MISSIONARIES OF HOPE
among all peoples

In Zambia, many families struggle daily with poverty and limited access to essential healthcare. The Catholic Church stands as a beacon of hope, supporting communities through education, sustainable livelihoods, and healthcare.

This World Mission Month, we invite you to journey with our missionaries, who are bringing Christ's love to those most in need.

Stay tuned to learn how you can be part of this mission and help create a future filled with hope.

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Mass Procession and Tribute
Lord of Miracles
Ingleburn
35th Anniversary

Sunday 19 October 2025
1:00pm
Holy Family Catholic Church
136 Oxford Road,
Ingleburn NSW 2565

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What's On In Our Diocese

Diocese of Wollongong Men's Prayer Breakfast Launch
Friday, 28 November 6:30am-8am Xavier Conference Room, 38 Harbour St Wollongong
Guest Speaker: Peter Abela
Cost: $20 RSVP: Monday, 17 November dow.sh/mpb25
Enjoy a breakfast buffet, prayer and inspiring guest speaker input. Be supported and inspired by other men, seeking to be authentic disciples on mission.
The Men's Prayer Breakfast Series is organised by the Office of Renewal and Evangelisation and menALIVE in the Diocese of Wollongong

***Jubilee Year Event*: Jubilee Pilgrimage Day: Our Souls and Prayer**
The parish of **Our Lady Help of Christians, Rosemeadow** invites everyone to our final Jubilee Pilgrimage Day. The day will include a catechesis that will explore God's plan for creation, the structure of the soul, and the essential role of prayer in leading us into the innermost chamber of our souls, where Christ our Bridegroom dwells. Taking place on **Saturday, 6 December, the day begins with Mass at 10:00am**, followed by the catechesis led by Elise Duval, a time of Eucharistic Adoration with opportunity for confession, and concludes with Benediction at 3:00pm. Please BYO lunch. Come and be renewed in God's mercy and hope!

menALIVE Growing Good Men Father and Teenage Son Weekend - Friday 5-Sunday 7 December
The Tops Conference Centre, Stanwell Tops
A powerful weekend for fathers and their teenage sons (ages 12-17). Strengthen your bond, explore the journey into manhood, and share in engaging activities, reflection, prayer, and a memorable Rite of Passage. **Cost:** $500 per father and son pair ($250 each), includes accommodation, all meals, activities and resources. For further information and registration, please visit dow.org.au/events

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

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Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year C
12 October 2025

Gospel Reflection by Fr Michael Tate

Leprosy, AIDS and Salvation

Like the other nine lepers, the Samaritan was cured of his skin disease. Unlike the other nine, he thanked Jesus and expressed faith in Jesus as the agent of his divine healing. Only to him did Jesus say: 'Your faith has brought you *salvation*.'

So, 'salvation' is evidently more than physical cure. Every aspect of this man's personality, bodily, socially, relationship with God, was made whole. Being brought to this 'holistic' situation we call 'salvation'.

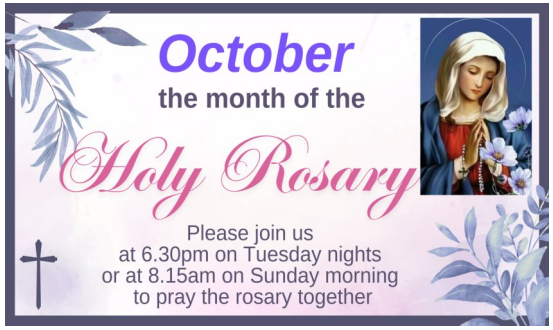
This Gospel assures us that there is nothing which makes me 'taboo' to Jesus. Jesus is only too willing to reach out to that part of me which is dis-eased, ill-at-ease with myself, other people, creation, or God. Having faith in Him allows the full force of His love to heal me, to take effect.

We could pause for a moment to pray that we might join the Samaritan walking along the road to final salvation, praising God.

Minto Community Meeting

Date: Saturday 8 November
Time: 2pm
Venue: Holy Trinity Church Minto

On Saturday 8 November at 2pm there will be a meeting with representatives of all ministries and communities using the Holy Trinity Church Minto.



SERVICE TIMES

Holy Family	Mass	Wed - Fri	9am
		Tue	7pm
		First Friday of each month	6.30pm
		Sat	5pm Vigil
		Sun	9am and 5pm
	Adoration	Tues	7.30pm
	Benediction	First Friday of each month	9.30am
	Reconciliation	Tue Sat	6.30pm - 7pm 9am - 10am
Holy Trinity	*Rosary*	Mon	7pm
	Reconciliation	Wed	5.45pm - 6pm
	Mass	Wed	6pm
		Sun	8am

What's On In Our Parish

October

13 Sacrament of Confirmation Preparation Session 2, 6.30pm
18 & 19 Catholic Mission Appeal Weekend
18 Aboriginal Mass and Baptisms 10am, Holy Trinity
19 World Mission Sunday
Lord of Miracles, 1pm Mass
20 Sacrament of Confirmation Preparation Session 3, 6.30pm
27 Sacrament of Confirmation Preparation Session 4, 6.30pm

