



RESURRECTION CATHOLIC PARISH

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FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

28TH APRIL 2024

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

OFFICE AND CONTACT DETAILS

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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.
Sunday 8.30am - 12.30pm

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Parish at Prayer

Mass Times

Saturday

6.00 pm

Sunday

**9.00 am
10.30 am**

Weekdays

Monday

9.30 am

Tuesday

9.30 am

Thursday

6.30 pm

Friday

7.00 pm

(1ST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH)

RECONCILIATION - FIRST SATURDAY OF THE MONTH AT 9.30AM

SACRAMENTAL JOURNEY - FIRST EUCHARIST

Parent Formation Meeting

Formation session on Tuesday 30th April, at 6.30pm.

RE Sacramental Workshop

Classes will commence on Tuesday 30th April at 4pm or Thursday 2nd May at 4pm.

First Eucharist Dates

The First Eucharist will be held during the weekend masses in June.

MOTHER'S DAY
Lunch

WED **15** MAY
12PM

Join us for a special lunch and treat yourself to delicious 2 course meal.

**Where: Ghannejja Club -
4/6 Gooding Street, St Albans**

Cost: \$40 pp (Drinks at bar prices)

RSVP Jane by 8th May on 0421 593 189

We pray for Tereza Cefai, Lou Gatt, Carlito Rivera and all those who have died recently.

We pray for Josephine Darmanin, Fong Jung Lim, rene Motee, Charlie & Josephine, Victor Vella, Jose Lay, Afonso Sam and all those whose anniversary occur at about this time.

Please also pray for Agustin Reyno, Napoleon Buendia and all those who are sick.

***We acknowledge the Traditional Owners of the land on which we stand.
We pay our respects to the Elders, past and present.***

STEWARDSHIP ENVELOPES

The stewardship envelopes will be available to collect after Mass from 21st April. Credit card and direct debit statements are emailed.

Thank you to those who continue to give generously every week.

"Remember this: Whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and whoever sows generously will also reap generously."
2 Corinthians 9:6-7

YOUR STEWARDSHIP AT WORK...

Our recent expenditures are:

- Hosting Fr. Rob Galea.
- Upgrade of the sound system in the Hall.
- Landscaping
- Upgrade the lighting in the parish office.

We are also looking at purchasing a new tabernacle.

WOW GROUP



A gathering for women in our parish. Come along and celebrate all Mothers. Next gathering: Saturday 11th May from 10am to 12pm. In the narthex.

PARISH MASS COUNT

Over the month of May the Archdiocese records Mass attendance in each parish.

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 4-5 May, 11-12 May, 18 - 19 May & 25 - 26 May.

If you can assist with counting please call the parish office.

FR GERARD

Fr Gerard will be on a retreat from Sunday afternoon on 5th May till 11th May and then on annual leave till 25th May.

During Fr Gerard's absence there will be:

- **No** Monday morning mass.
- Tuesday Mass will be celebrated as usual at 9.30am with Fr Peter Hudson.
- Thursday there will be **No** mass. Rather, there will be a communion service at 6pm followed by the Divine Mercy.

We welcome Fr Vinoth Santiago who will be covering for Fr Gerard.

ST VINNIES MEETING

Monday 6th May at 7pm in the Church.

A graphic of a heart with flames rising from it, set against a dark background with a torn paper effect on the left side.

