

PARISH NOTICES:

- 1.Devotion of Two Hearts Mass followed by adoration **Friday 4th July at 7.00PM**
2. Sacrament of the Sick will take place during the 9:10am Mass on **Saturday 5th July**
- 3.Divine Mercy Chaplet and adoration- **Sunday 6th July at 3pm**
4. The work to install 8 cameras around our church has been completed and commissioned. We acknowledge and thank Multicultural NSW ministry for the Safe Places for Faith Communities Grant for paying for this project.
5. **Be sure to take your copy of the Winter Edition of Catholic Outlook magazine which includes a personal tribute to Pope Francis by Bishop Vincent.**
6. First Holy Communion- Sunday 31st August. Registrations for this sacrament are now open. Please take a registration form from the back of the church and return completed form to the Parish office.



SACRED HEART PARISH FETE SUNDAY 28TH SEPTEMBER



Our Parish is gearing up for another wonderful Fete, a time to celebrate our Parish community!

We are asking for donations of food items to make up the hampers for our Chocolate Wheel prizes.

Items may include; tin foods, biscuits, cereals, spreads, chocolates and other sweets, dressings, snack foods, drinks etc

Please leave donations in the baskets at located at the back of the church.

Thankyou for your generosity and support!

PRAYERS FOR THOSE IN OUR COMMUNITY:

SICK: Bayani Baybay, Maria Llave; Fe Llave, Boyet Llave; Fara Vargas; Stella Edwards & Maria Belisario; Dalveno Bronsan; Leonie Baybay; Aida Aniscol;

RECENTLY DECEASED: Ivy Chua, Charlotte Nebriaga ; Delia Caruso; Adoracion Corpin; Maria Roelita Agorto; Gloria Molina; Anthony Giaquinto; Cynch Velecina; Betty Masilang; Patricia Borre; Jachino De Almeida; Norma Labrador; Nieves Arela Empleo; Wai Yee; Oliva Rodriguez; Cesar Dela Paz; Leila Serrano Kempinski; Cheryl Anne Barit.

DEATH ANNIVERSARIES: We pray for all those names who appear in the Parish memorial book for the month of June



SACRED HEART PARISH
SOUTH MT DRUITT

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Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles (Year C)

29th June 2025



From Fr Marcus's desk.....

Peter and Paul had different backgrounds, but they worked together to spread the message of Jesus. Peter was a fisherman who followed Jesus from the beginning. Paul started as someone who opposed Christians but later became one of the Church's strongest leaders. Even though they were different, their work helped build the Church.

Peter focused on leading the Jewish Christians. He taught the Jewish people that Jesus was the Messiah they had been waiting for. He preached to those who already believed in God and helped them see how Jesus fulfilled God's promises. Peter helped unite the Jewish followers of Jesus.

Paul focused on preaching to the Gentiles. He believed the message of Jesus was for everyone, not just the Jewish people. He travelled to many cities and countries, bringing the Gospel to those who had never heard of Jesus. Paul opened the doors of the Church to the wider world.

Their missions complemented each other. Peter strengthened the Church from within, keeping it grounded and united. Paul expanded the Church, bringing in new believers from many cultures and backgrounds. Together, they helped the Church grow in numbers and in faith.

Peter and Paul did not always agree. They had a disagreement about whether Gentile converts needed to follow Jewish customs. But they worked through their differences for the good of the Church. Their unity in Christ was stronger than their differences.

The legacy of Peter and Paul lives on in the Church. Peter represents the foundation and leadership of the Church. Paul represents its mission to reach all people. Together, they remind us that the Church is built on faith and is called to share the Gospel with the world.

