



RESURRECTION CATHOLIC PARISH

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COMMEMORATION OF ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

2ND NOVEMBER, 2025

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

Jubilee Mass – 50th Anniversary of Resurrection Parish - Sunday, 24th May 2026

To celebrate the 50th anniversary of Resurrection Parish, we will be holding a special Jubilee Mass on Pentecost Sunday. As part of the celebration, we will process into Mass with flags representing the diverse nationalities that make up our parish community — highlighting multiculturalism as one of the key themes of this joyful occasion.

Resurrection School has kindly offered the use of the following flags:

Somalia, Ireland, Wales, Russia, Aboriginal & Torres Strait, Greece, Malta, Croatia, India, Iraq, Sudan, Poland, Philippines, Myanmar

If your country is not listed and you would like it to be represented, please leave your name and country at the Welcome Desk or contact Ann on 0412 901 176.

Let's come together to honour our rich cultural heritage and celebrate this milestone as one parish family.

*Eternal Rest grant
unto them O Lord & may
their souls and the souls of
all the faithful departed
through the mercy of God
Rest In Peace*



We pray for Dudley Joseph, Charlie Borg, Fr Peter O'Rourke, Margo Clarke, Virgen Isip Icbán, Fr Barry Moran and all those who have died recently.

We pray for Lucio Vong, Afonso Lim, Lourenca Mira Kazaris, Silvio Galea, Tony Bajada, Georginea Bajada, Mercieca families, Gatt families, Mario Muscat, Buena Veloso, Rolando Veloso, Tomas Fernandez, Ethel Berger, Alphonso Berger, Vincent Gomes, Maria Gomes, Ryan Hughes, Neslyn Hughes and all those whose anniversaries occur around this time.

We pray for Nadine Talevski, Dominic Boland and all those who are sick.

REMEMBRANCE BOOK

Our Remembrance Book holds the names of loved ones who have passed away, allowing us to keep them in our prayers, especially throughout the month of November. If there is someone you would like to include, you are warmly invited to add their name.

As a symbol of our collective remembrance and prayer, the book will be presented during the offertory procession at each weekend Mass.

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

UPCOMING DATES:



Office will be **CLOSED**
on **MONDAY 3RD** & Tuesday
4TH November - there will be no
Masses on these days.

GRATITUDE FOR YOUR SUPPORT – SPONSORING CHILDREN IN UGANDA

Thank you to everyone who listened to the stories from our visit to Uganda. Many were deeply moved by the experiences shared, and your response has been truly inspiring.



If you've taken a sponsorship form, we kindly ask that you return it to the parish office as soon as possible so we can finalise the process. And if you're still considering sponsorship, we encourage you to take that step. Forms are available after Mass.

Your generosity is creating real change and offering hope to children who need it most. Thank you for being part of this meaningful journey.



SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM 2026 – INFORMATION SESSIONS

Families wishing to participate in our **2026 Sacramental Program** are warmly invited to attend one of the upcoming information sessions in February:

- **Saturday 7th February 2026, after the 6pm Mass**
- **Sunday 8th February 2026, after the 10.30am Mass**
- **Saturday 14th February 2026, after the 6pm Mass**
- **Sunday 15th February 2026, after the 10.30am Mass**

These sessions will provide important details about the program and how to enrol your child.

For more information, please contact the parish office.

THANK YOU

We would like to extend our heartfelt thanks to the Iraqi community for their generous support and hard work in repairing Gate 1 at no expense to the Church. Your time, effort, and commitment to improving this space have not gone unnoticed.

Their contribution has made a meaningful difference, and we are truly grateful.

RCIC PROGRAM – EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

We are now inviting expressions of interest for the RCIC (Rite of Christian Initiation for Children) Program, which will commence early next year.

This program is designed for children seeking to receive the Sacraments of Initiation who have not yet been baptised or catechised in the Catholic faith.

More details will be shared in the coming weeks. In the meantime, if you are interested in enrolling your child, please email your contact details to kingspark@cam.org.au

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY

We would like to thank the parishioners who responded to last week's bulletin notice regarding the need for a wheelchair. Your kindness and willingness to help are deeply appreciated.

We're especially grateful to the individual who generously donated a wheelchair — your gift will make a meaningful difference.

St Vinnies Christmas Appeal

As the year draws to a close and we prepare for the joy of Christmas, it's important to remember that this season can be especially challenging for those in our community who are doing it tough.

St Vincent de Paul will be offering support to families in need ahead of Christmas, and we're calling on the generosity of our parishioners to help make this possible.

