

HOURS OF GRACE 2023

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ASH WEDNESDAY TO PENTECOST
22ND FEB - 28TH MAY

"I am delighted to endorse HOURS OF GRACE once again. Here young adults encourage Eucharistic Adoration throughout Australia. JESUS YOUTH takes on the leadership of this wonderful initiative. Through prayer and adoration in the Lenten Season we pray in intercession for the needs of the world."

ARCHBISHOP CHRISTOPHER PROWSE
ARCHDIOCESE OF CANBERRA Goulburn
INTERNATIONAL PATRON, JESUS YOUTH

Venue : Holy Family Catholic Church, Ingelburn, NSW
Date: 25th May, 9:30 AM to 5:30 PM

An invitation to join electronic parish planned giving from your Parish Finance Council

An electronic regular gift provides many benefits. You will find it a secure, convenient, and efficient way to regularly support your parish, while also reducing our administration costs. It will also help us to confidently forecast and plan, as we know that we can rely on your support. You can increase, decrease, discontinue or restart your monthly gift at any time.

You can continue to contribute financially to the Parish via the two collections at the weekend Masses, but if you prefer, the Holy Family Parish bank account details are:

First collection

Account name: Ingleburn Presbytery
BSB: 066711
Account number: 001978

Second collection

Account name: Ingleburn Parish
BSB: 066711
Account number: 001773



Holy Family Catholic Parish

INGLEBURN & MINTO

Holy Family Church

136 Oxford Rd
Ingleburn

Holy Trinity Church

57 Guernsey Ave
Minto

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Fifth Sunday of Easter, Year A

7 May 2023

SUNDAY REFLECTION

The Gospel reading for the 5th Sunday of Easter takes us back to the days when Jesus was still physically present with the disciples. When Philip says to Jesus, "Show us the One who sent you, show us God," Jesus answers in the words of John the Evangelist: *"I am in God and God is in me."*

John's Gospel comes from a community that for many years had pondered the reality of Jesus in their lives. They had come to believe that somehow Jesus was in their midst and in him God's fullness dwelt. They had found Jesus to be *the way* for them. His care for others, his concern for those who are poor, his regard for "little ones," all these teachings of Jesus had permeated their lives with one another. Each of them could be as Jesus to the neighbour. They could be in God and God in them. We are also called to this way of being.

So when we say to Jesus, "Show us God," the answer may come in the form of the next person we meet who needs something from us. A smile or a word or a listening ear - or whatever it may be. The answer may be a request to do something for the Community.



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

SERVICE TIMES

Holy Family	Mass	Wed - Fri	9am
		Tue	7pm followed by Holy Hour
		Sat	5pm Vigil
		Sun	9am and 5pm
	<i>Benediction</i>	First Friday of each month	9.30am
	<i>Reconciliation</i>	Sat	9am - 10am
Holy Trinity	Mass	Wed	6pm
	Mass	Sun	8am

What's On

- 10 May Kindergarten & Year 6 attending 9am Mass
- 11 May SVDP Meeting - 7pm, Parish Meeting Room
- 13 May Church Cleaning - Team "B"
- 14 May Mother's Day
- 17 May Year 4 & Year 3 attending 9am Mass
- 24 May Mary Help of Christians Mass - 9am, whole school attending
Sorry Day Service - 10.30am, Holy Trinity Church, Minto
- 25 May Hours of Grace Adoration - 9.30am to 5.30pm, Holy Family Church, Ingleburn
- 26 May Liturgy Workshop (Part 2) - 6pm, Parish Meeting Room
- 27 May Church Cleaning - Team "A"
- 4 June Samoan Mass with Fr Feleki - 12noon, Mt Carmel Church, Varroville
- 7 June Year 3 & Year 2 attending 9am Mass
- 10 June Church Cleaning - Team "B"
- 14 June Year 5 & Year 1 attending 9am Mass
- 17 June Aboriginal Mass - 10am, Holy Trinity Church, Minto



We pray ... For those who are affected by the natural disasters and those affected by war: that God will grant peace, justice and healing to all involved during these times.

