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Our Lord Jesus Christ, King
of the Universe - Yr. A,
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Christ the King



Today celebrating the feast of Christ the King, we are concluding the year of reading from the Gospel of Matthew at Sunday Masses. Next Sunday we start a new Liturgical year celebrating the first Sunday of Advent. It was Pope Paul VI who decided to have the Feast of Christ the King as the conclusion of the liturgical year. But the Feast was introduced by Pope Pius XI as a response to growing nationalism and secularism. This ideological shift in the mind of people to secularism and nationalism was responsible for so many wars, including the world wars. In the face of such a disastrous situation, the Church asked us to turn to Christ and make our life Christ centred. A Christ centred approach to life can help us go beyond the national boundaries and ideological confines. Values such as compassion, mercy, and forgiveness, as expression of our love for others, are a powerful tool to fight the evils of a secular society. That is what we are celebrating today.

The title King has a Biblical context relating to the city of Jerusalem. Ten centuries before Christ, David as the King of the Israelites unified the country and helped to establish the Jerusalem temple as a mark on earth of the reign of God. David, as their king, defeated the dreaded enemies of the Israelites. He also established legislation and judiciaries. Thus David built up the people of God. But the kings succeeding him, including Solomon, seemed to have neglected the advice to trust in God more than worldly riches. The monarchy soon failed in keeping the people of God unified. But the aspirations for a unifying King who would bring peace and pride to the Israelites were still in the hearts of Jews thousands of years later, at the time of Jesus. Knowing this, Pilate mockingly called Jesus the King of Jews. He ordered a plaque to this effect to be placed on the Cross on which Jesus was hung. He may have intended to send the message of how powerful his Roman empire was and this will be the result if you call yourself a king. But his mockery was turned into a prophecy by God. The truth is that Jesus is the King, the only King, who could unify the people of God, not through army force or riches, but through trust in God.

Jesus is the King of the universe who establishes true peace, justice, and unity. He has done it through the Hope he has brought in His resurrection. No commercialism, materialism, or secularism will be a successful rival to it. No amount of secularist legislations through parliament will be successful in undermining the authority and influence of Jesus Christ on the people of good will. But to enjoy the fruits of the Kingdom of Christ we need to acknowledge Christ as the King of our lives.

Therefore awake from slumber, be active in accepting Christ as the King and master of your life. Organise your life knowing that whatever you do to the least of 'Christ's brothers and sisters', his disciples will be counted on the last judgement day. May you have the courage to proclaim Christ as the true king of your life. May your faith challenges provide meaning to your life.



This week we welcome into the Catholic faith
Annabelle Wilkinson
May she always know the love of God and feel His guiding hand throughout
her life

First Holy Communion

We congratulate Kardia Tran and Annalise Illuzzi as they make their First Holy Communion on the feast of Christ the King. May they always feel the love and presence of the Lord. Many thanks to Pam Snell who has prepared these children to receive the sacrament.



Christmas Mass Roster

The Liturgy Committee are currently drawing up a roster for all Christmas Masses. Please let us know if you will be in the parish for Christmas and are available to fulfil your ministry at any of the Vigil, Midnight or Christmas Day Masses. This includes Acolytes, Readers and Commentators, Ministers of Holy Communion and Piety Stall volunteers. Please contact Anna Manganaro on 0422568482 or Jenny Michael on 0413679931. Together we can make our Christmas Liturgy joy filled!

Catechists honoured

From our team of Catechists who teach Holy Scripture in State Schools, two names are outstanding for their Service – **Romaine Cheema** who has done 40 years and **Maria Wood** who has done 30 years. They both will be presented awards engraved with Archbishop Anthony Fisher's signature. Confraternity will be hosting a Luncheon at Dooleys Catholic Club Lidcombe on Friday 28 November to honour them. The parish congratulates these dedicated Catechists for their achievement and we are grateful to all catechists for their dedicated service.

