

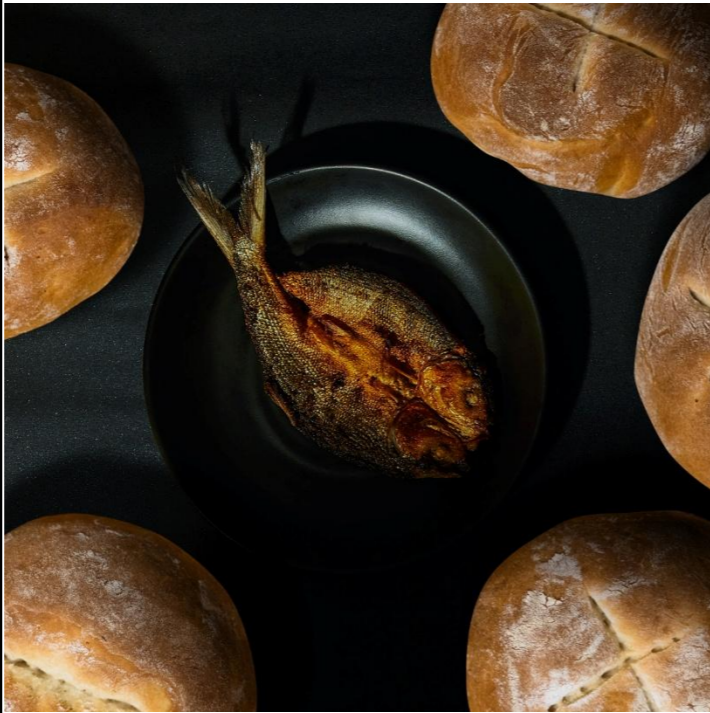
**Donations Accepted**

When church secretary Ms Daisy answered the ringing phone, a man’s voice asked, “Can I speak to the head hog at the trough?” The secretary through she heard what he said, but asked, “I’m sorry, who?” The caller repeated, “Can I speak to the head hog at the trough?” Daisy thought a moment and then answered, “If you mean the priest, then you may refer to him as ‘Father’ or ‘Reverend Father’, but I’d prefer that you not refer to him as the ‘head hog at the trough’! To this, the man replied, “Well, I was wanting to give one hundred thousand dollars to the building fund.” Quick as a wink, Daisy responded, “Hang on, sir, I believe I just heard his ‘oink’”.



**Prayer for Peace in the Middle East**

*Lord Jesus Christ,  
The Holy Land is once again struck by violence,  
hatred and death. Lord, look with mercy upon the  
land that was your earthly home.  
Receive the deceased into your presence, comfort  
those who mourn, are wounded or forced to flee. Be  
close to all who are full of fear and despair.  
You are our peace and the light of the nations; put  
an end to the spiral of terror and suffering in the  
Holy Land and in the whole Middle East.  
Let peace and justice flourish at the holy sites. You  
are our refuge. Let the people be safe in your Love.  
Have mercy on us and on our time. Amen.*



**Prayer for the Year of Hope Jubilee 2025**  
*(Year of Jubilee of Hope officially opens on 24  
December at 7pm)*

*May the grace of the Jubilee reawaken in us,  
Pilgrims of Hope, a yearning for the treasures  
of heaven. May that same grace spread the  
joy and peace of our Redeemer throughout  
the earth. To you our God, eternally blessed,  
be glory and praise for ever. Amen.*

**Catholic Parish of Our Lady of the Southern Cross, Enmore**  
Archdiocese of Sydney

*Serving the suburbs of Enmore, St Peters, Sydenham & Tempe*

**The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ – Year C**

**22 June 2025**

**Entrance Antiphon** **Cf Psalm 80:17**  
He fed them with the finest wheat and satisfied them  
with honey from the rock.

**First Reading** **Genesis 14:18-20**  
A reading from the book of Genesis  
*Melchizedek brought bread and wine.*  
Melchizedek king of Salem brought bread and wine;  
he was a priest of God Most High. He pronounced this  
blessing: ‘Blessed be Abraham by God Most High,  
creator of heaven and earth, and blessed be God  
Most High for handing over your enemies to you.’  
And Abraham gave him a tithe of everything.

