

CHURCH OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION AND ST. PAUL OF THE CROSS

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Parish Office

Maria - Mondays Cecilia – Wed-Friday 9.30am - 2:30pm

Parish & Hall enquiries 9558 3257

Mass Times

Sat: 5:30pm (Vigil) **Sun:** 8am & 10am **Mon to Fri:** 9:00am **Sat:** 9:30am

Family Mass with Children's Liturgy

3rd Sunday of the Month 10am Mass

Family Rosary & Morning

Tea - 2nd Sunday of the Month after 10am Mass in the Church Hall

Filipino Mass

1st Sun 11:30am

Sacraments Confession

Sat 8:30-9:20am, 4:45pm or any time by appointment

Baptism

Every 2nd, 3rd and 4th Sunday 11.15am

Marriage

At least 6 months notice required

Anointing of the Sick Any time on call

Devotions
Holy Hour & Rosary
Sunday - Friday

before morning mass

Rosary & Benediction Sat 8:30-9:30am

Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Wednesday 7pm



<u>Christmas Mass Times</u>

24th December Friday Family Mass 5:30pm
Midnight Mass 12:00am
25th Dec Saturday Christmas Day 8:00am
10:00am
26th December Sunday - The Holy Family 8:00am
10:00am

Reconciliation (Individual) each Saturday at 4:30pm

O Come, all ye faithful

O come, all ye faithful, joyful and triumphant, O come ye, O come ye to Bethlehem, come and behold him born the King of Angels: O come, let us adore him, O come let us adore him, O come, let us adore him, Christ the Lord!

God of God. Light of Light, Lo! He abhors not the Virgin's womb; very God, begotten, not created: come, let us adore him, O come, let us adore him, O come let us adore him, Christ the Lord!

Adeste fideles laeti triumphantes, Venite, venite in Bethlehem. Natum videte Regem angelorum: Venite adoremus, venite adoremus, Venite adoremus Dominum.

Hark! The herald angels sing

Hark! the herald angels sing, "Glory to the Newborn King, peace on earth, and mercy mild, God and sinners reconciled!"

Joyful, all you nations, rise, join the triumph of the skies;

Christ, by highest heaven adored, Christ, the ever lasting Lord, late in time behold him come, offspring of a virgin's womb. Veiled in flesh the Godhead see, hail the incarnate Deity!

Hail the heaven-born Prince of Peace!
Hail the Sun of Righteous!
Light and life to all he brings,
ris'n with healing in his wings.
Mild he lays his glory by,
born that we no more may die.

Silent night, holy night!

Silent night, holy night!
All is calm, all is bright round yon Virgin Mother
and Child

Holy infant so tender and mild,

Sleep in heavenly peace, sleep in heavenly peace.

Silent night, holy night!

Shepherds quake at the sight; glories stream from heaven afar,

2021 Christmas Message from Archbishop Anthony Fisher OP

Christmas is the story of God-made man holding out his hand in friendship to humanity. The offer is real, tangible, personal, even physical.

After two years of isolation, we need it more than ever. In such dark times, Christmas is a ray of light, a sliver of hope.

May the Christmas Babe find a home in the manger of our hearts!

God bless.



Heavenly hosts sing "Alleluia!" Christ the Saviour is born! Christ the Saviour is born.

Silent night, holy night!

Son of God, love's pure light, radiant beams thy holy face

With the dawn of redeeming grace, Jesus, Lord, at thy birth, Jesus, Lord, at thy birth

Joy to the world!

Joy to the world! The Lord is come: let earth receive her King;

Let every heart prepare him room, and heaven and nature sing,

and heaven and nature sing

And heaven and heaven and nature sing.

Joy to the world! the Saviour reigns: let us our songs employ;

while fields and floods, rocks, hills and plains repeat the sounding joy, repeat the sounding joy, repeat repeat the sounding joy.

He rules the world with truth and grace, And makes the nations prove the glories of his Righteousness,

And wonders of his love, and wonders of his love, And wonders, wonders of his love.

Angels we have heard on high

Angels we have heard on high, sweetly singing o'er the plains;

And the mountains in reply, echoing their joyous strains:

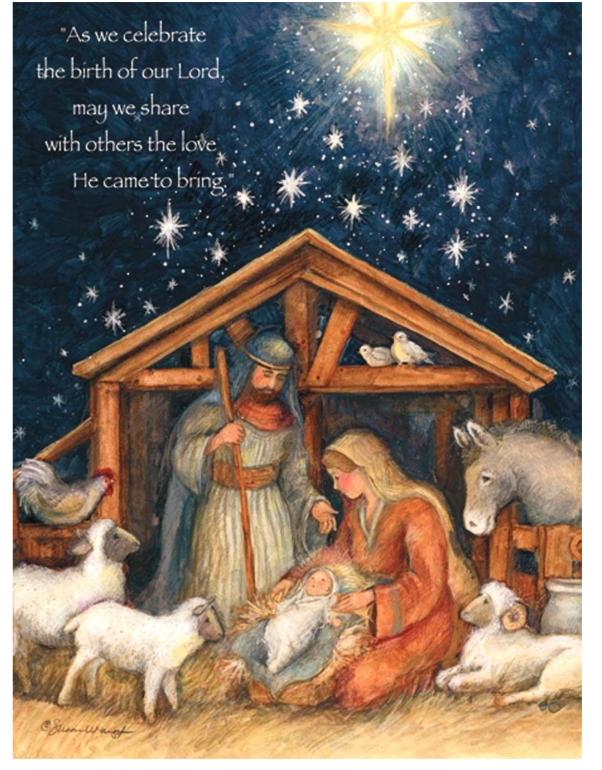
Gloria in excelsis Deo.

Shepherds, why this jubilee? Why your joyous strains prolong?

Say,what may the tidings be which inspire your heavenly song?

Gloria in excelsis Deo.

The Nativity of the Lord / C 25 December 2021



Wishing you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy, Peaceful and Joyful New Year.

Parish Mass Roster: 24-25 Dec 26 Dec A Di Donato Readers: 5:30pm J Duru 8:00am J Peters P Tan P Allport M Portell 10:00am C Alam L & J Scanlon R. Rita

Choir Notice

The choir will be taking a holiday after Christmas. The next rehearsal will be on Monday 31st January 2022.

"Break Open the Word" (the book for readers) now available in the Sacristy.



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With St Paul of the Cross we pray ...

For the sick

Allen Portell Leonor Delgado Noel Nacua Patricia Stack Jovito Redaja Raul Cabrera Angela Di Donato Sr Julianne Murphy Natalina Gallace Ruth Wilson Raymond Hudson Fr Jim Duggan Pat Allport Cardo, Zennie, Ian, Pat Francheska Bechara Robyn, Eimy & Helen Angelis Alima & Charlie Jan Lawson Genaro Villanueva Paula

Recently Deceased

<u>Death Anniversary</u> Clarita Pacheco (40 days anniv.)

Norma Estrada (40 days anniv.) Anna Thoan

For the Souls

Ermelinda Quintal
Manuel Quintal Nobrega
Arcenia Quintal
Nadim Sarah, Fr Anthony,
Hana & wife, Elias & wife,
Youssif & wife, Amira Srash
Mikel & Nszira
All forgotten Souls and Holy
Souls in Purgatory

Special Intentions

Giuseppe Antonia Noah Espiritu Henry & Tina and my Family Leah Tillam