Hearts on Fire – Healing Mass

Friday 3rd May at 7pm
*Preceded by praise &
worship from 6.30pm*

4th & 5th May 2024
6th Sunday of Easter

	6 P M	9.00 A M	10.30 A M
MASS OVERSEERS	John Borja	Kathy Wale	Yvonne Utoasega
HOSPITALITY	Melanie Apap Grace Eppingstall Dominic Boland	Anna Cassar Michael Donnelly	Tessie Villar Dolly Zipagan Nyanrob Deng
DATA PROJECTOR	Julia Portelli	Jacob Rebutillo	Jomar Inot
CAMERA OPERATOR	N/A	N/A	N/A
PROCLAIMERS 1 st Response 2 nd Intercessions	Marlene Axiak Cathy Downing Marlene Axiak Cathy Downing	Kristy Stojcevski Marc Dicconson Kristy Stojcevski Marc Dicconson	Jacqueline Yuan Cleo Oliveria Jacqueline Yuan Cleo Oliveria
COLLECTORS	Noel Oliver Joseph Caruana Harley Cassar Jimmy Attard Charlie Grech Dominic Boland	Frank Gatt Anthony Scerri Milton Young Mario Vella Virgilio Romerona Edwin Rebutillo	Isidro Asuncion Graeme Fraser Brian Briffa Marta Molina Teddy Bernardo Tilo Matagi Carmel Vassallo
SPECIAL MINISTERS OF COMMUNION	Fr Gerard Keith Michelle Mercieca Phu Thang Le Doris Oliver	Fr Gerard Keith Rosemarie Balfour Minh Pham Eve Balfour	Fr Gerard Keith Aurora Asuncion Kenneth Inot Jet Nacional
SACRISTY DUTY	Melanie Apap	Roselyne Collard	Cecilia Navarro
COFFEE MAKERS	Need Volunteer Need Volunteer	Anthony Scerri Margaret Bannerman	Leanne Alderson Ashani Perera Kate Pedralvez
COFFEE CLEAN UP	Need Volunteer Need Volunteer	Edwin Rebutillo Need Volunteer	Jane Inot Carmel Vassallo

11th & 12th May 2024
The Ascension of the Lord

	6.00pm	9.00 AM	10.30 AM
MASS OVERSEERS	Marlene Axiak	Anthony Scerri	Angelita Ramat
HOSPITALITY	Rachael Bonavia Anna Wright	Vilinda Rebutillo Michael Donnelly Jacob Rebutillo	Tessie Villar Celia Navarro
DATA PROJECTOR	Harley Cassar	Jacob Rebutillo	Calvin Alderson
CAMERA OPERATOR	N/A	N/A	N/A
PROCLAIMERS 1 st Response 2 nd Intercessions	Karen Colaco Choir Karen Colaco Cristina Salcedo	Kathy Wale Nadia Young Kathy Wale Nadia Young	Jomar Inot Choir Jomar Inot Joana Nacional
COLLECTORS	Noel Oliver Joseph Caruana Harley Cassar Jimmy Attard Charlie Grech Dominic Boland	Frank Gatt Anthony Scerri Milton Young Mario Vella Virgilio Romerona Edwin Rebutillo	Isidro Asuncion Graeme Fraser Brian Briffa Marta Molina Teddy Bernardo Tilo Matagi Carmel Vassallo
SPECIAL MINISTERS OF COMMUNION	Fr Gerard Keith Joseph Caruana Jane Caruana Geraldine Holt	Fr Gerard Keith Rosemarie Balfour Vilinda Rebutillo Marc Dicconson	Fr Gerard Keith Kate Pedralvez Jacqueline Yuan Cleo Olivera
SACRISTY DUTY	Patricia Marek	Michael Donnelly	Aurora Asuncion
COFFEE MAKERS	Anna Wright Grace Eppingstall	Leon D'Souza Rosemarie Balfour	Kate Pedralvez Emilia Rivera
COFFEE CLEAN UP	Mirjana Dutkowsky Michelle Polidano	Maria Grasso Need Volunteer	Paul Bossini Need Volunteer