Florists Required

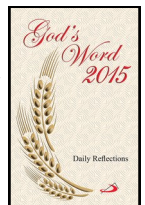
St Peter Chanel is in need of volunteers who have talent for arranging flowers. This would normally take place at 10am on Saturday after the Novena. Flowers are often donated and left in the Sacristy and it would enhance the altar if they could be arranged artistically. This is especially significant for major feasts. We are most grateful to those who currently provide this service, but more help is needed. Please give of your time and talents to your parish family. Many hands really do make light work! Contact Anna Manganaro on 0422568482

Book of Remembrance

The names of the departed souls of parishioners are written in the Book of Remembrance, which is placed permanently in St Peter Chanel Church. In this month of all souls, it is placed in front of the Altar. But the Book is incomplete and there are a lot of names to be added. Therefore the parish is looking for a volunteer with calligraphy skills to add other names. Fr Thomas would love to hear from any volunteer.

God's Word 2015

This book is a Daily Reflections Liturgical Diary and is designed to help you to keep the Word of God close to your heart in your daily life. It includes Liturgical readings of the day, Inspiring reflection of the Gospel of the day and space to note down important events and reflections of the day. It is now available at the Piety Stall for \$15.95



Christmas singing practice this weekend

There will be singing practice in preparation for Christmas **this Sunday (23rd) at 5pm in the church.** Everyone is encouraged to come along to learn the Carols and other Music for Midnight. Let's make this a special Christmas!

Christmas Luncheon

The Parish is organising a Christmas Celebration on 25th December 2014 at 64 Kingsland Road Berala. Those who wish to join the celebration are welcome to come along at 12 noon for a Christmas Lunch. There will be carol singing as well in the Jubilee Hall. The celebration will conclude at 3 PM. Anyone wishing to help with food, drinks, or donation is invited to contact the parish office. If you are available to help on the day please let the Parish Office know.

A Novel Christmas Gift

If you believe in the spirit of Christmas, Caritas Australia has a novel way for you to offer Christmas Gifts to your friends. You can choose a global gift of Water for \$10, Food for \$25, sustainable agriculture for \$50, healthcare for \$70, Education for \$100, or Emergency relief for \$250. You can order them online at www.caritas.org.au/globalgifts. If you do not work with the internet, you can contact the parish office and we can assist you. Let us keep the spirit of Christ is Christmas

Candlelight Mass

A special Candlelight Mass will be celebrated at 8PM (night) on Friday this week at St Peter Chanel Church. During the Mass participants will be able to present an electronic candle for the dear departed souls. A number of names are presented to the parish office for November Masses. Those names will be announced at the Mass. It will be a solemn celebration of Mass for the deceased members of our faith family.



Rest In Peace

This week saw the death of two of our parishioners. Fatima Bolonia and John Brown both died on Sunday 16 November.. May God grant them eternal peace.



Bishop Comensoli appointed third Bishop of Broken Bay

His Holiness Pope Francis has appointed the Most Reverend Peter Andrew Comensoli as the third Bishop of Broken Bay on 20 November 2014. Bishop Comensoli was ordained Auxiliary Bishop of Sydney on 8 June 2011. He also served as Vicar General in the Archdiocese, Episcopal Vicar for Life, Marriage and Family, Chair of the Sydney Archdiocesan Catholic Schools Board and Parish Priest of Our Lady Star of the Sea, Watsons Bay. Over the past nine months, he has served as the Apostolic Administrator of the Archdiocese. We congratulate Bishop Peter Comensoli upon his appointment and thank him for his distinguished service to the Archdiocese of Sydney

Other Notices

St Mary's Cathedral—Lights of Christmas 2014 The unique and spectacular Lights of Christmas at St Mary's Cathedral will this year be launched on Tuesday 9 December and run through to and including Christmas Day night. The projections begin at 8.30pm and go to midnight. Hosted by the Archdiocese of Sydney the presenting partner this year is PAYCE and the theme is service – giving what we can to our family, friends and the community.

