



Jesus said 'Come and see'..... *John 1:39-41*

ST. ANDREW THE APOSTLE PARISH MARAYONG

Parish Vision Statement

We are an active and welcoming Catholic community, where people of all ages draw closer to God. His love is expressed through each one of us by prayer, liturgy and reaching out in service to one another.



The Most Holy
BODY and BLOOD
of CHRIST
(Corpus Christi)

Please visit our Parish Website: www.standrewsmarayong.org.au Year C: Vol.47 No.30

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PARISH STAFF:

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Fr. Floyd Gatana SM
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PRESBYTERY:

41 Breakfast Rd, Marayong

FR. BYRNE CENTRE:

(Parish Meeting Rooms)
38 Breakfast Rd, Marayong.

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

- After weekday & Saturday morning Masses.
- Before Vigil Masses Saturday afternoon 4:00-4:30pm
- Anytime by arrangement.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptisms: 1st & 3rd Sunday
each month at 11:45am

Baptismal Preparation:
Second Wednesday of
each month at 7.30pm
in the Fr Byrne Centre.

*Please book for Baptisms
with the Parish Office.*

PIETY STALL:

By asking for an appointment
at the Parish Office.

WEEKEND MASSES:

Saturday:
Vigil 5.00pm

Sunday:
7.30am, 8.45am
& 10.30am

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Monday: 9.00am
Tuesday: 9.00am
Wednesday: 9.00am
Novena Mass: 7.00pm
Thursday: 9.00am
Friday: 9.00am
Saturday: 9.00am

PARISH SCHOOLS:

ST. ANDREW'S PRIMARY

www.standrewspsmarayong.catholic.edu.au

Principal: Yvette Baird

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ST. ANDREWS COLLEGE

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**Campus -
JUNIOR CAMPUS (YRS. 7-10)**
Address: 116 Quakers Road
Marayong 2148

SENIOR CAMPUS (YRS. 11-12)
Address: 50 Breakfast Road
Marayong 2148

INSTALLATION INTO LITURGICAL MINISTRY

In the past year a number of parishioners have completed courses at the Bishop Bede Heather Centre (formerly the Institute for Mission) and are now ready to become involved in ministry in our parish family. Those people concerned will receive an email invitation to the installation and to express their preferences for rostering.

The **installation** will take place at the **10:30am Mass** on **Sunday, July 3.**

Please let us know if you are unable to attend.



CATECHISTS MEETING 10:00am on Monday June 20th.

At this meeting Connie will discuss Classroom Management and you can learn about ongoing training and course opportunities available. We encourage all our catechists to make the effort to attend. As well, we would like to encourage and invite other parishioners to participate in this ministry which is so vital to the faith education of so many of our young people in our local schools. This is a good place to obtain more information and also to discover the support and help offered to you if you decide to participate as a catechist or catechist helper in our parish.

PARISH REGISTRATION

If you have not filled out a Registration Form, please do so as soon as possible and return it to the Church or Parish Office. Forms are available at the back of the Church.

If you are a new parishioner, we ask you to complete a Registration Form, and return it to the Parish Office.

Bulletin Highlights ...

- ♦ **FIRST HOLY COMMUNION**
- ♦ **REFLECTION ON THE BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST**
- ♦ **FEAST OF THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS**
- ♦ **NATIVITY OF ST JOHN THE BAPTIST**
- ♦ **UPCOMING PARISH AND DIOCESAN EVENTS**

from Fr. Kevin.....

The Solemnity of the Corpus Christi or The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ is an invitation for all of us to deepen our understanding and appreciation of the Holy Eucharist as a gift and a blessing.

Jesus himself instituted the Eucharist. He has gifted God's people with the Holy Mass. The gift that we receive in the Holy Eucharist is the Giver Himself. In the Holy Mass, we celebrate and receive the very presence of Jesus Christ in the Eucharistic Bread.

The Eucharistic celebration especially on Sunday reminds us of the continued loving presence of Jesus Christ in our lives and in our communities. We are not alone in our faith and human journey. We are not alone with our hopes and joys and anxieties and fears. Jesus has always gifted us with His presence in our journey even though at times we closed our hearts and minds to Him.

