

# FR ALLO WRITES...

## “Missionary Face of the Church”

(Mark 6:7-13)

Today’s gospel is inviting us to reflect on our call which is not just a personal spiritual journey with Jesus and towards Him but as a community, the Church. Jesus summoned his disciples to go out to spread the “GOOD NEWS” which is not just words but also pastoral work among the people especially the marginalized and the needy ones. For that he gave them “authority over sickness and unclean spirits”.

Pope Francis in “Evangelii Gaudium” reminds us of the missionary dimension of our call. We have to be “missionary disciples”. In the line to that, it’s worth to reflect on what was written by John O’Malley SJ, the finest contemporary historian of Vatican II. He has provided us with ‘a simple litany’ of the changes in church style indicated by the council’s vocabulary:

*“The Church has to change  
from commands to invitations,  
from laws to ideals,  
from threats to persuasion,  
from coercion to conscience,  
from monologue to conversation,  
from ruling to serving,  
from withdrawn to integrated,  
from vertical and top-down to horizontal,  
from exclusion to inclusion,  
from hostility to friendship,  
from static to changing,  
from passive acceptance to active engagement,  
from prescriptive to principled,  
from defiant to open-ended,  
from behaviour modification to conversion of heart,  
from the dictates of law to the dictates of conscience,  
from external conformity to the joyful pursuit of holiness.”*  
(see ‘What happened at Vatican II?’, Harvard Uni Press 2010, page 307)

And Pope Francis added: *“I prefer a church which is bruised, hurting and dirty because it has been out on the streets, rather than a church which is unhealthy from being confined and from clinging to its own security,”* he wrote. *“I do not want a church concerned with being at the center and then ends up by being caught up in a web of obsessions and procedures.”*



### THIS WEEK

#### SATURDAY 11 JULY

6:00pm Mass

#### SUNDAY 12 JULY

9:30am Mass + Kids Church, Morning Tea

3:30pm Indonesian Mass

6:00pm Mass

#### MONDAY 13 JULY

9:00am Mass

#### WEDNESDAY 15 JULY

9:00am Mass

#### FRIDAY 17 JULY

9:00am Mass

#### SATURDAY 18 JULY

6:00pm

#### SUNDAY 19 JULY

9:30am Blessing Mass for Parish First

Eucharist children + Kids Church,

Morning Tea

11:00am French Mass

3:30pm Indonesian Mass

6:00pm Mass

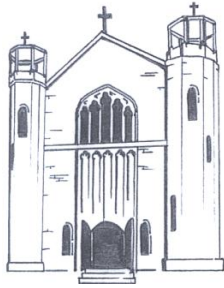
### ARE YOU NEW TO THE PARISH?

*Welcome! Let us know how we can support you in your faith journey. Please introduce yourself to the parish priest and/or one of the hospitality team at morning tea.*

### SIGN UP!

Get the OLR eNews in your inbox each Friday afternoon.

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Fr Aloysius Lamere msc

**PARISH SECRETARY**

Maria Caetano (Mon-Fri, 9am-1pm)

**MASS TIMES**

Sat - 6pm (Vigil)

Sun - 9:30am (Family), 6pm

Mon, Wed, Fri - 9am

Indonesian Mass Sun - 3:30pm

French Mass Third Sun - 11am

**RECONCILIATION**

Mon 9:30am or by appointment

**HOLY HOUR + RECONCILIATION**

Thursday before 1<sup>st</sup> Friday - 7:00pm

**INDONESIAN COMMUNITY**

Fr Aloysius Tamnge msc – 0426 042 624

**BAPTISMS**

First Sunday - 11am, bookings required

**WEDDINGS**

By Appointment

**SACRAMENTS**

Contact parish office

**OLR PRIMARY SCHOOL PRINCIPAL**

Marie Nilon – 9663 3346

**OLSH COLLEGE PRINCIPAL**

Jenny Fowler – 9662 4088

**JUSTICE OF THE PEACE**

Roy Rigotti - 9313 8334, is a JP and is happy to sign documents as required.

