





## Fourth Sunday of Lent 31 March 2019

## From the Pastor's desk

For Jews, pigs are ritually unclean, so that living in a pig sty would make this young man unapproachable.

So, imagine the reaction of his Jewish audience when Jesus told the story of the father running to his son and embracing him still stinking of the pig sty, exclaiming, 'You were lost and now you are found.'

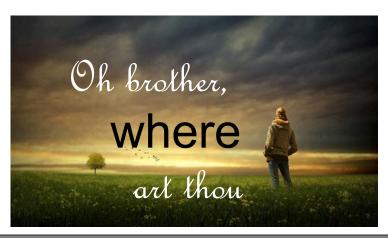
That is Jesus' portrayal of his heavenly Father's relationship with us.

Of course, sometimes we are the older brother, resentful that someone seems to have had too easy a time of God's forgiveness. Is this the attitude of many who challenge the emphasis by Pope Francis on Mercy as the core of God's relationship with us?

More often, we are like the younger brother who has strayed to a far off place, sometimes quite deliberately.

We could resolve to approach the Sacrament of Mercy during Lent, knowing that our heavenly Father will run towards us, embracing us, exclaiming, 'You were lost but now you are found.'

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APR		THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH								
Mon	1	9.00am - Mass 7:30pm - Christian Meditation in Parish Office Conference Room								
Tue	2	9.00am - Mass 7:30pm - Novena to our Lady of Perpetual Help after Liturgy of the Word								
Wed	3	9.00am - Mass 10.00am - Liturgy of the Word in Holy Cross school led by Deacon Rudy 7.00pm - RCIA session								
Thu	4	9.00am - Mass								
Fri	5	9.00am - Mass followed by Benediction 6:30pm - CCC Prayer Group - Parish Office Conference Room 7:00pm - Stations of the Cross 7:30pm - Novena Mass with Devotion to the Sacred Heart								
Sat	6	9.00am - Mass with Anointing of the Sick followed by Benediction								
Sun	7	12pm- Baptism - Please pray for Xavier, Nathaniel, Hudson, Kingsley, Eva & Seph								

#### **Mass Times**

Mon - Fri 9:00am also Wed 10:00am

Holy Cross Primary school term only Sat 9:00am, 6:00pm (Vigil) Sun 7:30am, 9:00am, 10:30am, 6:00pm (Youth)

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## **Devotions & Prayers**

Novena Masses

*Tue* 7:30pm

Our Lady of Perpetual Help

1st Fri 7:30pm

Sacred Heart of Jesus

## Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament & Benediction

Tue after the 7:30pm Liturgy of the Word after the 7.30pm

Mass

1st Fri after the 7.30pm Mass

### Sacrament of the Sick

1st Sat 9:00am Mass or upon request

## Divine Office

Sun 8:15am after 7.30am Mass Praise & Worship/Prayer Group

2nd Sat 7:30pm led by CRL

(Community of the Risen Lord)
3rd Sat 7:30pm led by SJ23rd Prayer

Group

Mon 7:30pm Christian Meditation Group in Parish Office Conference Room led by Frances Pegrem (0417 406715)

Fri 6:30pm led by Christ Catholic Community Prayer Group in the Parish Office Conference Room

## Our Parish Mission

The parish of St John XXIII is a faith community with the Eucharist as its heart. Inspired by John XXIII's prophetic opening of the windows of the Church, we welcome the fresh air of the Holy Spirit, inviting every person to share in the responsibility of enriching the life and faith of our community by sharing their gifts and talents."



## **Entrance Antiphon**

Rejoice, Jerusalem, and all who love her. Be joyful, all who were in mourning; exult and be satisfied at her consoling breast.

## First Reading

Joshua 5:9-12

The people of God went to the promise land and there kept the passover.

The Lord said to Joshua, 'Today I have taken the shame of Egypt away from you.'

The Israelites pitched their camp at Gilgal and kept the Passover there on the fourteenth day of the month, at evening in the plain of Jericho. On the morrow of the Passover they tasted the produce of that country, unleavened bread and roasted ears of corn, that same day. From that time, from their first eating of the produce of that country, the manna stopped falling. And having manna no longer, the Israelites fed from that year onwards on what the land of Canaan yielded.

The word of the Lord. T

Thanks be to God.