In today's Gospel from St Luke, Jesus "took the five loaves and the two fish, raised his eyes to heaven, and said the blessing over them." After Jesus' blessing, there is more than enough bread and fish for the hungry five thousand people in a deserted place. When we come and celebrate the Holy Mass we are always blessed by God. We are blessed with the loving and nurturing presence of Jesus in the Eucharistic celebration. We may in turn be an encouraging presence and blessing to others.

The Holy Eucharist is a gift and a blessing. We hope and pray that each one of us will be a gift and blessing to our brothers and sisters in Christ.

**Notice
from the
Diocese of
Parramatta**

All Are Welcome Workshop – 29 June

Passionate about inviting and welcoming people to our church communities? On Wednesday 29 June, Pastoral Formation, Diocese of Parramatta, will be running two parish welcome workshops.

Sign up now: <https://fb.me/e/2vSTxIOJo>
or by emailing Donnie on met@parracatholic.org

THIS WEEK'S ROSTER: 19 th June 2022		[3rd Sunday of the Month - <i>Even Month</i>]		
MINISTRIES	5.00pm	7.30am	8.45am	10.30am
MINISTERS AT THE ALTAR	Joe Doyle	Elvie Clark Charles Hyson	Ferdi Chin, Derica Elogious	Joy Kakodkar
COMMENTATOR	Therrie Chin (odd) Erna Ferrer (even)	Julie Nunez	Antonette Elogious	Peter Maw
FIRST READER	Bernardo Rivera	Sharmali Perera	Revathi Hyson	Vicki Ilagan
SECOND READER	Mercy Aquino	Agnes Zabala	Perla Billedo	Jay Ilagan
PROJECTIONIST	Abigail Chin			
ALTAR SERVERS	A&B D'Silva, A&J Chin K Vaz, C Anderiesz I & J Metcalfe		Aradhana Hyson	Janelle Kakodkar
WARDENS	Maurice Apap, Bill Ebejer, Paul Vella, Spiro Cumbo	Pines Bonifacio, Spiro Cumbo, Suzanne Daniels	Paul Battikha, Michael Portelli	
USHERS/ WELCOMERS	Henryka Ogrodniczek, Janine Wheeler	Claire Blunt, Anthony Culbert		
MUSIC	Lorraine's Group	NO Music Mass	St Andrew's Family Choir	FHC Choir
MINISTERS OF COMMUNION - Third Sunday of the Month				

NEXT WEEK'S ROSTER: 26 th June 2022		[4th Sunday of the Month - <i>Even Month</i>]		
MINISTRIES	5.00pm	7.30am	8.45am	10.30am
MINISTERS AT THE ALTAR	Primrose Fernandes	Gus Kaster	Rudy Fu Joy Kakodkar	Noe Adan
COMMENTATOR	Nenette Gapud	Claire Blunt	Vinetta Lobo	Peter Maw
FIRST READER	Mirza Alata	Elvie Clark	Felix Villamarin	Socorro Amos
SECOND READER	Doris Barrios	Julie Nunez	Lydia Villamarin	Linda Ranee
PROJECTIONIST	Yaqueline Metcalfe			Abigail & Amber Chin
ALTAR SERVERS	A&B D'Silva, K Vaz, C Anderiesz I & J Metcalfe		Janelle Kakodkar	Jacob, Amber, Abigail & Jerome Chin
WARDENS	Maurice Apap, Bill Ebejer, Paul Vella, Spiro Cumbo	Pines Bonifacio, Spiro Cumbo, Suzanne Daniels	Paul Battikha, Michael Portelli	
USHERS/ WELCOMERS	Henryka Ogrodniczek, Janine Wheeler	Claire Blunt, Anthony Culbert		
MUSIC	Hearts	NO Music Mass	Worship Hymn	Couples For Christ
MINISTERS OF COMMUNION - Fourth Sunday of the Month				



First Holy Communion

Our thanks go out to the families who presented their children for the Sacrament and supporter them on their journey. Thanks also go to Maria Hyson, our sacramental coordinator, and to those parishioners who so generously gave of their time as facilitators in the program. Parishioners are asked to remember these young people who have made the First Holy Communion this year and to pray for them.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION CANDIDATES

