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1Kings 19:16,19-21 Called to follow
Galatians 5:1,13-18 Called to freedom
Luke 9:51-62 Total commitment

Responsorial Psalm:

You are my inheritance, O Lord.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia!

Praise the Word of Truth and Life.

Servers

1 July Wayne Kelly
6 July Pat Leeder (Mt Vic)
8 July Diane Stewart

Readers

1 July 1st Reading Ian Maguire
Ps/Intercessions Claire Maguire
2nd Reading Jane Nolan
6 July 1st Reader Catherine Beaver
2nd Reader Terry Beaver
8 July 1st Reading Steve Gauci
Ps/Intercessions David Buckley
2nd Reading Julie Hodgkinson

Ministers of the Eucharist

1 July Ray Wood and Sr Lyn Eastmure
8 July Norma Longmuir and Diana Landsberg

Children's Liturgy

1 July Moira McNair
8 July Carol Drummond

Counters

1 July Julie and Lance
8 July Robyn and Adrian

Morning Tea

1 July Barbara Grieves
8 July Michelle Funnell

Church Care

6 July Pat Waters and Phil Wicks
13 July The Gatt Family

Church Care

Rosters are available at the back of the Church. Please collect your copy.

Next Week
Be people of peace

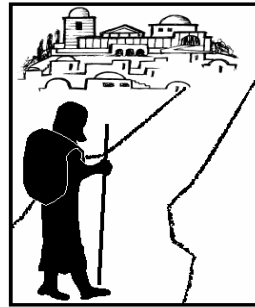
Isaiah 66:10-14; Psalm 65
Galatians 6:14-18; Luke 10:1-12,17-20

Catalyst Forum

On Writing the Gospel According to Judas:

Some Theological and Pastoral Reflections with **Fr Francis Moloney sdb** at The Crypt of St Patrick's, Church Hill, The Rocks.

Sunday, 15 July 2pm-4pm. Entry by donation. All welcome. Further enquiries. (02) 9861 4262.



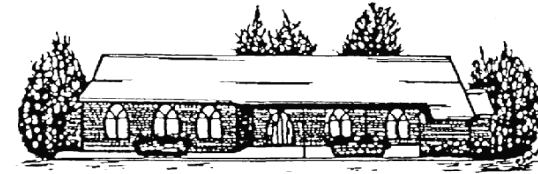
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Jesus resolutely took the road to Jerusalem, for the city of David with its Temple is the fitting site for his death, resurrection and ascension. In contrast to Jesus' humble acceptance of rejection, James and John want to call down fire on the inhospitable Samaritans. The three men who spoke to Jesus on the road could not accept his radical detachment. Where do we stand?

† **In memoriam** †

Keith Johnston ~ 1st July
Anne Forbes ~ 3rd July
Paddy James ~ 4th July
Paul Zielinski ~ 4th July
Anne Smith ~ 6th July

SACRED HEART PARISH



Sacred Heart Church ~ Blackheath
Saint Paul's Church ~ Mount Victoria
Saint Joseph's Church ~ Megalong Valley

Our Mission Statement

As a community bonded together through faith, we are called to share our experience of God with those we meet each day, in particular, those in our local community.

All enquiries regarding Baptisms, Marriage and sick calls to the Parish House.

~ Pastoral Director ~ Sister Lyn Eastmure O.P. ~

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Parish Office 4787 8540 email: shbheath2@bigpond.com

Website: <http://www.keepersoftheflame.net/SacredHeartParish/index.html>

Blackheath - Mass	Sunday	9.30 am
Liturgy of the Word		
and Communion Service	Wednesday	9.30 am
Praying the Gospel	Wednesday	10.00 am
Praying the Rosary	Thursday	2.00 pm
Prayer of the Church	Friday	9.00 am
Christian Meditation (one hour)	Tuesday (4787 7098)	7.00 pm
Meditative Prayer Service (one hour)		
using Scripture and Taizé music	4th Saturday of month	2.00 pm
Mount Victoria - Mass	1st Friday of month	7.00 pm
Megalong Valley - Liturgy of the Word	1st Friday of month	9.00 am

Parish Pastoral Council meets the 3rd Wednesday of each month. If you would like an issue discussed, please submit it in writing to either Sr Lyn, David Buckley (Chair), Monica Bright (Deputy Chair) or Chris le Gras (Secretary).

