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**Pentecost  
31 May 2020**

### Message from Father John

Dear sisters & brothers in Christ

Paul writes to the Corinthians that "there is a variety of gifts, but always the same spirit; there are all sorts of service to be done, but always to the same Lord; working in all sort of different ways in different people, it is the same God working in all of them." (1 Cor 12:4-6)

As we gather today to celebrate the Feast of Pentecost the crowning moment in the one Easter Event we realise that God continues to pour out the Spirit on all the baptised.

- gifting us with the Gift's of the Spirit;
- enabling us to serve the Lord Jesus;
- Strengthening us to work for God's kingdom in our time!

And then,

Let us allow the Spirit of God to enable us to be full of joy and hope as we move forward along our journey of faith!

- At the time of printing, churches are still restricted to 10 people for Mass. Pub/clubs/restaurants/café's can have 50 people. Maybe we should have Mass at the pub??!! Our civil leadership is worried about mental health issues... and rightly so; but many such individuals would benefit from spiritual support. Hopefully we are not just making discussion based on economic "value"!!
- Our 7.30pm masses are not being patronized as much as expected.. Nevertheless we will continue with them until 20 plus individuals are allowed at Mass, when we will revert to the morning mass only (except for the 2 Novena Masses.)

God bless you all!

Fr John

### PARRAMATTA DIOCESE UPDATES ON COVID19

THE DIOCESE OF PARRAMATTA ENCOURAGES YOU TO CONTINUE YOUR LIFE OF PRAYER AND PARTICIPATION IN THE LIFE OF THE CHURCH DESPITE CHURCH BUILDING CLOSURES.

For more updates and useful resources visit <https://www.parracatholic.org/covid19/#faq>



**Enrolling now for 2021**

Please contact our school office for a personalised tour

Holy Cross Primary Glenwood

49 Meurants Lane Glenwood

Phone: 86647100

[holycross@parra.catholic.edu.au](mailto:holycross@parra.catholic.edu.au)

### Sunday Mass Times

Sat Vigil 6:00pm  
Sun 7:30am, 9am, 11am, 6:00pm

### Weekday Mass Times

Mon 9am Liturgy of the Word with Communion

Tues-Fri 9am Mass  
+ Wed 10am Mass (School during school term)

+Thurs: 11.15am Mass (Church during school term)

(+ School Masses please see "This Week in our Parish.")

### Masses for Special Occasions

1st Fri 7.30pm Novena Mass (Sacred Heart)

2nd Tues 7.30pm Novena Mass (Our Lady of Perpetual Help)

3rd Fri 11.00am Nursing Home Mass (ARV Mass)

### Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Fri after 9am Mass

1st Sat after 9am Mass

after the Novena Masses

### Reconciliation

Sat: 5.00-5.45pm upon request

### Sacrament of the Sick

1st Sat 9.00am Mass

3rd Fri 11am (ARV Mass)

### Devotion and Prayers

Sun 8.15am Divine Office in Blessed Sacrament Chapel

Mon 7.30pm Christ Meditation Meeting in Parish Meeting Room) Frances Pegram 0417 406715

Tues 7pm Rosary and Novena Prayer in church (1st 2nd Tues)

Fri 6.30pm Christ Community Prayer in Parish Pauline 417039

### 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."



For further updates with regards to our parish activities, always check our website <http://john23rd.com/> and Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/john23rdparish/>

For Mass recordings check our website or subscribe to our YouTube channel <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCImEQLA2Nz5yhCCGedyiCLg>

## Special intentions

### Recently Deceased:

John Francis De Salis, John Baldacchino

### Deceased:

Deeta Shaenoy, Erlinda Songcuan,  
Consuelo Mangona

### Anniversary:

Peter Properzi, Gilbert Colonoya

### Sick: Names published with permission.

Brian McCunnie, Colleen McCunnie,  
Deidre Thomson, Benjamin Munson Jr,  
Nathan Parker, Norbert Mascarenhas,  
Florentina Elisura, Anshu Mala Nand,  
Greg Marcellana, Jim Daley, Kim Anika,  
Elizabeth Candame, Virginia Santos,  
Raymond Lanzona, Perla Magculang,  
Gloria Buosi, Hazel Masher, Pat Doyle,  
Elizabeth Newnes, Christina Properzi,  
Bernie Presto, Isagani Ocampo,  
Kalayani, Zenira D'Souza, Sophie De  
leon,  
Praba Daniel, Elmo Joachim,  
Karam Matte, Karam Sarsam,  
Dung Phan, Virginia Santos

