

Flower donations

If you would like to donate any flowers from your garden for the floral arrangements for Fr Henry's Installation Mass please bring them to the church by 8am 26th March.

If you would like to assist with preparing the arrangements for the Installation Mass, please be at the church by 8am on Saturday 26th March.



Janice 44, is a proud Wagilak woman, a traditional dancer, who tells stories through movements handed down over generations. With your support, Janice and the Djilpin Arts Aboriginal Corporation support the community to generate income and employment, while keeping culture alive.

Please donate to Project Compassion 2022 and help provide employment and training for First Australians, allowing them to remain on country and keep their culture alive.

If you have any information, news or messages that you would like us to consider for the parish bulletin, please contact the Parish office with the details.

PARISH CONTACTS

Fr Henry Adler *Parish Priest*
Michaela Donovan *Parish Secretary*

SERVICE TIMES

Holy Family	Mass	Tues	9am
	Mass	Wed	9am
	Mass	Thurs	9am
	Mass	Fri	9am
	Adoration	Fri	9.30am
Reconciliation	Sat	9am-	10am
	Holy Trinity	Mass	Wed 6pm
	Mass	Sun	8am

We pray for ...

Peace and justice for the people of Ukraine. For all those suffering or afraid, that you will be close to them and protect them.

Everyone affected by the recent floods

All people in need especially the sick, lonely and dying.

Recently Deceased....
Giuseppe Occhiuto, Gerald Barbara,
Jeanette Morand, Angelita Z Molano



Holy Family Catholic Parish

I N G L E B U R N

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136 Oxford Rd
Ingleburn

Holy Trinity Church
57 Guernsey Ave
Minto

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3rd Sunday of Lent

20 March 2022

REFLECTION

The readings for the 3rd Sunday of Lent for Year C are a call to repent and return to the Lord. The first reading tells of how Moses encountered God in the burning bush. The psalm sings of God's kindness and mercy. In the second reading Paul tells us to learn from the past. And in the gospel Jesus warns people to change their ways. He also tells the parable of the fig tree. God gives us many opportunities to grow, but we must not resist his efforts to help us mature in faith.

The parable of the fig tree today doesn't have a clear ending because God is giving *us* a choice and a voice to continue to write the next chapter of God's story of mercy. Jesus is telling us that our lives, too, may have times where everything seems dull and slow, and we may not feel like our faith is bearing fruit or that God is near. Jesus reminds us that those times are never the end. In those times, God nourishes us with mercy and waits for us patiently. Our stories, just like the story of the fig tree, is also not over. And the next chapter of our stories can always be rewritten whenever we say, once again, yes to God's mercy

Responsorial Psalm: The Lord is kind and merciful.

Verses before the Gospel: Repent, says the Lord; the kingdom of heaven is at hand.

Readings this weekend:

First: Exodus 3: 1-8a, 13-15
Second: First Corinthians 10: 1-6, 10-12
Gospel: Luke 13: 1-9

"SIR, THE MAN REPLIED,

leave it one more year and
give me time

TO DIG ROUND IT AND MANURE IT:

it may bear fruit next year."



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Jesus, Lk 13:8-9

Whats On

- 23 March Legion of Mary meeting 9.30am
- 24 March St Vincent de Paul meeting 7pm
- 25 March Annunciation of the Lord Stations of the Cross 7.30pm
- 26 March Floral arranging for Installation Mass 8am Confession 9am Baptisms 10.30am
- 27 March Installation Mass
- 2 April Confession 9am

All our Parishioners are invited to celebrate

The Solemn Mass of Installation of Fr Henry Adler SVD

as Parish Priest for Holy Family and Holy Trinity

Bishop Brian Mascord will be presiding

Sunday 27 March 2022 at 9am

Join us after Mass for tea or coffee

(Please Note: there will be no 8am Mass at Minto on this day)

2022 Sacramental Programme

First Reconciliation – 3rd/4th June 2022

First Holy Communion – 20th November 2022

Confirmation – 5th August 2022

Reconciliation enrolment forms are now available

Legion of Mary Meetings are on Wednesday mornings after the 9am Mass. Everyone is welcome

Station of the Cross Every Friday during Lent at Holy Family Ingleburn at 7.30pm
**Please note on 1/4/22 Stations of the Cross will be at 6.30pm for this night only

St Vincent de Paul Ingleburn Conference
Meeting—next meeting is Thursday 24th March at 7pm. Everyone is welcome.



Public Profession of Faith

On the coming Mondays and Wednesdays at 8pm for 3 weeks, you are invited to join us for Evening Prayer (Vespers) where some brothers and sisters of the Neocatechumenal Way of our Parish will also give their Public Profession of Faith.

This is an ancient tradition dating to the earliest centuries where catechumens would profess their faith in God the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit supported by some testimony from their lives.

21/3 8pm 23/3 8pm 28/3 8pm

30/3 8pm 4/4 8pm 6/4 8pm

Ladies Weekend Gathering 2022

WHEN: 1st – 3rd April, 2022.

WHERE: St Mary's Towers Retreat Centre Douglas Park.

COST: \$335 per person, all meals, accommodation and Facilitator fee included.

Arrival is any time after 2pm on Friday. Fee assistance is available.

For more details please contact Ann-Marie Green on 0416 051 206 or email amtg4@hotmail.com

LIVE Local Macarthur

LIVE Local is returning to Macarthur! Starting on the 20th of March LIVE Local will run now every Sunday night in the school term from 6:15pm—8:15pm, at St John the Evangelist Parish Campbelltown. This youth group is open to young people aged 13-17 who want to make new friends and grow in their faith. Come along for snacks, games, formation, prayer and music. For more details on youth groups, visit <https://www.dow.org.au/cymw/>

BISHOP BRIAN'S FLOOD RELIEF APPEAL

My Sisters and Brothers in Christ My prayers and thoughts are with you all as this flood disaster continues. In recent days we have had towns in our diocese cut off; a number of our schools closed, non-operational or on alert; church buildings and agency offices affected by flooding and heavy rain; and clergy, staff, families, students and friends from our extended community experiencing another trauma. And while the rain is set to ease, authorities are warning it doesn't mean the state's flooding emergency is over.

In a heartfelt [video](#) message to his flock, Greg Homeming OCD, Bishop of Lismore, said it had been "a very tragic few days". To those who had "lost everything" in these floods, Bishop Greg said that everyone across the diocese was suffering with them. "This has all happened at a time when we were hoping that 2022 would be a year of hope, a good year," he said.

As a diocese, I would like to provide practical support for the people of Lismore. I also want to provide pastoral and practical support for the people in our own diocese who have been, and will continue to be, impacted by these floods. I am inviting you to donate to my **Flood Relief Appeal 2022** below so that, with your support, we can meet this goal.

<https://www.dow.org.au/giving/>

Yours in Christ
Most Rev Brian G Mascord DD
BISHOP OF WOLLONGONG
9 March 2022

Congratulations to



Lachlan Shannon, Maria Babic, Emanuele Vocisano, Enzo Astudillo, Maison Fazzolari, Brodie Spilstead, Isabelle Spilstead, Jasper Smith, Noah Adraneda, Mia Tran who we welcomed into the church in February.