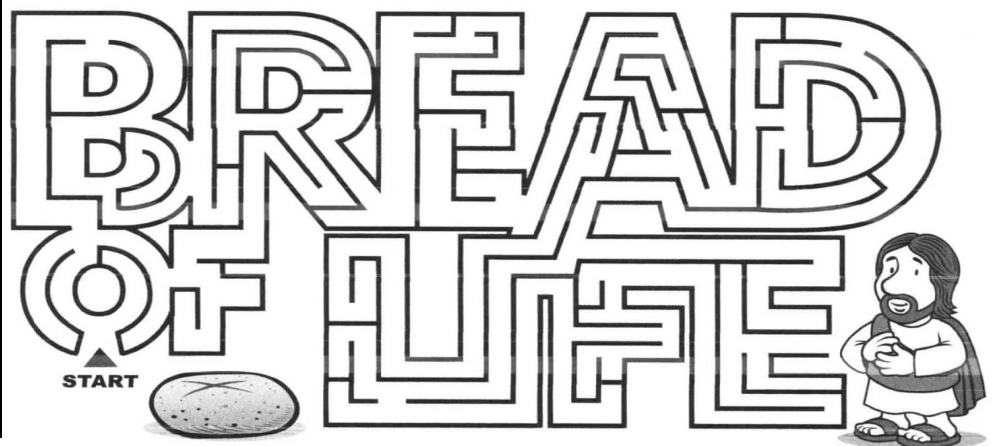
Please pray for the deceased:

Meryl Tapsell, Fatima & Theo Alfonso, Audrey Dow, Marjorie Britton, Sr. Catherine, Ken Owens, Norman Staples, Anthony Creighton, Allan White, Georgia Hoad, Hazel O'Connor, Sam Tinman, Maria Lo, Sean & Pat Flanagan, Frank & Melina Galluzo, 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.



Can you make your way through the BREAD OF LIFE maze?



Wordsearch

Try to find these words:

ancestors	down	heaven
bread	eat	life
crowd	flesh	manna
desert	forever	world

E L T M H E A V E N W L T F H
 B A E C X S J C K D O I A D N
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The Feast of the Assumption

celebrates the belief that the body and soul of the Blessed Virgin Mary were taken into heaven after the end of her earthly life. Mary's assumption into heaven is seen by many as a fulfilment of Jesus'

promise to all faithful servants; that they too will be received into the kingdom of God. Belief in the Assumption of Mary had become widespread by the end of the seventh century and was eventually defined in an infallible statement by Pope Pius XII in 1950.

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

Look to your covenant, O Lord,
and forget not the life of your poor ones
for ever.

Arise, O God, and defend your cause,
and forget not the cries of those who
seek 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

Almighty ever-living God,
whom, taught by the Holy Spirit,
we dare to call our Father,
bring, we pray, to perfection in our
hearts the spirit of adoption as your
sons and daughters,
that we may merit to enter into the
Inheritance which you have promised.
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

1 Kings 19:4-8

Elijah went into the wilderness, a day's
journey, and sitting under a furze bush
wished he were dead. 'Lord', he said 'I
have had enough. Take my life: I am no
better than my ancestors.' Then he lay
down and went to sleep. But an angel
touched him and said, 'Get up and eat.'
He looked round, and there at his head
was a scone baked on hot stones, and a
jar of water. He ate and drank and then
lay down again. But the angel of the Lord
came back a second time and touched
him and said, 'Get up and eat, or the
journey will be too long for you.' So he
got up and ate and drank, and
strengthened by that food he walked for
forty days and forty nights until he
reached Horeb, the mountain of God.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Taste and see the goodness of the Lord.

SECOND READING

Ephesians 4:30 – 5:2

Do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God
who has marked you with his seal for
you to be set free when the day
comes. Never have grudges against
others, or lose your temper, or raise
your voice to anybody, or call each
other names, or allow any sort of
spitefulness. Be friends with one
another, and kind, forgiving each other
as readily as God forgave you in Christ.
Try, then, to imitate God, as children
of his that he loves, and follow Christ
by loving as he loved you, giving
himself up in our place as a fragrant
offering and a sacrifice to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!

I am the living bread from heaven,
says the Lord;
whoever eats this bread will live for
ever.
Alleluia!

GOSPEL

John 6:41-51

The Jews were complaining to each
other about Jesus, because he had
said, 'I am the bread that came down
from heaven.' 'Surely this is Jesus son
of Joseph' they said. 'We know his fa-
ther and mother. How can he now say,
'I have come down from heaven'?'
Jesus said in reply, 'Stop complaining
to each other.

'No one can come to me
unless he is drawn by the Father
who sent me, and I will raise him
up at the last day.

It is written in the prophets:
They will all be taught by God,
and to hear the teaching of the
Father, and learn from it,
is to come to me.

Not that anybody has seen the
Father,
except the one who comes from
God: he has seen the Father.

I tell you most solemnly,
everybody who believes has
eternal life.

I am the bread of life.
Your fathers ate the manna in the
desert and they are dead;
but this is the bread that comes
down from heaven,
so that a man may eat it and not
die.

I am the living bread which has
come down from heaven.
Anyone who eats this bread will
live for ever;
and the bread that I shall give
is my flesh, for the life of the
world.'

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

Be pleased, O Lord, to accept the
offerings of your Church,
for in your mercy you have given
them to be offered and by your
power you transform them
into the mystery of our salvation.
Through Christ our Lord.

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION:

We proclaim your Death, O Lord,
and profess your Resurrection until
you come again.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

O Jerusalem, glorify the Lord,
who gives you your fill of finest
wheat.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

May the communion in your
Sacrament that we have consumed,
save us, O Lord, and confirm us in
the light of your truth.
Through Christ our Lord.

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