**Responsorial Psalm** **Ps 109:1-4. R. v.4**  
**R/** You are a priest for ever, in the line of Melchizedek.  
1.The Lord’s revelation to my Master: ‘Sit on my right:  
I will put your foes beneath your feet.’ **R/**  
2.The Lord will send from Zion your sceptre of power:  
rule in the midst of all your foes. **R/**  
3.A prince from the day of your birth on the holy  
mountains; from the womb before the daybreak I  
begot you. **R/**  
4.The Lord has sworn an oath he will not change. ‘You  
are a priest for ever, a priest like Melchizedek of old.’ **R/**

**Second Reading** **1 Corinthians 11:23-26**  
A reading from the first letter of St Paul to the  
Corinthians  
*Every time you eat this bread and drink this cup, you  
are proclaiming the death of the Lord.*  
This is what I received from the Lord, and in turn  
passed on to you: that on the same night that he was  
betrayed, the Lord Jesus took some bread, and  
thanked God for it and broke it, and he said, ‘This is my  
body, which is for you; do this as a memorial of me.’ In  
the same way he took the cup after supper, and said,  
‘This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Whenever  
you drink it, do this as a memorial of me.’ Until the Lord  
comes, therefore, every time you eat this bread and  
drink this cup, you are proclaiming his death.

**Gospel Acclamation** **John 6:51-52**  
Alleluia, alleluia!  
I am the living bread from heaven, says the Lord;  
whoever eats this bread will live for ever.  
Alleluia!



**Gospel** **Luke 9:11-17**  
A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke  
*They all ate and were filled.*  
Jesus made the crowds welcome and talked to them  
about the kingdom of God; and he cured those who  
were in need of healing.  
It was late afternoon when the Twelve came to him  
and said, ‘Send the people away, and they can go to  
the villages and farms round about to find lodging and  
food; for we are in a lonely place here.’ He replied,  
‘Give them something to eat yourselves.’ But they said,  
‘We have no more than five loaves and two fish, unless  
we are to go ourselves and buy food for all these  
people.’ For there were about five thousand men. But  
he said to his disciples, ‘Get them to sit down in parties  
of about fifty.’ They did so and made them all sit down.  
Then he took the five loaves and the two fish, raised  
his eyes to heaven, and said the blessing over them;  
then he broke them and handed them to his disciples  
to distribute among the crowd. They all ate as much as  
they wanted, and when the scraps remaining were  
collected they filled twelve baskets.

**Communion Antiphon** **John 6:57**  
Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains  
in me and I in him, says the Lord.



Parish Administrator—Reverend Father Christopher Higgins  
(available Tuesday to Sunday)  
Parish Permanent Deacon – Reverend Mister Alfredo Bouroncle  
Parish Secretary—Bernadette Hickey  
(Office hours—Tuesday 8-3pm & Thursday 8-5pm)



**Our Parish respectfully acknowledges the Gadigal people of Eora nation  
as traditional caretakers of the land.**

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**MASSES AND SACRAMENTS**

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| <b>Masses</b>   | Friday – 9:15am (whole Sacred Heart school Mass – all welcome)<br>Saturday—5:00pm – (6:30pm – Portuguese)<br>Sunday—9:30am – (12:00 noon - Indonesian) |
| <b>Confessions</b>  | Saturday 4:15—4:45pm <i>or</i> by appointment  |
| <b>Adoration &amp; Benediction</b>                          | Wed to Fri 8:00 – 9:00am & Sun 9:00—9:25am   |
| <b>Baptisms</b> (2 <sup>nd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Sundays) | By appointment—about 1 month’s notice required   |
| <b>Marriages</b>  | By appointment—about 6 months’ notice required   |

**COLLECTIONS for weekends from 10/11, 17/18 24/25 May2025**

| 1st collection                   | 2nd collection          | Envelopes                | Candle offerings         |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| <b>\$1007.35</b>                 | <b>\$672.60</b>         | <b>\$345.00</b>          | <b>\$127.75</b>          |
| (supports the priest’s expenses) | (for running of parish) | (part of 2nd collection) | (part of 2nd collection) |

**Masses for:** Paddy (RIP).

**A message from the Archdiocese of Sydney:** 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 at (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. *(Archdiocesan permanent notice)*  
**Safeguarding Children information can be found in folder at the back of the church.**

**Newtown Mission** You are invited to join Fr Chris, school parents & carers in serving lunch to the patrons of Newtown Mission on **Friday Jun 27 from 10:30am – 2pm**. If you are interested, please let the school Family Educator know by Monday 23 June: [brigid.viera@syd.catholic.edu.au](mailto:brigid.viera@syd.catholic.edu.au).

