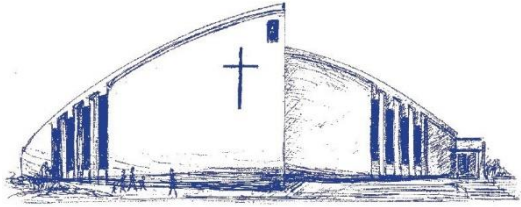


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St Michael's Lane Cove
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Sunday Morning Mass: 9.30am
Sunday Evening Mass: 6.00pm
Tue-Thu, & Sat: 9.15am
Friday: 12.00noon

Mary Help of Christians Chapel
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Sunday Morning Mass: 8.00am
Weekdays Mon-Sat: 8.30am

Dalton Memorial Chapel, Riverview
Sunday (during school term only) 7.30am

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PARISH BULLETIN

Sunday, 16 February, 2025

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Dear Friends,

This week the Archdiocese of Sydney launched a web-page promoting the *2025 Pilgrims of Hope Jubilee Year*. This web-page has an explanation of what a Jubilee Year is and why it is special; an explanation of what a pilgrimage is; a list of local pilgrimage destinations identified for Sydney; and an explanation of what an Indulgence is. The web page can be found at: www.sydneycatholic.org/jubilee-year-2025/

We are currently looking to recruit volunteers for our parish Hospitality Team. Our Hospitality Team—led by the wonderful, friendly Elena Borzilo—helps to set-up, serve, and clean-up at the various parish morning-teas and events. The Hospitality Team is a very important parish group because it helps to create the welcoming, social setting where friendships are made and community is built. The value of generous hospitality cannot be overstated and the Hospitality Team is instrumental in making our parish a warm, inviting, friendly community. Many people today are looking for community and we are very well placed to offer it. If you would like to join the Hospitality Team and enrich our parish as a volunteer, please contact our Parish Secretary Jo Tabuteau on 9427 2034.

Finally, RCIA members are meeting this Wednesday night the 19th to learn about the Mass; and the Young Adults Group will be meeting this Friday night the 21st for their social dinner at the Longueville Hotel (check Whats-App group for the start time).

God love you, Fr. Mark

St Michael's Church Liturgical Roster

	This Week 16/2	Next Week 23/2
6pm Vigil Mass		
<i>Reader:</i>	Mark Galvin	Daniel
<i>Server:</i>	Paul McGregor William Elvey	Paul McGregor William Elvey
9.30am Mass		
<i>Reader:</i>	Ferdi Kawiadji	Green House: McGuire
<i>Server:</i>	Sean Geraghty Avangeline Hee	Edith Lam Avangeline Hee
Ch. Lit. Leader	Philip Montano	Sophie MacIntosh
Ch. Lit. Assistant	Nicola Verissimo	Idalia Butler
Ch. Lit. Assistant	Nicole Price	Gabrielle Hall
6pm Mass		
<i>Reader:</i>	Mike Dal Maso	Daniel Pilz
<i>Server:</i>	Marcus Pinzone	Sean Geraghty Marcus Pinzone

First Reading Jeremiah 17:5-8

A reading from the prophet Jeremiah

The Lord says this:

'A curse on the man who puts his trust in man,
who relies on things of flesh,
whose heart turns from the Lord.
He is like dry scrub in the wastelands:
if good comes, he has no eyes for it,
he settles in the parched places of the wilderness,
a salt land, uninhabited.

'A blessing on the man who puts his trust in the Lord,
with the Lord for his hope.
He is like a tree by the waterside
that thrusts its roots to the stream:
when the heat comes it feels no alarm,
its foliage stays green;
it has no worries in a year of drought,
and never ceases to bear fruit.'

The Word of the Lord

All: Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm Ps 1:1-4. R. Ps 39:5

(R.) Happy are they who hope in the Lord.

1. Happy indeed is the man
who follows not the counsel of the wicked;
nor lingers in the way of sinners
nor sits in the company of scorners,
but whose delight is the law of the Lord
and who ponders his law day and night. **(R.)**
2. He is like a tree that is planted
beside the flowing waters,
that yields its fruit in due season
and whose leaves shall never fade;
and all that he does shall prosper. **(R.)**
3. Not so are the wicked, not so!
For they like winnowed chaff
shall be driven away by the wind.
For the Lord guards the way of the just
but the way of the wicked leads to doom. **(R.)**

Second Reading 1 Corinthians 15:12, 16-20

A reading from the first letter of St Paul to the Corinthians

If Christ raised from the dead is what has been preached, how can some of you be saying that there is no resurrection of the dead? For if the dead are not raised, Christ has not been raised, and if Christ has not been raised, you are still in your sins. And what is more serious, all who have died in Christ have perished. If our hope in Christ has been for this life only, we are the most unfortunate of all people. But Christ has in fact been

raised from the dead, the first-fruits of all who have fallen asleep.

The Word of the Lord

All: Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation Luke 6:23

Alleluia, alleluia!
Rejoice and be glad;
your reward is great in heaven.
Alleluia!

Gospel Luke 6:17. 20-26

Jesus came down with the Twelve and stopped at a piece of level ground where there was a large gathering of his disciples with a great crowd of people from all parts of Judaea and from Jerusalem and from the coastal region of Tyre and Sidon who had come to hear him and to be cured of their diseases.

Then fixing his eyes on his disciples he said:

'How happy are you who are poor: yours is the kingdom of God.

Happy you who are hungry now: you shall be satisfied.
Happy you who weep now: you shall laugh.

'Happy are you when people hate you, drive you out, abuse you, denounce your name as criminal, on account of the Son of Man. Rejoice when that day comes and dance for joy, for then your reward will be great in heaven. This was the way their ancestors treated the prophets.

'But alas for you who are rich: you are having your consolation now.

Alas for you who have your fill now: you shall go hungry.
Alas for you who laugh now: you shall mourn and weep.

'Alas for you when the world speaks well of you! This was the way their ancestors treated the false prophets.'

The Word of the Lord

All: Thanks be to God.

Planned Giving Envelopes

2025 Planned Giving Envelopes are available to be collected in the Piety Stall Area.

In our prayers and Masses, we remember:

Our loved ones who are sick: Sr Elizabeth Browne-Russell, Mary Jo Geraghty, Zoe Stewart, Hoa Tran, Marie Salon, Helen Malloy, Lynne Duncan, Christine Oberle.
Sick List renewed every 6 months.

Our loved ones who have recently passed away:

Peta (Nance) Smith

Anniversaries of our deceased loved ones: Dorothy Marr
Alberto Pina, Normand Mallillin, Tony Thistlewood
Anniversaries List renewed every 3 weeks.