18th & 19th May 2024
Pentecost Sunday

	6.00pm	9.00 AM	10.30 AM
MASS OVERSEERS	Judith Santiago	Vilinda Rebutillo	Aurora Asuncion
HOSPITALITY	Marlene Axiak Michelle Mercieca	Kathy Wale Michael Donnelly Maria Grasso	Cecilia Navarro Dolly Zipagan Nyanrob Deng
DATA PROJECTOR	Julia Portelli	Jacob Rebutillo	Graeme Fraser
CAMERA OPERATOR	N/A	N/A	N/A
PROCLAIMERS 1 st Response 2 nd Intercessions	Geraldine Holt Jane Caruana Geraldine Holt Jane Caruana	Colleen Wolfe Minh-Tham Pham Colleen Wolfe Minh-Tham Pham	Jane Inot Choir Jane Inot Angelita Ramat
COLLECTORS	Noel Oliver Joseph Caruana Harley Cassar Jimmy Attard Charlie Grech Dominic Boland	Frank Gatt Anthony Scerri Milton Young Mario Vella Virgilio Romerona Edwin Rebutillo	Isidro Asuncion Graeme Fraser Brian Briffa Marta Molina Teddy Bernardo Tilo Matagi Carmel Vassallo
SPECIAL MINISTERS OF COMMUNION	Fr Gerard Keith Cathy Downing Dominic Boland Gina Snudden	Fr Gerard Keith Michael Donnelly Nadia Young Kathy Wale	Fr Gerard Keith Marissa Medilo Margaret Vilaro Teresita Villar
SACRISTY DUTY	Rachael Bonavia	Roselyne Collard	Teresita Villar
COFFEE MAKERS	Marlene Camenzuli Louis Camenzuli	Anthony Scerri Margaret Bannerman	Need Volunteer Need Volunteer
COFFEE CLEAN UP	Mirjana Dutkowsky Michael Dutkowsky	Edwin Rebutillo Need Volunteer	Need Volunteer Need Volunteer

25th & 26th May 2024
The Most Holy Trinity

	6 P M	9 A M	10.30 A M
MASS OVERSEERS	Michelle Mercieca	Rosemarie Balfour	Marissa Medilo
HOSPITALITY	Jane Caruana Joe Caruana Charlie Grech	Margaret Vella Mario Vella	Angelita Ramat Maria Lagura
DATA PROJECTOR	Harley Cassar	Jacob Rebutillo	Jet Nacional
CAMERA OPERATOR	N/A	N/A	N/A
PROCLAIMERS 1st Response 2 nd Intercessions	Connie Attard Isabella Portelli Connie Attard Isabella Portelli	Vilinda Rebutillo Jacob Rebutillo Vilinda Rebutillo Jacob Rebutillo	Maria Lagura Jacqueline Yuan Maria Lagura Jacqueline Yuan
COLLECTORS	Noel Oliver Joseph Caruana Harley Cassar Jimmy Attard Charlie Grech Dominic Boland	Frank Gatt Anthony Scerri Milton Young Mario Vella Virgilio Romerona Edwin Rebutillo	Isidro Asuncion Graeme Fraser Brian Briffa Marta Molina Teddy Bernardo Tilo Matagi Carmel Vassallo
SPECIAL MINISTERS OF COMMUNION	Fr Gerard Keith Phu Thang Le Carmen Falzon Karen Colaco	Fr Gerard Keith Minh Pham Marc Dicconson Vilinda Rebutillo	Fr Gerard Keith Calvin Alderson Dolly Zipagan Cecilia Navarro
SACRISTY DUTY	Helen Muscat	Elizabeth Michaelson	Margaret Villardo
COFFEE MAKERS	Need Volunteer Need Volunteer	Leon D'Souza Rosemarie Balfour	Jacqui Yuan Wesley Yuan
COFFEE CLEAN UP	Need Volunteer Need Volunteer	Need Volunteer Need Volunteer	Brandon Wates Need Volunteer

