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If you are interested in learning to ring and enhance the life of the Church and community, please visit the Bell Tower on Saturday mornings between 9am and 10.30am.



Learn to
Ring

The **Piety Stall** is open after every Mass. All proceeds go to the work of the St Vincent de Paul Society.

Visiting the Sick and Homebound: Please contact the Parish Office so that a visit can be arranged for those who are homebound due to age or ill health.

MenALIVE Macarthur Regional Weekend - 9-10 September, Campbelltown

Come along to our menALIVE weekend and be impacted by an encounter with the Gospel in the presence of other good men seeking to be renewed in faith and life.

So many men have had their faith transformed and renewed by the experience of menALIVE, and this is an opportunity for men who have attended a menALIVE regional weekend in the past, and men who haven't, to come together to affirm the words of St Irenaeus all over again: "God is glorified when men are fully alive!"

It is being run as a regional weekend by the NSW menALIVE team for the multiple parishes in the Macarthur region and beyond.

Details: Saturday Time: 8:00am-9:00pm | Sunday Time: 8:30am-1:30pm
Venue: Level 1, Micah House Resource Centre, 35a Cordeaux St, Campbelltown
Cost: \$70 per person (\$50 concession)
Register: dow.sh/MACampbelltown2023

Please note: the registration cost includes workshops, morning and afternoon tea, lunch and dinner on Saturday.

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Holy Family Catholic Parish

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 Minto

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Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A

13 August 2023

REFLECTION by Fr Michael Tate

Keep Rowing!

The disciples had started off from the Jewish side of the Sea of Galilee, familiar territory. Jesus guided them through the stormy situation to 'the other side', the pagan side, unfamiliar territory where they would not have felt at home.

Buffeted by storms, the Church is in the midst of a journey from familiar to unfamiliar territory.

Some of the storms include a new attitude to authority, to gender roles. There is anger and suspicion at sexual abuse and its cover up. Many of our contemporaries are openly hostile or contentedly indifferent.

In all these situations and many more, Our Lord will not allow us the indulgence of nostalgic yearning for the safety of the past country inhabited by the Church. We are not to throw Tradition with a capital 'T' overboard. To jettison the spirit-led experience of the Church over two millennia will not help us. Discerning tradition from nostalgia, we must make our way to the other shore.

We could pause for a moment, resolving to row with courage because we know we are in the same boat as Peter whom our Risen Lord assures: 'Do not be afraid.'



SERVICE TIMES

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

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

What's On

- 15 August Feast of The Assumption - 9am, whole school attending
Feast of The Assumption and India's Independence Day - 6pm
- 17 August Vinnies Meeting - 7pm, Parish Meeting Room (everyone is welcome)
- 19 August Aboriginal Mass - 10am, Holy Trinity Church, Minto
- 23 August Kindergarten and Year 6 attending 9am Mass
- 30 August Year 5 and Year 4 attending 9am Mass
- 3 September Samoan Mass with Fr Feleki - 12noon, Holy Family Church, Ingleburn
- 6 September Year 1 and Year 2 attending 9am Mass
- 8 September SVD Foundation Day
- 9 September Aboriginal Mass - 10am, Holy Trinity Church, Minto
- 9-10 September Macarthur Region MenALIVE Weekend - Micah House, Campbelltown
- 13 September Kindergarten and Year 6 attending 9am Mass
- 16 & 17 September Bishop's Annual Appeal
- 20 September Year 2 and Year 4 attending 9am Mass
- 15 October Feast of the Lord of Miracles

Liturgical Dates

- 15 August The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
- 22 August The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary
- 24 August St Bartholomew, *Apostle*
- 28 August St Augustine, *Bishop and Doctor of the Church*
- 29 August The Passion of Saint John The Baptist



We pray ... For those who are affected by war and violence: 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: Erwin Andrade, Gina Macalalad, Marie Crotty, Sybra Hunt, David Harrison, Noal Bornstein, 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. Amen.

For our recently dearly departed: Victor Jack Parkins, Lionel Dunkley, Mary Brown, Yolande Herisson, Patiariki Joseph, Val Morris, Margaret McNamara, 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: Edgee Le Clerc, Father Peter Caruana, Mee St Guillaume, Leon Rego, Deborah Wolf (nee Tattler), Ron Tattler, Donata Gumapas, Helen Lovino.
Having returned to the Father, may they rest in peace. Amen.

Prayers of thanksgiving and personal intentions:

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

Asher Evans, Christian Privitera, Deon Elias, Leonardo Mow.



Electronic parish planned giving

You can continue to contribute financially to the Parish via the two collections at the week-end 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



Bible Sharing

Please join us in the Parish Meeting Room on a Friday evening from 7pm (for approximately 1 hour) for bible sharing where we will focus on the coming Sunday readings. Text will be provided or you are welcome to bring your own bible.

Sacrament of Confirmation

If your child is in Year 6 or above, has been Baptised and has received the Sacraments of Reconciliation and First Holy Communion, they are eligible to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation.

For further information and the enrolment form, please visit the Parish website (<https://www.hfi.org.au/>).



PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES NOW AVAILABLE: 2023/2024 Planned Giving Envelopes are now available for collection. Forms are available for those who would like to join our Parish Planned Giving. Thank you for supporting your parish.

Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary and India's Independence Day Celebration

You are invited for the solemn Mass on the feast of "Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary" & celebration of India's Independence Day at **6.00PM** on **Tuesday 15th August 2023**. Please bring a plate (finger food only).

Please Note: *This will be the only Mass on this evening and there will be NO Holy Hour for this night only.*

A gift to the Church in your will ... will help!

The Church has been present at most of the important milestones in your life: your Baptism, your First Holy Communion, at times of great celebration and at times of great sadness. Its many ministries are far-reaching, life-giving and life-saving. By leaving a gift to the church in your will, you will be leaving a legacy of faith to help ensure that the mission and pastoral outreach that has been important to you will continue, both for today's needs, and for those of our children, our grandchildren and beyond.

For information about leaving a gift in your will contact Father Henry or visit dow.sh/legacy, call the diocesan representative on **4222 2446**.