Naiya BAUTISTA Elise CARAIG Jacob CARIASO Gabriella CHULIPA Natalia HOOPER Luis ILAGAN Evelyn MORAS Natalia RAZON Rodney SSENDAGIRE Benjamin WILSON Jared BALA Brandon BUEN David BUHAY Zarius CELESTE River CORTES Sean FOWLER Sarah GARCIA Gericko IMPRESO Olive JACA Angel JALLORINA Jeff JALLORINA Isaac JAYSON Isaac KALOUSTIAN Mayikah LONGABELA	Alessandra LORENZO Angelo LORENZO Brooklyn LOTONUU-FAKALAGO Prince MANALANSAN Sean MANALANSAN Leilani MAÚ Antonia MODAFFARI Jacob NOCON Elijah PACIOS Samantha PAGSUYOIN Cooper RANDALL Lily RAYMUNDO Keon SERNA Maya STEWART Joshua TOMKINS Cherie TUDTUD Jeuffrie TUDTUD Yuan VIOLENTA Leah ANGELES Eugene AUSTRIA Arya BOBBY Demaiyrah DE SOUZA Jyden GABULE Emilio GUTIERREZ	Kristen LUONG Adeena REJOY Dante SESSA Riley ANKRETT Daniel ARIDAH Samuel BAGARIC Leo DE CASTRO Cara DIANA Sofia HILAL Jacob LELEIMALEFAGA Macy LINGAD Victoria LOBO KAKODKAR Vyonna LOBRIGAS Henry OALIN Jansen PEREZ Phoebe REYES Taylah RYLEWSKI James SPAGNOL Winter-Sage TAUILLILI Andre TIONGCO Ayrton TIONGCO Fala-Annmarie UTA Alexis WALKER Isabelle ZAMMIT
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Refugee Week 2022: June 19-25

To mark Refugee Week 2022, the Australian Bishops' Catholic Migrant and Refugee Office and the Office for Justice, Ecology and Peace are hosting an Online Prayer Service on Monday, 20 June 2022 at 6.00 pm (Sydney time). The theme for Refugee Week 2022 is healing. As the Refugee Council of Australia explains "healing can occur through storytelling, through community and also through realisation of our intrinsic interconnectedness as individuals".

Register for the prayer service at: <https://bit.ly/RefugeeWeek2022Prayers>.

For other events and activities during Refugee Week, see https://action.refugeecouncil.org.au/rw_events.



MASS READINGS -YEAR C

THIS SUNDAY:

Corpus Christi

First Reading: Genesis 14:18-20
Psalm: Ps 109:1-4
Second Reading: 1 Cor 11:23-26
Gospel: Luke 9:11-17

NEXT SUNDAY:

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: 1 Kings 19:16. 19-21
Psalm: Ps 15:1-2. 5. 7-11
Second Reading: Gal 5:1. 13-18
Gospel: Luke 9:51-62

During the week prayers have been requested for.....

Euarists & Alexandra Bouquet, Jacqui Bryant, Ramon Burgos, David Buttigieg, Gloria Cambe, Mary Cumbo, Michael Delange, France Falzon, John Falzon, Marie Falzon, Benjamin Cornel Felipe, Sai Fong Siu Leong, Efren Morales, Tony Moriarty, Harry Mulholland, Angelito Magsino Nalapo, Lilia Magsino Nalapo, Antonio Gabriel Nalapo Sr, Albina Panelo, Quirico Pasinos, Reynaldo Puse, Bonifacia Sicat, Susanne Taliana, Maria Tosegi, John Vassallo, Peter Vaughn, Victor & Maryanne Vella, Aeldred & Riolene Weber, Stella & Felic Zammit, John, Martin, Tom, Duchenne & Farla Families, Collins & Quinn Families, All Souls in Purgatory

