

**Sunday, 7 June, 7:30pm: For YOUNG ADULTS** wanting to go further in their faith, searching for more or wanting to meet others who are keen to make a difference.... All are welcome to "YUCAN Dialogue" for Young Adults (20's and 30's)! **Our guest speaker is Marea Donovan**, President of Catalyst for Renewal and co-Chair of the Australia-wide Spirituality in the Pub. Marea Donovan will discuss the role of conversation and collaborative leadership in the church today. Come to St Francis Xavier Parish Hall, Mackenzie St, Lavender Bay. Donation \$5. For info go to [www.yucan.org.au](http://www.yucan.org.au)

YOU ARE INVITED TO:

**\*\*DIOCESE OF PARRAMATTA CATECHESIS\*\*  
"THE THEOLOGY OF THE BODY"**

Saturday, 13 June from 2-6pm. An event open to all youth aged 16-35 years.

**Guest Speaker: Jonathan Doyle, Director of Choicez Media**

([www.choicez.com.au](http://www.choicez.com.au))

Jonathan is an international speaker to tens of thousands of young people, leaders, teachers, etc., on the 'Theology of the Body' (covering topics like the Dignity of the Human Person, Life, Love, Marriage and Relationships)...while using the latest media technology! A very good and captivating speaker.

Wouldn't want to miss out on this interesting and challenging topic!

Invite your friends to come along as well!

**Where:** St Margaret Mary's Parish Hall, 7 Chetwynd Rd, Merrylands.

**When:** Saturday, 13th June **Time:** 2pm-6pm **Cost:** Gold Coin Donation

Please RSVP by 8th June to [youth@parra.catholic.org.au](mailto:youth@parra.catholic.org.au) or 8838 3418.

For a flyer, please go to <http://www.parra.catholic.org.au/youth/>

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For under 18's: Permission forms are available on the link:

<http://www.parra.catholic.org.au/youth/Permissionslip.pdf>

**\*\*DIOCESE OF PARRAMATTA CAMP\*\* (7th -9th August)**

Want to go on a Camp? Why not join the other youth and young adults of the Diocese of Parramatta for the Diocesan camp? Grow spiritually, make new friends, share ideas & experiences, have fun and more!

Also, start preparing for WYD Madrid Spain 2011 as this is a wonderful opportunity to meet the other youth & young adults of the Diocese, way before WYD2011! (For 16-35yrs).

**Starts at 6pm on Friday, 7 August till 4pm Sunday, 9th August.**

Venue: Merroo Christian Centre, 182 Mill Rd, Kurrajong.

Please RSVP by 15 July (Booking forms will be available in the parishes soon)

Diocesan Youth Office:

For more info, contact Anna on 8838 3419 or Annabelle on 8838 3418 or at:  
[youth@parra.catholic.org.au](mailto:youth@parra.catholic.org.au)

**Trinity Song**

Frank Andersen  
(USED WITH PERMISSION,  
WORD OF LIFE INTERNATIONAL LICENCE NO. 2201)

Father, in my life I see,  
You are God who walks with me.  
You hold my life in your hands,  
Close beside you I will stand.  
I give all my life to you.  
Help me, Father, to be true.

Jesus, in my life I see,  
You are God who walks with me.  
You hold my life in your hands,  
Close beside you I will stand.  
I give all my life to you.  
Help me, Jesus, to be true.

Spirit, in my life I see,  
You are God who walks with me.  
You hold my life in your hands,  
Close beside you I will stand.  
I give all my life to you.  
Help me, Spirit, to be true.

**Till the End of Time**

Michael Mangan  
(USED WITH PERMISSION, WORD OF LIFE INTERNATIONAL LICENCE NO. 2201)

I will be with you for all time,  
Right beside you always till the end of time.  
You must go out  
take My message to all the world,  
And I will be beside you,  
My Spirit there to guide you,  
I'll be with you always till the end of time.

Go and tell the story to all nations,  
Jesus is our saving King.  
Tell them of the message He gave us,  
And this is the promise he gives.

Jesus has all power in heaven.  
Jesus has all power on Earth.  
We can have His power within us.  
If we remember His words.

We will follow Him to heaven,  
If we follow Him here on Earth.  
We are not alone on our journey.  
Remember the promise we heard.

**Reflection** by Dianne Bergant CSA

The feast of the Holy Trinity brings us face to face with the foundation of our faith. The readings for today provide answers to the question: Who is God? They can really only suggest something about the mystery of God, and they can do this only indirectly. They call to mind some of the wonders that God has accomplished for us and in us. It is through reflection on these gracious divine acts that we can get glimpses of God.

The psalm declares that the harmony and interdependence that we see in creation point to a majestic creator responsible for it all. The account of the history of God's people reveals a God who desires to establish an intimate relationship with them, enters their history as protector and guide, and forgives disloyalty. Finally, Jesus teaches that God sent him into the world to save it, has made us adopted children through the Holy Spirit, and will ultimately clothe us in divine glory. It is from his teaching that we hear that the Son was sent by the Father, the Spirit, which was also his Spirit, proceeded from the Father and from him.

From our own experience, we know that God creates, because we are immersed in creation. We know that God saves, because we have been freed from the bondage of our own demons. Our experience tells us that God is with us, and that God is for us. Everything that we know about God declares that God is passionately in love with us, boundlessly so!  
from [Liturgyhelp.com](http://Liturgyhelp.com)

*Praying the Gospel Group meet each Wednesday at 9.30am after Mass.*

**Music – Gateway to the heart of things.  
Rev Kevin Bates sm**

Fr Kevin is an ordained Marist priest and has lectured in Liturgy at the Catholic Theological Union at Hunters Hill in Sydney.