## Responsorial Psalm

Ps 33:2-7

## R. Taste and see the goodness of the Lord.

I will bless the Lord at all times, his praise always on my lips; In the Lord my soul shall make its boast. The humble shall hear and be glad. **R.** 

Glorify the Lord with me. Together let us praise his name. I sought the Lord and he answered me; from all my terrors he set me free. **R.** 

Look towards him and be radiant; let your faces not be abashed. This poor man called; the Lord heard him and rescued him from all his distress. **R.** 

## **Second Reading** 2 Corinthians 5:17-21

God reconciled us to himself through Christ.

For anyone who is in Christ, there is a new creation; the old creation has gone, and now the new one is here. It is all God's work. It was God who reconciled us to himself through Christ and gave us the work of handing on this reconciliation. In other words, God in Christ was reconciling the world to himself, not holding men's faults against them, and he has entrusted to us the news that they are reconciled. So we are ambassadors for Christ; it is as though God were appealing through us, and the appeal that we make in Christ's name is: be reconciled to God. For our sake God made the sinless one into sin, so that in him we might become the goodness of God.

The word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

## Gospel Acclamation

Luke 15:18

Praise and honour to you, Lord Jesus Christ! I will rise and go to my Father and tell him: Father, I have sinned against heaven and against you.

Praise and honour to you, Lord Jesus Christ!

## **Gospel** *Luke 15:1-3. 11-32*

Your brother here was dead and has come to life.

The tax collectors and the sinners were all seeking the company of Jesus to hear what he had to say, and the Pharisees and the scribes complained. 'This man,' they said, 'welcomes sinners and eats with them.' So he spoke this parable to them:

'A man had two sons. The younger said to his father, "Father, let me have the share of the estate that would come to me." So the father divided the property between them. A few days later, the younger son got together everything he had and left for a distant country where he squandered his money on a life of debauchery.

When he had spent it all, that country experienced a severe famine, and now he began to feel the pinch, so he hired himself out to one of the local inhabitants who put him on his farm to feed the pigs. And he would willingly have filled his belly with the husks the pigs were eating but no one offered him anything. Then he came to his senses and said, "How many of my father's paid servants have more food than they want, and here am I dying of hunger! I will leave this place and go to my father and say: Father, I have sinned against heaven and against you; I no longer deserve to be called your son; treat me as one of your paid servants." So he left the place and went back to his father.

While he was still a long way off, his father saw him and was moved with pity. He ran to the boy, clasped him in his arms and kissed him tenderly. Then his son said, "Father, I have sinned against heaven and against you. I no longer deserve to be called your son." But the father said to his servants, "Quick! Bring out the best robe and put it on him; put a ring on his finger and sandals on his feet. Bring the calf we have been fattening, and kill it; we are going to have a feast, a celebration, because this son of mine was dead and has come back to life; he was lost and is found." And they began to celebrate.

Now the elder son was out in the fields, and on his way back, as he drew near the house, he could hear music and dancing. Calling one of the servants he asked what it was all about, "Your brother has come" replied the servant "and your father has killed the calf we had fattened because he has got him back safe and sound." He was angry then and refused to go in, and his father came out to plead with him; but he answered his father, "Look, all these years I have slaved for you and never once disobeyed your orders, yet you never offered me so much as a kid for me to celebrate with my friends. But, for this son of yours, when he comes back after swallowing up your property - he and his women - you kill the calf we had been fattening."

'The father said, "My son, you are with me always and all I have is yours. But it was only right we should celebrate and rejoice, because your brother here was dead and has come to life; he was lost and is found."

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

## **Communion Antiphon**

The Lord anointed my eyes: I went, I washed, I saw and I believed in God.

## **OFFICE**

160 Perfection Avenue, Stanhope Gardens, 2768 (next to St Mark's College Admin Office)

### **MAILING**

PO Box 23, Stanhope Gardens, NSW 2768

#### **SACRAMENTS**

**Baptism** *by appointment* Sun 12:00pm

## Reconciliation (First Rite)

Sat 5:00 - 5:45pm And after any weekday masses

## **CLERGY**

### Parish Priest:

Fr John McSweeney FrJohn@john23rd.org.au

### Asst. Priest:

Fr Thomas Bui

⊠ FrThomas@john23rd.org.au

#### Deacon:

Rodrigo Rupac

☑ DeaconRudy@john23rd.org.au

### **PARISH OFFICE**

#### Office Hours

Tue - Fri 8.30 - 4.00pm

### Office Contacts

(02) 9852 0580

(0423 160 567 AH Emergency)

#### **STAFF**

## Secretary

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⊠ secretary@john23rd.org.au

## Finance:

Renuka Soosaipillai

accounts@john23rd.org.au

## Sacramental Coordinator:

Jill Franco

⊠ admin@john23rd.org.au

## Business Manager:

John McCartney (pro bono)

⊠ businessmanager@john23rd.org.au

## NEW TO OUR PARISH?

## Welcome to our parish community!

Please take a welcome envelope pack from the front entrance. Also visit our website or like our Facebook page

www.facebook.com/john23rdparish



Welcome to the corerunity of the Catholic Farish of St John 23rd Glenwood Stanhope Gardens where the love of Christ is shining in so many ways.

