



# St Christopher's & St Patrick's Catholic Parishes



**TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME , YEAR B**

**20th JUNE 2021**

## St Christopher's Catholic Church

233 Tower Street Panania NSW 2213

[www.stchristopherpanania.org.au](http://www.stchristopherpanania.org.au)

### Mass Times

**Saturday Vigil:** 5:30pm

**Sunday:** 8am, 9:30am & 5pm

**Tuesday:** 7pm,

**Wednesday-Friday:** 9:15am

**Saturday:** 9am

### Exposition & Benediction

**Tues:** 6-7pm, **Thur:** 5-7pm **Sat:** after 9am Mass

### Holy Hour

**Friday:** 6.15am-7.15 (except school holidays)

### Reconciliation

**Saturday:** 9.30am & 4.45 pm

### Baptisms

11am: 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays

**Weddings** (by appointment)

## St. Patrick's Catholic Church

294 The River Road Revesby Heights NSW 2212

[www.stpatrickrevesbyheights.org.au](http://www.stpatrickrevesbyheights.org.au)

### Mass Times

**Saturday Vigil:** 5:30pm

**Sunday:** 9am

**Tuesday- Friday:** 8am,

### Healing Mass

7 pm, 1<sup>st</sup> Friday of the month

### Exposition & Benediction

8:30 am - 9am, 1<sup>st</sup> Friday of the month

### Reconciliation

**Saturday:** 4.45 pm-5:15 pm

### Baptisms

10:30am, 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the month

**Weddings** (by appointment)

### Parish Priest

Fr Salas Muttathukattil MSFS

### Assistant Priest

Fr Bhaskar Mendam MSFS



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### Parish Office

📍 St Christopher's Catholic Church Panania

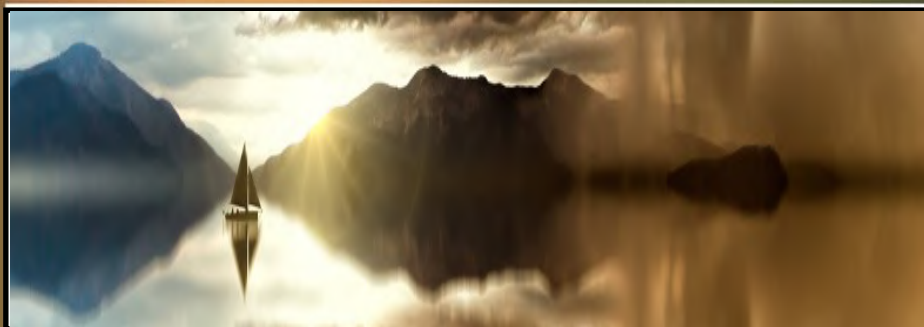
📍 St Patrick's Catholic Church Revesby Heights

### St Christopher's Primary School

☎ 02 9771-5492

### De La Salle College

☎ 02 9773-7196



## Gospel Reflection

### The Voice which Accompanies to the Other Side

Every element of the universe, even the most destructive, is listening for the voice of Our Lord, "Quiet, be still." In this Gospel story, the waters of chaos respond to the voice of the Lord of all creation, allowing Jesus to accompany his disciples to the other side of the Sea of Galilee.

We all know of times when chaos storms into our life, when we feel we are being swamped whether from outside or from some part of our own personality. Some part of our life is facing death. We may cry out to Jesus "Don't you care?"

He will come to accompany us but always to "the other side". Our Lord does not indulge the fantasy of "turning back the clock". We have to keep rowing in a new direction. There is no nostalgic return to the old situation. We may well feel displaced, disoriented, but Our Lord is our companion in the unfamiliar situation we have reached.

We could take a moment to pray for Our Lord to help us in all life-threatening situations, especially in the final transit through the wrenching chaos of death. May we hear him rebuke the Prince of Darkness and Death: "Quiet, be still" as he accompanies us to the other side, to the promised land of Heaven.

*Fr Michael Tate*

### Our quote for the day

"Our misery is the throne of God's mercy."

