

SUNDAY READERS AND EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS
OUR LADY HELP OF CHRISTIANS CHURCH
16th Sunday Ordinary Time
21 July 2024

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FIFTEENTH Sunday in Ordinary Time
Year B

Our Lady Help of Christians Parish
Rosemeadow

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Parish APP

 <https://apps.apple.com/us/app/olhc-rosemeadowparish/id1582260739?platform=iphone>

 <https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=app.church>

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DATE	READERS		EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION		PIETY STORE		AUDIO VISUAL	
	13/14 July	20/21 July	13/14 July	20/21 July	13/14 July	20/21 July	13/14 July	20/21 July
VIGIL 6PM	M Baert B Baert	E Robinson J Azzopardi	D Pottier	E Robinson	J Webster	J Azzopardi	R D'Cunha	K Duncan
8.30AM	S Magua A James	E Villarin K Dillon	S Lo Cascio	E Villarin	C Vujanovic	K Knight	J Scattergood	M Murphy
10.00AM	M Matriano N Lee	R Ventura Z Ventura	E D'Mellow	A Espiritu	S Isaac & M David	D Peaker	D Tamayor	B Peaker
CHOIR 10.00AM	Latin	Group 1	READINGS					
			13/14 July 2024 Amos 7:12-15 Ephesians 1:3-14 Gospel: Mark 6:7-13	20/21 July 2024 Jeremiah 23:1-6 Ephesians 2:13-18 Gospel: Mark 6:30-34				
OUR LADY'S STATUE NO 1 STATUE NO 2								
FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK			DONATIONS					
Monday – St Bonaventure			PARISH ACCOUNT DETAILS					
			Parish (second Collection)		Clergy (first Collection)			
			BSB : 066 711	BSB : 066 711				
			Acc No: 002395	Acc No: 002026				
			Acc Name: Parish Church	Acc Name: Parish Presbytery				
			Reference: Family Name	Reference: Family Name				

SUNDAY MASS TIMES OLHC ROSEMEADOW	WEEKDAY MASS TIMES OLHC ROSEMEADOW
Sat. Vigil: 6.00pm	Tuesday: 6.30pm
Sunday: 8.30am	Wednesday: 9.00am
Sunday: 10.00am	Thursday: 9.00am
	Friday: 8.20am
VIETNAMESE MASS OLHC	
Saturday: 4.00pm	
DEVOTIONS: <i>All in the Church</i>	
Last Tuesday:	Men's Rosary - 7pm
Every Wednesday:	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 8am – 8.55am before Mass.
1st Friday:	Exposition & Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament 11am – 12 noon;
CONFESSIONS OLHC CHURCH	
Saturday: 5.15pm – 5.45pm	
MARRIAGES by appointment	
BAPTISMS (1 st and 3 rd Sunday of the month) – by appointment	
SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMS please visit parish website for dates & enrolment forms in Sacraments Tab	
ST VINCENT DE PAUL CONFERENCE Tuesdays & Thursdays from 9.30am - 12.30pm at the Food Hub (Ambarvale Squash Courts), 65 Woodhouse Drive Ambarvale.	

PARISH VISION STATEMENT

Our Lady Help of Christians Parish will strive to be a Christ-centred community, led by the Holy Spirit to bear witness to the Gospel message, nourished and strengthened by the Eucharist and the Sacraments. Following the model of Mary our Mother, our parish will be a place of welcome and mutual encouragement to all who seek to love God and their neighbour, and to manifest this love in their daily lives. In this way we will build up the Kingdom of God in our local community.

PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL, THE ARCHANGEL

(Promulgated by Pope Leo XIII)

St. Michael the Archangel defend us in battle; be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do Thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the power of God, cast into Hell, Satan and all the other evil spirits who prowl through the world, seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

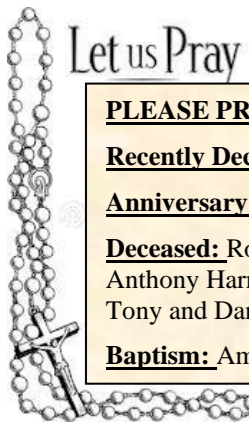
ENTRANCE As for me, in justice I shall behold your face; I shall be filled with the vision of your glory.

RESPONSE Lord, show us your mercy and love, and grant us your salvation.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION Alleluia, alleluia! May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ enlighten the eyes of our heart that we might see how great is the hope to which we are called. Alleluia!

COMMUNION The sparrow finds a home, and the swallow a nest for her young: by your altars, O Lord of hosts, my King and my God. Blessed are they who dwell in your house, for ever singing your praise.