# SUGGESTION BOX We welcome your comments and constructive suggestions.

## **COLUMBARIUM UPDATE**

## ⇒ Blessing of the Columbarium

Our Garden of Remembrance is nearly completed. Bishop Vincent will be celebrating mass and formally blessing the Columbarium on Saturday 11 May at 9am.



## ⇒ Open Day - 13-14 April

There will be an "Open Day" on the 13-14 April weekend. You will be able to tour the Garden and place your orders after all masses that weekend.

We invite you to register your expression of interest for niches in the Sts Matthew, Mark, Luke and John walls before 11 May.

The cost of niches (incl GST) is: 1st niche 2,750 2nd niche 2,200 3rd & subsequent niches 1,980

There are still opportunities to sponsor items for the Garden eg plants and other landscaping costs.

Please email your Expressions of Interest, sponsorship offers or any queries to <a href="mailto:businessmanager@john23rd.org.au">businessmanager@john23rd.org.au</a>

Please also tell your family and friends about the columbarium – we have opened it up to parishioners from other parishes so there is an opportunity for them to have their ashes placed in church grounds, beside a church where family and friends may conveniently visit after mass.

## WE GIVE THANKS TO.....

...Our parish youth leaders for their organization of the trivia night. A lot of hard work goes into organizing this event. Their enthusiasm and dedication to assist our parish is a great blessing.

## FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PARENTS' MEETINGS

Wed 1 May, 7.30pm. Church Copies of the sacramental calendars are available in the church foyer or on our website www.john23rd.com

For all enquiries, please contact Jill on 9852-0583 or at admin@john23rd.org.au

## **FAITH EDUCATORS NEEDED!**

The Sacramental team is looking for anyone who would like to help facilitate a small group of children during the First Holy Communion and Confirmation sacramental programs. Only a passion to pass on the faith to our young ones is needed. Training provided. To find out more, contact Jill 0n 0402 172 346 or at admin@john23rd.org.au

## HOLY CROSS - 40 DAY LENT CHALLENGE

For many the Easter holidays are a vibrant time of happiness and joy, spent celebrating with cherished loved ones. However, for those less fortunate, this period can be a time of hardship. That is why Holy Cross COSHC Glenwood is actively campaigning a 40-day Lent challenge – the objective being to provide the St John XXIII Catholic Parish Stanhope Gardens/Glenwood with a bountiful clothing donation. Holy Cross COSHC challenges the wider community to hop on board and donate any new or used (in good condition) clothes to this wonderful cause.

Yours in faith, The Holy Cross COSHC Team

## POSITION VACANT - SACRAMENTAL COORDINATOR

Our Sacramental Coordinator, Jill Franco, is leaving the position to pursue her studies in Pastoral Care. The parish is now looking for a replacement and we invite suitably qualified and experienced people to apply to businessmanager@john23rd.org.au. Applications close on Friday 12 April. A detailed Job Description is available by emailing the same address.

**COELIACS** Those who are gluten intolerant may receive communion with a gluten low host. Please inform the acolyte before Mass.

Changes to our collection

First Collection will occur after the Homily and which will be <u>brought to the altar during the offertory procession</u>. The Second Collection will occur after the offertory and will be brought <u>forward during the Holy</u>, <u>Holy</u>.

## Paying our debt together

**First Collection** – for the diocese. This is used for the support of the Bishop and priests of the Diocese.

**Second Collection** – for the parish. This is used to meet our parish running costs of the church and provide for ministry expenses.

**PLANNED GIVING PROGRAM** If you would like to be a part of the church's plan giving program, which goes to the second collection, an **SJ23rd form** is available at the church foyer or contact the parish office. We would encourage instead of the envelope system to either direct debit or credit card deduction.

#### Parish Pastoral Corner

## **FAITH FORMATION**

## $\Rightarrow$ Our Lady of Perpetual Help

We continue to ask for host families to pray the rosary at home and request our Blessed Mother's intercessions. Tuesday nights beginning with Evening Prayer at 6.30pm, Rosary at 7.15pm, Mass and Novena prayers at 7:30pm with sung Exposition and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament after the novena mass. Pick up the statue after the novena mass and return a week after, before the start of the novena mass.

