



NEWSLETTER
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FOR MASS TIMES AND DEVOTIONS

Click link: <https://mipeaglevale.org/mass-timings>

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A 9th February 2020

GOSPEL Matthew 5: 13-16

Jesus said to his disciples: 'You are the salt of the earth. But if salt becomes tasteless, what can make it salty again? It is good for nothing and can only be thrown out to be trampled underfoot by men.

'You are the light of the world. A city built on a hill-top cannot be hidden. No one lights a lamp to put it under a tub; they put it on the lampstand where it shines for everyone in the house. In the same way your light must shine in the sight of men, so that, seeing your good works, they may give the praise to your Father in heaven.'

Universal Prayer

We pray for the sick that Christ may comfort and strengthen them: Joseph Saliba, Dominic Bugeja, Carter Bugeja and Margaret Sandy

We pray for the deceased: Patrick Paul Contreras, Margot Murray who died recently and for Joao Hilario, Frank Saliba, Rosa Taboada, Georgette Haddad whose anniversaries occur at this time and for all the Holy Souls that they may rest in the peace of the Lord and those who mourn may be comforted.

Feast Days This Week:

Monday 10th : **St Scholastica**, virgin

Friday 14th : **Sts Cyril**, monk, and **Methodius**, bishop

Mass Intentions

8th—15th

February

2020

Sat 5.30pm	Frank Saliba—anniversary of death
Sun 8.30am	Rosa Taboada – anniversary of death
.10am	Mila Pameti—birthday and wedding anniversary
5.30pm	Pro Populo
Mon 9am	Margot Murray —recently deceased
Tue 9am	For the sick of our Parish
Wed 7.30pm	Georgette Haddad—anniversary of death
9am	Release of Holy Souls in Purgatory
9am	Patrick Paul Contreras—recently deceased
9.30am	Eric Pameti—birthday

NOTICES

WORSHIP NIGHTS - WHOLE HEART—



This Sunday we launch the first Worship Night for the Macarthur Region 7pm in the Hall. All Welcome.

Our Lady of Lourdes Feast – on Tuesday 11th the morning Mass at 9am will be offered for all the sick of our Parish. During the Mass the sick and the elderly will have a chance to receive the Sacrament of Anointing and the “Lourdes Blessing”.

A get together and refreshments after Mass in the Hall.

WORKSHOP FOR COUNTERS with Mr Trevor Kellam from Catholic Development Fund

Tuesday 11th February 7.30pm in the Parish Hall

Sacrament Registration 2020 CLOSE THIS WEEKEND

This is the last chance to register your child for a Sacrament.

First Reconciliation, First Holy Communion and Confirmation

The Sacramental Team is available after all Masses this weekend in the crying room ready to assist.

LENT begins on the 26th February.

ASH WEDNESDAY MASS TIMES

9am and 7.30pm with this distribution of Ashes.

LENTEN PRAYER AND DISCUSSION GROUP—

Mondays 7pm in the Crying Room Monday 24th February and finishing 30th March. If you are interested, please contact Louise Smith on 0410 098 548

Music Ministry Coordinator – Casual Position

This casual role, up to 7hrs per week, will coordinate music for all Sunday masses, as well as other liturgies requiring music, and provide basic level of training and formation for music ministers. The Music Co-Ordinator will work closely with the priests, parish leadership team, musicians and singers. Closing date for application is Friday 14th. Information and application forms can be made by contacting Darren McDowell, at the Diocesan Offices, on 4222 2463 or Darren.McDowell@dow.org.au



**Free Art Workshop
To Celebrate
Senior's Week 2020,**
CatholicCare are running a free Art

Workshop in collaboration with 'Liv the Dream' in Chelsea House within Ruse parish grounds.

Olivia will **teach the basic principles of painting your very own seascape** masterpiece on a canvas that you are welcome to take home.

Following the workshop **we invite everyone to join us for morning tea and information sharing about My Aged Care and other CatholicCare services** The Art workshop is

capped at 20 participants so be quick to secure your space, you miss out on the workshop, you are still invited to the morning tea afterwards.

Date: Thursday 20th Feb in Ruse parish hall
Art class: 9-11am

Morning tea/information sharing: 11am-12noon **RSVP Monday 17 Feb to melissaw@catholiccare.dow.org.au or call 46408553**



Macarthur Parishes Luncheon.

Only two weeks to go until our first Macarthur Parishes luncheon at Campbelltown Catholic Club on Friday 14

February in the food court at 12pm. As part of senior's week in Feb, we are inviting parishioners to join with other parishioners in the Macarthur parishes for a fun social lunch. They have a great menu with to suit all budgets. If this is a successful gathering, we continue this every second month with the next event to be held in April. It would be great if you could RSVP to Jane Hollier, Parish and Community Liaison Officer at CatholicCare on 0417018152 or janeh@catholiccare.dow.org.au by Monday 10th February to ensure that we get seating together. Look forward to seeing you for what will be a lovely social gathering.

ROSTERS FOR 15TH/16TH February 2020

15th/16 th	February	ROSTERS		
Cleaners	Team L			
Flowers	No Flowers			
Altar Linen	S Fernandes			
	5.30pm Sat	8.30am Sun	10.00am Sun	5.30pm Sun
Commentators	T Manjon	S Pahulu	P Ranger	J Byrne
Readers	J Kho	T Neilsen	E Tuigamala	J Luis
Ministers of the Eucharist	R Squires K Rookes J Rookes L Binskin	W Danford(Adult Altar Server) P Ekanayake H Murphy L Steptoe	A Collaco (Adult Altar Server) K Gong A Rego B Rego	Marco Spehar (Adult Altar Server) O Rivero G de Leon
Children's Liturgy			Connie Gangemi	
Grounds Maintenance				

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