If you're able to contribute, we kindly ask for donations of:

Christmas hampers for families (you're welcome to create your own)

Books, puzzles, and activity sets for children

Toys for children



8th & 9th November 2025
Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica in Rome

	6.00pm	9.00 AM	10.30 AM
MASS OVERSEERS	Marlene Axiak	Rosemarie Balfour	Angelita Ramat
HOSPITALITY	Jane Caruana Joe Caruana Charlie Grech	Vilinda Rebustillo Michael Donnelly Jacob Rebustillo	Tessie Villar Celia Navarro Yvonne Utoasega
DATA PROJECTOR	Hannah Dunn	Christian Dizon	Jet Fraser
PROCLAIMERS 1 st Response 2 nd Intercessions	Jane Caruana Choir Jane Caruana Karen Colaco	Minh Pham Marc Dicconson Minh Pham Marc Dicconson	Calvin Alderson Choir Calvin Alderson Aurora Asuncion
COLLECTORS	Noel Oliver Joseph Caruana Harley Cassar Jimmy Attard Charlie Grech	Frank Grech Mario Vella Virgilio Romerona Edwin Rebustillo Carmel Vassallo	Isidro Asuncion Graeme Fraser Brian Briffa Marta Molina Teddy Bernardo Tilo Matagi Yvonne Utoasega Paul Bossini
SPECIAL MINISTERS OF COMMUNION	Fr Gerard Keith Geraldine Holt Cathy Downing Henry Dunn	Fr Gerard Keith Kathy Wale Nadia Young Vilinda Rebustillo	Fr Gerard Keith Margaret Vilardo Kate Pedralvez Nyanrob Deng Jacqueline Wolfe
SACRISTY DUTY	Patricia Marek	Roselyn Collard	Aurora Asuncion
COFFEE MAKERS	Grace Eppingstall Need Volunteer	Leon D'Souza Rosemarie Balfour	Kate Pedralvez Emilia Rivera
COFFEE CLEAN UP	Mirjana Dutkowsky Michelle Polidano (A)	Maria Grasso Need Volunteer	Paul Bossini Michael Utoasega

MASS INTENTIONS

If you would like to offer a Mass intention for a loved one envelopes are available at the welcome desk and parish office.

Please complete the envelope with your preferred date and return it to the office. Your intention will be included in our parish Mass schedule.





READING 1 Ezekiel 47:1-2, 8-9, 12
The angel brought me back to the entrance of the temple, and I saw water flowing out from beneath the threshold of the temple toward the east; for the façade of the temple was toward the east; the water flowed down from the southern side of the temple, south of the altar. He led me outside by the north gate, and around to the outer gate facing the east, where I saw water trickling from the southern side. He said to me, "This water flows into the eastern district down upon the Arabah, and empties into the sea, the salt waters, which it makes fresh. Wherever the river flows, every sort of living creature that can multiply shall live, and there shall be abundant fish, for wherever this water comes the sea shall be made fresh. Along both banks of the river, fruit trees of every kind shall grow; their leaves shall not fade, nor their fruit fail. Every month they shall bear fresh fruit, for they shall be watered by the flow from the sanctuary. Their fruit shall serve for food, and their leaves for medicine."

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9

R. (5) The waters of the river gladden the city of God, the holy dwelling of the Most High!

READING 2 1 Corinthians 3:9c-11, 16-17
Brothers and sisters: You are God's building. According to the grace of God given to me, like a wise master builder I laid a foundation, and another is building upon it. But each one must be careful how he builds upon it, for no one can lay a foundation other than the one that is there, namely, Jesus Christ. Do you not know that you are the temple of God, and that the Spirit of God dwells in you? If anyone destroys God's temple, God will destroy that person; for the temple of God, which you are, is holy.

GOSPEL John 2:13-22
Since the Passover of the Jews was near, Jesus went up to Jerusalem. He found in the temple area those who sold oxen, sheep, and doves, as well as the money-changers seated there. He made a whip out of cords and drove them all out of the temple area, with the sheep and oxen,

and spilled the coins of the money-changers and overturned their tables, and to those who sold doves he said, "Take these out of here, and stop making my Father's house a marketplace." His disciples recalled the words of Scripture, Zeal for your house will consume me. At this the Jews answered and said to him, "What sign can you show us for doing this?" Jesus answered and said to them, "Destroy this temple and in three days I will raise it up." The Jews said, "This temple has been under construction for forty-six years, and you will raise it up in three days?" But he was speaking about the temple of his Body. Therefore, when he was raised from the dead, his disciples remembered that he had said this, and they came to believe the Scripture and the word Jesus had spoken.



Reflection

Stewardship Spirituality

"Do you not know that you are the temple of God, and that the Spirit of God dwells within you?" 1 CORINTHIANS 3:16

Remembering that Stewards are "temples of the Holy Spirit", should make our daily decision making relatively easy. If we truly want to imitate Jesus, then our words and actions should reflect the love, mercy, and forgiveness that flow from His Sacred Heart. Try it for one week. Try to remember that we temples of the Holy Spirit and see how it affects the way that you live.