"A family that prays together, stays together - Fr Patrick Peyton" If you want the opportunity of having the statue of Our Lady visit your home contact Bart Sarlabus bart.sarlabus@gmail.com or Melva (after novena mass).

## **SOCIAL JUSTICE**

## ⇒ Jesuit Refugee Service (JRS) Food Drive

Lent is a time for reflecting on the enormous sacrifice our Lord made on Good Friday. It's also a time for making sacrifices of our own. One of the purest sacrifices you can make is showing compassion to those in need.

The JRS foodbank provides much needed fresh food and groceries to over 350 individuals and families every month. Foodbank is not your usual food donation service. At JRS we don't make hampers for our clients, but rather allow them to choose their own groceries. We stock our shelves and our fridge like a supermarket, meaning people are able to do their own 'shopping'.

We have identified six staple items that are most frequently requested. Each week parishioners are encouraged to bring in the one designated item to deposit in a box at the church fover.

Thanks for your generosity, just one item a week makes such a difference. Your contribution is helping JRS accompany, serve, and advocate for these families. All

Week 1	Basmati Rice	Week 4	Tinned Tomatoes
Week 2	Tuna in Oil	Week 5	Chickpeas
Week 3	Cooking Oil	Week 6	Red Kidney Beans

goods received will have to be transported to JRS Arruple Place Community Centre on Darcy Rd, Westmead (next to Catherine McAuley). If you would like to provide assistance please contact Margaret Harrison on 0413 900 226

## **EVANGELIZATION**

## ⇒ SRE TEACHERS NEEDED

The harvest is great but the workers are few (Matthew 9:37)

If you have the desire to spread God's word to children and could spare an hour during weekdays, please consider this ministry. Training and resources will be provided. We currently have 4 public primary schools and a high school in our parish that we teach in. The scripture classes are conducted during school hours for half an hour during Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays. For more info call Asoki 0430 020265 or Renuka 0414 795814

Rosary Statue Family Roster for Tuesday Nights											
Apr	2	9	16	23	30						
	Lequin	Olan	Pangilinan E	Sebastian	Shalini						
May	7	14	21	28							
	Drummond	Viola	Shalini	Sebastian							
Tue	4	11	18	25							
Jun	Erasmo	Thirimanne	Richards	Sebastian							
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Jul	Peiris R	Shalini	Chula	Jacob	Javier C						
Aug	6	13	20	27							
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"Mary joins us, she fights at our side. She supports Christians in the fight against the forces of evil. Especially through prayer, through the Rosary. Hear me out, the Rosary. ... Do you pray the Rosary each day?" Pope Francis

## **RCIA**

Our five Catechumens are doing their second scrutiny this weekend. The 3 srutinies are rites for self-searching, repentance and healing to support the Candidates as they examine and prepare themselves for the Sacraments of Initiation. Please keep Tracey McCliffty, Robyn Perera, Rity Ly, Taylor Barron & Sezen Urbina and their sponsors in your prayers during this period of preparation.

We have their names in a bowl at the entrance and the side door. We request you, as families or individuals take one name and pray for this catechumen as they prepare to receive the sacraments of initiation this Easter Vigil.

## **LITURGY**

## ⇒ Altar Servers Training 2019

- ♦ Are you 10 years old and over?
- ◆ Have received the sacraments of Baptism, Reconciliation and Holy Communion?



♦ You want to assist the clergy and acolytes at mass times? If so, we invite you to join our Junior Altar Server ministry. Training sessions will be held on 26th May and 2nd June with commissioning on 9th June. Application forms are available in the church, from our parish office, parish Facebook page and website. Call or SMS Johanna Cusack on 0478035847 for further details.

## **⇒** Music Ministry

Psalm 100 "Make joyful noise unto the Lord....come before God's presence with singing"

We need singers and instrumentalist. Share our talents. Join any of the existing choir groups or we can help you form your own group. Call Bob Agbulos on 0422 106525 and we can discuss your talents and availability.



## ⇒ Paschal Triduum Events

## Good Friday - Stations of the Cross

CALL FOR ACTORS AND VOLUNTEERS FOR THE LIVING WAY OF THE CROSS

From Jesus' condemnation by Pilate to His crucifixion and burial, people re-enact the plot, rather than still pictures or carvings. This makes it more meaningful and alive in our hearts.

