



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



**THE MOST HOLY TRINITY YEAR C**

**12th June 2022**

## St Christopher's Catholic Church

233 Tower Street Panania NSW 2213  
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

### 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

7:30 am - 8am, 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

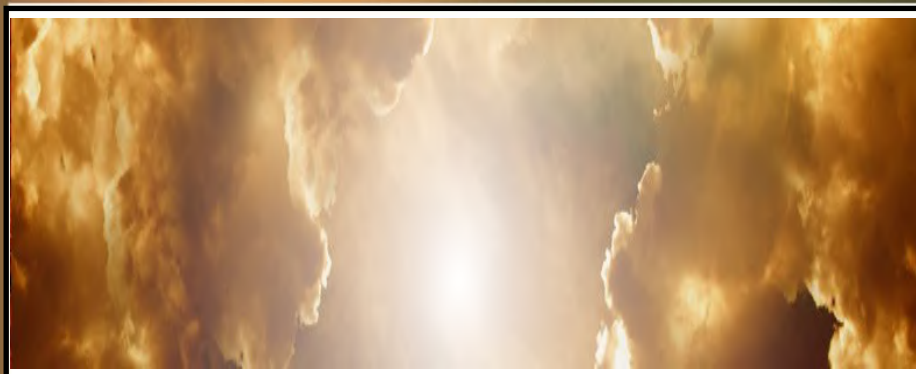
📍 St Patrick's Catholic Church Revesby Heights

### St Christopher's Primary School

☎ 02 9771-5492

### De La Salle College

☎ 02 9773-7196



## Gospel Reflection

### Painting the Picture of God

The Feast of the Trinity of God comes about because Jesus painted a picture of the most intimate communion of Divine Life between Himself, the Father, and the Holy Spirit. This is a relationship and yet the most perfect unity.

God is Divine pulsating, shimmering light dancing in threefold exchange of love. In fact, the best name for God is 'Being-in-Love'. What does this mean for us?

How often have you heard: 'You are made in the image and likeness of God'? If God is threefold Being-in-Love, then you and I are made to live in relationship – not in solitary. We are totally on the wrong track if we think that the ultimate good is to be self-sufficient. It will turn out to be a Hellish choice. When we live as much self-giving as is possible, we are closest to Divine Life. In fact, we are Divine Life pulsating into a particular time and place through us.

Each time we bless ourselves, a bit of a Catholic routine, we are invoking the threefold exchange of love and calling its power into our life. Be careful, there will be consequence! You could become more God-like!

We could pause for a moment, slowly make the Sign of the Cross which recalls our baptism: 'In the Name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit', and promise to image that Name in our lives.

*Fr Michael Tate*

### Quote of the day

"Purify your affections and renew your hearts than to mortify flesh"

*St Francis De Sales*

## Entrance Antiphon

***Blest be God the Father,  
and the Only Begotten Son of God,  
and also the Holy Spirit,  
for he has shown us his merciful love.***

## 1st Reading

*Prv 8:22-31*

*A reading from the book of Proverbs*

The Wisdom of God cries aloud:  
The Lord created me when his purpose first unfolded,  
before the oldest of his works.  
From everlasting I was firmly set,  
from the beginning, before earth came into being.  
The deep was not, when I was born,  
there were no springs to gush with water.  
Before the mountains were settled,  
before the hills, I came to birth;  
before he made the earth, the countryside,  
or the first grains of the world's dust.  
When he fixed the heavens firm, I was there,  
when he drew a ring on the surface of the deep,  
when he thickened the clouds above,  
when he fixed fast the springs of the deep,  
when he assigned the sea its boundaries  
– and the waters will not invade the shore –  
when he laid down the foundations of the earth,  
I was by his side, a master craftsman,  
delighting him day after day,  
ever at play in his presence,  
at play everywhere in his world,  
delighting to be with the sons of men.

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

## Responsorial Psalm

*Ps 8:4-9. R. v.2*

***O Lord, our God,  
how wonderful your name in all the earth!***

## 2nd Reading

*Rom 5:1-5*

*A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Romans*

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, by faith we are judged righteous and at peace with God, since it is by faith and through Jesus that we have entered this state of grace in which we can boast about looking forward to God's glory. But that is not all we can boast about; we can boast about

our sufferings. These sufferings bring patience, as we know, and patience brings perseverance, and perseverance brings hope, and this hope is not deceptive, because the love of God has been poured into our hearts by the Holy Spirit which has been given us.

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

## Gospel Acclamation

*See Apoc 1:8*

***Alleluia, alleluia!  
Glory to the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit:  
to God who is, who was, and who is to come.  
Alleluia!***

## Gospel

*Jn 16:12-15*

*A reading from the holy Gospel according to John*

Jesus said to his disciples:  
'I still have many things to say to you  
but they would be too much for you now.  
But when the Spirit of truth comes  
he will lead you to the complete truth,  
since he will not be speaking as from himself  
but will say only what he has learnt;  
and he will tell you of the things to come.  
He will glorify me,  
since all he tells you  
will be taken from what is mine.  
Everything the Father has is mine;  
that is why I said:  
All he tells you  
will be taken from what is mine.'