November

1 Liturgy Workshop with Sr Monica (9.45am to 12noon)
3 Sacrament of Confirmation Preparation Session 5, 6.30pm
9 Sacrament of Confirmation (10.30am and 12.30pm)

Liturgical Dates

October

15 St Teresa of Jesus, *Virgin and Doctor of the Church*
17 St Ignatius of Antioch, *Bishop and Martyr*
18 St Luke, *Evangelist*
28 Sts Simon and Jude, *Apostles*

DATES TO REMEMBER

Saturday 18 October Youth & Young Adult Retreat

Saturday 1 November Liturgy Workshop with Sr Monica

Sunday 9 November Sacrament of Confirmation

Thursday 20 November Choirs Gathering

Friday 5 December Parish Christmas Carols

Saturday 13 December Parish Advent Recollection Day

PARISH GROUPS & MEETINGS

LEGION OF MARY
6.30pm every Wednesday in the Church Meeting Room.

BIBLE READING
9.45am 2nd & 4th Wednesday in the Parish Meeting Room.

BIBLE STUDY
7pm 1st & 3rd Friday in the Parish Meeting Room.

BIBLE SHARING
7pm 2nd & 4th Friday in the Parish Meeting Room.

YOUTH & YOUNG ADULTS
6.30pm 2nd & 4th Friday in the Parish Meeting Room.

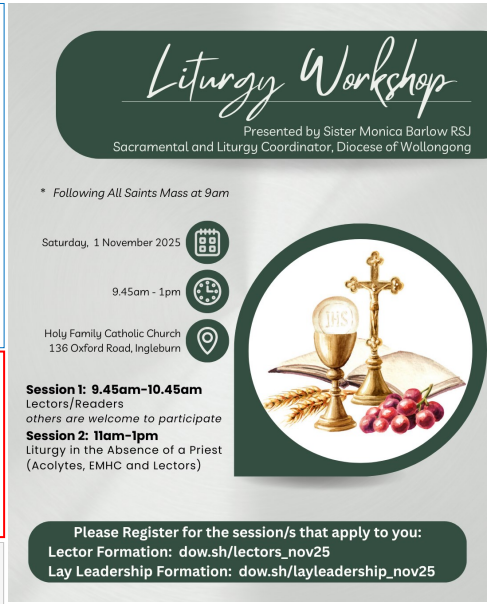
CHILDRENS LITURGY
Every Sunday during 9am Mass.

RCIA ...a journey in faith
Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

RCIA PROGRAM

*A new **RCIA** program has commenced.*

Please contact the parish office if you would like further information.



Sacrament of Confirmation

Session 2
Monday, 13 October at 6.30pm
Reminder.
Please bring your workbook and a pen with you.
Children must be accompanied by a parent/ carer at all sessions.
Attendance at all sessions is compulsory.

Please keep the candidates, their sponsors and their families in your prayers.

Thank You

Collections September 2025:
$2,874.00 Planned Giving
$7,770.00 Second Collection
(Includes Second Collections from Ingleburn, Minto, Polish Community, Samoan Community, Neocatechumenal Way)
$5,231.60 First Collection
(Diocese of Wollongong Clergy Fund)

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For the sick and homebound: *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 sick relatives, friends and parishioners and all who have nobody to pray for them; Maria Elizabeth Tuason, Emerlida Castillo, Rebecca Velasco.

For our recently dearly departed: *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.*
Susan (Sue) Lattuga, Kenneth Krezel, George Mikhael, Luisa Lena, Darren Mack, Damirka (Doreen) Novakovich, Fely Myers, Apaula Martin, Gladys Bucad, Iakimo Vilis, George Mikhael.

For those whose death anniversaries occur at this time: *Having returned to the Father, may they rest in peace. Amen.* For all of our family members and friends; Maxima Diola, Clarita Trajano, Rodrigo Dumlao, Tanya Carney, Alfredo Adriano Manalo, Letitia Parker, Buenaventura Calvelo, Tojo Sebastian.

Other intentions: As the Higher School Certificate (HSC) examinations begin, we hold all Year 12 students in our prayers, especially those in our parish community. We also keep their families, teachers, and mentors in our prayers, that they may offer steady support and encouragement.
Celine Peter - birthday thanksgiving Mass for God of Israel. Thanksgiving Mass for Thivya Reason's birthday.

With joyful hearts, during September, we welcomed the newly Baptised into our Parish community:

Alayna Susel, Peregrine Delfin, Sebastian Williams, William Beardshaw, Theodore Maharaj.

We ask God to bless these children, their parents, Godparents and families, to surround them with your goodness and lead them in Your light each day of their lives.

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, or someone you know, is in this situation, please contact the Parish Office so that a visit can be arranged.

The **Piety Stall** is open after each weekend Mass. All profits go to the work of the Ingleburn Chapter of St Vincent de Paul Society.

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

To contribute via planned giving envelopes, please contact the Parish Office.

Thank you for supporting your parish.