Holy Family Como Bulletin

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Weekend Masses Saturday 6pm, Sunday 8.30am & 10.00am

Weekday Masses: Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday 9am, Friday 7pm,

Reconciliation: 5.30pm Saturday Baptisms, Marriage & Funerals: By appointment Only

Adoration: Thursday 9.30am-12.30pm Safeguarding Officers: Mark Ferroa 0425454763 & Breda Pires 0422237261

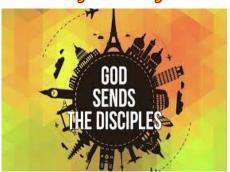
The Most Holy Trinity - Year B

"... make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit "Matthew 28: 16-20

"Prisoner of Tehran" ... and her loving God

In 1982, Marina Nemat was a 16-year-old living with her parents in Tehran when she found herself swept up in the cruel political reprisals of the Islamic revolution in her country.

Sunday 30 May 2021



Charged with betraying the revolution for articles she wrote for her high school newspaper, Marina spent more than two years in Iran's notorious Evin Prison where she was tortured, threatened with execution, lost many friends to state-sponsored violence, and forced to marry her prison interrogator. In two memoirs, Prisoner of Tehran and After Tehran, Marina recounts her experience in Evin and the long road to reclaiming her life.

In her second memoir, Marina Nemat recounts her struggle to build a new life for herself in Canada as a wife and mother. She writes how, in prison and now as an adult, her Christian understanding of God has been an anchor for her.

"The way I see Jesus has not changed much at all since I was a child, but my imprisonment and all that followed made me love Him even more. His being the Son of God makes sense to me because I believe God to be loving, just, forgiving, and merciful. I also believe that He respects free will. After all, He has given it to us so that we can choose to love or hate Him, do good or evil. But is it fair for a loving God to sit on His throne in Heaven and let us struggle and suffer on our own? Would any good father abandon his children this way? It makes perfect sense to me that God decided to come among us, live like us, and die a horribly painful death after being tortured. This is a God I can love with all my heart. A God who sets an example. A God who has bled and whose heart has been broken. This is who Jesus is to me. I don't pretend that I understand the Holy Trinity. But I understand love and sacrifice. I understand faithfulness."

When it comes to a description of God, even the greatest theologian is left babbling, for human language can never ultimately capture God's essence.



Our less-than-perfect metaphors do help us begin to grasp that Love is the heart of our Trinitarian faith:

the Love who created our world and fashioned it with care;

the Love who passionately desired to become one of us;

the Love who could never leave us but remains with us, illuminating every moment of our existence.

It is that Love who enables Marina Nemat to reclaim her life after her cruel imprisonment;

it is that Love who enables us to constantly reclaim our own.

COVID PRAYER

Lord Jesus when you walked with us on earth you spread your healing power. We entrust to you the families and communities affected by Coronavirus, wherever they may be. We pray especially for health care workers, that you may guide and protect them. We pray that your spirit might inspire those researching new medicines and treatments. Grant us the courage not to rush back to our old ways, but to rebuild our world together, creating foundations of justice, with equality and peace for all. And in the midst of this, keep us strong in faith, hope and love. We lift our prayer to you Lord, and trust in your infinite mercy, as we wait for the daybreak. Amen

HOLY FAMILY DIARY 1 - 7 June 2021

Monday 1 June

- No Mass

Tuesday 2 June

- 8.45am Rosary
- 9.00am **No Mass**
- 10.00am FUNERAL MASS FOR JILL MCGIMPSEY-EVANS

Wednesday 3 June

- 9.00am Mass
- 9.30am Craft Group MtgRm1

Thursday 4 June

- 9.00am Mass
- 9.30am-12.00pm Adoration

Friday 5 June

- 7.00pm Mass

Saturday 6 June

- 6.00pm Mass

Sunday 7 June Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ

- 8.30am Mass
- 10.00am Mass

Pope Francis suggests people have moral obligation to take coronavirus vaccine

COVID-19 vaccination: Having doubts about whether or not to have the vaccine? The Church is strongly in favour of Catholics worldwide having the vaccine to help end the death and misery of the pandemic and for the greater good. For more information, go to: https://www.ncronline.org/news/vatican/pope-francis-suggests-people-