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



## Communion Antiphon

*Gal 4:6*

***Since you are children of God,  
God has sent into your hearts the Spirit of his Son,  
the Spirit who cries out: Abba, Father.***

## **COVID-19 Prayer resources**

The Archdiocese of Sydney website has a dedicated page of prayer resources including links to popular podcasts in this time of pandemic. You'll find the webpage at this address: [www.sydneycatholic.org/coronavirus-updates/prayer-resources-for-the-coronavirus-pandemic/](http://www.sydneycatholic.org/coronavirus-updates/prayer-resources-for-the-coronavirus-pandemic/).





## RCIA Candidates and Catechumens Course - starting Sunday 26th June 2022

Please join us for an Introduction Get to Together to hear more about the Course that we will be running this year. We will start with 9.30am Mass and continue our meeting afterward. Please ring the Parish Office 9774 3662 and speak to Fr Salas or Norma for more information.



### WALK WITH CHRIST ANNUAL EUCHARISTIC PROCESSION

Sunday 19th June  
1.30pm Entertainment at Martin Place & Pitt St.  
2.30pm Procession to St. Mary's Cathedral

### World Meeting of Families: 24-26 June 2022

As requested by Pope Francis, and with the encouragement of Archbishop Anthony Fisher OP, the World Meeting of Families will be held locally in the Archdiocese of Sydney to celebrate the sanctity, beauty and vitality of family life .



On Friday, the celebration begins at parishes with the Feast of the Sacred Heart; followed by Saturday, where families join in a pilgrimage to sites and shrines throughout the Archdiocese; and culminating with celebrating the Eucharist with His Grace at St Marys Cathedral on Sunday with 10:30 am Mass, after which families participate in the 'Festival of Families' beside the cathedral with food, coffee, music, stalls and activities for children.

More information and resources for this event are available at <https://www.sydneycatholic.org/world-meeting-of-families/>

### NEW & EXISTING ACOLYTES, EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS AND READERS - August 2022

Fr. Salas has arranged for a representative from the Archdiocese to provide training here at St. Christopher's. This opportunity will allow existing Ministers to update their knowledge and training and it will be an excellent opportunity for new people to join us in providing these Ministries for the Parish. If interested please ring the Parish Office

**Eucharistic Ministers:** 6pm-9pm Wed 3rd & 10th August

**Readers:** 10am – 12pm Saturday 13th & 20th August

**Acolytes:** 6pm - 9pm Wed 17th & 24th August

### Agatha Christie Theatre Party

at The Genesian Theatre, 420 Kent Street, Sydney  
"Poirot's First Case" - based on the book "The Mysterious Affair at Styles" Saturday 25th June at 7:30pm and/or Sunday 26th June at 4:30pm.

Ticket: \$30

Contact Jo Jones on 0423867357



### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

**Reconciliation Lessons:** Fourth week lessons at St Christopher's Church: evenings 6.30pm - Wed 15th Jun  
Thur 16th Jun

**Celebration of the Sacrament:** to be celebrated at St Christopher's Church. There are 2 sacrament times available: Tuesday 21st June - 5pm  
Wednesday 22nd June - 7.00pm

### A Fun Competition for Children: "Celebrating Differences in our Community"

Child Protection Week is soon approaching and the Safeguarding Office is wanting to develop another Activity Book for the Children within the Archdiocese of Sydney. The Activity Book will provide Children with fun, educative and age appropriate information about celebrating differences within the community. The Safeguarding Office wants to make the Activity Book a resource that is developed by Children for Children. Children are being asked to participate in a competition to design characters that celebrate differences. The competition is open to children aged between 5 – 12 years.

A panel will review the entries submitted by each Child and will choose the best illustrations to be featured throughout the Activity Book and in an article in the Catholic Weekly.

The activity sheet is available in the church vestibule and needs to be submitted by Monday 27th June 2022 either via email or post, the details of which are on the activity sheet. Have fun and good luck with your creations.

### Statue of Our Lady:

Would you like to take Our Lady home to pray and receive blessings with your friends and family? Please fill in the sheet near the Statue. Delivery of the statue can be arranged if needed. Contact Josephine 0418 405 402



### Home Visitation

Those who cannot come to Church and wish to receive Holy Communion or a priest to visit, please contact the Parish Office 9774 3662

### Support Caritas Ukraine Appeal

As millions of people are likely to be displaced due to Russia's invasion, your support is more important than ever for the people of Ukraine.

Donate generously to the Caritas Ukraine Appeal: <https://www.caritas.org.au/donate/emergency-appeals/ukraine/>

Donations over \$2 are tax deductible.



