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Parish Office Hours

Mon-Fri: 10:00am-3:00pm

Catholic Parish of St Kevin Eastwood



Weekend Masses: Vigil Sat 5:30pm,

Sun 7:30am, 9:00am, 10:30am,

12noon (Chinese) & 6:00pm

Weekday Masses: Mon – Thurs. 7:30am, Fri 5:00pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Sat 5:00-5:20pm

Our Lady of Miraculous Medal Rosary & Novena Prayers:

Tue 7:00-7:30pm (Holy Family Chapel)

Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time, 18th Nov 2018

Our Deceased: Tony Youssef, Geoff Clarke, Kwei Fong Fu, Young Hwan Ho, Yong Min Ho, Young Seok Seo, Soo Woog Jin, Maria Hur, Felix Michael Beins, Cecile Beins, Jan Brayan, Mary Duck, Ces Regan and Charlotte Saunders

Our Sick: Sharma Cooray, Robert Lauw, Philippa Flahey, Noelene Wilkinson

Upcoming Saints Feast Day: St Elizabeth of Hungary 17th Nov

Parish News: WORLD DAY OF THE POOR, 18 NOVEMBER 2018

- **Thank you for your generosity to the Charitable Works Fund Appeal.** We have raised \$7,109 to support the charitable and pastoral activities of the Archdiocese of Sydney.
- **New liturgical rosters will be available for collection next weekend. Thank you.**
- **We would like to thank everyone who attended Fr Leo's talk last Thursday night.** We hope that you have enjoyed and was inspired to say **'Grace Before Meals'** on your dinner table.
- **We welcome into the family of God, Julian and Asha, who will be baptized this weekend.**
- **FESTIVAL OF ST CECILIA - next weekend in the church.** Please pick up a flyer as you leave the church. All masses as usual but with enhanced music. Sunday afternoon concert includes visiting groups, soloists and choristers. Details at www.kevinwood.org. Like to sing in the Faure Requiem at 3pm? Call Suzanne ☎9874 2809. YOUNG members of the congregation, please bring any animal toys for Noah's Ark musical cantata at 5pm Sunday.



All are invited to a Reflection Day on the theme, "What Really Matters," on Fri 7th Dec 9.15am-2.30pm at Holy Name of Mary Parish Hall, 1 Mary St, Hunters Hill. The day offers an opportunity to relax, reflect, renew and be spiritually nourished. Cost: \$15 includes Mass, morning tea & lunch. RSVP by Dec 5 to alison.khalil@syd.catholic.edu.au or leave your name & \$15 in an envelope at the parish or school office. Details on noticeboard.

Men's Shed is a place where men can make things (coffee table, wooden toys, etc.) It is also a place where you can help others learn a new skill. A public meeting is planned for men in the Epping community interested in starting a **Men's Shed on Wed 21st of Nov 7pm at North Epping Bowling and Community Club at 132 Boundary Rd.** More info on the noticeboard.

Plenary Council: How will our voice be heard?

Between now and Mar 6, 2019, we are all invited to submit our responses to the question "What do you think God is asking of us at this time?" All responses are read and compiled by the plenary team. In May 2019, major themes emerging from our feedback are announced. Teams are formed across the country to consider these themes, and we are invited to consider the possibilities for how these themes can come to life in the future. In 2020, these themes are consolidated into formal submissions to the Plenary Council where they are discussed and voted upon by the bishops. In 2021 and beyond, we bring to life the decisions of the plenary.

A Point to Ponder: *'Nothing in life is to be feared. It is only to be understood'* – Marie Curie

ARMISTICE DAY, 2018

The word *armistice* is best understood as being an agreement whereby people from the opposing sides of a conflict choose to make peace with each other. It can be applied to individuals as well as groups of people of various sizes.

November 11 this year marked the 100 year anniversary of the *armistice* that marked the closure of World War 1, this event profoundly affected the Australian people. In 1918 the population of Australia was nearly 5 million and about 340,000 men served our nation as allies to the British in various parts of Europe. There would have hardly been any Australian family who in some way were not directly or indirectly effected by the horror of this conflict. It is recorded that 61, 514 soldiers were killed and a massive 170,000 people were seriously injured. This meant that 55% of the active service personnel were either killed or were seriously injured. It should be acknowledged that about 3000 brave Australian women ministered to the soldiers as nurses both overseas and in Australia. What is often not widely known is that 33,202 young Australian soldiers are buried in France, 12,751 in Belgium and 7,260 in Turkey. General Douglas MacArthur wrote this profound insight about war that I think is worth remembering at this time; "it is the soldier above all who prays for peace as they are the ones who most suffer the deepest wounds and scars of war." **LEST WE FORGET** - Fr Martin R Maunsell

NORMS FOR THE PLACE OF CELEBRATING THE SACRAMENT OF PENANCE WITH MINORS, AND FOR THE CONFIGURATION OF CONFSSIONALS IN CHURCHES AND ORATORIES WITHIN THE ARCHDIOCESE OF SYDNEY has been posted in the noticeboard outside the Church for your attention. Thank you.

NEXT WEEK'S ROSTER – 25th Nov, 2018

(AV Projectionist 9am Mass – D Tugaoen)

Mass	Senior Servers	Junior Servers	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers
Vigil	C Tumminello	C Quizon C Kandalaft	R: to be advised C: M Wilkinson	G Kandalaft, C Jackson A Khalil, A Mazzei
7:30am	B Gibson		R: E Parker C: P Parker	E Wicks, A Lawrence D O'Connor, Q Huynh
9:00am	S Dick	S Sultana A Sultana	R: M Young C: P Ryan	D Tan, A Wahbe R Harvie, Z Pace
10:30am	A Rahme	J Ferris R Ferris	R: P Zangari C: A Hogan	L Murphy, S Mastrogiovanni Br J Guthrie, T Taber
6:00pm	T Jonas	A Holowinski S Saad	R: S Polson C: A Jonas	K Jonas, T Moses K Anderson, J Chang

(Counters: 26th Nov – M Hill, H Reay, D Macedo, R Saez)