.....**Please remember in your prayers**

Sunday
19-Jun The Most Holy BODY and BLOOD of CHRIST (Corpus Christi) Counters: Group 11 07:30 Mass 08:45 Mass FHC & Marriage Blessing 10:30 Mass - FHC 11:45 Baptism
Monday
20-Jun Monday of week 12 in Ordinary Time 09:00 Mass 15:30 Jnr Legion of Mary
Tuesday
21-Jun St Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious 09:00 Mass 19:00 Legion of Mary
Wednesday
22-Jun Saints John Fisher, Bishop, & Thomas More, Martyrs 09:00 Mass 19:00 Novena & Mass
Thursday
23-Jun Thursday of week 12 in Ordinary Time Saint Paulinus of Nola, Bishop 09:00 Mass 14:00 Church Cleaning Group 4 19:00 Social Justice group meeting
Friday
24-Jun The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus 09:15 Mass SAP 15:30 Jnr Legion of Mary 19:00 Choir Practice HJM
Saturday
25-Jun The Birthday of Saint John the Baptist 09:00 Mass 09:40 Legion of Mary 16:00 Jnr Legion of Mary 16:00 Music Practice Worship Hymn 17:00 Vigil Mass Finance Sunday 18:30 Prayer Meeting HJM

MY COMMUNION PRAYER

Dear God, I know that You give me many gifts. The gift of Your Son, Jesus Christ in Holy Communion is the greatest of all. How can I ever thank You enough for this special gift?

At Mass we are called to be like Jesus, by loving and serving one another in the world.

As I become more like Him, please continue to help me. Show me the places and ways that I can bring Your love, kindness, and peace to others....

in my family, in my neighbourhood, in my community, with my friends.

I ask this in Jesus' name. Amen.

**Prayer taken from Our Sunday Visitor*

Reflection on Feast of Body and Blood of Christ:

Tonight, once again, the Lord distributes for us the bread which is His body, He makes a gift of Himself. We, too, are experiencing the "solidarity of God" with man, a solidarity that never runs out, a solidarity that never ceases to amaze us: God draws near to us; in the sacrifice of the Cross He lowers Himself, entering into the darkness of death in order to give us His life, which overcomes evil, selfishness, death.

Jesus this evening gives Himself to us in the Eucharist, shares our same journey – indeed, He becomes food, real food that sustains our life even at times when the going is rough, when obstacles slow down our steps. The Lord in the Eucharist makes us follow His path, that of service, of sharing, of giving – and what little we have, what little we are, if shared, becomes wealth, because the power of God, which is that of love, descends into our poverty to transform it.

Let us ask ourselves this evening, adoring the Christ truly present in the Eucharist: do I let myself be transformed by Him? Do I let the Lord who gives Himself to me, guide me to come out more and more from my little fence, to get out and be not afraid to give, to share, to love Him and others?

Discipleship, communion and sharing. Let us pray that participation in the Eucharist move us always to follow the Lord every day, to be instruments of communion, to share with Him and with our neighbour who we are. Then our lives will be truly fruitful. Amen.

Pope Francis May 31 2013



Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus (Friday, June 24):

We celebrate this feast day on the coming Friday, June 24. There will be Mass at 9:00am as usual, this Mass will be what we term "Poor Mans Mass" by which we mean that parishioners are encouraged to bring along non-perishable food which may be provided through the work of the St Vincent DePaul Society and others to families and individuals experiencing difficulty.

Devotion to the Sacred Heart has two elements: consecration and reparation:

- We consecrate ourselves to the Sacred Heart by acknowledging Him as Creator and Redeemer and as having full rights over us as King of Kings, by repenting, and by resolving to serve Him.*
- We make reparations for the indifference and ingratitude with which He is treated and for leaving Him abandoned by humanity.*

Nativity of St John the Baptist (Saturday June 25):

"Lord, we thank you that you place joy, hope and light in our hearts. Give us the courage to spread that light to everyone with whom we come in contact. May we be God's instruments through which, by faith, prayer and action, we will make the world a kinder place. Amen."



Diocese of Parramatta on Social Media

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Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/parracatholic>

Twitter @parracatholic

HOME VISIT

Would you like a visit from a priest or parishioner?

Name

phone

SICK OR HOUSEBOUND

Do you know someone who would like Holy Communion or a visit?

Name

phone

PLANNED GIVING

Would you like to support our parish?

Name

phone

PLEASE PLACE ON COLLECTION PLATE AND YOU WILL BE CONTACTED