## Special intentions

## Recently Deceased:

Steve Lawrence, John D'Cunha, Celia Somes

### Deceased:

## Anniversary:

Consuelo Ravelo Teano, Catherine Thirimanne, Magdalena Ramirez, Yelly Joko, Ivan Vaijesuriya

## Sick:

Names will normally only be published in the bulletin with an individual or family member's permission.

Virginia Santos, Fr John, Pat Doyle, Anshu Mala Nand

## Thanksgiving:

Adriel Fontanilla

## **Church Funnies**



"No thanks father...I'm driving."

## **OUR PARISH SCHOOLS**

### **Holy Cross Primary**

49 Meurants Lane, Glenwood Principal: Marina Hardy

**2** (02) 8664 7100

Maria de Ma

**John XXIII and St Mark's College** 160 Perfection Ave, Stanhope Gardens Principal: Dr Peter Webster

**(02)** 9852 0500

⊠ stmarks@parra.catholic.edu.au

## Catholic Early Learning Centre

160 Perfection Ave, Stanhope Gardens

**1** (02) 9852 0585

celcstanhope@parra.catholic.edu.au
www.celcstanhope.catholic.edu.au

## Diocesan News

## **Positions Vacant**

## Diocese of Parramatta

- Web developer/programmer
- Pastoral Planning Officer
- Project Manager
- Risk Officer

## Merrylands Parish

• Parish Secretary

More details at: parracatholic.org/employment

## <u>CatholicCare Western Sydney and the</u> <u>Blue Mountains</u>

• Transition Housing Worker

More details at: ccss.org.au

# Communion to the Sick, Blacktown Hospital

We urgently require people to take Holy Communion to patients in Blacktown Hospital on Sundays. Volunteers are currently rostered on every second month (6 times annually). Distribution of Communion takes about 2 to 3 hours. Security checks required and carpark access available. Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist who can help with this important ministry please contact Deacon George Bryan at Mary, Queen of the Family Parish Blacktown either via the parish office or via at George. Bryan@parracatholic.org

## Join St Patrick's Cathedral Choir

St Patrick's Cathedral Choir, Parramatta is recruiting singers! This is an exciting opportunity to join a group of highly talented musicians. Choral scholarships are also available to singers who demonstrate advanced vocal skills and musical leadership qualities. For further infovisit <a href="http://www.stpatscathedral.com.au/musicministry/index.htm">http://www.stpatscathedral.com.au/musicministry/index.htm</a> or contact the Music Director, Bernard Kirkpatrick on 0430 431884.

## Volunteers Urgently Needed for Visiting Residents of Aged Care Facility

Are you interested in visiting an elderly person in a nursing home who has no or very few visitors? This service is organised through CatholicCare. You would visit on average once every two weeks with CatholicCare providing training and other support. After talking with you about your interests, we will match you with a resident in a nursing home within approximately 10km of your home. The visit is entirely within the nursing home you do not take the person on outings or shopping etc. For more info, contact Deb Woolacott on 0418 114055 or deb.woolacott@ccss.org.au

## Bishop's Lenten Appeal

The Ephpheta Centre, supported by the Parramatta Catholic Foundation, gives hope, compassion, connectivity and care to the deaf and hard of hearing. Your kind-hearted support will provide chaplaincy and pastoral care for the vulnerable and isolated, in homes, hospitals, prison and aged-care facilities. Please be a channel of hope and give generously via the Appeal envelopes or online at yourcatholicfoundation.org.au/appeal.

## 14 April - Palm Sunday Procession

The annual Palm Sunday procession is on again. Process with Bishop Vincent from Parramatta Town Hall to St Patrick's Cathedral for a World Youth Day Mass and Event on Palm Sunday. Starting at 5:20pm. Register at parracatholic.org/cyp

## 19 April - Good Friday Night Walk

Join over 1,500 youth and young adults on Good Friday from 10pm on one of two overnight 'routes of reflection' from either Guildford Parish or Blacktown Parish, through five parishes to St Patrick's Cathedral, Parramatta. Registrations are mandatory. More details at parracatholic.org/cyp

## **Other News**

### **Positions Vacant**

Director of Communications - Diocese of Broken Bay More details at bheatholic.org.au

## 4 April - Holy Hour for Vocations

The Sisters of the Holy Family of Nazareth cordially invite families and youth (ages 18-35) to join us for Holy Hour for Vocations. Thursday 4 April 2019 at 7.00pm. Join us also for the meal at 8.00pm. The Good Shepherd Church, 130-136 Hyatts Rd, Plumpton NSW 2761. RSVP to Sr Paula on 0449 656 406 or onvocationscsfn@gmail.com

## 18-21 April - Light to the Nations (LTTN) 2019

LTTN is an Easter Pilgrimage event held biannually for Catholics (singles and families) aged 16+. Camp under the open skies with 1,000 other young people as we celebrate the Easter Triduum. Held in the grounds of Chevalier College, Bowral NSW from 18-21 April Visit www.lttn.org.au for more information a n d register todav. Contact info@lttn.org.au or ring 0432 228250.