November Mass Intentions - May they Rest in Peace

Recently Deceased: Aleksander Jarczewski, Simon Hitti, Raymond Pye, La Torre Vincenzo, Afita & Dey, Fatima Bolonia, John Brown

Deceased: Leonard McDonald, Dora Egitto, Alphonso & Mary Scanlan, Percy Smith, Bert & Jack Herrmann, Peter Huang, Anna Thanh, Anna Vinh, Peter Ty, Anna Ly, Joshep Dung, Joshep Pham, Maria Nguyen, Rose & Tony NgSu Wan, Mark Man-Wah Chiu, Adrienne D'Souza, Pascal D'Souza, Teddy Carvalho, Avelino Nazareth, Joseph Noronha, Maryanne Kane, Robert Kane, John Thomas Kane, Emily Rose Kane, Patricia Gray, Stephen Gray, George Vaughan, Enid Vaughan, Tom North, Dot North, Ted North, Maria Yen Vu, John Moore, Margaret Moore, Richard Marsh, Teresa Marsh, Colleen Kenny, Santina Baudille, Maria Yianni, Aphrodite Yianni, Rosa Manganaro, Herschel Smith, June Gruno, John Hogan, Frank Pisceck, Martin & Jessie Jalleh, Stanly & Mary Gabrielle, Shelton, Noel & Leonard Gabrielle, Bergman & Johnnie Rozells, Betsy & Stephen Jalleh, Charlotte, Joe & Mags Conrad, Willie & Tommy Actol, Ossie & Jacqueline Herbert, Auntie Rita, Uncle Georgie, Auntie May, Uncle Sonny, Auntie Enid, Auntie Bets, Philip Lourdama, Philip Baskeran, Saurimuthu Singarayer, Samson Rajakon, Singarayer Teresamma, Mamerto Snr, Gloria & Astrid Bolonia, Felixberto Snr, Consuelo, Donald & Lidelia Ibardolaza, Peter & Karime Michael, , Colin Baudille, Gary Williams, William Lam, Percy Hedes, Norman Harrison, Al Chong, Anna Yupana, Leong Heng Lin, Tham Sun Yeow, Ernesto & Pablo Martin, Tina Martin, , Agnes Kelso, Rufins & Simon Mortillero, Yoly Vegh, Titus Jayasekara,

