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**Fourteenth Sunday
Ordinary Time
5 July 2020**

Reflection

Sunday's Gospel begins with Jesus's saying a prayer of praise and thanksgiving. Jesus addresses God as Father, showing his special intimacy with God. In his reference to the wise, from whom God has hidden the significance of Jesus's ministry, Jesus is clearly speaking of the scribes and Pharisees. But Jesus is also referring to the unrepentant cities that he cursed in 11:20–24. God chooses to reveal his message of the Kingdom to the “infants,” Jesus's followers. Even though Jesus's disciples lack social status or formal education in religious matters, they are able to comprehend what Jesus came to reveal about God the Father. In human relationships, the bond between a father and a son is unique. They often have a mutual understanding of each other that is not shared with anyone else. Through Jesus, the Son of the Father, believers can now come to know God fully. In the past, no human being really knew God. Now the way to come to know the Father completely is through Jesus.

Matthew often speaks of the heavy load the scribes and Pharisees laid on their people—the many rules and regulations that directed the daily lives of Jews. Jesus promises that those who follow him and take up his way of discipline will find rest and renewal. Jesus invites his disciples into a relationship with him—a relationship of gentleness and humility. Jesus cannot be accused of being lax, because he is inviting his disciples into a very disciplined way of life; but Jesus says this way of life will be easier because it is built on a relationship with a loving and caring God.

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- Now, from 1st July, the 4 square metre rules will allow us to have 95 people at mass. The Eventbrite Ticketing will have to continue for the foreseeable future.

Fr John



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

Sunday Mass Times

Booking essential - max 50 people

Sat Vigil 6:00pm
Sun 7:30am, 8:30am, 10:30am*, 6:00pm
*live streamed on YouTube

Weekday Mass Times

Mon 9:15am Liturgy of the Word with Communion
Tues-Fri 9:15am Mass
+ Wed 10am (Holy Cross School during School Term)
+Thurs: 11.15am (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, The Ponds)

Exposition + Benediction

Fri after 9am Mass
1st Sat after 9am Mass
after the Novena Masses

Reconciliation

Sat: after the 9am mass until 10am
5:15 - 5:45pm

Sacrament of the Sick

1st Sat 9.00am Mass
3rd Fri 11am (ARV Mass)

Devotions & Prayers

Mon 7.30pm Christian Meditation via Zoom Frances Pegram 0417 406715
Tues 7pm Rosary and Novena Prayer in church except 2nd Tues
Fri 6.30pm Christ Catholic Community Prayer Group (in Parish Meeting room) Pauline Camilleri 0407 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/UCImEQLA2Nz5yhCCGgdyiCLg>

Special intentions

Recently Deceased:

Eugene D'Cruz, Brenda Posedio,
Sam Gammo, Euftace Dias

Deceased:

C.V. Alves, Euna Alves, June Roberts,
Marina Alves

Anniversary:

Veronica Ravadilla, Domenico Pelle

Sick: Names published with permission.

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

Thanksgiving:

Therese Guerrero

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.

⇒ 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

OUR CHURCH REOPENS

The limit on our mass attendance has been increased from 50 to 100 people from 1 July 2020.

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday: 9:15am Liturgy of the Word and Holy Communion

Tuesday to Saturday: 9:15 am mass

Saturday: 9:00am mass

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday: 6.00pm Vigil

Sunday: 7.30am, 8.30am (note change from 9.00am); 10.30am* and 6.00pm

*This mass will be livestreamed as well at 10.30am on Sunday. Sunday mass dispensation continues.

We have designated the Sunday 7.30am mass for the Seniors of our parish but of course anyone may attend.

CONFESSION

9:30 - 10am - after 9:00 am Saturday mass

5:15 - 5:45pm - before 6:00 pm Vigil Mass or upon request

NOVENA MASSES

1st Tuesday: 7.30pm Mass and Novena to our Mother of Perpetual Help (*changed from 2nd Tuesday*)

1st Friday: 7.30pm Mass and Novena to the Sacred Heart of Jesus

DO I STILL NEED TO MAKE A RESERVATION FOR MASS?

