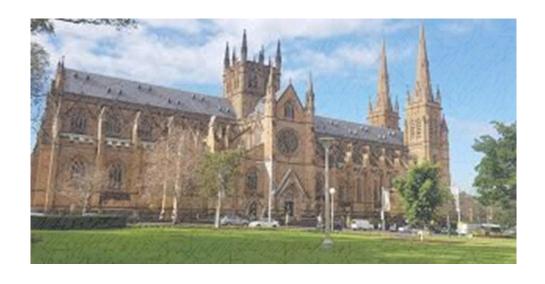


CATHEDRAL BULLETIN



SUNDAY THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

2022

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UPCOMING LITURGIES AND EVENTS

January – February 2022

| Baptisi of the | m le Lord | 5 | 8 Saturday | 9 Sunday THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD | 10 Monday | 11 Tuesday |
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| 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 |
| Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday | Sunday | Monday St Anthony | Tuesday |
| 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 |
| Wednesday | Thursday | Friday St Agnes | Saturday | Sunday | Monday St Francis de Sales | Tuesday The Conversion of St Paul |
| 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 | 1 |
| Wednesday AUSTRALIA DAY Public Holiday Mass at 9am | Thursday | Friday St Thomas Aquinas | Saturday | Sunday | Monday St John Bosco The Saint Thomas More Society Red Mass at 9am | Tuesday |

Mass

Monday to Friday: 6.45am, 1.10pm, 5.30pm

Mass & Confessions Schelule

Saturday: 9.00am, 12noon Saturday Vigil: 6:00pm

Sunday: 7:00am, 9:00am, 10:30am (Solemn Choral Mass), 12:15pm (Latin Mass), 6:00pm

Reconciliation

Monday to Friday: 12.00noon to 1:00pm, 5.00pm to 5.25pm **Saturday**: 11.30am to 11.55am, 4.30pm to 5.30pm

Evening Vespers

Monday – Friday: 5.00pm Saturday: 5:30pm Sunday: 5.00pm

(Choral Vespers and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament)

WORD FROM THE DEAN



Dear Cathedral Parishioners and Visitors,

We have begun the New Year with yet another phase in the Covid pandemic which is really testing our stamina, but we really shouldn't let concerns about Covid and testing and isolation and supply-chain issues and work stress dominate our thoughts. The 24 hour news cycle, and the constant feed of controversy and opinion on social media feeds: these are things from which we need regularly to break away.

One of our cathedral priests, Fr Gerard Woo Ling, has been visiting our sister parish on Norfolk Island since just after Christmas – unfortunately we weren't able to have a priest there for Christmas Day. As things turn out, we were lucky that Fr Gerard got there when he did, as the arrival of Covid on the island a few days ago has led to a pause on most travel there. So, while not letting the pandemic take over your every waking moment, do please keep our Norfolk Island parishioners in your prayers, health resources on the beautiful island far out in the pacific are limited, and also the economy is very dependent on visiting tourists.

When Fr Gerard returns this week, he won't be here for long, as the Archbishop has appointed him Parish Administrator of Summer Hill and Lewisham, beginning in February. We will miss Fr Gerard's smiling face, and his effective pastoral work here at the cathedral, with the "Embrace" young adults group, with the Cathedral College, and at Sacred Heart Darlinghurst.



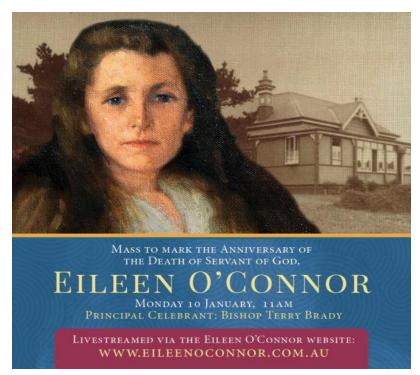
Fresh adventures in a new year!

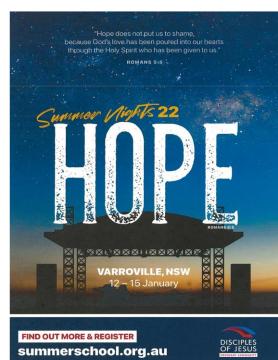
With prayerful best wishes for the week ahead,

Fr Don Richardson, Dean

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M Wissionaries of the Sacred Heart, S C Coogee

Province Bookkeeper

3 days per week ideally Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursdays.

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