**Candlestick element** Acolyte John suggested a few years ago that we get new candle holders. Do you think our candlesticks need refurbishment? We have 2 quotes from Sanders for the replating in gold of our 6 altar candlesticks. (Sanders said that some people choose not to repair, as the dents, etc. show the "life" of the object.)  
REPAIR + GOLD REPLATING = approx. \$21,845  
GOLD REPLATING ONLY = \$18,287.50  
Please see noticeboard for more detailed information. We will vote on this as a parish on weekend of 19/20 July. FYI Note CWF contributions for FY 2026 are \$28,300 x 3 (increase of \$9,500 per collection).

**Choir Loft** The Indonesians are planning to do a clean-up. If you want anything up there, claim it soon.

**Caritas Australia appeals for support for amputees in Gaza** The UN [described](#) Gaza as being “home to the largest cohort of child amputees in modern history”. As of April, the UN reported that [4,500](#) people have been made amputees due to the current conflict. In response, Caritas Jerusalem is working to support those affected by the loss of limbs, as part of a program supported by Caritas Australia’s Gaza Emergency Appeal. We urgently need your support. Please donate to Caritas Australia’s Gaza Crisis Appeal. You can donate online [www.caritas.org.au/gaza](http://www.caritas.org.au/gaza) or phone 1800 024 413

**SHRINES OF OUR LADY (18th Aug- 3rd September 2025)**- Few more seats are available. Fr Johnson Malayil, CRS, Glenmore park parish would like to invite you for a 16-day Jubilee pilgrimage, departing on the 18th of August 2025. This pilgrimage features Fatima, Avila, Loyola, Lourdes, Turin, Milan, Padua, Assisi, Rotondo, and Rome for an all-inclusive price of \$8890 + tips (30+ pilgrims). The fare includes Return Economy Airfares + Local Transfers in Deluxe coaches + Stay in 4-star Premium Hotels, Catholic priest, Meals + English speaking professional guides + Entrances as per itinerary and more. For inquiries & bookings call 03 8839 6615 or email us [pilgrimage@magiholidays.com.au](mailto:pilgrimage@magiholidays.com.au)

**Flourishing Parishes Workshop Series** Receive training and skills to strengthen our parishes as the invitational, vibrant, and Christ-centred communities we are striving to be. Come along to any or all workshops! **DATES: 26 June:** Authentic Invitation & Welcome TIME: 7:00 - 8:30 PM, doors open at 6:45 pm VENUE: Our Lady of Fatima Parish Hall, Peakhurst COST: Free For more information and to register go to [trybooking.com/CYYID](http://trybooking.com/CYYID)

**Walk with Christ 2025** Walk with Christ is Sydney’s annual Eucharistic Procession held on the Solemnity of Corpus Christi, honouring the Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity of Christ. It serves as a public witness and act of worship, described in the Directory of Popular Piety and the Liturgy as a continuation of the Eucharistic celebration, allowing the faithful to publicly profess their faith in the Most Blessed Sacrament. Bring your banners! Bring your young! Bring your old! Bring your families and join us as we Walk with Christ. **DETAILS: Date: Sunday, 22 June** Time: 1:00 pm Festival in Martin Place / **2:30 sharp Procession Begins** Location: Martin Place and Pitt Street

**Purpose Fest 2025 - Young Adults Session** Welcome to the Sydney Archdiocesan Purpose Festival, featuring international guest speaker Fr Gregory Pines and our very own Fr Greg Morgan. Come along to experience faith, fellowship, the Sacraments, and answers to the big questions. Picture this: Festivals, Eucharistic Adoration in pin-drop silence, Inflatables, Sacred Music, Praise and Worship, Stalls, and more! **DATES:** Wednesday 2 July 2025 **TIME:** 5:00 - 10:00 PM **VENUE:** Rosebank College - 1A Harris Rd, Five Dock NSW 2046 **COST:** \$20 For more information and to register, go to <https://www.trybooking.com/events/landing/1403037>

**Anointed Women’s Conference Catholic Women’s Network** presents our inaugural Women’s Conference. Anointed is more than just a conference—it’s a celebration of the sacred identity and vocation of women in the Church. Join us for a full day to reconnect with your divine identity, be renewed in prayer, and hear Spirit-led messages that speak directly to the heart of womanhood. We are thrilled to host international guest speaker Sr Miriam James Heidland, SOLT, in her exclusive tour with the Archdiocese of Sydney. Enjoy keynote sessions, food, stallholders, music and access to the Sacraments. For full details plus FAQ, visit our website [www.catholicwomensnetwork.org/conference](http://www.catholicwomensnetwork.org/conference) **DETAILS: Date: Saturday 27th September 2025** Venue: Royal Randwick Racecourse, Sydney Time: 9am - 5pm (Doors open from 8:30am) Who: Adults only event (18+) Registration: \$125 per person (meals included).