*St Francis De Salles*

## Entrance Antiphon

*Cf. Ps 27:8-9* *The Word of the Lord*  
*Thanks be to God.*

***The Lord is the strength of his people,  
a saving refuge for the one he has anointed.  
Save your people, Lord, and bless your heritage,  
and govern them for ever.***

## 1st Reading

*Jb 38:1. 8-11*

*A reading from the book of Job*

From the heart of the tempest the Lord gave Job his answer. He said:

Who pent up the sea behind closed doors  
when it leapt tumultuous out of the womb,  
when I wrapped it in a robe of mist  
and made black clouds its swaddling bands;  
when I marked the bounds it was not to cross  
and made it fast with a bolted gate?  
Come thus far, I said, and no farther:  
here your proud waves shall break.

*The Word of the Lord*  
*Thanks be to God.*

## Responsorial Psalm

*Ps 106:23-26. 28-31. R. v.1*

***Give thanks to the Lord,  
his love is everlasting.***

## 2nd Reading

*2 Cor 5:14-17*

*A reading from the second letter of St Paul to  
the Corinthians*

The love of Christ overwhelms us when we reflect that if one man has died for all, then all men should be dead; and the reason he died for all was so that living men should live no longer for themselves, but for him who died and was raised to life for them.

From now onwards, therefore, we do not judge anyone by the standards of the flesh. Even if we did once know Christ in the flesh, that is not how we know him now. And for anyone who is in Christ, there is a new creation; the old creation has gone, and now the new one is here.

## Gospel Acclamation

*Lk 7:16*

***Alleluia, alleluia!***  
***A great prophet has appeared among us;***  
***God has visited his people.***  
***Alleluia!***

## Gospel

*Mk 4:35-41*

*A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark*

With the coming of evening, Jesus said to his disciples, 'Let us cross over to the other side.' And leaving the crowd behind they took him, just as he was, in the boat; and there were other boats with him. Then it began to blow a gale and the waves were breaking into the boat so that it was almost swamped. But he was in the stern, his head on the cushion, asleep. They woke him and said to him, 'Master, do you not care? We are going down!' And he woke up and rebuked the wind and said to the sea, 'Quiet now! Be calm!' And the wind dropped, and all was calm again. Then he said to them, 'Why are you so frightened? How is it that you have no faith?' They were filled with awe and said to one another, 'Who can this be? Even the wind and the sea obey him.'

*The Gospel of the Lord.*

***Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.***

## Communion Antiphon

*Ps 144:15*

***The eyes of all look to you, Lord,  
and you give them their food in due season.***



## **COVID UPDATE**

- \* Please note registration is still required for NSW government regulations
- \* Sign-in using the QR code or the sign-in sheet
- \* Masks are not required
- \* Please wait until the priest has left the altar before sanitising your area.

## **Urgent Reminder for Volunteers regarding Safeguarding of Children: (St Christopher's & St Patrick's)**

Please make sure that you have returned your completed Volunteer Registration – Acceptance Form and the Code of Conduct for Working With Children to either the Parish Office or the Sacristy .

Please also ensure you have a current Working With Children Check (WWCC). This is easy to obtain and is free and is **mandatory for all volunteers**. To obtain or renew your WWCC go to the website:

<https://www.kidsguardian.nsw.gov.au/child-safe-organisations/working-with-children-check>

**Please email your WWC number and Date of Birth to: [safeguardingstcpanania@gmail.com](mailto:safeguardingstcpanania@gmail.com)**

This email address has been set up to specifically deal with Safeguarding matters for our Parishes.

## **DEMPSEY MEDAL AWARD 2021**

Special congratulations to Marge Salone, Noreen Foley and Jim O'Neill, they are long time parishioners who have been awarded the Dempsey Medal in 2021.