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Charles Orr, Fely Sanchez, Rudolph, Ramon & Edmund Mortillero, Concetta Capra, Nicola Rizzo, Sigismundo Capra, Maria Capra, Salvatore Capra, Luciano Abate, Nicolo Capra, Lucia Abate, Fr Nicolo Capra, Franco Abate, Dragan & Kata Zivkovic, Jure & Manda Zivkovic, Joso Rade, Mile Zivkovic Andrija Zivkovic, Helen Ugarkovic, Louise Constantin, Marie-Anne Ribet, Maria Vu Tho Toan, Maria Bich Nguyen, Maria Toan, Vietnamese ancestors, Paciencia Anoyevo, Brien Roberts, Tednesto Estrada, Tess Castillo, Maria Adorna, Arnel Abing, Aileen Bernabe, Bill Walker, Tung Kwai, George & Raymond Yip, Lil Murphy, Renne Steele, John & Vince Byrne, Joyce & Jack Michael, Marie Thibault, Kath Gazzard, Cynthia DeSouza, Harry Lili & Eric Scharenguivel, Valerie & Gerard DeSouza, Bryan & Lorna Jonklaas, Eric & Kathleen Lourensz, Harold & Audrey Labrooy, Lilrick and Ethnie Lourensz, Kingsley & Olga Joseph, Ellen Fong, Chan Ah Nean, Pang Moh Liang, Simone Rispante, Melchor Dela Cruz, Curazon Singson, Jose Rene Jarque, Consuelo Bandarel, Angelo Munarriz, Jose Antonio Rodriguez, Leonida Almeda, Thomas Hynes, Mary Therese Hynes, Stephen Hynes, David Pincombe, Joe Cicuto, Albino & Caterina Bertuzzi, Giovanni & Amabile Cicuto, Cipriano Flores, Alfredo Javier, Maria Javier, Anita Carpio, Freddie Manalaysay, Zenaida Manalaysay, Fernando Javier, Norma Javier, Arturo Carpio, Lorenzo Vasquez, Edna Ramos Flores, Michael McGill, Sue Reese, Norma Willoughby, Frank Sid Cox, Mr & Mrs Brewster, Mr & Mrs McGill, Mr & Mrs Michaels, Zacarias Abadam, Aurelia Abadam, Juan Abadam, Francisca Abadam, Teodoro Abadam, Laureano Vega, Cattalino Arcinue, Marina Arcinue, Duan Arcinue, Rafael Arcinue, Reynaldo Baron, Vincent Boyd, Rose & Ty Ngsuwan, Carmen Saguid, Edilberto Paculan, Zenaida Payurn, Ted Duffy, Edward & Edna Duffy, Nell & Jack Sargent, Roque Quinoy, Consuelo Quindifan, Dominga Quinoy, Victorina Nagtalon, Angel Enriquez Sr, Adekina Rojas, Cristeta Enriquez, Galicano Rojas, Clement Hill, Michael Smith, Mary Hickey, Michael Hickey, Anne Swomey, Patricia Le Mottee, Noel Le Mottee, Stipe, Mirjana, Anka, Pina & Ifrane Lisica, Ivan, Franko, Venci & Marija Lisica, Nunziatina Di Marco Simeone, Fiore Simeone, Alan Jones, Patrick Lynch, Violet Lynch, Aidan Lynch, Patrick Manley, Mary Manley, Charles Scully, Mary Scully, Christy Scully, Anthony Scully, Ted Noonan, Bernice Noonan, Siobhan Morris, Mary Stafford, Cyril, Florence, Tom, Edward, Reggie, Lynus, Basil & Lorraine Rodrigues, Diego Cardoza, Denzil Jabob, Angela & Donal Lopez, Bob, Ben & David Vaz, Bobby Parker, Joslyn, Louise, Denis, Junior & Mr Johnstone, Angela, Charles, Ivor, Rex, Lilian, Gladys & Audrey Hookens, Josephine, Cuthbert & Mr Rosario, Donald Sylvie, Patrick, Marlene, Joe Hart, Stella Hart, Meryl Macrae, Sr Margaret, Bishop Kelly, Bishop Grazi, Msg Biachi, Fr Barker, Fr Grady, Msg Mahoney, Fr Arlati, Fr Arozio, Fr Xavier, Fr Rayapa, Fr Stack, Marcelin Ribet, Shirley Foggarty, Margaret Stephenson, Jack Wilson, Joshua Bangora, Maurice Tereiro, Lynette MacRae, Mr South, Glenn Ford, Paul Ford, Anna Youssef, Ray Youssef, Sofia Christoforidis, Borin Seong, Kylong Song, Barbara Jere, Peter & Frances Abraham, Fadile Aflac, Moussa & Latife Bahri, Mrs P Liuaga, Mr Liuaga, Mrs Melelangi, Mr Ivolangi, Keith Seckold, Ivy Bodmer, Joseph Portelli, Charlie Portelli, Sylvia Portelli, Carmen Portelli, Leo Cuschieri, Gianna Cuschieri, Kei Taup Wonet, Yee Ping Wonet, Kam Siu Wong, Kwan Chiu, Siaki-Falo, Uisa telea, Kiriai Tauaa, Alosina Uisa, Tauaa, Iemasi Uisa, Tina Ugapo, Borin Seoung, Duch Chhoeun, Mary Chhung, Patsy Dutton, Edna Rahmat, Phyllis Herbert, Katherine Bayliss, Joseph Bayliss, Tom bayliss, John Bayliss, Nadia Sohman, Joan Ginn, Fr Peter Calligan, Edna Alimpangog, Eddie Leonardi, Ivy & Ruby Wong, Steven Lee, Jeffrey Borg, Mary Sarkis, Rose Sarkis, Rosa Kouna, George & Sadie Merhi, Yasmine Sarkis, Jesscale Boudaher, Stella Mills, Veronica Seckold, Mary Ryan, Mary Gabrielle, Rosa Manganaro, John Bayliss, Departed Legionaries, Ukrainian Friends, Russian Foes, Forgotten Souls, All Holy Souls, All souls with no one to pray for them.

