



**Legion of Mary**  
 Our Lady of the Holy Family Praesidium Ingleburn  
 Hosting  
**The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary**  
**Vigil**

Thursday 7th September 2023  
 At

**Holy Family Catholic Church Ingleburn**

Beginning with Legion payers at 7.00pm  
 Holy Mass at 7.30pm

Come join the celebration of the birth of Our Lady and Mother  
 Refreshments provided after Mass  
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**Supporting Macquarie Fields Parish**

**2023 Multicultural Day**

We are excited to announce the upcoming Parish Multicultural Day, an event that celebrates the diverse cultures and traditions within our parish community.

**When: Sunday 10th of September 2023**

**At: Mary Mother of the Church, 58 Edgar St Macquarie Fields**

**Time: After 9:00am Mass**

*(Please note that there will be only one mass at 9:00am on the day)*

Parishioners can participate by:

- Donating pre-loved goods and clothing to the White Elephant stall. Goods may be dropped off at the Parish office by 31st of August.
- Organise a Food Stall for the Country of your origin
- Solo or group performance
- Invite family or friends
- Wear a costume from the country of your origin
- Help clean up after the festivities

We encourage everyone to participate and contribute to this celebration of our multicultural community. If you would like to participate, please contact Parish office (9605 6169) or Eric D'Silva (0434 869 426)

**A women's opportunity to experience a Cursillo three-day weekend**

A Cursillo weekend will be held at Carmel House, Varroville from Thursday evening 5 October to Sunday afternoon 8 October 2023. To find out more ring Geraldine Dayball on 0421 329 365 or email cursillo3dayweekend@hotmail.com.



# Holy Family Catholic Parish

INGLEBURN & MINTO

**Holy Family Church**  
 136 Oxford Rd  
 Ingleburn

**Holy Trinity Church**  
 57 Guernsey Ave  
 Minto

**Parish Office:** 136 Oxford Rd (PO Box 111) Ingleburn NSW 2565

**Website:** www.hfi.org.au

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**Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A**

**3 September 2023**

**Reflection by Fr Michael Tate**

*'Get behind me, Satan'*

We have to get one terrible thought out of our heads, i.e. that the Heavenly Father of Jesus *wanted* him to suffer a tortured, agonising death. Yet we do say: 'It was necessary that Jesus suffer and die.' What can this mean? I believe this refers to the necessity of divine mission and the necessity of divine love.

First, it was the Father's will that Jesus remain true to the mission to preach and embody the gospel of mercy and forgiveness. It was inevitable that powerful elites would find this intolerable and have Jesus eliminated. Secondly, God so loved the world where death ravages human beings, that God determined to absorb the suffering and pangs of death.

The temptation to avoid that dread-ful necessity lead Jesus to rebuke Peter: 'Get *behind* me, Satan', a terrible variation of the initial call: 'Come, *follow* me.'

We could pause for a moment to very consciously make the sign of the Cross, the consequence of Jesus' mission and love for us.

## HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

Dear Lord,

Bless all fathers and father figures.

Guide them to be good role models.

Help them to be a father like You are.

Let them know they are not alone in the tasks you have given them to provide for and support those under their care.

Give them grace and patience to handle situations in a loving way.

Bless those who long to be fathers and those for whom this day is difficult.

Amen

*May God's blessings be with you in a special way today and always.*

**NO MASSES**

Tuesday, 26 September  
 to  
 Friday 29 September

**NO CONFESSION**

Tuesday, 26 September  
 Saturday 30 September

*Weekend Masses as normal.*

**SERVICE TIMES**

<b>Holy Family</b>	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
<b>Holy Trinity</b>	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

- 3 September Fathers' Day  
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
- 21 October Aboriginal Mass - 10am, Holy Trinity Church, Minto
- 20-22 October menALIVE Father & Son Growing Good Men Weekend, Cataract Scout Camp, Appin
- 5 November Samoan Mass with Fr Feleki - 12noon, Holy Family Church, Ingleburn
- 11 November Aboriginal Mass - 10am, Holy Trinity Church, Minto
- 12 November Sacrament of Confirmation

## Liturgical Dates

- 3 September St Gregory the Great, *Pope and Doctor of the Church*
- 8 September The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary  
SVD Foundation Day



**We pray ...** For those who are affected by war and persecution.  
For those in Hawaii and Canada affected by the wildfires and those in China affected by the floods.  
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, Felix Gonzales, Ceferina Gonzales.  
*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:**

Sienna Casao, Psyndy Hernandez, Amarliah-Mia Sarmento, Zeke Vella-Hannam, Lorenzo Nasko.



## Become a CatholicCare foster carer!

The CatholicCare foster care team are urgently looking for a forever home for Ollie\* who is 8 years old. Ollie is a very engaging, outgoing, polite and active boy. Ollie enjoys swimming, going to the park, playing Nintendo, watching movies, colouring in, and trying new foods. Ollie would love to learn to ride a bike and play soccer or Oz Tag. Ollie is looking for a forever home with carers who are kind, caring, calm, and patient who can give him a sense of security and belonging. You can find out more by calling 0418 783 956, email [fosteringfutures@catholiccare.dow.org.au](mailto:fosteringfutures@catholiccare.dow.org.au) or go to <http://www.catholiccare.dow.org.au> for more information. CatholicCare will support you every step of the way. \* name has been changed for privacy

## Bible Sharing



Please join us in the Parish Meeting Room on Friday evenings 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/>).



## MenALIVE Macarthur Regional Weekend - 9-10 September, Campbelltown

Level 1, Micah House Resource Centre, 35a Cordeaux St, Campbelltown  
*Register:* [dow.sh/MACampbelltown2023](https://dow.sh/MACampbelltown2023)

## Growing Good Men Father and Teenage Son Weekend Experience

**20-22 October 2023 - Cataract Scout Camp, Appin**

Register online <https://www.dow.org.au/events/menalive-growing-good-men-weekend/>

## Electronic parish planned giving

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

***Thank you for supporting your parish.***

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

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