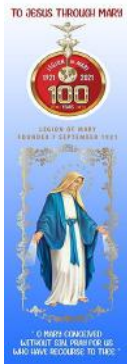
We give heartfelt thanks to Marge, Noreen & Jim for their commitment over many years

The Archbishop will make the presentation at St Mary's Cathedral during the 10.30am Mass on Sunday 20/6/21



## **Legion of Mary Centennial celebration**

### **St Christopher's**



A pilgrim status of Our Lady will be with us on Sunday 20/6 at 5pm Mass and stay with us until Wednesday 23/6. Parishioners are invited to join the local members and auxiliaries of the Legion at a special 9.30am Mass on Monday 21/6 to celebrate the 100 years of the Legion. For more info please contact Josephine Mesiti 97737353 or Emily Burns 97739954. or visit website <https://legionofmary.org.au/>

## **St. Patrick's 9am Sunday Mass choir**

We are in desperate need of an organist to play at our 9am Sunday Mass. We are also in need of new members to join our choir on Sunday mornings. Enquiries: Judy.0490 232 836

## **BAPTISM**

St Christopher's & St Patrick's Parishes welcome the families of those being baptised this weekend: Bella Cilia, Kennedy and Beau Turner

Let us keep the children and their family in our prayers



## **Funeral at St Christopher's Church**

Joan Barton

Tuesday 22nd June 2021 at 11am

Patricia Henderson

Wednesday 23rd June 2021 at 11am



## **SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**

### **Celebration of the Sacrament:**

to be celebrated at St. Christopher's Church on Tuesday 22 June at 5.00pm; Wednesday 23rd June and Thursday 24th June at 7.00pm.



Dear Parishioners of St Christopher's and St Patrick's, we are thankful and congratulations to 70 candidates who are making their 1st Reconciliation next week.

I can confirm all candidates have prepared well and are ready to receive this most beautiful Sacrament.

**A note from the candidates** - We thank you all for your prayers and support during our preparation for our First Reconciliation. As we take our first independent steps in our faith journey, we ask for your continued prayers for the coming week.

We know, with the help of the Good Shepherd, and by remembering to 'STOP', 'THINK AND PRAY' and 'CHOOSING GOD'S WAY', Jesus will always be with us, protecting and guiding us.

## **St Christopher's Panania Celebrating 200 Years of Catholic Education**

This year, we celebrate 200 Years of Catholic Education. As part of our school's celebrations, we have created a weekly segment on our school Facebook page where we interview former students. The videos can be viewed here: <https://m.facebook.com/stchrispanania/>

We would like to connect with former students of our school community. If you were a former student at St Christopher's Panania or have other family members who attended St Christopher's Panania, could you please let us know as soon as possible via the school email ([info@stcpanania.catholic.edu.au](mailto:info@stcpanania.catholic.edu.au))

## **SCHOOL HOLIDAYS ARE HERE AGAIN!**

Last day of Term 2 is Friday, 25th June and the kids come back on Monday, 12th July 2021. Have a great holiday, stay safe, relax and refresh!

## St. Christopher's & St. Patrick's Parish Contacts

Office Hours: Tuesday - Friday 9.00am-3.00pm

Address: 237 Tower Street, Panania

Phone: (02) 9774 3662

**Parish Secretary:** Van Doan  
**Parish Manager:** John Tesoriero  
**Sac. Co-ordinator:** Anne Maree Morris  
**Pastoral Care:** Norma Coorey

### St. Christopher's Church

#### Parish Pastoral Council

Chairperson: Anne Weeks  
 Secretary: Dympna Paterson

#### Parish Finance Committee

Chairperson: John Tesoriero  
 Secretary:

Parish Safeguarding Officer: Jeanette Carroll

### St. Patrick's Church

#### Parish Pastoral Council:

Chairperson: Chris Russell  
 Secretary: Pat Nolan

#### Parish Finance Committee

Chairperson: John Tesoriero  
 Secretary: Pat Nolan

Parish Safeguarding Officer: Siobhan Van Den Nieuwenhuizen

#### Saint of the day

21st June St Aloysius Gonzaga  
 22nd June Sts John Fisher and Thomas More  
 23rd June St Paulinus of Nola  
 24th June The Nativity of St John the Baptist  
 25th June St William of Vercelli  
 26th June St John of the Goths



