Deuteronomy 4:32-34,39-40 Our great God Romans 8:14-17 Our destiny Matthew 28:16-20 With us always

Responsorial Psalm: Happy the people the Lord has chosen to be His own. Gospel Acclamation: (sung) Alleluia!

Servers

11 June Pat Leeder 18 June Wavne Kelly

Readers

18 June

11 June 1st Reading Le Gras Family Ps/Intercessions Le Gras Family

2nd Reading 1st Reading

Le Gras Family Dominic Gilchrist

Ps/Intercessions 2nd Reading

Monica Bright Brian Bright

Ministers of the Eucharist

Diane Stewart and Marion Crowley 11 June Anthony Gilchrist and Jan Roberts 18 June

Children's Liturgy

11 June Carol Drummond

18 June Children remain in the Church

Counters

11 June Louise and Laurie

18 June Irene

Morning Tea

11 June Cathy Cavanagh Carroll Family 18 June

Church Cleaning

16 June Noeline and Kevin Phelps

23 June Judy Harris and Monica Van Horen

The Dr. Laurie Brooks Memorial Lecture 2006 What are Australian Values?

Do we need a Bill of Rights to maintain them?

A Lecture by Fr. Frank Brennan S.J. 8pm, Thursday 15th June 2006, St Dominic's, Penrith.

Trinity Sunday Year B

in a nutshell

How are we to understand the mystery of the **Trinity?** Perhaps it shows us something of the 'family life' of God, the communion between the Father, Son, and

Holy Spirit. The apostles are commissioned by Jesus to go and make disciples of all nations,

baptizing them in the name of the Father, Son and **Holy Spirit.**

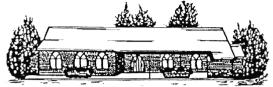
By our baptism we too share the life of the Trinity.

Men's Breakfast ~ Saturday 1 July

After the memorable presentation by Barry Roberts at our last breakfast. at great expense, we will be privileged to hear Peter Lindsay,

'Rumpole of Blackheath ~ The Diary of a Defence Barrister'.

SACREDHEARTPARISH



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. ~

Parish House 4787 8811 4787 6143 Parish Office email: shbheath@hermes.net.au 4787 8540

Blackheath Mass Sunday 9.30 am Liturgy of the Word and Communion Service Wednesday 9.00 am Praying the Gospel Wednesday 9.30 am Prayer of the Church Friday 9.00 am Meditative Prayer Service (one hour) using Scripture and Taizé music 4th Saturday of month 2.00 pm

Mount Victoria

Christian Meditation (one hour) **Every Wednesday** 7.00 am 1st Friday of month Mass 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 D P I@telpacific.com.au

Dear Friends,

O eternal Trinity!
Eternal Trinity!
O fire and deep well
of charity!
O You who are
madly in love with
your creature!
O eternal truth!
O eternal fire!

Prayer of St Catherine of Siena.



Blessings, Lyn.

Sacraments of Initiation

The Sacraments of Confirmation and First Eucharist will be celebrated on the Feast of the Body and Blood of Christ, next Sunday. Fr Paul Slyney will officiate. Please keep **Bradley, Peter, and Riley, and their families**, in your prayers, and let them know you are remembering them by signing their poster! They will appreciate it!

LANDSCAPING CHURCH GROUNDS: Sean Lillis will speak to interested parishioners about their preferences for landscaping the area in front of the Church Hall today after morning tea outside the hall.

Interested in Christian Meditation?

Perhaps the present time is too early, especially now winter is coming on or you might like to know more about it! After mass today at 10.45am there will be a gathering with Josephine to discuss times and venue/s.

Please note that there will be **no Meditative Prayer Service** at Mt Victoria this month.

♥ Happy Anniversary ♥Jane and Gerard Nolan for Today

Social Committee Meeting

Tuesday, 13th June, at Anne-Marie's, 85 Godson Ave, Blackheath at 2pm. All welcome.

Happy Birthday Isabella Nolan for 12th June Helen Burke for 14th June Colette Lillis for 16th June

June Cosmology MorningThe theme of the quiet meditation

this month is

"Light in Winter Darkness"
and the discussion will centre round
Chapter 5 - The Ecological Age in
Thomas Berry's book,
The Dream of the Earth.
Our gathering, which includes
morning tea, is from 10am till noon
on Friday, 16 June at the Good
Samaritan Community Centre,
3 Valley Road, Wentworth Falls.
Enquiries: Sister Jacinta 4757 2290.

Receipts for your donations to Diocesan Works Fund Pastoral Appeal are available in the Church foyer. If you didn't get one and need one, please leave a message on the Office phone.

Please keep in your prayers those who have died:

Bishop Leo Clarke

previously of Maitland-Newcastle Diocese and those whose anniversaries occur at this time:

Eric Noble ~ 11 June Ivan Naraj ~ 11 June Norma Ward ~ 16 June

>>> Coming Events <<<

Please see the notice board for brochures.

The World Youth Day

Forum being held at Mulgoa on 29 July.

Catholics and Jews: The Unfinished Agenda

Cathedral Hall, Parramatta. June 18 **HAS BEEN CANCELLED.**

'Go to all people everywhere and make them my disciples; baptise them in the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit."

Just before his Ascension, Jesus is instructing his disciples to go to the ends of the earth to spread the Good News. We cannot all be missionaries as Francis Xavier was but we all have a mission to spread the kingdom by the quality of our lives and by the generosity and concern we display in our relationships with others. Love must show itself in deeds, not just in words. Modern missionaries are now more sensitive to the cultural impact of their own country and style of Christianity on people first learning the Good News. Now there is an appreciation of the presence of God's truth to some extent in all spiritual beliefs. *Lord*, *teach* me to respect the beliefs of others while gently opening to them the truth of the Good News. From Dailu Prauer Online.

The **Annual Parish Dinner** is on **Saturday, 24th June** at **Redleaf Resort**.

The dinner will be a carvery and the price is \$28 pp. This covers: 2 choices of roast meat and vegetables; a chicken dish; rice; and a calamari dish.

A "serve yourself" dessert bar, tea and coffee.

There is a poster on the board outside the church door with further details.

Tickets are available from Anne-Marie on 4787 6325 and on Sunday, 18th June, after Mass there will be a table set up for this purpose. If you would like to arrange a table of 8, please let Anne-Marie know when buying your tickets.

Please keep in your prayers those who are ill especially, **Gavin Wilcox** and **Wladek Ziolkowski** (Marjanna Gilchrist's father).

MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER: Picture a weekend away, just you and your spouse – away from the pressures of every day living. Take time out to recharge your relationship batteries and rediscover each other's loving quality again. A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend offers couples an opportunity to refocus on each other and fall in love all over again!

Weekend dates: 23 - 25 June at Mt Schoenstadt, Mulgoa.

8-10 Sept at Sundown Motel Resort, Narrabundah, A.C.T.

For bookings/details contact: Maureen & Jim Willson tel. 02 9345 5402 or email <u>jandmwillson@optusnet.com.au</u> Information: see website <u>www.wwme.org.au</u>