**Date:** 21-24 July **Location:** Ground Level, Caroline Chisholm Centre, Building 2, 423 Pennant Hills Road (enter via City View Road) Pennant Hills.

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**Friday 19<sup>th</sup> June ~ Night Vigil for Peace and Reparation**

A Night Vigil of Prayer and Reparation for Peace in the World and the Welfare of Australia is being held at St Joseph's Church, Enfield (Burwood Heights) on the Solemnity of the Sacred Heart and the Feast of the Immaculate Heart. Divided into three sections by two coffee breaks, the programme commences with Mass at 10pm on Friday, 19<sup>th</sup> June and concludes after a dawn Mass on Saturday morning, 20<sup>th</sup> June. All Welcome. Parking Available.

Enquiries: World Apostolate of Fatima (02 9984 8988)

**The Apparitions of Our Lady – 'The Message of Garabandal'**

Between 1961-1965 Our Lady of Mt Carmel appeared to 4 young girls aged between 11 and 12 years in the village of San Sebastian de Garabandal, Spain. Our Lady gave two messages for the world, on 19<sup>th</sup> October 1961 and the other on 18<sup>th</sup> June 1965. Our Lady was calling the people of the world to amend their way of life and return to God. You are invited to a free film showing on the above apparitions titled 'The Message of Garabandal'. (See Notice Board)

**Where:** Sacred Heart Catholic Church (Hall), Wentworth St, Blackheath  
**When:** Wednesday, 24<sup>th</sup> June from 2.00pm - 4.00pm

**Patrician Brothers Granville  
Year 10 Reunion ~ Class of 1987**

All Ex-Students and Teachers from the Year 10 Class of 1987 are invited to register their interest for a planned reunion to be held later this year.

Email: [granpats87@hotmail.com](mailto:granpats87@hotmail.com)  
Facebook: Granville Patrician Brothers Year 10 1987 Reunion  
Ph: Richard Zaiter 0416 139 641

**Appeals and Bequest Coordinator**

The Archdiocese of Sydney is seeking applications for the role of Appeals and Bequest Coordinator. This is a full time role located at Polding Centre, Sydney.

Applications to Anthony Spata,  
Polding Centre, Level 5,  
133 Liverpool St, Sydney NSW 2000 or  
[anthony.spata@sydneycatholic.org](mailto:anthony.spata@sydneycatholic.org)

Applications close 16 June 2009. Please see noticeboard for further details.

**Parish Dinner:** A reminder that the Parish Dinner is being held on Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> June. Menu will consist of Entrée, Rack of Lamb or Duck Confit, Baked Blueberry Cheesecake or Lemon Meringue Tart, Tea and Coffee. Cost \$38.00 per person. Would appreciate if payment can be made this Sunday so we may finalise numbers. Please see Patricia after Mass.



**Happy Birthday**  
*Joyce Malkin for 8th June*  
*Amelia Nolan for 9th June*  
*Isabella Nolan for 12th June*

† **In memoriam** †  
**Leonard Kirkham** ~ 8th June  
**Eric Noble** ~ 11th June  
**Ivan Naraj** ~ 11th June

**Happy 21st Anniversary Jane and Gerard Nolan for 11th June.**

**Assistant to the Director, Benedict XVI Retreat Centre**

The Archdiocese of Sydney is seeking applications for the role of Assistant to the Director. This is a full time role located at Grose Wold near Richmond. Applications to Anthony Spata, Polding Centre, Level 5, 133 Liverpool Street, Sydney NSW 2000 or [anthony.spata@sydneycatholic.org](mailto:anthony.spata@sydneycatholic.org). Applications close 8 June 2009. Please see noticeboard for further details.

**Diocesan Youth E-Magazine – June 2009**

Here's the link for the Diocesan Youth E-Magazine for June:

[http://www.parra.catholic.org.au/youth/E-MagJune09\\_1.pdf](http://www.parra.catholic.org.au/youth/E-MagJune09_1.pdf)

It has been a wonderful month for youth ministry, packed with upcoming events as well as interesting reviews on past Diocesan youth events.

**The Creators of Peace International Conference is from 30 Sept to 4 Oct 09** at Collaroy Conference Centre. Join with women from around the world to enlarge our understanding of Peace as a dynamic and inclusive process that delivers justice, meets human needs and engages us all. (Further information is on Notice Board.)

The Vatican is launching iPhone and Facebook applications in an effort to help Catholics, especially younger generations, use new technologies to create a culture of dialogue, respect and friendship. The new applications are part of a brand new Vatican Website - [www.pope2you.net](http://www.pope2you.net) - to go live on World Communications Day today.

**Centenary of the Death of Blessed Mary MacKillop**

Blessed Mary MacKillop's Centenary will be celebrated with Mass on 8<sup>th</sup> August at St Mary's Church, Miller Street, North Sydney, for invited guests (numbers have been restricted due to OH&S regulations).

All are welcome to North Sydney Oval where the Mass will be broadcast at 11am on 8<sup>th</sup> August. Entry tickets are not required to the Oval and covered seating is available there. Those wishing to receive Holy Communion may do so at the Oval.