## Mass Intentions

Let Us Pray for our Parish Community

#### Recently Deceased:

Maria Tran, Brian Tracey, Patricia Henderson, Joan Barton, Patrick Heffron, Sira Raveane, Doug Tipper, Prosper Dijos Junior

#### Anniversaries:

Joseph Muttathukattil, Clarence Clemons, Eileen Stafford, John & Joe Grealy, Ronald O'Brien, Noelene Byron, Mary & John McAuliffe, Mary Young, Joseph Dao & Rosa Hoang, Alf Pandoleon, Joseph & Veronica Ritchie, Paul, Peter, Maria Tong & Maria Tran

#### General Intention:

Anthony Bova, Michael & Anne Choveifate & Deceased member of the family, Maria Hoang, Deceased members of Hanna, Mansour & Crowe families, Jose J Quintal, Covic Ante, Len Khoury & Therese Boukaram, Mary Hagerty & Souls in Purgatory, Remy Norbert, Mary Hughes, Owen McLoughlin & Family (Thanksgiving), Paul Burke, Holy Souls in Purgatory, Deceased members of Legion of Mary.

#### The Sick and Infirm:

John Esther, Dawn Poole, Jim O'Neill, John Esther, Pat Togher, Giuseppe Iacono, Anne Coome, Sira Raveane, Bernadette Lawrance, Helen Dawson, Kerry & Russ, Stephen Sinclair, Chris Burke, Vincent Doan, Marie McLoughlin, Olive Gaynor, Mary Israel, Rudolf Rodriques, Suzanne Moig, Junior Zoran Stojanovski, Pat Tunnicliff, Pat Tindall, Val Edwards



### ST. CHRISTOPHER'S WEEKEND ROSTERS 2021

19th/20th June	Sat Vigil: 5.30pm	Sun 8am	Sun 9.30am	Sun 5pm	Other Ministries
<b>Readers:</b>	Gabrielle Innes Volunteer	Maureen Singleton Natalie Salameh	Lea De Angelis Andrew Mills	Anita & Josie Hanna	<b>Communion to the Sick</b> Josephine Jones Kathleen Healy Norma Coorey
<b>Communion Ministers:</b>	Carla Tesoriero David Raish	Josephine Jones Kathleen Healy	Margaret Yasbek Magdalene Vetter	Volunteer Nazira Hanna	
<b>Acolytes/Servers:</b>	John Tesoriero	Andrew Mills	Ruben Nool	Ryan Romero	<b>Counters:</b> Philip Weeks Arturo Alibrandi
26th/27th June	Sat Vigil: 5.30pm	Sun 8am	Sun 9.30am	Sun 5pm	Other Ministries
<b>Readers:</b>	Louise Harvey Mary Young	John Coates Volunteer	Gabriela Bietresato Sam Coorey	Natalie Salameh Volunteer	<b>Communion to the Sick</b> Magdalene Vetter Norma Coorey Volunteer
<b>Communion Ministers:</b>	Frank O'Brien Di Hennessy	Magdalene Vetter Norma Coorey	Norma Verjoustinsky Stephanie Siaoisi	Trish Campedelli Anne Maree Morris	
<b>Acolytes/Servers:</b>	Alan Freeman	Volunteer	Lisa Kerry	Cheryl Beaver	<b>Counters:</b> John Tesoriero Brian Mack

### ST PATRICK'S ROSTERS 2021

	19th/20th June		26th/27th June	
	Sat Vigil: 5.30pm	Sun: 9am	Sat Vigil: 5.30pm	Sun: 9am
<b>Acolytes/Servers:</b>	Chris	Ray	Chris	Jason
<b>Readers:</b>	Sean McKenna Garry Solway	Yvonne Toleafoa Camilla Toleafoa	Marge Salone Barbara Sherry	Tess Hughes Madeleine Pizzuti
<b>Communion Ministers:</b>	Alison Simler Barbara Sherry	Madeleine Pizzuti Cathy Moussa	Sue Chant Elena Salgueira	May Coorey Joan Jones