



RESURRECTION CATHOLIC PARISH

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SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

22ND MAY 2022

Resurrection Parish is committed to the safety, wellbeing and dignity of all children and vulnerable adults

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday 8:30 am - 5:00 pm.
Closed for lunch between 12:30 pm and 1:30 pm.

SIGN UP – PENTECOST SUNDAY

Pentecost Sunday falls on the 4th & 5th June. During Mass you'll have an opportunity to sign up to a Parish Ministry. Please carefully and prayerfully discern where your gifts may be best place in the service of the Resurrection Community. A description of ministries can be found on page 3. An Injection of new blood is needed to keep our parish moving forward.



RESO MEN'S GROUP

Our next gathering will be held on Thursday 26th May at 10.00am to 12.00pm in the narthex. Everyone is welcome.

ROSTERS

Don't forget to check the bulletin to find out when you're on duty. Should you not be able to fulfil your roster commitment please advise the Parish Office.

PARISH MASS COUNT

Over the month of May the Archdiocese are maintaining an up to date Mass attendance. This annual count is important for our pastoral planning activities and allows for comparisons to be made across the years.

This year the four weekends chosen to do this count are this weekend and 28-29 May.

We like to thank all the parishioners who have volunteered their time helping with the count.

Parish at Prayer Mass Times

Saturday	Sunday
6.00 pm	9.00 am 10.30 am
Weekdays	
Monday	9.30 am
Tuesday	9.30 am
Thursday	6.30 pm

COFFEE AFTER MASS

Coffee with friends is like capturing happiness in a cup!

Coffee is back on, to provide this service we need volunteers to make the coffee and clean up afterwards. If you can assist please complete the sign up sheet at the back of the church.



Women Of Word

You are invited to join us for a morning filled with fun activities and morning tea.

Where: Hall

When: Saturday 28th May 2022

Time: 10am-12noon

We pray for Alston Park, Barry McFarlane, Baby Keanu Shir and all those who have died recently.

We pray for Hospicio Lagura, Leonora Lagura, Remedios Ramat, John Cachia, Freddy Cachia Nancy and John Zahra, Josephine Vella, Jennifer Pietruszkiewicz, Pauline Vella, Hans Gabina and all those whose anniversary occur at about this time.

Please also pray for all those who are ill.



**As part of our commitment to child safety
all children must be accompanied by an
adult when they go to the toilet.**

WORKING BEE

Mark your diaries.....
The parish are seeking
volunteers to help with a mini
working bee at the presbytery
on **Saturday 9th July 2022.**
With many hands, you can
do things that aren't possible
alone. There are many things
requiring attention and the Men's Group
has a list of jobs.



Can you come? Your help will be
appreciated. If you are unable to stay for
the whole morning, come just for an hour or
two.

GOSPEL REFLECTION

You are welcome to attend the Gospel
Reflection. The next gathering is on Saturday
28th May at 10.00am to 11.00am in the Parish
Office.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL

The St Vincent de Paul group (St Vinnies) are
extremely grateful for the generous support
received from the community throughout
the year.

Your kindness gives hope to many individuals
and families served through the Resurrection
Community. We collected 298 bags of non
perishable items.

We deeply appreciate your caring
commitment to helping those who need it
most.

Thank you.

St Vinnies Group



**28th & 29th May 2022
The Ascension of the Lord**

	6.00pm	9.00 AM	10.30 AM
MASS OVERSEERS	Michelle Mercieca	Kathy Wale	Aurora Asuncion
HOSPITALITY	Jane Caruana Joe Caruana Charlie Grech	Vilinda Rebusillo Need volunteer	Marques Navarro Dolly Zipagan
DATA PROJECTOR	Xavier Bugeja	Christian Dizon	Calvin Alderson
CAMERA OPERATOR	N/A	N/A	Calvin Alderson
PROCLAIMERS 1 st Response 2 nd Intercessions	Geraldine Holt Max Michel Geraldine Holt Max Michel	Kathy Wale Nadia Young Kathy Wale Nadia Young	Angelita Ramat Jet Nacional Angelita Ramat Jet Nacional
COLLECTORS	Noel Oliver	Frank Gatt	Isidro Asuncion
SPECIAL MINISTERS OF COMMUNION	Fr Gerard Keith Jamie Castillo Rocky Hughes Olga Hughes	Fr Gerard Keith Jamie Castillo Michael Donnelly Andrew Cassar	Fr Gerard Keith Jamie Castillo Cecilia Navarro Cleo Oliveria
SACRISTY DUTY	Rachael Bonavia	Need Volunteer	Aurora Asuncion
COFFEE MAKERS	No Coffee Volunteer Needed	Volunteer Needed	Volunteer Needed
COFFEE CLEAN UP	Volunteer Needed	Volunteer Needed	Volunteer Needed

PARISH MINISTRY ~ how will you serve?