### Thanksgiving:

Jayakody family, Wijesuvilja family,  
Agra family

## In Memoriam

### ⇒ COLUMBARIUM

We have opened this 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. There are still opportunities to sponsor items for the garden e.g. plants and other landscaping costs.

### ⇒ MEMORIAL WALL PLAQUES

The wall in front of the church is devoted to the memory of our deceased family and friends, especially if they are buried overseas. The plaques cost \$250.00.

Please email for any queries to [businessmanager@john23rd.org.au](mailto:businessmanager@john23rd.org.au)



## Newsflash! OUR CHURCH REOPENS

Following the direction of Bishop Vincent and the NSW Premier, we are able to reopen our church, subject to a number of conditions

### DAILY MASS

Mass will be celebrated as follows:

Monday 9.00am  
Tuesday 7.30pm  
Wednesday 9.00am and 7.30pm  
Thursday 9.00am and 7.30pm  
Friday 9.00am and 7.30pm  
Saturday 9.00am and 11.00am

### Sunday 10.30am – livestream only

**Maximum of 10 people** in the church for mass and you will need to make a reservation – see below

- Use only the 10 designated plastic chairs
  - Do not enter the Blessed Sacrament chapel
  - Avoid touching any statues or pictures
  - Write your name, phone number and address on the form provided
  - Use the hand sanitiser after signing in
- Communion will be distributed only on the hand and by the priest walking from person to person

### ⇒ Sunday Mass streamed live

Preparing ourselves for the live stream:

- Before it starts read the Mass readings (can be access through our website)
- It would be good if the whole family in the house joins together in the Mass.
- Have a few moments to think what to thank the Lord for and what to offer him during this time.
- Stay in reverent gesture throughout the Mass, standing up or sitting down. Join in the prayers, responses and singing (if present). Remember that you are praying with many other fellow parishioners and more.
- At the time of Communion, make a spiritual communion

At the end of the Mass, take a moment of silence, read scriptural readings again and reflect how you can live God's Word that day.

### HOW TO RESERVE YOUR SEAT

**All places for each mass must be pre-booked**

Bookings may be requested no more than 5 days in advance

Call our Parish Secretary, Tanya, on 8883 5981 Tuesday-Friday, 10.00am - midday only  
Available spaces will be allocated in the order requests are received

Only one reservation at a time will be accepted to give everyone a chance to attend mass

### PRIVATE PRAYER

The church is open 7.00am – 7.00pm daily Monday to Saturday

- Maximum of 10 people in the church at any one time
- Use only the 10 designated plastic chairs
- If all 10 chairs are occupied please wait outside until someone leaves
- Do not enter the Blessed Sacrament chapel
- Avoid touching any statues or pictures
- Write your name, phone number, address and time on the form provided
- Use the hand sanitiser after signing in

### CONFESSION

Confession will be available in the church **9.45 – 10.30am on Saturday**

Please follow the above sign-in and sanitiser requirements

This time is between the 9.00am and 11.00am masses so penitents will need to have left the church by 11.00am

## Church Funnies



## OUR PARISH SCHOOLS

### Holy Cross Primary

49 Meurants Lane, Glenwood

Principal: Louise O'Donnell

☎ (02) 8664 7100

✉ [holycross@parra.catholic.edu.au](mailto:holycross@parra.catholic.edu.au)

### John XXIII and St Mark's College

160 Perfection Ave Stanhope Gardens

Principal: Dr Peter Webster

☎ (02) 9852 0500

✉ [stmarks@parra.catholic.edu.au](mailto:stmarks@parra.catholic.edu.au)

### Catholic Early Learning Centre

160 Perfection Ave Stanhope Gardens

☎ (02) 9852 0585

✉ [celcstanhope@parra.catholic.edu.au](mailto:celcstanhope@parra.catholic.edu.au)