CATHOLIC WEEKLY THIS WEEK
 available in the foyer



Let us Pray

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Recently Deceased: Maria Brown; Sr. Maureen Ryan PBVM; Sr. Patricia Barry PBVM;

Anniversary: William Wales;

Deceased: Ronald & Therese Bartholeusz; Alejandra Abellana; Wayne Spilsted; Marcial Villar; Oreste & Gaetana Meli; Anthony Harmour; Arlette Borham; Rosemary Grosman; Peter Borham; Cheryl Menez; Tony and Danny Smith;

Baptism: Amira Veronica Kanan; Sienna Andrea Greenwood; Mya-Rose Genevieve Bell; Jude Steven Ritchie;

HAVE YOU CONSIDERED Even before we were formed in the womb, God has chosen and called each of us to be a disciple. To find true happiness, find that pathway that God has uniquely created you to fulfill. (Eph 1:3-14). If you want to talk about your discernment, please contact the diocesan vocations director, Fr Duane Fernandez vocations@dow.org.au

LIVESTREAM MASS Tuesday 6.30 pm weekday Mass. Access it from the Parish Website or Parish App or the Parish YouTube channel at: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCIQhkeubtYCBu_elfcglmaw

HOLY COMMUNION Please remember that when receiving Holy Communion, you must consume the Sacred Host immediately while facing the Altar, and NOT while walking way or returning to your seat. Thank you.

THE LATIN SCHOLA We welcome and thank you to the Schola who will singing at the 10am Mass this weekend.

WEDDINGS: Tremayne Turner & Chiara Malvaso. *Congratulations and God's blessings upon you.*

MASS INTENTIONS When requesting Mass Intentions, please write names clearly as sometimes it is not possible to read the writing and mistakes have been made in spelling of the names in the bulletin. Thank you.

FOREIGN COINS Please do **NOT PLACE ANY FOREIGN COINS IN THE COLLECTIONS**. This not only puts the count out but adversely affects the counting machine. Moreover, we cannot use them as it costs more to convert them than their value. Thank you.

CLERGY INSERVICE This week the clergy for the Diocese of Wollongong will be having their annual Inservice from Tuesday to Thursday. On these days a Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion will replace Mass. The church will still need to be opened by those rostered to do so, and will be left open during the day for prayer as usual. Thank you.

COLUIMBARIUM MEMEORIAL GARDEN This has now been approved and the DA granted. Final work will now be done to secure the Construction Certificate with work to hopefully commence in September. If all goes well it should be completed by the end of the year. Shortly images of the Memorial Garden will be displayed, and information brochures available. Sales will probably begin at the end of September. Those who have already placed their names on the waiting list will be contacted at that time. It will be quite beautiful when completed and an appropriate resting place for loved ones next to the church as they await their resurrection with Christ at the end of time when He returns in glory.

CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION Through the kind and very generous offer of Mr. Duane De Netto and his video company, New Ark, his team have produced a very beautiful and inspirational video of our Corpus Christi Procession in June. It has been uploaded to our Parish website, and you can also access it at: <https://youtu.be/BwyEjSgYgps> I highly recommend you view it. You will be amazed.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL WINTER APPEAL Rosemeadow Conference will be holding their Annual Winter appeal in our parish next weekend **20th & 21st July**. With winter weather upon us and increasing pricing of cost of living rising, St Vincent De Paul, Rosemeadow, needs your donations so that we can continue to carry out our support to the needy and less fortunate in our community. **Donations** to take place in church foyer by either placing money in the box provided, via the electronic Tap machine next to it or Financial offering envelopes will be available. Thank you in advance for your support. *Dennis Baert, SVDP (President)*.

DIOCESAN YOUTH COUNCIL Bishop Brian Mascord invites suitably qualified persons to apply for the Diocesan Youth Council, an advisory and implementation body, tasked with initiating missional outcomes for youth and young adult (Y&YA) ministry. The council will meet quarterly. Applicants should be aged between 16-40, have a range of experiences, and be passionate about outreach, formation and building community amongst Y&YA. Apply at: <https://tinyurl.com/5668bfmf> For more information contact the our youth ministry leader, Arnie Hurdoyal Arnie.hurdoyal@dow.org.au / MOB: 0431 611 128

PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES The Parish requires you to **DESTROY** old envelopes **now** and **ONLY** use **new** envelopes that have been allocated to you. If you have not yet collected them, please do so in church notice board.

PLANNED GIVING STATEMENT we have emailed annual planned giving statements on Thursday 11th July, if you have not provided the parish office with your email address, please do so. Those who require a copy please call or visit parish office during business hours. Thank you



Today's readings are about being chosen and sent. The prophet Amos was chosen by the Lord and sent to use his talents for the people of God. The Gospel recounts the story of the sending of the twelve. In the second reading, St. Paul reminds us that we, too, are chosen. For what have I been chosen? To whom have I been sent?

CAMPBELLTOWN CATHOLIC CLUB'S 58TH ANNUAL COMMUNION MASS & LUNCHEON



Mass will be concelebrated by Bishop Brian Mascord DD and Fr Leo Mifsud PP at **Mary Immaculate Catholic Church**, 61 Emerald Dr, Eaglevale **on Sunday 11th August at 10:00am**. At the conclusion of the Mass a luncheon will be served at The CUBE, Campbelltown Catholic Club at 12:30pm. Tickets will be available to purchase for \$25 each from Friday 26th July at Campbelltown Catholic Club. Scan QR code or attend see club reception.

