

Mass Intentions (24th Sep –30th Sept.)
Vigil 5pm: +Dantis; Sun.; 8am: +Dantis;
 9.30am: Pro Populo; **Mon:** + Holy Souls;
Tues. Dantis ; **Wed.:** Dantis ; **Thurs.**
 Dantis; **Fri.** Margherita Di Meglio; **Sat.:**
 7.30am Dantis

Catholic news: [The Catholic Thing](#), [National Catholic Reporter](#); [EWTN](#); [Crux](#), [L'Osservatore Romano](#) [Vatican News](#). [Pope Francis@Pontifex](mailto:PopeFrancis@Pontifex)

On Sundays after 8am Mass there is cuppa.

We acknowledge the Gweagal People, the traditional Custodians of this land.

Daily Masses: 7:30am **Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday** (Saturday: Mass, Cenacle, Confession & Benediction); **Tuesday** 5:30pm: Adoration, Novena, Confession, Benediction and 6pm Mass. **First Fridays** 5:30pm Devotions & 6pm Mass.

Weekend Mass times: Saturday: Vigil 5pm **Sunday:** 8am, 9:30am and **2nd Sunday of the month at 3pm: Divine Mercy Chaplet with Benediction and Mass.**

Baptisms at 9:30 Mass.
 Marriage and Baptism inquiries please contact Parish Office.

St. Joseph's Como cares for safeguarding children. Safeguarding Office at 9390 5810 or safeguarding-enquiries@sydneycatholic.org.

Our sick: Nerida Tullio, Steven Leeke, Helen Cramer, Max McLeod, Philip Andrew Romanow, Richard Davis, Michele McQuillan, Joan & Vince Fernandez, Drago Mikan, Therese Dorff, Steve Smith, Barbara Moore, Albert McMaster, Elizabeth Kinsela, Ida Melis, Katrina Marinilli, Rita Shah, Julia Lock, Marie Lawsen, Ian Duffey, Eliette Majdanzic; Dragica Furda, Mary Carmen Borg, Josefa Dabu, Josie Lay, Christine Woodard, Urszula Kaminska, Josephine and Steven Marinilli, Nicholas Mircevski and all Dear Friends from **Mildred Symons House:**

Next Catholic Mass 1st November, 2023.

[HTTPS://WWW.BPOINT.COM.AU/PAY/COMOOYSTER-BAYPARISH](https://www.bpoint.com.au/pay/comooyster-bayparish)

"Since all Christians have become by rebirth of water and the Holy Spirit a new creature so that they should be called and should be children of God, they have a right to a Christian education. A Christian education does not merely strive for the maturing of a human person as just now described, but has as its principal purpose this goal: that the baptised, while they are gradually introduced the knowledge of the mystery of salvation, become ever more aware of the gift of Faith they have received, and that they learn in addition how to worship God the Father in spirit and truth (Jn 4:23) especially in liturgical action, and be conformed in their personal lives according to the new man created in justice and holiness of truth (Eph. 4:22-24); also that they develop into perfect manhood, to the mature measure of the fullness of Christ (Eph. 4:13) and strive for the growth of the Mystical Body; moreover, that aware of their calling, they learn not only how to bear witness to the hope that is in them (Peter 3:15) but also how to help in the Christian formation of the world that takes place when natural powers viewed in the full consideration of man redeemed by Christ contribute to the good of the whole society.(9) Wherefore this sacred synod recalls to pastors of souls their most serious obligation to see to it that all the faithful, but especially the youth who are the hope of the Church, enjoy this Christian education." (Declaration on Christian Education, Paul VI, 1964).

Daylight saving begins at 2am, Eastern Standard Time on Sunday 1st October 2023. Sunrise and sunset will be about 1 hour later on 1 October 2023 than the day before. There will be more daylight in the evening.



Barbara and Barry celebrating 60th Wedding Anniversary. Congratulations!



Ada, Genie, Patricia and Maggie our hospitality last Sunday.



Our Catechists and Volunteers

Catechists, Teachers and Volunteers are often the unsung heroes in our lives and our children's.

Acknowledging their hard work and dedication with a sincere appreciation in words reminds them why they do what they do.



Our Teachers from St. Joseph's

It is with sadness that I advise of the death of Christopher McGuirk. Chris, as an architect, contributed to the design of our church. May He Rest in Peace. Chris's funeral will be here at 10:30am on Thursday 28th September.

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1st coll. \$422.10	Priests' Retired.
2nd coll. \$364.55	P. Giv. \$ 495.00
CFW \$711.65	Fund \$391.60

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YouTube: https://youtu.be/zdj_sq-lylw Sisters of the Immaculata www.immaculata.org.au

The Voice Referendum. The stance of the Australian Bishops has been to encourage all to be informed and also reflect on Catholic Social Teaching (e.g., Social Justice Statement and NATSICC Statement). Also, important to note that there are people of good will on both sides of this question and that it is a matter on which there can be legitimate disagreement. (Council of Priests)

Catholic Theological College would like to bring to your attention Dr Rosemary Canavan's 2024 Study Tour: Journey with Paul: Türkiye – Greece. There will be online information sessions in September and October 2023. For anyone interested please contact [Dr Rosemary Canavan](mailto:DrRosemaryCanavan) to register. Tour participants have the opportunity to undertake a study unit with CTC in conjunction with the tour for credit towards an award 03 9412 3333

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