



Second Sunday of Lent
15th and 16th of March 2025

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Legion of Mary



Acies Ceremony

Hosted by

Our Lady Queen of Heaven and Earth
Praesidium Campbelltown

On

The Solemnity of
The Annunciation of the Lord

6pm Tuesday 25th March 2025

St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church
Campbelltown
35 Cordeau St. Campbelltown NSW 2560

After Mass all are invited for refreshments
in the parish hall.

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Holy Family
Catholic Parish

INGLEBURN & MINTO

Second Sunday of Lent, Year C
16 March 2025

Holy Family Church
136 Oxford Rd
Ingleburn

Holy Trinity Church
57 Guernsey Ave
Minto

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Reflection

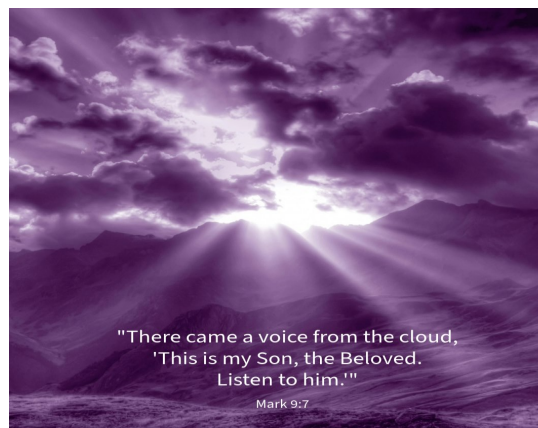
The second Sunday of Lent is also known as Transfiguration Sunday, commemorating the moment Jesus Christ revealed his divine nature to his disciples by appearing in a glorified form on a mountaintop. The Transfiguration is a powerful reminder of the divine nature of Jesus and the importance of his mission on earth. It also encourages us to continue our Lenten journey with a deeper faith and dedication, knowing that we, too, can be transformed and made new through Christ's sacrifice.

The vision of the Transfiguration is a glimpse of what's waiting for us at Easter. It reminds us why we go through forty days of prayer and penance in Lent. It's why we may pray the stations of the cross and other Lenten devotions. This is all to prepare for the celebration of the greatest mystery of our faith: the Passion, Death, and Resurrection of Jesus.

It's not Easter yet. We still have to go down the mountain, like the apostles did, and pick up our crosses and follow Christ. We're not there yet. Transfiguration is like a "preview of coming attractions." It whets our appetites for the glory that is to come so we don't lose sight of what's in store. Peter wants to stay on top of the mountain with Jesus and his glory. However, it's not possible for him. Not during this life. It's not possible for us either. But we know that this is what awaits those who follow Christ in the world to come. We will be with God in his glory, along with the communion of saints, for all eternity. It will be an eternal Easter.

Thank you!

In partnership with **Heart of the Nation, Campbelltown Catholic Club, Ingleburn R.S.L. Club, and Wests League Club**, an AED machine is installed at Holy Family Church and is available and accessible in the event of an emergency.



"There came a voice from the cloud,
'This is my Son, the Beloved.
Listen to him.'"

Mark 9:7

SERVICE TIMES			
Holy Family	Mass	Wed - Fri	9am
		Tue	7pm
		Sat	5pm Vigil
		Sun	9am and 5pm
	Adoration	Tues	7.30pm
Holy Trinity	Benediction	First Friday of each month	9.30am
	Reconciliation	Tue Sat	6.30pm - 7pm 9am - 10am
Holy Trinity	Rosary	Mon	7pm
	Mass	Wed	6pm
		Sun	8am

What's On In Our Parish

March

- 15 Church Cleaning - "Team B"
15 & 16 Social Gathering Weekend after all Masses
17 St Patrick's Feast Day (Holy Family 9am Mass)
Sacrament of Reconciliation, Session 2 - 6.30pm
19 St Joseph Feast Day
(Holy Family 9am/7pm, Holy Trinity 6pm)
24 Sacrament of Reconciliation, Session 3 - 6.30pm
25 Annunciation of the Lord
(Holy Family 9am/7pm Mass - Rosary 6.30pm)
31 Sacrament of Reconciliation, Session 4 - 6.30pm

April

- 2 Year 1 and Year 5 attending 9am Mass
Monthly Morning Tea - 9.45am
4 Sacrament of Reconciliation 5pm Liturgy (*for enrolled students only*)
20 Social Gathering - *after 9am Mass only*

Liturgical Dates

March

- 17 St Patrick, *Bishop*
19 St Joseph, *Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary*
25 The Annunciation of the Lord

April

- 7 Saint John Baptist De La Salle, *Priest*
11 Saint Stanislaus, *Bishop and Martyr*
25 ANZAC Day
26 Saint Mark, *Evangelist*
29 Saint Catherine of Siena, *Virgin and Doctor of the Church*
30 Saint Pius V, *Pope*

DATES TO REMEMBER

Monday 17 March St Patrick's Feast Day
Holy Family 9am Mass

Wednesday 19 March St Joseph Feast Day
Holy Family 9am and 7pm
Holy Trinity 6pm

Tuesday 25 March Annunciation of the Lord
Holy Family 9am and 7pm (Rosary at 6.30pm)

Friday 4 April Sacrament of First Reconciliation Liturgy
5pm for enrolled students only

Beginning in May Bible Study Group
Further information will be available soon.

