

St Joseph's Catholic Church Riverwood

26 Thurlow Street, Riverwood 2210

Rev John Doherty – Parish Priest

Rev Mr William Fernandes - Parish Deacon

Mrs Margaret Doherty-Brady – Parish Secretary Tue & Wed 9.30am – 2.30pm

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St Joseph's Catholic Primary School, Riverwood

Mr Steve Darcy – Principal Phone: 9533 3341

Saturday	6pm	DMC	5:30pm	Baptisms	By appointment
Sunday	7:30 am			Marriages	By appointment
	9:30 am		(livestreamed)	Confessions	Saturday after 9am Mass & 5:00 - 5:45 pm
Tuesday	No Mass			Exposition	Friday, 7:30 to 8:30pm (with benediction) Tue-Thu, after Mass
Wednesday	6.30am				
Thursday	6.30am				
Friday	6.30am				
Saturday	9am				

16 April 2023: Second Sunday of Easter Divine Mercy Sunday

Masses and prayers: Please pray for Fr John Keeble (recently deceased), John Reid, Family Beljo, John Albatti, Enzo Neri (ann. 7/4), Noel Patrick Heys (ann. 16/4), Natale Tesoriero, Grazia Lauricella, Henri, Yolande & Yves Zacaropoulos and the sick including Danny Mangion, Toni Stevens.

Rosary Statue: Betty Lynch.

The Divine Mercy Sunday celebration on 16 April 2023 from 8:30am, please bring a flower from your garden. Morning tea after the 9:30am Mass.

Riverwood Community Centre hosting a variety of events, including a free BBQ, during the school holidays and beyond. Please see notice at back of church.

An Evening with Sherry Weddell International speaker and author of 'Forming International Disciples: The Path to Knowing and Following Jesus' on Monday 22 May at Liverpool and Wednesday 24 May at Strathfield. Cost \$30 plus booking fees. Refreshments served 6pm to 645pm. Registrations open <https://www.gomakedisciples.org.au/cas-events/>

Camino of St Joseph – Overnight Walking Pilgrimage for Men 28 April 8:30pm St Mary's Cathedral with Mass celebrated by Bishop Richard Umbers. Confession from 7:30pm. Pilgrimage across 9 churches in Sydney's inner west. Concludes 29 April 6.30am at St Joseph's Enfield with Mass followed by BBQ breakfast and celebration. Adoration at each church followed by a short reflection on St Joseph.

Register now: <https://www.trybooking.com/events/landing/1032826>

Syrian Earthquake Appeal Melkite Charitable Foundation - All donations are tax deductible. For a receipt email mcf@melkite.org.au or contact 9750 5514. Donate to: MCF DGR Account Ref Syrian Appeal BSB 062784 ACC 100011493

Working with Children Check updating of contact details: A reminder that everyone who holds a WWCC is legally required to update their contact details, including any name or address changes within three months of changing them. Click on <https://wwccheck.ocg.nsw.gov.au/ChangeDetails> to make any changes. Please contact the Parish Office if you need help with this.

Collections Last Week

1st: \$,1079.10	2nd: \$1,027.80	Envelopes: \$1,981.00	Tap & Go donations: \$230.00
Project Compassion to date: \$2,554.45			
Money Counters Roster	Sun 16 Apr	John Owen, Karl Helene	
	Sun 23 Apr	Geoff Stevens, Darijo Cakarun	

Parish Liturgy Roster

	Acolytes and Ministers	Lectors	Altar Servers
Sat 15 Apr Vigil	Dcn Fernandes	Norina Fndato Mia Trinidad	David B, Sean F, James G, Matthew M
Sun 16 Apr 7:30am	James Dixon	Darijo Cakarun Dominic Roy	Kira B, Tom B, Lincoln S, Joseph T
Sun 16 Apr 9:30am	Sr Assunta	Tony Estep Edita Estep	Chelsea A, Nathan A, Kristan D, Manaia W
Sat 22 Apr Vigil	James Dixon	Russel Rodrigues	Justine A, Janemarie A, Sean F, Jovan L, Jeriah L
Sun 23 Apr 7:30am	Dcn Fernandes	Darijo Cakarun Dominic Roy	Kira B, Tom B, Lincoln S
Sun 23 Apr 9:30am	Sr Assunta	Lydia Atmadja Andrew D'Cruze	Chelsea A, Nathan A, Jayden H, Nathan H, Manaia W

Altar Society

Sat 15 Apr	Mary Glen, Judith Connolly, Colleen Goddard
Sat 22 Apr	Christina Coogan, Denise Orazi

Upcoming Parish Events

	Wed-Thu	after Mass	Exposition
Tues	18 Apr	No Morning Mass	Fr John away
19 Apr	Wed	11am	Banks Lodge Aged Care Mass
21 Apr	Fri	7:30 – 8:30pm	Exposition and Benediction