## RESPONSES

**ENTRANCE ANTIPHON**

As for me, in justice I shall behold your face;  
I shall be filled with the vision of your glory.

**FIRST READING**

Amos 7: 12-15

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM**

Lord, show us your mercy and love,  
and grant us your salvation.

**SECOND READING**

Ephesians 1: 3-14

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

Alleluia, alleluia!

May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ enlighten the eyes of our heart that we might see how great is the hope to which we are called. Alleluia.

**GOSPEL**

Mark 6: 7-13

**COMMUNION ANTIPHON**

The sparrow finds a home, and the swallow a nest for her young: by your altars, O Lord of hosts, my King and my God. Blessed are they who dwell in your house, for ever singing your praise.

## OREMUS

*Let us Pray*

**SICK**

Lil Siely, Kate Lingard, Marie Burke, Kath Neale, Karen Lamb, Will Coady, Ghassan Serhan, Leo O’Sullivan, Tonia Pastorelli, Manuel Mouco, Baby Alessio, Ashika Nandan, Vivien Christie, Lucienne Radzysinski, Neville Dunn, Derek Chick, Tony (Dulwich Hill), Br James Maher msc, Francesco Alessi, Lucia Simeone, Fr Peter Robinson msc, Assunta Ciaglia, Natalina Beghetto, Frank Zakrzewski, Llewellyn Samuel, Antonio Laquian, Joe Di Blasio, Rina Vecchief, Anton’s mum, Nella Custorella, Marie LaBrooy, Patty Ingram, Dee Piper, Rosaria Ciaglia, Frank George, Colleen Corcoran, Zanita Banzon, Angela Breen Ortega

**BELOVED DECEASED**

Min Keating

**ANNIVERSARIES**

Sr Philomena Tiernan rscj, Judith Bennett, Donna Bennett, Jim Siely, Gisele Svoboda

## ROSTERS

JULY 11/12	SAT 6PM	SUN 9:30AM	SUN 6PM
Acolyte	John Allen	Gus Alimhamzah	Fred Luca
Readers	James Lynch Judith Lynch	Kelsey McGuinness Toni McGuinness	Virginia Black Marieann Duncan
E. Ministers	John Dorahy Vien Suhadi	Barbara Hitchcox Mary Martin Robyn Kildea Ana Corpuz Stephen Gatt Thomas Chia	Trish Veness Diana Woon
KidsChurch	Erin Beavis, Harriet Beavis		
Counting	John Moore, Ray Delohery, Selvi Ung		
Comm to Sick	Mary Martin, Robyn Kildea		
JULY 18/19	SAT 6PM	SUN 9:30AM	SUN 6PM
Acolyte	Handojo Widjaja	Dennis Fenech	Roel Castillo
Readers	Thelma Slunsky Cathy Shiner	Ana Corpuz Jeff Kildea	Tony King Liz Thorp
E. Ministers	John Ryan Jan Nicholas	Margaret Rigotti Roy Rigotti Sheila McAndrew Barbara Hitchcox Nani Widarto Henny Ramali	Grace Pandiangan Lyn King
KidsChurch	Charisse Low, Jackie Ma		
Counting	Johanes TantoHardjono, Bob Brenac, Giovanna Ziccardi		
Comm to Sick	Margaret Rigotti, Sheila McAndrew		



## We all Stand on Sacred Ground:

Learn, Respect & Celebrate

5 – 12 JULY 2015

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples' unique and timeless connection to land is the special focus and theme of this year's National NAIDOC Week celebrations. The theme highlights Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples' strong spiritual and cultural connection to land and sea.

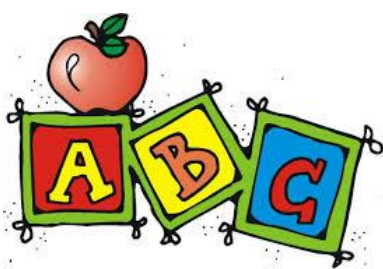
The National NAIDOC Committee encourages all Australians, young and old, to embrace the 2015 National NAIDOC theme and to respect and celebrate local and national sites of significance or 'sacred places' and to learn of their traditional names, history and stories.