Weekday masses do not require any on-line booking, but a sign in sheet at the entry for registration is required.

It is still essential for the Sunday masses until such time that legislations changes

Online booking via **Eventbrite** accessible at this link <https://john23rd.eventbrite.com.au/> You will be able to select your mass time and then the date.

If you or someone you know does not have computer access or require assistance, please call Tanya, our Parish Secretary, on 8883 5981, Tuesday to Friday, 10.00am-12. noon and she will be able to book for you.

Please arrive at least 15mins before the mass times to give time for registration confirmation.

ARRIVING AT CHURCH

If you are not feeling well, DO NOT come into church.

Entry is via the side door next to the kitchen. Exit is via the front door.

- Wash your hands with soap and water before leaving home.
- Provide social space in entering the building, at least 1.5m apart.
- Use the hand sanitiser provided after signing in.
- Sit at pews that are not taped off (*every other one will be closed*). There is a limit of one individual or family unit at each end of the pew.

COMMUNION PROCEDURES

- Communion, only under the form of the host, will only be offered in the hand.
- Remember to keep your distance, watching the markings on the floor.
- Follow the signs on the floor.

MASS DEPARTURE PROCEDURES

Exit is via the front door.

- Priests and staff will not be able to talk with you as you leave, but please know we truly care about you and offer you our greeting.
- There will be no hospitality after any Mass. Please do not stop and visit others. Once in the parking lot and, maintaining distance of a car width between you, you may visit with friends and others. Just because we are being cautious does not mean people cannot be friendly.

We encourage everyone to contribute financially as you leave by using the **TapnGo** machines or online via **BPoint**.

Church Funnies



OUR PARISH SCHOOLS

Holy Cross Primary

49 Meurants Lane, Glenwood

Principal: Louise O'Donnell

☎ (02) 8664 7100

✉ 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

Catholic Early Learning Centre

160 Perfection Ave Stanhope Gardens

☎ (02) 9852 0585

✉ celcstanhope@parra.catholic.edu.au

www.celcstanhope.catholic.edu.au

Entrance Antiphon

Your merciful love, O God, we have received in the midst of your temple. Your praise, O God, like your name, reaches the ends of the earth; your right hand is filled with saving justice.

First Reading

Zechariah 9:9-10

See how humbly your king comes to you!

The Lord says this:

'Rejoice heart and soul, daughter of Zion! Shout with gladness, daughter of Jerusalem! See now, your king comes to you; he is victorious, he is triumphant, humble and riding on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a donkey. He will banish chariots from Ephraim and horses from Jerusalem; the bow of war will be banished. He will proclaim peace for the nations. His empire shall stretch from sea to sea, from the River to the ends of the earth.'

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 144:1-2, 8-11, 13-14

R. I will praise your name for ever, my king and my God.

I will give you glory, O God my King, I will bless your name for ever. I will bless you day after day and praise your name for ever. **R.**

The Lord is kind and full of compassion, slow to anger, abounding in love. How good is the Lord to all, compassionate to all his creatures. **R.**

All your creatures shall thank you, O Lord, and your friends shall repeat their blessing. They shall speak of the glory of your reign and declare your might, O God. **R.**

The Lord is faithful in all his words and loving in all his deeds. The Lord supports all who fall and raises all who are bowed down. **R.**

Second Reading

Romans 8:9, 11-13

If by the Spirit you put an end to the misdeeds of the body, you will live.

Your interests are not in the unspiritual, but in the spiritual, since the Spirit of God has made his home in you. In fact, unless you possessed the Spirit of Christ you would not belong to him, and if the Spirit of him who raised Jesus from the dead is living in you, then he who raised Jesus from the dead will give life to your own mortal bodies through his Spirit living in you.