Bulletin Items: please contact Kate Forbes by Thursday - phone 4787 8520 or email sacred.heart.bulletin@gmail.com

Dear Friends,

A short poem to share:

Clear a little space
in your crowded everyday
and every day reclaim the sacred site
there at the heart of you.
Give the Sacred the space and time
to come and sit with you
to become intimate with your story.

*Heart Gone Walkabout:
Noel Davis, p.116.*

Blessings, Lyn.

**Today, 1st July, is
National Aboriginal and Torres
Strait Islander Sunday.**

We celebrate as Christians, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander and non-Indigenous, the theme 'Gathering Together in Faith Sharing in God's Love' is a call today and everyday, to open our hearts and minds to God and invite the Holy Spirit to help us along our different journeys in life and to live in unity with God and one another.



WORLD YOUTH DAY

The World Youth Day Cross & Icon arrives in Australia this Sunday, 1 July, and in our Diocese of Parramatta on Sunday, 15 July.

Sunday 1 July

Encounter the WYD Cross & Icon when Guy Sebastian and Paulini sing Receive the Power at Tumbalong Park, Darling Harbour. Starts 1.30pm. Mass at 6pm at St Mary's Cathedral.

Sunday 15 July

2.30pm: Cross & Icon arrive by Rivercat at Parramatta Wharf. Bishop Manning will preside at a welcoming liturgy on the north bank of the river. All welcome. 5.30pm: Youth Mass at St Patrick's Church, Blacktown, with an evening of praise and worship.

Thursday 19 July

St Thomas Aquinas Parish, Springwood. Evening encounters with parishes at Springwood, Emu Plains, Glenbrook, Katoomba, Lawson and Blackheath.

Penrith Sunday 22 July

Youth Event: Catechesis with Bishop Manning in the Cathedral Hall at 9.30am for young people (16-35). Youth Mass at 11am followed by light lunch at 12.30pm. RSVP: Tuesday 17 July tel (02) 8838 3418, 0409 399 505, youth@parra.catholic.org.au

The full program for the Journey of the Cross & Icon in the Diocese of Parramatta (15-22 July) is at:
www.parra.catholic.org.au/wyd08

**WYD08
380 days to go...**



Please remember in your prayers Mary Kingston's husband, **Travis**, who is ill.

Communion: Prayer of St Francis

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Make me a channel of your peace
where there is hatred let me bring your love
where there is injury your pardon, Lord
and where's doubt true faith in you.

**O Master, grant that I may never seek
so much to be consoled as to console
to be understood as to understand
to be loved as to love with all my soul.**

Make me a channel of your peace
where there's despair in life let me bring hope
where there is darkness, only light
and where there's sadness ever joy.

O Master...

Make me a channel of your peace
It is in pardoning that we are pardoned
in giving of ourselves that we receive
and in dying that we're born to eternal life.

Youth Officer:

St Thomas Aquinas Parish, Springwood is seeking the services of a Youth Officer. The position is part-time with negotiable hours. Some weekend work essential. Applications in writing to Father Peter Connelly no later than Friday, 22 July, 2007. For further details please see the notice board.

Pilgrimage walk in honour of
~ Our Lady of Fatima ~
on the 90th anniversary of
the apparitions~13 July '07.
Parramatta Cathedral
to Sydney Cathedral.
All welcome!!

See: www.fatima.org.au

St Vincent de Paul Society

The Blackheath Conference of SVP will meet this Tuesday, 3 July at 3.30pm in the Meeting Room.

St Vincent de Paul Buddies' Day

Springwood Aquatic Centre
Thursday 12th July
See Terry or Catherine after mass
for forms and details.

Happy Birthday

Camden Gilchrist for 2 July
Norma Longmuir for 4 July
Kate Forbes for 5 July
Christine Burke for 7 July
Michelle Davis for 7 July

Catholic Outlook July Issue

- * Dedication of Blessed John 23rd Church at Stanhope Gardens
- * Catholic women honoured
- * Top award for Director of Schools
- * WYD: program for visit of Cross & Icon in our Diocese
- * Film review: Amazing Grace – the story of William Wilberforce
- * Who is missing from our celebrations?

Gospel of Luke

Presenter: Fr John McSweeney
July 25, August 1, 8, 22, 29, September 5.
Time: 7pm – 9pm Cost: \$75
Venue: Institute for Mission
1-5 Marion Street, Blacktown.
Bookings Essential: 9831 4911
www.instituteformission.com.au