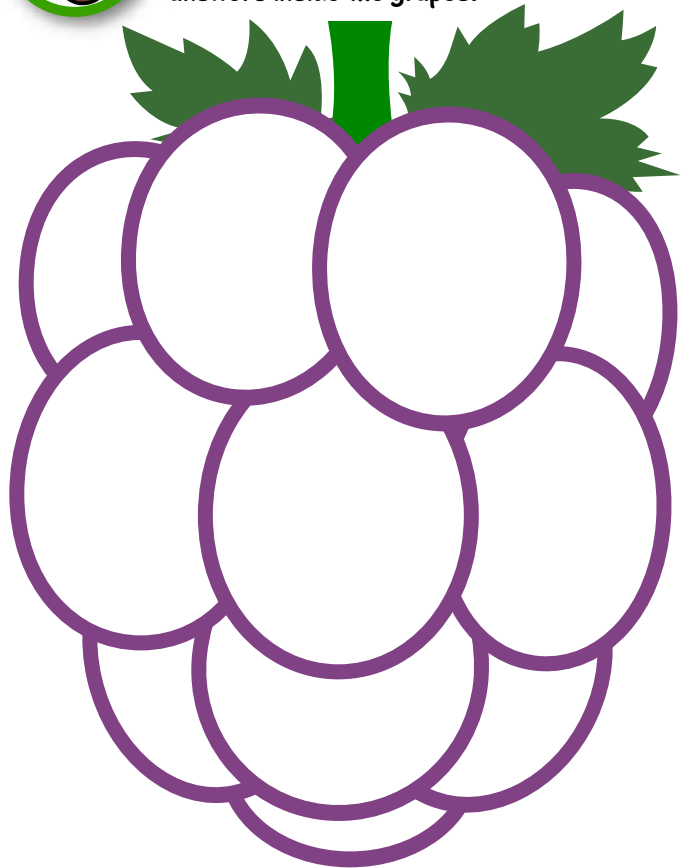
I am the vine and you are the branches

5th Sunday of Easter, Year B

Who are some people in your community who are like branches of the vine? On each branch, write down a name and how they contribute their 'fruit' to the community.



Jesus says that we must be fruitful disciples. What are some of the ways that you can be a disciple to Jesus? Write or draw your answers inside the grapes.



Can you work out which of these three branches is the one bearing fruit?





READING 1 Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48

When Peter entered, Cornelius met him and, falling at his feet, paid him homage. Peter, however, raised him up, saying, "Get up. I myself am also a human being." Then Peter proceeded to speak and said, "In truth, I see that God shows no partiality. Rather, in every nation whoever fears him and acts uprightly is acceptable to him." While Peter was still speaking these things, the Holy Spirit fell upon all who were listening to the word. The circumcised believers who had accompanied Peter were astounded that the gift of the Holy Spirit should have been poured out on the Gentiles also, for they could hear them speaking in tongues and glorifying God. Then Peter responded, "Can anyone withhold the water for baptizing these people, who have received the Holy Spirit even as we have?" He ordered them to be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ..

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4

R. (cf. 2b) The Lord has revealed to the nations his saving power.

READING 2 1 Jn 4:7-10

Beloved, let us love one another, because love is of God; everyone who loves is begotten by God and knows God. Whoever is without love does not know God, for God is love. In this way the love of God was revealed to us: God sent his only Son into the world so that we might have life through him. In this is love: not that we have loved God, but that he loved us and sent his Son as expiation for our sins.

GOSPEL Jn 15:9-17

Jesus said to his disciples: "As the Father loves me, so I also love you. Remain in my love. If you keep my commandments, you will remain in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and remain in his love. "I have told you this so that my joy may be in you and your joy might be complete.

This is my commandment: love one another as I love you. No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends. You are my friends if you do what I command you. I no longer call you slaves, because a slave does not know what his master is doing. I have called you friends, because I have told you everything I have heard from my Father. It was not you who chose me, but I who chose you and appointed you to go and bear fruit that will remain, so that whatever you ask the Father in my name he may give you. This I command you: love one another."



Reflection

"This is my commandment: love one another as I love you. No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends." - John 15:12-13

Do you love Jesus? Do you consider Him your friend? Jesus says that if we love Him we would be willing to offer whatever we have to Him, not because we want praise and glory, but simply because we love Him. Does your giving seem mechanical out of obligation or do you share freely out of love?