So then, my brothers, there is no necessity for us to obey our unspiritual selves or to live unspiritual lives. If you do live in that way, you are doomed to die; but if by the Spirit you put an end to the misdeeds of the body you will live.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation

cf Matthew 11:25

Alleluia, alleluia!

Blessed are you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth; you have revealed to little ones the mysteries of the kingdom. Alleluia!

Gospel

Matthew 11:25-30

I am gentle and humble of heart.

Jesus exclaimed, 'I bless you, Father, Lord of heaven and of earth, for hiding these things from the learned and the clever and revealing them to mere children. Yes, Father, for that is what it pleased you to do. Everything has been entrusted to me by my Father; and no one knows the Son except the Father, just as no one knows the Father except the Son and those to whom the Son chooses to reveal him.

'Come to me, all you who labour and are overburdened, and I will give you rest. Shoulder my yoke and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. Yes, my yoke is easy and my burden light.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Communion Antiphon

Taste and see that the Lord is good; blessed the man who seeks refuge in him.



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"

If you want the opportunity of having the statue of Our Lady visit your home contact Bart Sarlabus bart.sarlabus@gmail.com or Melva Paguinto emcipi85@yahoo.com.au

Novena prayers 7pm every Tuesday
Novena mass 7:30pm every Tuesday



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.

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 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.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL	
Chairman Gary Lee	Members Bing Catabas
Dep Chairman Bernadette Virwani	Chris Drummond
Secretary 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.

Rosary Statue Family Roster for Tuesday Nights

Jul	7	14	21	28	
	Tanganan	Shalini	Barnouti	Jacob	
Aug	4	11	18	25	
	Thirimanne	Shalini	Sebastian	Jacob	
Sep	1	8	15	22	29
	Manoj	Lozada	Tanganan	Richards	Jacob
Oct	6	13	20	27	
	Javelosa	Richards	Shalini	Jacob	
Nov	3	10	17	24	
	Richards	available	available	Jacob	

Families on the roster, if unable to pick up please don't hesitate to contact Bart or Melva.

"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

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 different ministries in our Parish.

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

COMMUNITY BUILDING

⇒ Resource links

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

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>

Reopening of church buildings

Parishes across Western Sydney and the Blue Mountains are opening their doors for private prayer, Reconciliation and for the celebration of Mass and sacraments such as baptisms, weddings and funerals. Please contact your local parish to check the arrangements put in place.

Livestreamed Masses from across the Diocese of Parramatta are still available on the Diocesan website

<https://www.parracatholic.org/covid19/#online>.

Life, Marriage and Family Office Pre-Marriage Weekends

The Life, Marriage and Family Office will recommence their pre-marriage education courses from the weekend of 24th and 26th July 2020. Social distancing and hygiene measures will be in place, with other arrangements to be made if government requirements change. To view course dates for the remainder of 2020 and to book and pay for your preferred pre-marriage course, visit www.parracatholic.org/pmp or call (02) 8838 3460.

Natural Fertility Services is still open

The Life, Marriage and Family Office is still open! Natural Fertility Services helps couples achieve and space pregnancy naturally! If you would like to learn Natural Family Planning, please contact Catherine to book your remote instruction via email catherine.bourne@parracatholic.org or call 0400 427 605.

Office For Worship Resources available

The Office For Worship has a range of resources available for purchase for individuals and parishes. Resources such as parent material for a child's baptism and a collation of prayers can be purchased from the Office For Worship by contacting (02) 8838 3457.

Office for Worship Liturgical Ministry Formation Course

The Office For Worship's Liturgical Ministry Formation course will recommence in August at both the Institute for Mission, Blacktown and St Nicholas of Myra Parish, Penrith. Two workshops on Liturgical Ministry will also be provided in October at St Finbar's Parish, Glenbrook. Note: due to restrictions there are limited places available. For more information, contact the Office for Worship on anne.alimangohan@parracatholic.org

Saturday Sessions

Join with others as we create community online to share and grow faith, every Saturday from 11am - 12pm with Saturday Sessions, hosted by the Pastoral Planning Office. Listen to the pre-recorded presentation about a topic of faith and then join an online group discussion via Zoom. Visit the Diocese of Parramatta's Facebook page each week for details. Contact Lisa Bright on lisa.bright@parracatholic.org to join the mailing list to receive session information.