BEFORE & AFTER SCHOOL CARE Camp Australia have very successfully provided before (6.30am – 8.30am) and after school care (2.45pm – 6pm) to children for many years in the St. Anne Primary School Hall. **They now also offer full-time vacation care.** This service is open to all children regardless of where they attend school. For further information go to www.campaustralia.com.au or ring 1300 105 343 or go to the parish school website and click parent link www.olhcdow.catholic.edu.au. Brochures are also available at the Notice Board.

KINDERGARTEN ENROLMENT 2025 Applications for Kinder 2025 can now be located on our school website at: <https://olhcdow.catholic.edu.au/enrol/> Children need to turn five (5) by July of the year that they will commence school.

CATHOLICCARE We need foster carers who provide love, care, and support for children. Carers receive comprehensive support from the Fostering Futures team to ensure they have a full range of resources and help needed. Information call 0418 783 956 or email fosteringfutures@catholiccare.dow.org.au

CATECHIST COURSE LEVEL 1 via Zoom starts on 19 August for four Mondays: 19 & 26 August, 2 & 9 September. Time: 9:30am - 1:30pm. Beginning and experienced SRE Catechists are invited to register by following this link dow.sh/ccdlevel1onzoom or contact Sue Clark at support@ccdwoollongong.com Please note that the first day of the Level 1 course includes the Child Protection and Classroom Management training update that must be revisited by SRE Catechists every three years.

THE CHOSEN Free to view TV series about Jesus, now in its third season, that beautifully and creatively presents the life of Christ and his followers. Go to: watch.angelstudios.com/thechosen or get the free app on your phone / laptop via *The Chosen app (download)*, or for your Smart TV.

FAITH CIRCLES is a free weekly resource to help individuals but mainly small groups to come together in Parishes. It assists the development of faith and community, and is available for free to download. It is easy to use with simple questions and prayer points. Download at www.dow.org.au/media-resources/faith-circles/ or have it sent to you each month via email subscription.

menALIVE MAX national Conference – Varroville 19 - 21 July Many men have benefited from the challenges, encouragement and faithful brotherhood that comes from menALIVE. Here's a chance for men from all round Australia to come together- be renewed in faith for action, for good - and it is happening in our Diocese- so don't miss this. It's time to book you spot and stoke the desire to become fully alive as the men we have been created to be. For more information and to book go to <https://menalive.org.au/events/max-weekend-2024> or contact jude.hennessy@dow.org.au or Mob: 0408 236 191

menALIVE reFUEL is a weekly hour-long gathering of men every Tuesday evening at 7.30pm on Zoom providing the chance to catch up with great men from across Australia and New Zealand, gain strength and inspiration by the witness of other men and pray together. Join at: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88436558468>

GROWING GOOD MEN FATHER AND TEENAGE SON WEEKEND EXPERIENCE 25–27 October 2024 cataract activity centre, appin one of the most important influences in the lives of men is the relationship they had with their father or significant father figure. Don't miss this life-changing father and son weekend! Spots are limited to just 25 fathers with their sons aged between 12 and 17 years. This is a unique opportunity for dads and their sons to embark on a quest of discovery with Robert Falzon and the team from menALIVE. Register online: <https://dow.sh/ggm24>

2024 SIGNIFICANT MARRIAGE ANNIVERSARIES MASS are celebrating 25, 30, 40, 50, 60 or over 60 years of marriage this year, we invite you to the celebration of Significant Marriage Anniversaries, to be celebrated with Bishop Brian Mascord **on Sunday 25 August 2024** at 2pm at the St Francis Xavier Cathedral, Wollongong. Mass will be followed by light refreshments in the Xavier Centre Conference Room. Please register online at <https://dow.sh/MA2024> or contact Helen Bennett at the Office of the Bishop at 4222 2403, or via email helen.bennett@dow.org.au by 29 July.

CATHOLIC FAMILY CAMPING WEEKEND 13 – 15 September at Wooglemai Catholic Camping Facility, Oakdale Join with families of all ages and stages to celebrate the incredible gift of family life. Cost: \$30 per adult or \$70 per family (regardless of size). Camping & Bunk Room Options; pitch a tent, stay in a caravan, camper or swag. To register: <https://dow.sh/cfwsept24>

OLHC YOUTH & YOUNG ADULT CHOIR St Augustine said “*to sing is to pray twice*”. Dear youth/ young adults, you are warmly invited to join the new Youth Choir at OLHC Parish. Come and share your talents, whether it be an instrument or your voice, a beginner or a seasoned musician, all are welcome. Together, led by a great team, let's raise our community in praise and worship. For any questions or to register please contact Chris or Candice on +61 431 861 472. We look forward to hearing from you.

FREE CATHOLIC PODCASTS *Bible in a Year* with Fr. Mike Schmitz and Jeff Cavins. At: www.ascensionpress.com/bi *Catechism in a Year* at www.ascensionpress.com/ciy Highly recommended.



CUPPA AFTER MASS. Take the opportunity to meet fellow parishioners over a cup of tea or coffee and a biscuit after the 10am Mass all are welcome. We are also looking for more volunteers so please contact Ryan on 0412 939 705 if you are interested (would be no more than one morning per month). Thank you.

Humility is not denying one's gifts, talents or accomplishments, but honestly recognising the truth about ourselves; our strengths as well as our limitations.