[www.celcstanhope.catholic.edu.au](http://www.celcstanhope.catholic.edu.au)

### Entrance Antiphon

The Spirit of the Lord has filled the whole world and that which contains all things understands what is said, alleluia

### First Reading

*Acts 2:1-11*

*They were all filled with the Holy Spirit, and began to speak different languages.*

When Pentecost day came round, the apostles had all met in one room, when suddenly they heard what sounded like a powerful wind from heaven, the noise of which filled the entire house in which they were sitting; and something appeared to them that seemed like tongues of fire; these separated and came to rest on the head of each of them. They were all filled with the Holy Spirit, and began to speak foreign languages as the Spirit gave them the gift of speech.

Now there were devout men living in Jerusalem from every nation under heaven, and at this sound they all assembled, each one bewildered to hear these men speaking his own language. They were amazed and astonished. 'Surely' they said 'all these men speaking are Galileans? How does it happen that each of us hears them in his own native language? Parthians, Medes and Elamites; people from Mesopotamia, Judaea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya round Cyrene; as well as visitors from Rome - Jews and proselytes alike - Cretans and Arabs; we hear them preaching in our own language about the marvels of God.'

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

### Responsorial Psalm

*Ps 103:1, 24, 29-31, 34*

**R. Lord, send out your Spirit and renew the face of the earth.**

Bless the Lord, my soul! Lord God, how great you are, How many are your works, O Lord! The earth is full of your riches. **R.**

You take back your spirit, they die, returning to the dust from which they came. You send forth your spirit, they are created; and you renew the face of the earth. **R.**

May the glory of the Lord last for ever! May the Lord rejoice in his works! May my thoughts be pleasing to him. I find my joy in the Lord. **R.**

### Second Reading

*1 Corinthians 12:3-7, 12-13*

*In the one Spirit we were all baptised, making one body.*

No one can say, 'Jesus is Lord' unless he is under the influence of the Holy Spirit.

There is a variety of gifts but always the same Spirit; there are all sorts of service to be done, but always to the same Lord; working in all sorts of different ways in different people, it is the same God who is working in all of them. The particular way in which the Spirit is given to each person is for a good purpose.

Just as a human body, though it is made up of many parts, is a single unit because all these parts, though many, make one body, so it is with Christ. In the one Spirit we were all baptised, Jews as well as Greeks, slaves as well as citizens, and one Spirit was given to us all to drink.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

### Gospel Acclamation

*Matthew 28:19, 20*

### Sequence

Holy Spirit, Lord of Light, From the clear celestial height Thy pure beaming radiance give.

Come, thou Father of the poor, Come with treasures which endure. Come, thou light of all that live!

Thou, of all consolers best, Thou, the soul's delightful guest, Dost refreshing peace bestow

Thou in toil art comfort sweet Pleasant coolness in the heat Solace in the midst of woe.

Light immortal, light divine, Visit thou these hearts of thine, And our inmost being fill:

If thou take thy grace away, Nothing pure in man will stay All his good is turned to ill.

Heal our wounds, our strength renew On our dryness pour thy dew. Wash the stains of guilt away:

Bend the stubborn heart and will Melt the frozen, warm the chill Guide the steps that go astray.

Thou, on us who evermore Thee confess and thee adore, With thy sevenfold gifts descend:

Give us comfort when we die Give us life with thee on high Give us joys that never end.

Alleluia, alleluia!

Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love. Alleluia!

### Gospel

*Matthew 28:16-20*

*As the Father sent me, so I send you: Receive the Holy Spirit.*

In the evening of the first day of the week, the doors were closed in the room where the disciples were, for fear of the Jews. Jesus came and stood among them. He said to them, 'Peace be with you,' and showed them his hands and his side. The disciples were filled with joy when they saw the Lord, and he said to them again, 'Peace be with you.'

'As the Father sent me, so am I sending you.'

After saying this he breathed on them and said:

'Receive the Holy Spirit. For those whose sins you forgive, they are forgiven; for those whose sins you retain, they are retained.'