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES MAY 2021

Congratulations to those who celebrate their anniversaries this month. Ian & Robyn Sydney-Smith,
Monica & Gerald Molt,
Richard & Judy Priestley,
Rosemary & Bruno Celedin,
Mary-Jo & Phil Sieber,
Jonathan & Colette Shack,
Armando & Mariola Da Rocha,
Xianjin Chen & Fang Lin,
George & Irene Tan,
John & Elaine Loughnan,
Phillip & Josephine Ong
Sandy & Shay Noronha
God Bless you on your special day

You're Invited To Weekly Mass and Prayer Every Friday 7.00-7.30pm

For all affected by, and living in the shadow of Coronavirus Including: Mass, Anointing of the sick, Prayer

We hear everyday how this devastating virus is affecting the day-to-day lives of millions across the world. We are encouraged to gather as a Community to pray for all the victims - deceased & suffering

For all Medical Personal, For all Carers and Relatives, For Community Leaders.

Join us as we pray for God's guidance and care as the world seeks a way forward.

The Fundraising
Committee would
like to thank all the
businesses in our
community who generously
donated goods for our
Hampers at our Mother's Day
fundraiser. All have been sent
letters thanking them for their
generosity.

MASS OFFERING (at all Masses)
All affected by Coronavirus
Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islanders

RECENTLY DEPARTED

Jill McGimpsey-Evans

POWER OF PRAYER

Barbara Todd, Rose, Adelene, Maureen, David, Fitzgerald Family, Nell Caulfield, Peter Cox, Norah Langshaw, Ng Chai Hong, Waminda Residents, Stella & Family, Reamae David, Mary Colladel, Maureen Galligan, David, Vicki, Ann Hughes, Trish P, Daisy Givens, Nadia O'Brien, Nadia Ferroa, Mary & Ben Bianchini, Kennedy Family, Melvyn, Toni Whitehead, John & Mary Hippolite, Ng Choon Bee, Luke, Bill Wagner, Ros MacPherson, Ed Devereux, Nena Giannini, Rhys, Vikki Hook, Christine Drury, Joy & Reg Groutsch, Michelle Rogers, Michelle Gianatti, Carmela Scurria

There will be no 9am Mass this **Tuesday 2nd June** due to the funeral mass being held for Jill McGimpsey-Evans at 10am.

May she rest in Peace



RECONCILIATION WEEK

This began Thursday 27th May, marking 20 years of Reconciliation.

Reconciliation is a journey for all Australians – as individuals, families, communities, organisations and importantly as a nation. At the heart of this journey are relationships between the broader Australian community and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples. The week ends June 3rd marking 29 years since the Mabo decision, To learn more go to:

nrw.reconciliation.org.au

The Gift of the Sense of Sight

Exploring the eye of the beholder. Visiting the colours and textures, which enhance life's journey as we recognise the wonder of God within us. Thursday 17th June 2021
For further details please see Flyer on Parish Notice Board. Facilitators: Catherine Warner PBMV Megan

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MICROPHONE MISSING

There is a missing microphone which is used by the choirs. If anyone has borrowed this, can they please return ASAP.



NEXT PARISH MORNING TEA

will be on June 13th Register to help out on the sheet in the foyer. Thank you.



Liturgy of the Word - The Most Holy Trinity - Year B

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

Blest be God the Father, and the Only Begotten Son of God, and also the Holy Spirit, for he has shown us his merciful love.

FIRST READING

Deuteronomy 4:32-34 39-40 Moses said to the people: "Put this question to the ages that are past, that went before you, from the time God created man on earth: Was there ever a word so majestic, from one end of heaven to the other? Was anything ever heard? Did ever a people hear the voice of the living God speaking from the heart of the fire, as you heard it, and remain alive? Has any God ventured to take to himself one nation from the midst of another by ordeals, signs, wonders, war with mighty hand and outstretched arm, by fearsome terrors- all this that the Lord your God did for you before your eyes in Egypt? "Understand this today, therefore, and take it to heart: The Lord is God indeed, in Heaven above as on earth beneath, he and no other. Keep his laws and commandments as I give them to you today so that you and your children may prosper and live long in the land that the Lord your God gives you for ever."

The word of the Lord

RESPONSORIAL PSALM R. Happy the people the Lord has chosen to be his own.

