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Ageing with Confidence – What's age got to do with it?

Wednesday 22 July – Campbelltown Catholic Club

Join CatholicCare for a free community event with Dr Emily Steel from the Australian Human Rights Commission, sharing practical approaches to ageing well.

Doors open at 9am to chat with community partners, and the presentation will commence at 10am. Morning tea included.

Register via the QR code, call 1800 967 894 or www.catholiccare.dow.org.au. Enquiries to Jane Hollier 0417 018 152 or janeh@catholiccare.dow.org.au



Holy Family
Catholic Parish

INGLEBURN & MINTO

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A
14 June 2026

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
Email: ingleburn@dow.org.au
Hours: 8.45am-2.45pm Tues-Thurs
Phone: (02) 9059 4134

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ALPHA YOUTH SERIES

Our regular Youth & Young Adults gatherings will resume on
Friday, 10 July 2026.

Please see our final Alpha Youth session dates below as we prepare to conclude this season of Alpha and continue growing together in faith.

SESSION 9: SUNDAY 21 JUNE 2026 10:30AM
SESSION 10: FRIDAY 26 JUNE 2026 6:30PM

Thank you all for your continued support!
Please keep our Ministry in your prayers.

HOLY FAMILY YOUTH & YOUNG ADULTS MINISTRY 2026

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Reflection by Father Henry

In the scripture readings for this weekend, God reminds us that our vocation begins not with a task, but with a relationship. In the Book of Exodus, God tells Israel, "You shall be my treasured possession." Before asking anything of them, God first calls them to belong to Him. The same is true for us. Our Christian life begins with God's loving invitation to know Him, trust Him, and walk with Him.

St Paul deepens this message in Romans, reminding us that Christ died for us while we were still sinners. God's love is not earned; it is freely given. Through Jesus, we are reconciled with God and drawn into a living relationship with Him.

Yet this relationship is never meant to remain private. In the Gospel, Jesus sees the crowds with compassion and then sends His disciples to continue His mission. Those who have experienced God's love are called to share it with others. The disciples are first gathered around Jesus, and then they are sent out in His name.

The same pattern shapes our lives today. We are called to pray, worship, and grow in friendship with Christ. At the same time, we are sent to serve - in our families, parish, workplaces, and community. Every Christian vocation is both a call to communion with God and a call to ministry.

As we celebrate this Sunday, may we hear anew the Lord's invitation: to belong to Him as His treasured people and to become instruments of His compassion in the world.



PARISH GROUPS & MEETINGS

- LEGION OF MARY**
6.30pm every Wednesday, Church Meeting Room.
- BIBLE READING**
9.45am 2nd & 4th Wednesday, Parish Meeting Room.
- BIBLE STUDY**
7pm 1st & 3rd Friday, Parish Meeting Room.
- BIBLE SHARING**
7pm 2nd & 4th Friday, Church Meeting Room.
- CHILDRENS LITURGY**
Every Sunday during 9am Mass.
- YOUTH & YOUNG ADULTS**
6.30pm 2nd & 4th Friday, Parish Meeting Room

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

What's On In Our Parish

June

- 20 & 21 Social Gathering Weekend
21 Alpha Youth Session 9, 10:30am
24 Grade Mass (Year 5 and Year 1), 11:40am
26 Alpha Youth Session 10, 6:30pm
27 & 28 Saint Vincent de Paul Winter Appeal
30 Grade Mass (Year 6 and Kindergarten) - Feast of Saints Peter and Paul, 11:40am

July

- 1 Monthly Morning Tea after 9am Mass
10 Youth & Young Adult gatherings resume
18 & 19 Social Gathering Weekend

Liturgical Dates

June

- 21 Saint Aloysius Gonzaga, *Religious*
22 Saints John Fisher, *Bishop* and Thomas More, *Martyrs*
24 The Nativity of Saint John The Baptist
29 Saints Peter and Paul, *Apostles*
30 The First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church

DATES TO REMEMBER

Saturday 27 & Sunday 28 June - St Vincent de Paul Winter Appeal

Saturday 25 July - Holy Family Mid-Year Dinner Dance

Saturday 24 October - Parish Fair

Caring For Our Parish Family This Winter

During the winter months, colds, flu and other illnesses are more common. We kindly ask everyone to be mindful of their own health and the wellbeing of fellow parishioners. If you are feeling unwell, please consider those around you and take appropriate precautions to help protect our parish community.

"Carry each other's burdens, and in this way you will fulfil the law of Christ." Galatians 6:2



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

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

Second collection

Acct 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.



We pray ... For world leaders and all who shape public policy, that they may seek peace, uphold justice and protect the dignity of every human life. For all who have served and sacrificed in war; for those who gave their lives in service of our country, and for all veterans and their families. For those who are burdened in mind, body, or spirit, especially those carrying heavy crosses. For those who feel forgotten, for those who have no one to pray for them, and for the Holy Souls in Purgatory.

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, Susitina Unasa, Josephine Flores Ferrer, Tumua Oláaiga, Pamela Smith.

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.* Maureen Hardy-Smith, Joly Cabuso, Alexander Mackie, Beverley Foley, Esther Thierjung, Richard Chukwulobe.

For those whose death anniversaries occur at this time: *Having returned to the Father, may they rest in peace. Amen.* For those who have nobody to pray for them; For all of our family members and friends; Rodrigo LaPena, Rogelio Calypaz and Severina Salas, Nenita Del Rosario and Noel Del Rosario, Luisa Lena, Ricardo R. Celiz Jr.



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

Dineo Phaswana, Sofia Basso, Mya French, Rafael Vergara, Meleiha Harrison-McManus, Rylo Cabacungan, John-Paul Parianos..

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.



RCIA Program 2026/2027 - Commencing in August

Are you, or someone you know, thinking about baptism or becoming part of the Catholic Church? We warmly invite you to begin this journey of faith through our RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) program.

To express your interest or learn more, please email ingleburn@dow.org.au, speak with Father Henry or contact the Parish Office on (02) 9059 4134.

Bingo Night Thank You

Thank you to everyone who supported our Parish Bingo Night held on Saturday 23 May.

We are pleased to announce that the event raised \$5,153, together with four gift cards which will be used towards a future parish fundraising event.

We sincerely thank all who donated prizes, volunteered their time, and contributed to the success of the evening. Your generosity and support are greatly appreciated.

"Serve one another with whatever gift each of you has received." 1 Peter 4:10

Have You Ever Wanted to Ring the Church Bells?

Would you like to learn - or simply find out what's involved?

Bell ringing is a wonderful way to serve our parish, preserve a cherished tradition, and add to the life and joy of our Church and wider community.

We warmly invite anyone interested to visit the Bell Tower on Saturday mornings between 8.30am and 10am. Come along for a chat, see how it all works, and discover how you can get involved.

