SACRED HEART CHURCH

120 Carawatha Street Villawood

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Administrator: Fr Greg McGregor Assistant Priest: Fr Thomas Alukka

SUNDAY MASS: Sunday – 9:00am

WEEKDAY MASSES: Tuesday to Friday – 8:00am

CONFESSIONS: On Request

BAPTISMS: Sunday 9:45am (Contact Parish Office)

Sunday, 28th April 2019: Second Sunday of Easter - Divine Mercy Sunday - Year C

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON: Like newborn infants, you must long for the pure, spiritual milk, that in

him you may grow to salvation, alleluia.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Give thanks to the Lord for he is good, his love is everlasting.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: Alleluia, alleluia! You believe in me, Thomas, because you have seen

me; happy those who have not seen me, but still believe! Alleluia!

COMMUNION ANTIPHON: Bring your hand and feel the place of the nails, and do not be

unbelieving but believing, alleluia.

VILLAWOOD MASSES:

Sunday - 28th April Second Sunday of Easter. Mass 9:00am

Monday - 29th April St Catherine of Siena. No Mass

Tuesday - 30th April

Tuesday of the 2nd week of Easter. Mass 8:00am

Wednesday - 1st May

Wednesday of the 2nd week of Easter. Mass 8:00am

Thursday - 2nd May St Athanasius. Mass 8:00am

Friday - 3rd May Sts Philip and James. Mass 8:00am

Saturday - 4th May Saturday of the 2nd week of Easter. No Mass

Sunday - 5th May Third Sunday of Easter. Mass 9:00am

SEFTON MASSES: INDIAN MASSES AT VILLAWOOD:

Monday to Friday9:15amTuesday to Friday7:00pmSaturday9:15am, 5:30pm (Vigil)Saturday9:30amSunday8:00am, 10:00am, 5:30pmSunday10:45am

PULPIT POINTS 28TH APRIL 2019

- Prayers for Sri Lanka
- After the Conflagration
- Rebuild my Church
- Movie review: Breakthrough
- Turning medical ethics upside down

Available in the foyer. \$2 - all money goes to the poor.

CHARITABLE WORKS FUND 2019 PASTORAL APPEAL

In the coming weeks, your parish will be asked to play an important role in supporting a key initiative of the Sydney Archdiocese: The Charitable Works Fund (CWF) Pastoral Appeal, our premier charity. Appeal envelopes will be provided for your use so please keep an eye out for them. Let us show our Christian solidarity for one another by sharing what we can with our neighbours.

NEW FACEBOOK PAGE

One of our dedicated parishioners has set up a Facebook page for our Church. Please "like" the page for updates on what is happening in our Parish. Thank you Esterina! The link for the page is https://www.facebook.com/sacredheartvillawood/.

ST JOSPEPH'S ENFIELD MAY HEALING MASS

Friday 3 May 2019 Feast of St Philip & St James Celebrant: Father Yacub Barkat

Rosary : 7:00 PM Reconciliation : 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM Prayer and Praise: 7:30 PM Mass: 8:00PM Exposition (after Mass) Prayer Ministry available after

St Joseph's Catholic Church 126 Liverpool Rd Enfield Parking at rear of church. Enter from Baker St.

> Rose: 9642-2359 / 0412 115-961 E-mail: rosetwymansydney@gmail.com

CHOSEN CONFERENCE

The Chosen Conference is a national conference for youth and young adults between 18 - 30 years old, organised by Jesus Youth, an International Catholic Association with a focus on evangelising young people and nurturing their missionary initiatives. We invite you to join us from the 4th - 7th July 2019 at Sacred Heart Girl's College Melbourne for 4 power-packed days of youth rallies, uplifting talks, workshops, theatre, Eucharistic celebrations, vocation & mission expo and live music. For registrations please visit www.chosenconference.org.au. For further information, queries or group registration please contact info@chosenconference.org.au or call us at 0491 002 081.

CATHOLIC BUSHWALKING CLUB

Are you interested in Bushwalking, Camping, Canyon and Ski Trips? Apply for membership with CBC via website www.cbcnsw.org.au or call 0478 919 427.

NEW CHURCH ROOF

As everyone is probably well aware, the roof of our church here at Villawood has some major leaks. It is critical that we replace the roof. Unfortunately, funds are limited, and therefore we are appealing to our most faithful parishioners: we are taking donations to raise funds for the replacement of our roof. We thank you for any donation you are able to contribute. Please see Fr Thomas or Fr Greg if you would like to donate or contact the Parish office on 9644-4026.

Prepare to reach beyond...

Communities in Myanmar, PNG, Samoa, Timor Leste, Kiribati and Kenya seek volunteers to mentor locals and build capacity. These assignments are not quick fixes. **Overseas Catholic communities** are inviting you to **immerse yourself** for 1 to 2 years.

If you have teaching, medical, business, admin or trade skills, you can give opportunity by **sharing them with our global family!**

Come for Global Mission Info: Sunday May 26th @ 10:30am Aquinas Academy 141 Harrington Street, The Rocks, SYDNEY



WANT TO GET A HEAD START IN YOUR CAREER AND GET YOUR HSC?

Southern Cross Catholic Vocational College (SCCVC) is a state-of-the-art, co-educational Catholic Secondary College for Years 11-12 students. Each student undertakes study that leads to a HSC with a focus on practical, hands-on, industry-based learning.

Open Afternoon

Tuesday 7 May 2019 4.00pm - 7.30pm ALL WELCOME!

17 Comer St Burwood NSW 2134 ph.: 8372 4400 fax.: 8372 4401

Visit www.sccvc.nsw.edu.au for Open Day schedule and more information.

TRIBUNAL OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH

Reaching out to all who have experienced a marriage breakdown and question the validity of their first marriage as understood by the Church.

Enquiries: Ph (02) 6239 9813 Email: tribunal@cg.org.au

POSITIONS VACANT

Catechist and Sacramental Coordinator, St Catherine Labouré Parish Gymea. Part-time position working 2.5 days (20 hours) per week. For further information please contact Anthony Spata at REACH Human Resources, on 0402 210 055. Applications close 10 May 2019.

QUALIFIED SEWER REQUIRED

Qualified sewer required for Y-Judes, Freeway Clergy Shirts & Angel Supplies. If interested email judithcouley@optusnet.com.au or phone 0403 197 880.

A MESSAGE FROM THE ARCHDIOCESE OF SYDNEY

Abuse is a crime. The appropriate people to deal with a crime 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. 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.