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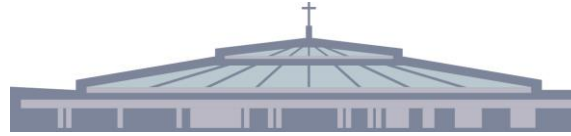
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Parish Office Hours

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 5:00-5:30pm

Our Lady of Miraculous Medal Rosary & Novena Prayers:

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

## Easter Sunday – 21 April, 2019

**Our Deceased:** Leonard Nealon, Noelene Carroll, Geoff Clarke, Kwei Fong Fu, Young Hwan Ho, Yong Min Ho, Young Seok Seo, Soo Woog Jin, Maria Hur, Felix Beins, Cecile Beins, Jan Brayan, Mary Duck, Ces Regan; Paul Phelan; Tony & Rose Isaac, Mehzen Moujalli; deceased members of the Allman & Hildebrand families; Alan & Molly McNamara, Bill & Eileen Taylor, Amy Murry, Katherine Corbett, Win Tranor, Fr John Haseler, Sandra Walsh, Jim Grainger, Fr John Lyne and James Bertoldo

**Our Sick:** Robert Lauw, Philippa Flahey, Tenille Moujalli, June Phelan and Anne McIntyre

**Upcoming Feast Day:** St Mark the Evangelist, 25<sup>th</sup> April, Divine Mercy Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> April

**Parish News:**

- **Congratulations to Martin Yu, Ijeoma Blessing Ehighibe, Lee Anne Magri, Adam and Weiwei Fyfe who will be receiving the sacrament of Christian Initiation this Easter!**
- **We welcome into the family of God, Tara Jean Yu, Samuel Magri, Lucy Magri, Ava and Zoe Fyfe who will be receiving the sacrament of Baptism this Easter!**
- **Please place your Project Compassion Boxes** in the collection box located at the main entrance of the Church. Thank you.
- **On Thurs 25<sup>th</sup> April, ANZAC Day Mass will be celebrated at 9.15am followed by morning tea outside the Church. NO 7:30AM MASS on that day.**



## WISHING YOU ALL THE JOYFUL BLESSINGS OF EASTER!

### EASTER REFLECTION 2019

It is a fair comment to make that we are living in a world where there are constant wanted and unwanted surprises! A definite wanted surprise was last year when the Thai rescue mission succeeded in bringing back alive and well the trapped boys and their coach. A definite unwanted surprise was the recent tragic shooting massacre in Christchurch, New Zealand.

The Easter event in Jerusalem nearly 2000 years ago also had a number of surprises. It begun with Mary of Mandala after arriving at the tomb of her friend and Lord to anoint his body, soon exclaiming to the apostles; *“They have taken the Lord out of the tomb and we don’t know where they have put him.”* Then soon after Peter and John rushed to the now emptied tomb and saw it empty, they in time probably surprised themselves that they; *“failed to understand the teaching that he must rise from the dead.”* A constant Easter message is that God’s ways are so often not the ways of this world. Perhaps the challenge for us this Easter is to remember to be open to the power of God’s Holy Spirit who is able to bring life from death and hope from despair. Because the son of God rose from the dead, he is spiritually with us to support us in life’s good and bad times in a way that no one else can. This is really the Good News of Easter! Fr Martin R Maunsell



**Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible: We will be holding an 8 week program here at St Kevin’s every Monday at 7pm, from May 6 - June 24.** If you would like to have a deeper relationship with God and a better understanding of your faith, then join us for Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible. For info: ✉ [alison.khalil@syd.catholic.edu.au](mailto:alison.khalil@syd.catholic.edu.au). or visit: [AscensionPress.com](http://AscensionPress.com). Registration is FREE, contact the parish office ☎ 9874 2533.

**Easter Reflections by Fr Elmer I. Ibarra, SVD on Friday, 26th of April from 7.30-8.30pm at SVD Community Hall, Divine Word Missionaries Provincial House, 199 Epping Rd, Marsfield. Admission is FREE.** You may bring a pack of cookies for fellowship afterwards.

**Right to Life Australia will be having an Information Night on “Upholding the dignity of life from the beginning until life’s natural end” on Mon, 29<sup>th</sup> April, 7.30pm at St Kevin’s Parish Hall (Haseler Centre, 36 Hillview Rd., Eastwood).** For info contact Michael/Mary (03) 9385 0100 or see poster for details. ALL WELCOME. Refreshments to follow. For catering purposes, RSVP to: [www.righttolife.com.au/event](http://www.righttolife.com.au/event) or ✉: [rtl@rtltaust.com](mailto:rtl@rtltaust.com) or ☎ 9874 2533.

**Join the Celebrations for Divine Mercy Sunday on 28th April at St Agatha’s Pennant Hills,** between 1:30-5pm, including Reconciliation at 1pm, **Mass at 2pm**, Benediction, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Veneration of the Divine Mercy Image. Please bring a plate (if you can) for afternoon tea. All welcome. Enquiries: Greg 0419 228 199



**A message from the Archdiocese of Sydney:** Any form of abuse can be a crime. The appropriate people to deal with this is your local police. If the crime happens within the Church, you can also contact the Church’s Safeguarding and Ministerial Integrity Office at 9390 5810 or [safeguardingenquiries@sydneycatholic.org](mailto:safeguardingenquiries@sydneycatholic.org). Your Parish Priest can also offer support & guidance. The Archdiocese has a legal obligation to report any crime to the police.

### NEXT WEEK’S ROSTER – 28<sup>th</sup> Apr, 2019

(AV Projectionist 9am Mass – M Nassif)

Mass	Senior Servers	Junior Servers	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers
Vigil	C Tumminello	L Garcia L Garcia	R: L Laybutt C: S Fernando	L Persia, F Reay A Mazzei, S Youssef
7:30am	S Coorey		R: P Porta C: L Scully	T Elias, J Gwynne A Lawrence, L Boudaher
9:00am	V Chapman	A McCosker R Liong	R: R Debeck C: N Akdagcik	S Youssef, R Boey J McCosker, D Tan
10:30am	B Rigney	T Egan	R: C Angeles C: J Angeles	C Rigney, S Basha R Elliott, S Zavesky
6:00pm	E O’Regan	A DiBella S Mourani	R: A Dibella C: N Williams	C & V Mourani S Ramundi, T Moses

(Counters: 29<sup>th</sup> Apr – H Reay, J & J Murray)