The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

### Communion Antiphon

They were all filled with the Holy Spirit and spoke of the marvels of God, alleluia.





## FAITH FORMATION

### ⇒ Our Lady of Perpetual Help

*Oh Mother of Perpetual Help, grant that I may ever invoke your powerful name, the protection of the living and the salvation of the dying. Purest Mary, let your name henceforth be ever on my lips. Delay not, Blessed Lady, to rescue me whenever I call on you. In my temptations, in my needs, I will never cease to call on you, ever repeating your sacred name, Mary, Mary. What a consolation, what sweetness, what confidence fills my soul when I utter your sacred name or even only think of you! I thank the Lord for having given you so sweet, so powerful, so lovely a name. But I will not be content with merely uttering your name. Let my love for you prompt me ever to hail you Mother of Perpetual Help. Mother of Perpetual Help, pray for me and grant me the favor I confidently ask of you. (Then say three Hail Marys).*



*"A family that prays together, stays together - Fr Patrick Peyton"*

We continue to ask for host families to pray the rosary at home and request our Blessed Mother's intercessions.

With the current Covid19 crisis, families who are rostered are requested to communicate between families on the transfer of the Blessed Statue. Families on the roster, if unable to pick up please don't hesitate to contact Bart or Melva.

### ⇒ Bible Study

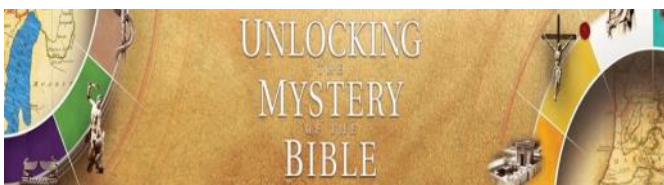
Saint John XXIII Parish Faith Formation Team invites you to join in the first online Bible study course for our parish.

This eight-part study (30-minute sessions) provides the easiest way to understand the Bible. Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible makes the complex simple. It helps you uncover the story woven throughout Scripture so that you can get the "big picture" of the Bible and understand what it is all about. The Bible is a story about the Father's unfailing love for you – a love that you are now called to share with others.

A group discussion follows each study session where you can share insights, discuss viewpoints, and connect with old and new friends in the parish community from the safety of your home. We will begin Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible every Saturday at 7pm. Each session will last for about 1 hour.

To register for this study send an email to the faith formation team leader Vittorio Lim at [vivit.donna@gmail.com](mailto:vivit.donna@gmail.com). We will send you a link to join the sessions.

⇒ Please indicate in your email if you have not used the Zoom Teleconference service before and we will send you details for an optional set-up and orientation session. Cut and paste this link to view a trailer for the study program –<https://youtu.be/F0tLA0iCznc>



### ⇒ Christian Meditation

Our regular Christian Meditation Monday evenings have recommenced, now on Zoom.

Contact Frances Pegrem on 0438 072334 or email [franceshelenpegrem@hotmail.com](mailto:franceshelenpegrem@hotmail.com) for the link to the meeting or for more information.

## Rosary Statue Family Roster for Tuesday Nights

	2	9	16	23	30
Jun	Cano	Shalini	Richards	Thirimanne	Jacob
Jul	Tanganan	Shalini	Barnouti	Jacob	
Aug	Thirimanne	Shalini	Sebastian	Jacob	
Sep	1	8	15	22	29
	Manoj	Lozada	Tanganan	Richards	Jacob
Oct	6	13	20	27	
	Javelosa	Richards	Shalini	Jacob	

If you want the opportunity of having the statue of Our Lady visit your home contact Bart Sarlabus [bart.sarlabus@gmail.com](mailto:bart.sarlabus@gmail.com) or Melva Paguinto [emcpi85@yahoo.com.au](mailto:emcpi85@yahoo.com.au)

*"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*

## COMMUNITY BUILDING

### ⇒ Resource links

For more directive updates from the Diocese during this time of COVID19 crisis <https://parracatholic.org/covid19/> or their Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/parracatholic/>