For more news check out <a href="https://parracatholic.org/#LATESTNEWSEVENTS">https://catholicoutlook.org/</a>

## Parish Pastoral Corner (con't)

This year, the Living Way of the Cross will be held at the grounds of Holy Cross Primary School, Glenwood., 10am. On our parish's 8th year run of the Living Way of The Cross, we once again knock upon you, St John XXIII Parishioners, for the following:

- Actors to play the roles; Jesus, Mary, Mary Magdalene, Simon, soldiers, crowds etc
- Volunteers for logistics, supplies and safe-keeping of costumes;
- Greeters and Collectors

Practice sessions are scheduled on the following days:

- 6th April, Saturday 2:00 4.00pm at Church
- 13th April, Saturday 2.00 4.00pm at Holy Cross Primary

Interested parties may email Helen Festejo mhfestejo@gmail.com by 31 March.







## PASCHAL TRIDUUM SCHEDULE







## 2nd RITE OF RECONCILIATION (DEANERY)

12 April 7:30pm SJ23rd Parish Church

St Michael's Church Baulkham Hills 15 April 7:30pm

## **HOLY THURSDAY**

**18 April** 7:30pm Mass of the Lord's Last Supper followed by Adoration of the Blessed to 11pm

Sacrament

## **GOOD FRIDAY**

**19 April** 10am Stations of the Cross (Holy Cross

Primary School)

Passion of the Lord 3pm

## **HOLY SATURDAY**

**20 April** 7:00pm Easter Vigil

## **EASTER SUNDAY**

**21 April** Regular Sunday Masses

7:30am, 9am, 10:30am, 6pm

Note: There will be no 9.00am mass on Holy Thursday, Good Friday or Holy Saturday.

## YOUTH CORNER

"I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me" Philippians 4:13

### **BLAZE**

BLAZE Youth Group is a fun and exciting way for youths in Years 7 and up to learn about their faith and how to handle the struggles of being a teem.

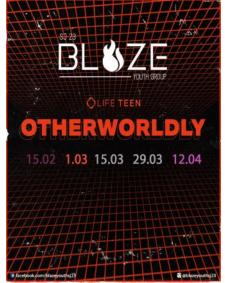
BLAZE runs during **Friday nights**, weeks 1,3,5,7 and 9 of the school term. Session starts at 7:15 till 9pm.

## CRL (Community of the Risen Lord)

When: 2nd & 4th Saturdays Praise & Worship **Time:** after 6:00pm vigil mass

**YFC** (Youth for Christ)

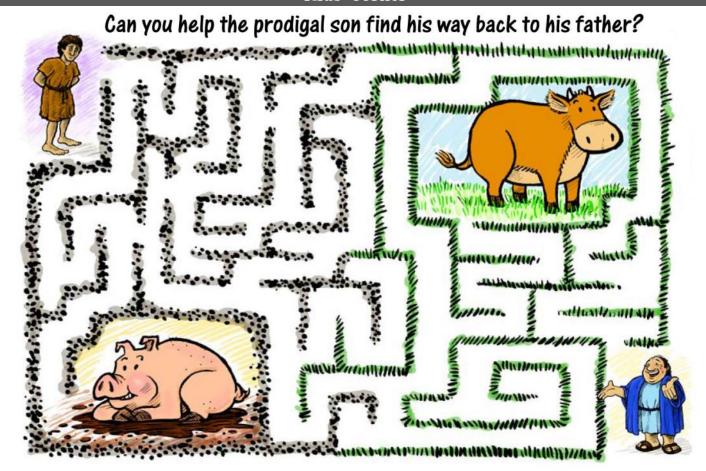
When: 3rd Sundays of the month



## Youth Ministry

SJXXIII Youth is looking for volunteer youth facilitators who are can commit to assisting with our BLAZE fortnightly sessions. Any enquiries can be sent to

youth@john23rd.com.au.



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### ST JOHN XXIII would like to thank these businesses for their contribution to our parish community

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