SRE learning from home

During the school shutdown, CCD designed some faith resources for families to access for their children as they learned from home. These lessons, which are fun and prepared specifically for each age group 5-13, are a good way to encourage children to converse about topics of faith at home. These lessons which affirm that they we are loved by God can be found at <https://www.cress.org.au/learning-from-home-sre-lessons/>. For more information contact cecilia.zammit@parracatholic.org

OTHER NOTICES

10 – 12 July: Divine Retreat Centre Family Growth Retreat

The Divine Retreat Centre in Somersby, NSW is hosting a live-in family growth retreat from 6pm Friday 10 July to 4pm Sunday 12 July. Please call 0468 486782 or email drcretreatego@gmail.com to confirm attendance. Visit www.divineretreatcentre.org.au for more information.

17 – 19 July: Divine Retreat Centre Youth Retreat

The Divine Retreat Centre in Somersby, NSW is hosting a live-in youth retreat from 6pm Friday 17 July to 4pm Sunday 19 July. Please call 0468 486782 or email drcretreatego@gmail.com to confirm attendance. Visit www.divineretreatcentre.org.au for more information.

20 July: ACU Online Public Lecture with Rev. Prof Mark R Francis

The ACU Centre for Liturgy is hosting the President of the Catholic Theological Union, Rev Prof Mark R. Francis CSV, in a free online public lecture. Titled "*The Challenge of Intercultural Liturgy in the Era of Pope Francis*," it will be broadcast live from Chicago on Monday July 20 from 10am AEST via Zoom. Registration is essential by 15 July 2020. Register by visiting <https://bit.ly/3b1Rn8e>

26 July: Divine Retreat Centre One Day Worship Pilgrimage

The Divine Retreat Centre in Somersby, NSW is holding a one-day worship pilgrimage on Sunday 26 July. The retreat will include praise and worship, adoration, Way of the Cross and Mass. Please call 0468 486 782 or email drsydney@gmail.com to confirm attendance. Visit www.divineretreatcentre.org.au for more information.

15 August: ACBC Catholic Men's Gathering

The ACBC National Catholic Men's Gathering for 2020 is now being offered as an online event for registered participants. This modified program will be made available from 15 August and will be delivered in four pre-recorded sessions. The gathering is free and registration is available from 29 June. Visit www.catholicmensgathering.com.au for more information and registration.



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.

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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

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.

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



✉ For all youth ministry enquiries, email us at 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/cyf-resources/>



For more events please go to parracatholic.org/events or catholicoutlook.org/

Find out what Jesus said to His followers

COME TO , ALL
 THAT ARE AND
 HEAVY AND
 I WILL GIVE YOU .



REST YOU BURDENS ME WEARY CARRYING

Rest My yoke is easy

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revealed father rest come burden gentle humble heart
 easy yoke weary Earth Lord learn light

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Honolulu-Pearl Harbour Polynesian Culture-Maui-Hilo-Kona-Kauai.

Call Paul Vassallo 9666 6684, Mob 0416 951502.

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PRAISE AND WORSHIP

3rd Saturdays at 7:30pm

SJ23rd Prayer Group



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The Holy Land Experience

12 NIGHTS / 15 DAYS. DEPARTS SAT 9TH JAN 2021

Dead Sea (2 nights) • Sea of Galilee (4) • Haifa • Mt Carmel • Mt Tabor • Cana • Nazareth • Mt Beatitudes • Jerusalem (6) • Masada • Bethlehem • Optional 2 night Wonders of Petra Extension

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