For all the forgotten Souls and Holy Souls in Purgatory.

For the sick and homebound: Margaret McNamara, Sybra Hunt, David Harrison, Noal Bornstein, Phil Clarke, Ann Marie Praud; our sick relatives, friends and parishioners and all who have nobody to pray for them.

May the saving power of the risen Lord bring healing, comfort and peace to their bodies and send strength to their carers.

For our recently dearly departed: Eugenia Villarosa, Kevin Sequeira, Dawn O'Donohue, Jolanta Swierk, Mary King, Joaquim Lopes, Tony Heginbotham, Lally Sabater, Lesley McFarlane, Ezio Epifania, Josephine Ooi, Marian D'Cruz, Jennifer Malone, Lorraine Morrison, Margaret Rose, Michael Brezinski.

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.

May the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.

For those whose anniversaries occur at this time: George Gutierrez, Amancia Gutierrez, Martin Gutierrez, Efren Gutierrez, Phêrô Lê Dung, Anna Võ Thi Hue, Eladio Villarosa, Aukusitino Chuang Kwan, Janet Kipling, Jeanette Morand, Gerald Barbara, Giuseppe Occhiuto, Joyce O'Keefe, Angelita Z Molano Josefina Relojero Andres Relojero, Anthony William Eskett, Francisco Esplanada Jr.

Having returned to the Father, may they rest in peace.

With joyful hearts, during April we welcomed the newly Baptised to our Holy Family parish community:

Neeva Dongol and Noah Dongol.



Visiting the Sick and Homebound: There are an increasing number of people who, whether due to age or ill health, are not able to attend church, but would like to receive Holy Communion. If you know of somebody in this situation, please contact the Parish Office so that a visit can be arranged.



Bible Sharing

Following the experience of the Lent program, some of us would like to continue sharing the word of God on a regular basis

Every Friday evening we will gather for bible sharing in the parish meeting room from 7pm (for approximately 1 hour) to focus on the coming Sunday readings.

Text will be provided or you are welcome to bring your own bible.

Sacrament of First Holy Communion

Session 1

Date: Monday, 8 May 2023

Time: 6.30pm.

Venue: Parish Meeting Room.



Reminder:

- * Ensure you bring a pen/pencil with you.
- * Children must be accompanied by a parent/carer at all sessions. Please be on time for each session.
- * Attendance at all sessions is compulsory. If you are unable to attend a session, please contact the parish office.

Session 2 - 15 May, 6.30pm

Session 3 - 22 May, 6.30pm

Session 4 - 29 May, 6.30pm

Session 5 - 5 June, 6.30pm

The Sacrament of First Holy Communion - Sunday, 18 June 2023

Ministry Workshop - Part 2

Sr Monica and her team will be hosting Part 2 of the Ministry Workshop courses on Friday, 26 May at 6pm. This workshop is only for those who attended Part 1.

For further information and to confirm your attendance, please see the email from Sr Monica.



Mothers Day

Mothers Day will be celebrated at all Masses on Mothers Day weekend.

Neocatechumenal Way

'Who do you say I am', asks Jesus Christ of his first followers. Also today, this could be a confronting question for many.

If you are wanting to better understand where God is acting in your life, then the Neocatechumenal Community of Holy Family Parish invites you to come and listen. First approved by St Pope Paul VI in response to the challenge of the Second Vatican Council, these catechesis will help you to discover your baptism in adult faith. Commencing Wednesday 3rd of May and Saturday 6th May at 7pm in the rooms below the Church, the nights will continue until Saturday 24th June, every Wednesday and Saturday night.

If you require assistance to travel or with babysitting, please call/text Bernie 0432 413 803 or Laura 0433 343 717.