Serving others is central to being a Christian. The word "Ministry" comes from a Latin word meaning service.

You are invited to serve in the following ministries. *Please read the following description of each Resurrection Ministry and then make a one year commitment to at least one Ministry.*

Camera Operator

Operates the camera for parishioners during the 10.30am Mass.

Church Flower Arrangement

Arranges flowers purchased by the Parish in the Church, expect during Lent and Advent.

Choirs/Music

Resurrection is blessed with many parish choirs. Each choir has its own distinctive style. All our choirs welcome new members. If you are already in a choir when signing up for please indicate the name of your present choir.

Church Cleaning

Our church is well used over the course of a week. There is a saying cleanliness is next to Godliness. The cleaning teams help us achieve this ideal.

Coffee Clean Up

Part of a team that cleans up after coffee has been served.

Coffee Maker

Sharing a cup of coffee brings people together. We offer parishioners coffee made from our espresso coffee machine in the narthex. This ministry of hospitality does require knowledge and skill to operate.

Counting

A rostered system of counting the collections either on a Sunday or Monday morning.

Collector

A rostered system of collecting the generous stewardship of parishioners at the Masses.

Data Projector

Involves setting up, operating the data projector during the Mass and packing the laptop up after the Mass.

Hospitality

Involves extending a warm welcome and helpful information relating to the Mass. Also, they ensure that the other rostered liturgical ministries are in place.

Office Help

Assist the parish staff with the administrative tasks either on a regular or ad-hoc basis.

Overseer

Attends to the practical aspects of the Mass. Guidelines are available.

Proclaimer of the Word

A clear proclaiming of God's Word at Mass.

Sacristan

Cleaning and tidying up after Mass including washing the sacred vessels.

Special Minister of Communion

The reverent distribution of Holy Communion at the Mass.

Further information is available at the office. Training can also be provided.

Working with Children's Check (WWCC) are compulsory.



Reading 1

Acts 1:1-11

In the first book, Theophilus, I dealt with all that Jesus did and taught until the day he was taken up, after giving instructions through the Holy Spirit to the apostles whom he had chosen. He presented himself alive to them by many proofs after he had suffered, appearing to them during forty days and speaking about the kingdom of God. While meeting with them, he enjoined them not to depart from Jerusalem, but to wait for “the promise of the Father about which you have heard me speak;

for John baptized with water, but in a few days you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit.”

When they had gathered together they asked him, “Lord, are you at this time going to restore the kingdom to Israel?” He answered them, “It is not for you to know the times or seasons that the Father has established by his own authority. But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes upon you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, throughout Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.” When he had said this, as they were looking on, he was lifted up, and a cloud took him from their sight. While they were looking intently at the sky as he was going, suddenly two men dressed in white garments stood beside them. They said, “Men of Galilee, why are you standing there looking at the sky? This Jesus who has been taken up from you into heaven will return in the same way as you have seen him going into heaven.”

Responsorial Psalm **Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9**

R (6) God mounts his throne to shouts of joy: a blare of trumpets for the Lord.

Reading 2

Eph 1:17-23

Brothers and sisters: May the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, give you a Spirit of wisdom and revelation resulting in knowledge of him. May the eyes of your hearts be enlightened, that you may know what is the hope that belongs to his call, what are the riches of glory in his inheritance among the holy ones, and what is the surpassing greatness of his power for us who believe, in accord with the exercise

of his great might: which he worked in Christ, raising him from the dead and seating him at his right hand in the heavens, far above every principality, authority, power, and dominion, and every name that is named not only in this age but also in the one to come. And he put all things beneath his feet and gave him as head over all things to the church, which is his body, the fullness of the one who fills all things in every way.

Gospel

Lk 24:46-53

Jesus said to his disciples: “Thus it is written that the Christ would suffer and rise from the dead on the third day and that repentance, for the forgiveness of sins, would be preached in his name to all the nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things. And behold I am sending the promise of my Father upon you; but stay in the city until you are clothed with power from on high.”

Then he led them out as far as Bethany, raised his hands, and blessed them. As he blessed them he parted from them and was taken up to heaven. They did him homage and then returned to Jerusalem with great joy, and they were continually in the temple praising God.

Reflection

*“I am the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end.”
(REVELATIONS 22:13)*

This is a reminder of how we should live our lives 24 hours a day, 7 days a week – putting God first in all that we do. Not only when I am at Mass and parish activities, but when I am in the world, at work or at school. Living gratefully and generously is an intentional lifestyle. Every decision you make either moves you closer to God or farther away. Choose wisely!