



# Our Lady Star of the Sea, Miranda Our Lady of the Way, Sylvania



*In Christ we Believe | With Christ we Belong | Through Christ we Become*

Our Lady Star of the Sea and Our Lady of the Way parishes acknowledge the Gweagal people of the Dharawal Nation as the traditional owners who have walked upon and cared for this land for thousands of years.

**Parish Priest:** Father John Greig  
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**Parish Secretary:** Bernadette Fabris  
**Office Hours:** 9.30am-5.30pm Monday to Friday  
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**Our Lady Star of the Sea Primary School:**  
95245543 **Principal:** Michelle Bourne

### **Sunday 10.30am Mass stream:**

[www.mirandamass.com](http://www.mirandamass.com)

**Website:** <https://www.olssmiranda.org.au>

### Mass Times

#### Miranda:

**Tuesday** - 7.30pm

**Wednesday & Thursday** - 9.15am

**Sunday** - 8.00 & 10.30am

#### Sylvania:

**Friday** - 9:15am

**Saturday** - 5.00pm



#### Reconciliation:

**Tuesday** - 7.00pm at Miranda

**Saturday** - 4.00pm at Sylvania

#### Baptisms:

**By appointment-please call the parish office to arrange a baptism.**

## **OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE 21 NOVEMBER 2021**

### **Entrance Antiphon:**

How worthy is the Lamb who was slain, to receive power and divinity, and wisdom and strength and honour.

To him belong glory and power for ever and ever.

### **Communion Antiphon:**

The Lord sits as King for ever.  
The Lord will bless his people with peace.

### **ATTENDING MASS- YOU NO LONGER NEED TO PRE- REGISTER**

#### **SOME RULES STILL APPLY:**

- 1) Please register your attendance by scanning the QR code or signing in on the manual sign in sheets.
- 2) Please wear a mask.
- 3) Please wave at or nod to each other at the sign of peace.
- 4) Please use hand sanitiser when entering the church and before receiving Holy Communion.
- 5) Please take your bulletin home.

### **PIETY STALL RE-OPENING AT MIRANDA**

Thanks to the new volunteers at Miranda and Maureen Ross at Sylvania the Piety Stalls in our parishes will be open after each Mass on Saturday and Sunday.

You can shop for a devotional gift for a loved one or for yourself. We can even order items in for you.

In the lead up to Christmas the stalls are stocked with

Christmas Cards: **\$7**

Columban Calendars: **\$10**

Devotional Reflection Booklets for Advent: **\$5**

Children's Christmas Activity Books: **\$5-\$12**

Children's Nativity Scenes: **\$10-\$55**

***Please pray for our sick:***

Maria Esposito, Jonah Iona, Rose Fish, Sue Sheedy, Stevie Rofe, Gail Lambert, Gloria Scott, Claire and Tom Mayers, Georgina Rastergorac, Isabel Barbaran, Amparo Alvarez, Daniel Lagos, Lagos family, Lorraine Price, Mark Houghton, William Thoms, Veronica Nugent, Pasquale Ghostin, Manfred Meier, Nick Christie, Wendy Fell, David Byrnes, Gaye Chiswick, Richard Carter, Nicola Christie, Blarsha Walmsley, the residents of Hammondcare, Samantha Christie, Dorothy Miglionico, Julianne Stuart, Roy Lyle, the residents of Moran Health Care, John Touzell, Dot Touzell, Mary Harrison, John Nagy Jr., Louise Alexander, Margaret O'Neill.

**A message from the Archbishop**

Abuse is a crime. The appropriate people to deal with a crime are the police. If you – or anyone you know – have been abused, please contact the police. Alternatively, you can contact the Safeguarding and Ministerial Integrity Office at (02) 9390 5810 or [safeguardingenquiries@sydneycatholic.org](mailto:safeguardingenquiries@sydneycatholic.org) You may also want to speak to your Parish Priest who will be able to provide support and guidance.

The Archdiocese has a legal obligation to report crimes to the police.

*Parish Safeguarding Support Officer (PSSO) for the parishes of Our Lady Star of the Sea and Our Lady of the Way is Bernadette Fabris – 0414442047.*

***Please pray for the repose of these souls Recently deceased:***

Carmen Noche, Edna Pirie, Steven Darasz, Juanito Mallari, Merle Sponberg, Patrick Smith, J.T. Santos, Ofelia Abaol, Beverley Walker, Robert Musico, John Edward Sullivan.

***Anniversaries:***

Rosario Franco, Mary De Luca, Frances Lawes, Daniel Fabris, Lillian Richens, Walter Rees, Joseph Vincent Gauci, Owen Monkhouse.

**Have you thought? The Kingdom of God**

When Jesus speaks about the Kingdom of God he never gives a particularly clear picture of what he means. He usually refers to the kingdom with metaphoric language ('the kingdom of God is like ...') and often the kingdom is defined by what it is not. The kingdom is also a real contradiction: it is here and now and yet it is still to come; it is almost impossible for some to enter the kingdom while others are assured a place; it is within us and in our hearts and yet is a great banquet to which all are invited.

Greg Sunter

**PARISH NEWS**

**Break Open the Word for Readers.** The new Liturgical Year 'Break Open the Word' is available for collection today from the back table of the church.

**FRIENDSHIP GROUP CHRISTMAS PARTY**

Monday 6 December 2021 at 11.30am in the Parish Centre

RSVP-22 November to Marie Nash on 0402412719 or 95250853

**CHRISTMAS MASS TIMES**

**DECEMBER 24**– 5PM AT MIRANDA AND 8PM AT SYLVANIA

**DECEMBER 25**– 8AM AND 10.30AM AT MIRANDA

NO 5PM MASS AT SYLVANIA

**DECEMBER 26**– 8AM AND 10.30AM AT MIRANDA

**CWF Parish Appeal**

**The Charitable Works Fund (CWF) August Appeal will be happening this weekend and we need your help!**

**Your donations will help – single mothers facing homelessness, those struggling with mental health and our Aboriginal communities. You will also be building a culture of support and encouragement for our hospital and university chaplaincies, and our future priests at the Good Shepherd Seminary.**

Special envelopes are available at the parish. Alternatively, you can learn more and donate securely at [www.ourfaithourworks.org/cwf](http://www.ourfaithourworks.org/cwf).

**Reading Roster 27 and 28 November**

**5pm**– Annette Mutch

**8am**– Kevin Judge and Marie Nash

**10.30am**– Mary Wither and Ofelia Franco