- 1. The word of the Lord is faithful and all his works to be trusted. The Lord loves justice and right and fills the earth with his love. R
- 2. By his word the heavens were made, by the breath of his mouth all the stars. He spoke; and they came to be. He commanded; they sprang into being R
- 3. The Lord looks on those who revere him, on those who hope in his love, to rescue their souls from death, to keep them alive in famine R

4. Our soul is waiting for the Lord. The Lord is our help and our shield. May your love be upon us, O Lord, as we place all our hope in you **R**

SECOND READING

Romans 8:14-17
Everyone moved by the Spirit is a son of God. The Spirit you received is not the Spirit of slaves bringing fear into your lives again; it is the Spirit of sons, and it makes us cry out, "Abba Father!" The Spirit himself and our spirit bear united witness that we are children of God. And if we are children we are heirs as well: heirs of God and coheirs with Christ, sharing his sufferings so as to share his glory.

The word of the Lord

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!

Glory to the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit: to God who is, who was, and who is to come.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL

Matthew 28:16-20

The eleven disciples set out for Galilee, to the mountain where Jesus had arranged to meet them. When they saw him they fell down before him, though some hesitated. Jesus came up and spoke to them. He said, "All authority in Heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go, therefore, make disciples of all the nations; baptise them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teach them to observe all the commands I gave you. And know that I am with you always; yes, to the end of time".

The Gospel of the Lord

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Since you are children of God, God has sent into your hearts the Spirit of his Son, the Spirit who cries out: Abba, Father

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

God shares himself with us through the three persons of the Trinity. We share the love of God the Father, the goodness of Jesus the Son, and the friendship of the Holy Sprit.

LET US PRAY

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit. As it was in the beginning is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.



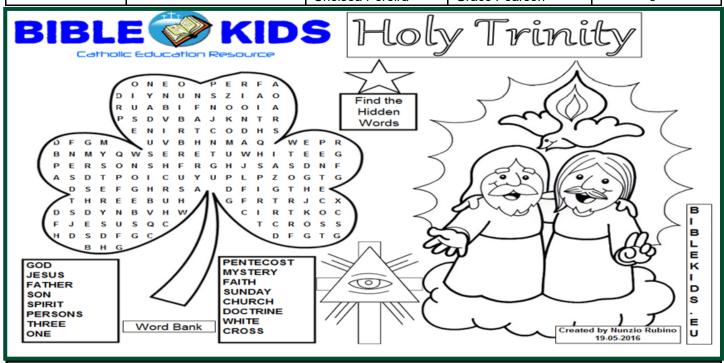
NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ

Exodus 24:3-8 Psalm 115:12-13, 15-18 Hebrews 9:11-15 Mark 14:12-16, 22-26

Commentator/Reader Roster for May/June 2021						
Date		Saturday 6pm	Sunday 8.30am	Sunday 10am		
29th/30th May	Most Holy Trinity	Saschelle Blake	Jill Hatherley	Anne Armstrong		
5th/6th June	Body and Blood of Christ	Amanda Johnson	Jill Browne	Regina Crothers		
12th/13th June	11th Sunday Ord Time	Marina Pavey	Colette Shack	Fiona Wee		

Acolyte Roster for May/June 2021							
Date		Saturday 6pm	Sunday 8.30am	Sunday 10am			
29th/30th May	Most Holy Trinity	Vince Scanlan	John Newman	James Chong			
5th/6th June	Body and Blood of Christ	Carl Celedin	Joni Wijaya	Tony Bray			
12th/13th June	11th Sunday Ord Time	David Pereira	Bill Staude	James Chong			

Altar Server Roster for May/June 2021							
Date		Saturday 6pm	Sunday 8.30am	Sunday 10am			
29th/30th May	Most Holy Trinity	Jocelyn Singgih Elizabeth Morris	Leo Newman Claudia Taylor-Beard	Bryan Chong Shenaya Wijeyekoon			
5th/6th June	Body and Blood of Christ	Elisha Seow Jackson Blake	Rachael Wu Cara Zappia	K Don Shenehan K Don Shannel			
12th/13th June	11th Sunday Ord Time	Preston Pereira Chelsea Pereira	Zara Pearson Grace Pearson	Bryan Chong Shiori Ong			



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