### For parishioners' wellbeing

**Lifeline:** <https://www.lifeline.org.au/> or call 131114

**Kids Helpline:** <https://kidshelpline.com.au/> or call 1800551800

### Headspace: Advice for Young People

<https://headspace.org.au/young-people/how-to-cope-with-stress-related-to-covid-19/>

**Beyond Blue:** <https://www.beyondblue.org.au/> or call 1300 22 4636

**Catholic Care Parramatta:** 8843 2575

### Supporting your wellbeing through the Covid-19 pandemic:

<https://www.mind.org.uk/information-support/coronavirus-and-your-wellbeing/>

**Australian Psychological society Resources for Covid-19 - quite comprehensive:** <https://www.psychology.org.au/COVID-19-Australians>

### World Health Organisation - Covid-9 and Mental Health:

[https://www.who.int/docs/default-source/coronaviruse/helping-children-cope-with-stress-print.pdf?sfvrsn=f3a063ff\\_2](https://www.who.int/docs/default-source/coronaviruse/helping-children-cope-with-stress-print.pdf?sfvrsn=f3a063ff_2)

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL	
<b>Chairman</b> Gary Lee	<b>Members</b> Bing Catabas
<b>Dep Chairman</b> Bernadette Virwani	Chris Drummond
<b>Secretary</b> Julienne Crasto	Nanette Gamboa
	Margaret Harrison

## Paying our debt together

**First Collection** – for the diocese. This is used for the support of priests and deacons 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; it is also needed to pay off our church mortgage. A Planned giving Program is in place to help us with the running cost of the church.

**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. The Parish Finance Committee encourages all parishioners to register for direct debit or credit card deductions or use our Tap&Go machines instead of the envelop system. This will be very helpful for Budgeting.



*The best way to find yourself is to lose yourself in the service of others.*

*Mahatma Gandhi*

**We are in urgent need for volunteers to assist in the following ministries in our Parish**

### **LITURGY**

#### ⇒ **Children's liturgy facilitators**

We have only a few facilitators able to take these Sunday sessions. If you are interested and able to assist in facilitating these 15-20mins sessions during the 10.30am mass, please contact Helen Zammit on 8883 5981.

#### ⇒ **Children's Sunday School**

We would like to introduce a fortnightly Children's Sunday School for Years Five and Six and are gauging interest. Would you be interested in helping with a zoom session or do you have children who might be interested? Contact Helen at [admin@john23rd.org.au](mailto:admin@john23rd.org.au).

### **ST VINCENT DE PAUL**

#### ⇒ **VINNIES VAN**

The Vinnies Van provides food, friendship, compassion and dignity to those experiencing homelessness and social isolation in the Mount Druitt and Parramatta areas. To become a volunteer of Vinnies Van you must be 16 years of age and over and available to attend induction training upon commencement. For more information on joining the St John 23rd Vinnies Van team, please contact Naomi Reynolds [naomi1.rey@gmail.com](mailto:naomi1.rey@gmail.com)

### **FAITH FORMATION**

#### ⇒ **Sacrament of Baptism facilitators**

We require assistance at the children's baptismal rites during Sundays 12pm. For interested parties please contact Krizzia Samonte on [krizzia.samonte@gmail.com](mailto:krizzia.samonte@gmail.com) or the Parish Office.

#### ⇒ **SRE Teachers**

If you could spare an hour during weekdays to spread God's word teaching the scriptures to children, **we need you**. We currently have 4 public primary schools and a high school in our parish where we hold scripture classes during school hours for 30 minutes during Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays. For more information call Asoki 0430 020265 or Renuka 0414 795814. Training and resources will be provided.



**Most Reverend Vincent Long Van Nguyen OFM Conv DD STL**  
Bishop of Parramatta

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### **Petition to the Premier of NSW**

**28 May 2020**

Dear friends,

As citizens and people of faith, we are grateful for the leadership of both the state and federal government, during the COVID-19 pandemic. We are also grateful for the dedication and commitment of our health workers who have worked hard to treat those infected by the coronavirus and to keep our community safe.

Faith organisations, including the Catholic Church, have conformed to the directives of the government. But as restrictions are gradually lifted across many industries, we are concerned that the same treatment does not appear to have extended to those who wish to gather in churches.