Deceased members and friends of the following families: Ross & Mitchell Families, Eisenhuth & Williams Families, O'Halloran and Millard Families, Buterin & Baraba Families, Kavanagh Family, Eamiguel Family, Alinson Family, Mari Family, Yburan Family, Bolonia & Arellano Family, Ibardolaza & Imperial Families, Michael & Baini Families, Medved Family, Sostaric Family, Mujic Family, Grasic Family, Moses Family, McManus Family, Jarczewski Family, Mamo Family, Conway Family, Tannous & Wadad Elias Family, Forbes Family, Caspersz Family, Barrett Family, Lisica Family, MacBride Family, Nicholson Family, Hurtis Family, Silva Family Yanni Family, D'Souza Family, O'Rourke Family, Babigalo Family, Cardozo Family, Plumb Family, Oliver Family, Barcan Family, Matasic Family, Coyne Family, Collins Family, Kurian Kurunthanam, Baudille Family, Bayliss Family, Elek Family, Blazevec Family

Parish Diary This Week!

	St Peter Chanel	St Joseph the Worker
Monday	6.45 AM Mass.	
Tuesday	6.45 AM Mass 7.00 PM Xmas Luncheon Meeting in Donovan Room	NO MASS
Wednesday	6.45 AM Mass, 9.15 AM Mass 7.00 PM Group 2 singing practice at Maureen's house	
Thursday	6.45 AM Mass, 9.15 AM Mass	9.00 AM - 10.00AM Playgroup in the Mark Spora Room.
Friday	6.45 AM Mass 9.15 AM Mass 11.00 AM Mass at Berala on the Park	
Saturday	8.00AM Mass 9 -10 AM Adoration & Novena & Reconciliation 5.00 PM Mass First Sunday Advent	
Sunday	10.00 AM First Sunday Advent 5.00 PM Christmas singing practice for all in the church	8.00 AM First Sunday Advent

Free Movie Screening! 'The Christmas Candle'. The Mustard Seed Bookshop will be screening a movie on 28 November – 7.00pm for 7.30pm start from the bestselling author Max Lucado and featuring Susan Boyle. 'The Christmas Candle' is a timeless holiday film for the entire family. The screening is free with free popcorn. All welcome, RSVP bookshop@caec.com.au or 9646 9000. The bookshop will be open after the movie for Christmas shopping needs.

Feasts of the Week.

23 November - Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe Pius XI instituted this feast in 1925 in response to the rise of totalitarianism. It celebrates Christ's reign over the human race and human hearts. The feast emphasises God's ultimate forgiveness as well as Christ's eschatological return and final sovereignty over all creation. This last theme is continued during Advent.



24 November - St Andrew Dung Lac (1795-1839), baptised at the age of fifteen, worked first as a lay missionary and then as a diocesan presbyter before being beheaded at Hanoi (Vietnam). Listed among 117 canonised martyrs who died in Vietnam between 1820 and 1862: ninety-six Vietnamese, eleven Spanish Dominicans, and ten presbyters from the Paris Foreign Mission Society. Remembered as representatives of the thousands of Christians tortured and martyred in Vietnam between the seventeenth and nineteenth centuries: bishops, presbyters, religious, and lay people, both children and adults.

25 November - Catherine of Alexandria Died in Alexandria (Egypt) perhaps in the early 4th century. Nothing is known about her. The famous tenth-century legend depicts her as a well-educated noblewoman, confronting the Emperor, confounding the philosophers in debate, and collapsing the wheel upon which she was to be executed. Remembered as a heroine of the Middle Ages.