Saturday 3 May Liturgy Workshop
9.30am to 12noon - for current members of all Ministries

Thursday 5 June Marriage & Relationship Workshop
Holy Family 7pm to 8.30pm

LEGION OF MARY

7.30pm every Wednesday in the Church Meeting Room

BIBLE READING

9.45am 2nd & 4th Wednesday in the Parish Meeting Room

STATIONS OF THE CROSS AND LENTEN REFLECTION PROGRAM

Every Friday of Lent

Stations of the Cross 7pm in the Church
Lenten Reflection Program 7.45pm Parish Meeting Room.

YOUTH & YOUNG ADULTS

6.30pm 2nd and 4th Friday in the Parish Meeting Room

CHILDRENS LITURGY

During 9am Mass 2nd and 4th Sunday

SACRAMENT OF FIRST RECONCILIATION: SESSION 2

Date: Monday, 17 March 2025

Time: 6.30pm. Please bring your workbook and a pencil with you.

Venue: Parish Meeting Room.

Reminder:

Attendance at all sessions is compulsory.
Children must be accompanied by a parent/carer at all sessions.
If you are unable to attend a session, please contact the parish office.

Confession

"If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just, and will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness". 1 John 1:9

Saturday 9am to 10am
Tuesday 6.30pm to 7pm



We pray ... For world leaders and policy makers to work to foster peace and justice in all nations. For those impacted by natural disasters. For those feeling overwhelmed and challenged in mind, body, soul and spirit. For all the forgotten Souls and Holy Souls in Purgatory.

For the sick and homebound: *May the saving power of the risen Lord bring healing, comfort and peace to their bodies and send strength to their carers. Amen.*

For our sick relatives, friends and parishioners and all who have nobody to pray for them; Ann Marie Proud, David Harrison, Marie Crotty, Gina Macalalad, Erwin Andrade, Rose Davis, Joelle Cadoue, Hoydee Rios, Richard Valovalo, Tom Cudmore, Frank Cudmore, Pearl Savage, Ofelia Gonzales, Akata, Doris Benjamin, Moy McConnell, Assunta Limpin, Regina Montoya, Bernardina Velenzuela, Walter & Nell Glynn, Elsa Mendoza, Najwa, Celeste Paguia, Liza Lambo, Bill Clarke.

For our recently dearly departed: *Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.*
Rebecca Forwood, Brian Smith, Lucia Rosalejos, Maritess Vinoya, Anna Dalli, Yvonne and John Gatta, Josephine Trimarchi, Angelina Smith, Assunta Limpin, Tojo Sebastian, Tino Lauofo, Pulimutath Chacko, Maria Lourdes Navarro Yap, Tanya Carney, Ricardo Villarosa, Gervacio Santos, Ma. Consuelo Balangon, Eleazar Makilan, Adrienne Mulvihill, Phil Eyles, Rodrigo Bautista, Sue Mahony, Alison Bowling, Peter Thinh Duc Nguyen.

For those whose death anniversaries occur at this time: *Having returned to the Father, may they rest in peace. Amen.* For all of our family member and friends; Angelica Carvalho, Peter O'Connor, Giuseppe Occhiuto, Tony Heginbotham.

Prayers of thanksgiving and personal intentions: For all students sitting NAPLAN.

HOLY FAMILY LENTEN SERVICES

Sunday Mass & Weekday Mass

9am and 5pm Sunday
9am Wednesday to Friday
7pm Tuesday
5pm Vigil Saturday

Morning Prayer

6am Monday to Friday in the Church

Stations of the Cross

7pm every Friday in the Church

Lenten Reflection Program

7.45pm in the Parish Meeting Room (please bring your copy of "Metanoia").

Visiting the Sick and Homebound: There are an increasing number of people who, whether due to age or ill health, are not able to attend Church, but would like to receive Holy Communion. If you, or someone you know, is in this situation, please contact the Parish Office so that a visit can be arranged.

SERVING AS PARISH MINISTERS

As a parish, we need to continue to build the various parish ministry teams. Please give some consideration to joining one of our Parish Ministries: : Acolyte, Altar Servers, Lectors (Readers), Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion.

If you would like to join one of the Ministries, please contact Father Henry.

With joyful hearts, during February, we welcomed the newly Baptised into our Holy Family Parish community:



Carter McGeoch, Sofia Thelmo, Aria Aslan, Lara Aslan, Ethan Ienna, Reynald Kumar, Fred Lapham, Marija Rosa Rakvin, Samuel Morell-Koroi and Catherine Jose.

We ask God to bless these children, their parents, Godparents and families, to surround them with your goodness and lead them in Your light each day of their lives.