We understand that the reopening of businesses such as pubs, clubs, cafes and restaurants is critical to the economic recovery.

However, churches and faith-based organisations also play an essential part in the functioning of a good and stable society.

The resumption of religious services, albeit in a gradual manner, is important to the people of faith. It is indeed necessary for human flourishing and a great contributor to the common good.

Therefore, while grateful for her leadership during the pandemic, we call on the Premier to give churches, mosques and other places of worship "a fair go" when considering the staged reopening of public venues.

As Pentecost approaches, let us pray that the Holy Spirit may guide our civic leaders in all their deliberations.

**Yours truly, Bishop Vincent Long**

OFM Conv Bishop of Parramatta

**If you wish to sign this petition, please fill out the details as follows:** <https://www.openourchurches.com.au>





Welcome to the community of the Catholic Parish of St John 23rd Glenwood-Stanhope Gardens Where the love of Christ is shining in so many ways.

## PARISH OFFICE

### Office Hours

Tue - Fri 8.30 - 4.00pm

### Office Contacts

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(0423 160 567 AH Emergency)  
160 Perfection Avenue,  
Stanhope Gardens, 2768

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NSW 2768

### CLERGY

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Fr Zvonimir Gavranovic

✉ [Zvonimir@john23rd.org.au](mailto:Zvonimir@john23rd.org.au)

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Rodrigo Rupac

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#### Business Manager:

John McCartney (pro bono)

✉ [businessmanager@john23rd.org.au](mailto:businessmanager@john23rd.org.au)

### SACRAMENTS

#### Baptism by appointment

Sun 12:00pm

#### Reconciliation (First Rite)

Sat 5:00 - 5:45pm

And after any weekday masses upon request

## 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](http://www.facebook.com/john23rdparish)

### SUGGESTION BOX

We welcome your comments and constructive suggestions.

## YOUTH MINISTRY

"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 teen.

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

### BLAZE YOUTH LEADERS

Youth Coordinator - Amanda Lee - 0413 545 318

Assistant Youth Coordinator - Caitlin Green - 0425 579 594

#### Youth Ministry Team

Natasha Surjanto

Taylor Coutinho

Johanna Neve

Johnathan Soosaipillai

Joy Ragaza

#### Support Leaders

Andrew Gorkic

Rebecca Reynolds

Neville Reynolds

RJ Samonte

Vidya Jolly



SJXXIII Youth is looking for volunteer youth facilitators who can commit to assisting with our BLAZE fortnightly sessions. Any enquiries can be sent to [youth@john23rd.com.au](mailto:youth@john23rd.com.au).

<https://www.facebook.com/blazeyouthsj23/>



✉ For all youth ministry enquiries, email us at [youth@john23rd.com](mailto:youth@john23rd.com)

### MORE YOUTH GROUPS

CRL (Community of the Risen Lord)

#### CRL YOUTH LEADERS

Rojith de Silva - 0405 956 3210

Nimeshi Fernando -0417 101 009

YFC (Youth for Christ)

#### YFC YOUTH LEADERS

YFC International

Vince Erasmo - 0406 253 698

YFC Australia

Ben Lim - 0431 795 571

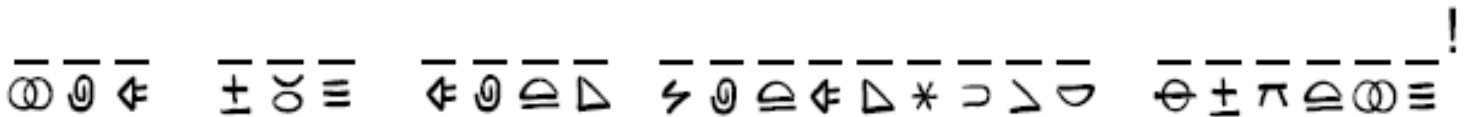


Download and utilise resources created by Catholic Youth Parramatta

<https://www.parracatholic.org/cyp-resources/>



For more events please go to [parracatholic.org/events](http://parracatholic.org/events) or [catholicoutlook.org/](http://catholicoutlook.org/)



# WORD SEARCH

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                  Leader      middle      receive      sins      Sunday

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