Planned Giving Program Request Form

Your contribution to the Planned Giving Program of the Parish is your appreciation for the Parish. At the end of the Financial Year you will receive a Receipt for your contributions which will enable you to claim Tax deduction. To join the Planned Giving Program fill this form, tear this part off and place it in the Sunday Collection plate

Your Name:

Telephone No Email ID

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Yes, please organise a set of envelopes.

YES/NO Tax deduction

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Yes, please organise automatic credit card deductions.

(A credit card authority form will be sent to you for completion)

Antiphons & Readings

Entrance Antiphon:

How worthy is the Lamb who was slain,
to receive power and divinity,
and wisdom and strength and honour.
To him belong glory and power for ever and ever..

Responsorial Psalm:

R The Lord is my shepherd;
there is nothing I shall want.

The Lord is my shepherd;
there is nothing I shall want.
Fresh and green are the pastures
where he gives me repose. **R**

Near restful waters he leads me,
to revive my drooping spirit.
He guides me along the right path;
he is true to his name. **R**

You have prepared a banquet for me
in the sight of my foes.
My head you have anointed with oil;
my cup is overflowing. **R**

Surely goodness and kindness shall follow me
all the days of my life.
In the Lord's own house shall I dwell
for ever and ever. **R**

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia!

Blessings on him who comes in the name of the Lord!
Blessings on the coming kingdom of our father David!
Alleluia!

Communion Antiphon:

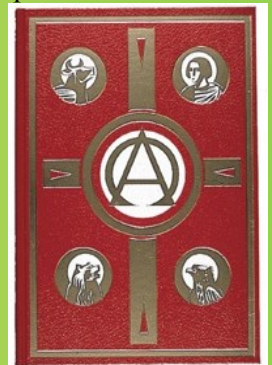
The Lord sits as King for ever.
The Lord will bless his people with peace.

Today's Readings

Ezek 34:11-12, 15-17
1 Cor 156:20-26, 28
Mt 25:31-46

Next Sunday's Readings

Is 63:16-17, 64:1, 3-8
1Cor 1:3-9
Mk 13:33-37



St Peter Chanel & St Joseph the Worker Rosters - Next Week

30 NOVEMBER 2014 (5TH SUNDAY OF THE MONTH)			1ST SUNDAY OF ADVENT
MASS	VIGIL (SPC)	8AM (SJW)	10AM (SPC)
ACOLYTE	Bob KENSEY	William ANDREWS	Robert JAKSIC
ORGANIST			
CANTOR	Sergio EAMIGUEL	Sergio EAMIGUEL	Sergio EAMIGUEL
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SPC CLEANERS: Norie & Gie Sitchon		COUNTERS: Group 4 Charlie & Kay Scully	
SJW CLEANERS: Claudette Azar & Friends.		CHILDREN'S LITURGY: Kimberley Pangalinan	
HOSPITALITY:: This week Sharon Iacono will be hosting morning tea after 10.00am Mass. Next week Phil Lopez will be hosting .Thank you to our hospitality team for providing this very important ministry			

PILGRIM STATUE from St Peter Chanel at the Manganaro home, 16 Third Ave, Berala

Please join them any evening at **7.30pm** for the Rosary.

To host the Pilgrim Statue contact Mona on 9709 8701 or 0417 282 603.

ROSARY STATUE from St Joseph the Worker To host the Rosary Statue contact the Legion of Mary.



Holy Mass at Berala: Monday-Friday:6.45AM. Wednesday - Friday 9.15 AM

Saturday 8 AM, 9 AM Adoration & Novena. **Lord's Day Mass:** Saturday 5 PM (Vigil), Sunday 10 AM.

Holy Mass at Auburn South: Tuesday 9 AM (school term only); **Lord's Day Mass:** Sunday 8 AM.

Reconciliation at Berala: Saturday 9.00 AM - 10 AM.