<http://www.naidoc.org.au/news/2015-national-naidoc-week-theme-announced>

### MARRIAGE AND ITS IMPORTANCE IN THE SOCIAL FABRIC OF OUR NATION

**Speaker:** Archbishop Anthony Fisher  
**Date & Time:** 22<sup>nd</sup> July, 6:00pm  
**Venue:** The School Hall, St Mary's Cathedral College

All people of goodwill are welcome to attend and hear from this our Archbishop on this topical issue. We especially encourage you to bring friends and family who have an innate understand what marriage is, but do not fully understand why the Church has such a clear position on its definition. **All those wishing to attend are urged to register as soon as possible by emailing [info@smom.org.au](mailto:info@smom.org.au).**



Come along with your little ones to

### "TODDLER TALES"

every Wednesday from 9.00 - 10.30am commencing 15th July  
 in the KidsChurch Room (along the walkway, next to the top playground)  
 Fun with storytelling, craft & music!

Virginia Black

Family Educator, OLR Primary School Further information please contact  
 Virginia on 0402 315 700 or [virginia.black@syd.catholic.edu.au](mailto:virginia.black@syd.catholic.edu.au)

### HOLY HOUR

Thursday (First Friday Vigil) | 7-8pm  
 Reconciliation available.

### SACRAMENTS - FIRST EUCHARIST

Enrolments for First Eucharist for children who do not attend OLR Primary School will be closing this weekend. Please refer to the Parish website for more information.

### Offering Envelopes



New planned giving envelope boxes are available for collection in the church foyer for those who subscribe to the scheme.

Receipts for the financial year 2014-2015 are also available for collection in the church foyer.

### MORNING TEA

after the Sunday 9am mass is a firmly established tradition at OLR. Today we would like to sincerely thank Myrna and Domingo who have resigned from the roster after several years of contributing generously to the catering. Also Eileen who resigned some time ago.

All the volunteers who help on Sundays provide much of the refreshments at their own expense and all parishioners are deeply indebted to them.

We are now seeking any additional volunteers who would be prepared to help on the basis of one Sunday per month. Also we welcome any donations of cake, biscuits, dips, etc at any time. Please contact Margaret or Roy 9313 8334.

### FAMILY GROUP NEXT MEETING

**Tuesday 14 July 6.30pm**, dinner at the Chinese Restaurant East Village Zetland (*NOTE: Level 3*). Bookings: Martin O'Loughlin 9662 8559 or [oloughlinm@bigpond.com.au](mailto:oloughlinm@bigpond.com.au). All Welcome.

# WE'RE CELEBRATING...

July 12 – Happy Birthday to Fr Alo!

## NOTICES

### DO YOU CARE ABOUT PEACE, JUSTICE, ECOLOGY OR DEVELOPMENT?

Subscribe to 'Act Justly' the monthly newsletter from the Archdiocese Justice and Peace Office and keep up to date with social justice issues you care about. Learn about Catholic social teaching and find out what's going on in the Sydney Archdiocese. To subscribe, view archived copies or learn more, visit the Justice and Peace Office website, <http://www.justiceandpeace.org.au>.

### THE MUSTARD SEED BOOKSHOP ANNUAL SALE

23 – 25 July, in store only. Save up to 85% off selected items, with a minimum 20% off everything in store! Catholic books, DVDs, CDs, pious goods, statues and T-shirts. 3 Keating St Lidcombe - 9646 9000. [www.mustardseed.org.au](http://www.mustardseed.org.au)

## JOKE CORNER

An Aussie priest, Father John was appointed to a parish in the Philippines. There was an old lady, who looked after the priest by doing domestic work at the presbytery. The lady always calls the priest by "Reverend Father John". After some times the priest reminded the lady not to call him with all the titles. However the lady never stopped calling him "Reverend Father John". One day the priest called the lady and said to her: "Josie, from now on please don't call me Reverend Father John anymore. Just call me John it's enough". With the great obedience to the priest, the lady spontaneously responded: "Yes, Reverend Father John".



Place the words into their correct place.

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| 3   | FEET | JESUS | DEMONS |         | SICK      |
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