Sunday Masses Saturday 6.00 pm Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles(C)
Sunday 7.30 am & 9.00am

Weekday Masses:

Monday 30th June: 9:10am – Mon of Week 13 in Ordinary Time
 Tuesday 1st July: 9.10 am – Tues of Week 13 in Ordinary Time
 Wednesday 2nd July: 7.00pm- Wed of Week 13 in Ordinary Time
 Thursday 3rd July: 9:10am – Saint Thomas, Apostle
 Friday 4th July: 9:10am – Fri of week 13 in Ordinary Time
 7.00pm - Devotion of 2 Hearts and Adoration

Saturday 5th July: 9:10am – Sat of week 13 in Ordinary Time

Confessions: Saturday: 9.45am -10.15am & 5.00pm-5.30 pm

Pastoral Director: Deacon Roderick Pirotta

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Fr Taliai Hausia: 0404 322 560

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Parish Secretary: Donna Gauci (Wed & Thurs Only)

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Baptisms & Weddings: By arrangement only

Sacred Heart Primary School: Sacred Heart Primary School | Mt Druitt

South (sacredheartmtdruitt.catholic.edu.au) Tel: 9625 8733

Entrance Antiphon: These are the ones who, living in the flesh, planted the church with their blood; they drank the chalice of the Lord and became the friends of God.

Responsorial Psalm : The Lord set me free from all my fears.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! You are Peter, the rock on which I will build my church; the gates of hell will not hold out against it. Alleluia!

Communion Antiphon: Peter said to Jesus, You are the Christ, the son of the living God. And Jesus replied; You are Peter, and upon this rock I will build my church.

LECTORS	6PM	7:30AM	9AM
28 th /29 th June Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles	Herminia Villarica Gloria Cardoza	Sangeeta Kumar Nirmala Deni Savio	Fadi Antown Jovita Bugayong
5 th /6 th July 14 th Sunday in O/T	Pio Vergara Wendy Farquharson	Herbie Cruz	Bethany Buhagiar Mark Buhagiar
12 th /13 th July 15 th Sunday in O/T	Edna Gemzon Jeric Salazar	Elijah Merjudio Thomas Merjudio	Aloysius Wong Matthias Wong
19 th /20 th July 16 th Sunday in O/T	Luisito Villapana Herminia Villarica	Joaquim Mendes Vinod Nagarajan	Maria Fe Verceluz Mary Zore

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 available throughout our
 diocese. Please visit
parracatholic.org/about/jobs/
 for current job vacancies.**

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Young Adult Faith Formation sessions continue Sunday 6th July at the Sacred Heart Parish Hall, South Mt Druitt (9 Ropes Creek Rd Mt Druitt) at 7pm. The speaker is Fr Tom Green who will talk about and lead discussion on Bl Franz Jägerstätter. All adults 18-35 are encouraged to come along and enjoy some faith formation, pizza, and fellowship! If you have any questions, please call Mark on 0477 004 678.

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Sunday & NAIDOC Week: 6-13 July

On the first weekend in July, the Catholic Church in Australia celebrates Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Sunday (6 July) to acknowledge and celebrate the gifts of Australia's First Peoples. Liturgical resources and more information are available at natsicc.org.au/2025-atsi-sunday.html. The feast day is followed by National NAIDOC Week, an opportunity for all people in Australian to learn about First Nations cultures and histories and participate in celebrations of the oldest, continuous living cultures on earth. Find out more at naidoc.org.au

Bishop Vincent presents Mauricio López: 23 July

One of Latin America's most influential lay leaders, Mauricio López Oropeza, will be hosted by the Diocese of Parramatta as part of its "Bishop Vincent Presents" series. Mauricio will offer powerful insights on synodality, justice, and the Church's mission in a changing world. The free public lecture will be held on Wednesday 23 July at St Patrick's Cathedral Hall, Parramatta, from 6pm. To register and learn more, please visit parracatholic.org/lopez

Catholic Religious Australia 10,000 for 10 Initiative

To mark the 10th anniversary of Pope Francis' encyclical *Laudato Si'*, Catholic Religious Australia has launched the "10,000 for 10" initiative to encourage the planting and/or protection of 10,000 trees. If you cannot plant a tree, you can protect one or make a donation to a not-for-profit organisation focused on regenerative projects. To learn more, visit <https://www.catholicreligious.org.au/10000-for-10>

Penrith Parish Winter Wonderland Holiday Program: 6-9 July

St Nicholas of Myra Parish, Penrith, are hosting a Winter Wonderland Holiday Camp in the July school holidays from Monday 7 to Wednesday 9 July for boys and girls aged Kindy to Year 4. Please refer to the poster at the back and sides on the church for more information on activities, cost and how to register your child

CHURCH CLEANING 5th July – Nelson & Lydia