### RIP - Joy O'Sullivan

Funeral will be at St Patrick's Church  
Thursday 16th June at 1pm

**St. Christopher's & St. Patrick's Parish Contacts**  
**Office Hours: Tuesday - Friday 9.00am-3.00pm**  
**Address: 237 Tower Street, Panania**

**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

Parish Safeguarding Officer: Jeanette Carroll

**St. Patrick's Church**

**Parish Pastoral Council:**

Chairperson: Roza Bulic  
 Secretary: Pat Nolan

**Parish Finance Committee**

Chairperson: John Tesoriero

Secretary: Pat Nolan

Parish Safeguarding Officer: Siobhan Van Den Nieuwenhuizen

**COMING EVENTS**

- \* Wed 15th & Thur 16th Jun @ 6.30pm: Reconciliation Lesson at St Christopher's church
- \* Sun 24th July: St Christopher's 70th Anniversary Mass and Celebration



*Mass Intentions*

Let Us Pray for our Parish Community

**Recently Deceased:**

Karl Roberson, Joy O'Sullivan, Joseph Phan, Annie Willis, Sandra Bickle.

**Anniversaries:**

Shirley Helm, Peter & Colin Cardwell, Mary Young, Noelene Byron, Mary & Jack McAuliffe, Patrick Heffon, Joe Gonsalves, Kathleen Ross & Donna Shocker, Dominick McDermott, Mary Gapps, Bett Pacey & Frances Farrell, Giulio Iannilli.

**General Intention:**

Bonifacia Montecillo, Charity Avery, Brian Poole, Jenny Kirby, Jordon & Thomas families, Jose Quintal, Molly Smith & Sean Martin, Paul Burke, Holy Souls in Purgatory, Deceased members of Legion of Mary.

**The Sick and Infirm:**

Bill & Dina Papadopoulos Alana Boruta, Mcloughlin & Gillfeathers families, Geordan Smith, Margaret O'Donnell, Kathleen Mulligan, Tom Bradley, Luke Brady, Marie & Owen McLoughlin, Tim Burke, Alma Tahan, Martin Hannagan, Sam Law, Therese Nasser, Denis Kovc, John Esther, Alacoque Welsh, Jim O'Neill, Giuseppe Iacono, Anne Coome, Sira Raveane, Bernadette Lawrance, Kerry & Russ, Stephen Sinclair, Chris Burke, Vincent Doan, Olive Gaynor, Mary Israel, Rudolf Rodriques, Suzanne Moig, Junior Zoran Stojanovski, Pat Tunnicliff, Pat Tindall.

**ST. CHRISTOPHER'S WEEKEND ROSTERS 2022**

11th/12th Jun	Sat Vigil: 5.30pm	Sun 8am	Sun 9.30am	Sun 5pm	Other Ministries
<i>Readers:</i>	Volunteer Sue Bracken	Steve Darcy Carolyn Ford	Mary Chan Pauline O'Shea	Volunteers Tanya Nguyen	<i>Communion to the Sick</i> Anne Maree Darcy Norma Coorey Ellen Russell
<i>Communion Ministers:</i>	Jeanette Carroll Barbara Tesoriero	Ann-Maree Darcy Ellen Russell	Norma Verjoustinsky Bernadette Saleme	Volunteer Stephanie Siaoisi	<i>Counters:</i> Philip Weeks John Tesoriero
<i>Acolytes/Servers</i>	John Tesoriero	Volunteer	Tony O'Shea	Cheryl Beaver	
18th/19th Jun	Sat Vigil: 5.30pm	Sun 8am	Sun 9.30am	Sun 5pm	Other Ministries
<i>Readers:</i>	Gabrielle Innes Louise Anderson	Maureen Singleton Tanya Nguyen	Lea De Angelis Andrew Mills	Anita & Josie Hanna	<i>Communion to the Sick</i> Terese Jones Gabi Bietresato Josephine Jones
<i>Communion Ministers:</i>	Barbara Tesoriero David Raish	Terese Jones Gabi Bietresato	Magdalene Vetter Margaret Yasbek	Volunteer Nazira Hanna	<i>Counters:</i> John Tesoriero Brian Mack
<i>Acolytes/Servers</i>	John Tesoriero	Andrew Mills	Ruben Nool	Ryan Romero	

**ST PATRICK'S ROSTERS 2022**

	11th/12th Jun		18th/19th Jun	
	Sat Vigil: 5.30pm	Sun: 9am	Sat Vigil: 5.30pm	Sun: 9am
<i>Acolytes/Servers:</i>	Chris	Kevin	Chris	Ray
<i>Readers:</i>	Marie Carr Liam Carr	Pat Nolan Dawn Poole	Siobhan Van Den Nieuwenhuizen Wanieta Young	Lynda Cameron Mary Cameron
<i>Communion Ministers:</i>	Sue Chant Elena Salgueira	May Coorey Joan Jones	Alison Simler Barbara Sherry	Madeleine Pizzuti Cathy Moussa
<i>Counters:</i>		Maureen Sherry, Brian Quinn		Sue-Ann Burton, Peter Volk



Child sexual abuse is a crime. The appropriate people to deal with crimes are the police. If you, or anyone you know, have been abused, please contact the police. Alternatively, you can contact the safeguarding and Ministerial Integrity Office (02)9390 5810 or [safeguardingenquiries@sydneycatholic.org](mailto:safeguardingenquiries@sydneycatholic.org). You may also want to speak to your Parish Priest who will be able to provide support and guidance. The Archdiocese has a legal obligation to report crimes to the police.