

## St Joseph's Catholic Church Oatley

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### St Joseph's Catholic School, Oatley

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Schedule of Masses		Baptisms	By appointment (usually first and third Sunday, 11am)
<b>Saturday</b>	6 pm (Vigil for Sunday)		
<b>Sunday</b>	8 am, 10 am		
<b>Tuesday</b>	8 am (Rosary 7:45)		
<b>Wednesday</b>	8 am (Rosary 7:45)	<b>Confessions</b>	Saturday 5:00-5:45 pm
<b>Thursday</b>	12 noon (Rosary 11:45)		
<b>Friday</b>	8 am (Rosary 7:45)	<b>Exposition</b>	Thursday, 9am to 11:45am (with benediction at 11:40am)
<b>Saturday</b>	8 am (Rosary 7:45)		

## 15 May 2011: Fourth Sunday of Easter

**Masses and prayers:** Please pray for Fr Edward (Ted) Albert Shepherd (died 8/5), Fr Cyril Hatton (died 4/5), George Spiteri (died 6/5), Elia Spiteri, Brian Scully (ann. 15/5), Josephine Mary Carmichael (ann. 16/5), Habib Battikha (ann. 9/5), Frank & Michael Rohl, Bob Bleakley (ann. 13/5), Vanessa McDonald (ann.), and those who are sick or who have asked for or need our prayers, including, Bernie Jenner, Francis Gollop, Lucy Osborn, Shirley Jones, Kath Green, Tyler Lakeland and Ben Nimac.

**Parish Mission** starts this Monday 16 May. Please take an information sheet as you leave the church today. This sheet is also available to be viewed on our website.

**Mass times this week of the Mission** through until Tuesday 24 May will be:

Weekdays: 6.00am; 9.15am (Masses) 7.30pm Hour of Power (Benediction)

Saturday: 6.00am; 9.15am; 6.00pm (Masses)

Sunday: 8.00am; 10.00am (Masses)

**New Missal:** As much as possible I will be using the new translation of the Missal during Masses. Cards with the people's responses will be available soon and I would hope that we would be able to use the new Missal in full from Pentecost.

**CWL** will hold their next meeting on Saturday 21 May at 10 am in the Marian Hall. Visitors most welcome.

**The Parish morning tea** will be held in the Marian Hall after the 8am Mass this Sunday, 15 May. **Everyone welcome.**

**Deacon Gregory Morgan**, will be ordained to the Priesthood on Saturday 21 May 2011 at 10am at St Mary's Cathedral. Greg spent two weeks in our parish in December 2007 and has invited the parish community of St Joseph's Oatley to his Ordination. If you wish to attend please arrive in time to be seated by 9.45pm.

**Today, we celebrate the 48<sup>th</sup> World Day of Prayer for Vocations.** The Church around the world invites you to pray for those you might know who are discerning, or people you think God may be calling to a priestly or religious vocation and would benefit from your prayers. As Pope Benedict XVI said in his message for today, "It is important to encourage and support those

who show clear signs of a call to priestly life and religious consecration, and to enable them to feel the warmth of the whole community as they respond 'yes' to God and the Church".

**Uniting Church Car Park:** The Uniting Church has asked us to remind parishioners that their car park should not be used on **Sundays** or when their regular services or obvious services are taking place. They have kindly offered use of their car park at other times.

### Theology of the Body Course for Young People – FREE!!

What exactly is "LOVE"? Why were we created MALE and FEMALE? If you'd like to know the answers to these important faith questions come to a "Theology of the Body" program for young people run by the CYS-NET Mission Team. This group is for young people aged 15-35, focusing on major topics in a young person's life. The group will meet for five Saturdays from 1-3pm (May 21, 28, June 4, 11, 18) at the Catholic Youth Services Office, 108 The Crescent, Homebush West (across the road from Flemington Station). To RSVP or for further enquiries [Annabel@cys.org.au](mailto:Annabel@cys.org.au) or 9764 4357. Hope to see you there!

### Collections Last Week

1st: \$962	2nd: \$296	Envelopes: \$1,511
Project Compassion (received to date): \$4,424		CWF: \$1,113
Money Counters Roster		
Sun 15 May	Margaret Pullen, Lynne Ekholm	
Sun 22 May	Margaret Pullen, Leo Sullivan, Kathryn Wojcicki	

### Parish Liturgy Roster

	Acolytes and Ministers	Lectors	Altar Servers	Mass Wardens
Sat 14 May 6pm	Phillip Merrick	Kyle McLachlan	Marie Clare T Christie M	Bill Quigley
Sun 15 May 8am	Ellis Bollard	Michael Gleeson	Nathaniel G Jonathan L	Mark Shad
Sun 15 May 10am	Vince Cordi	Brian/Marcia Smith	Justin C Hayden M	Brian Smith
Sat 21 May 6pm	Danny Clark	Chris/Chris Mitchell	Thomas C Michael A	Dick McMillan
Sun 22 May 8am	Tom Ryan	Jean Devine	Patrick K Thomas K	Seb Arena
Sun 22 May 10am	Glenn McLachlan	Caroline Dimeo	Jamie D Melissa D	David Lee
Children's Liturgy		Rosary Leader	Altar Society	
Sun 15 May	Alex Merrick, Rosanne McGrath	Brian Rayment	Margaret Rayment, Kath Richardson, Pat Doepel	
Sun 22 May	Alex Merrick, Angela Nadile	Bill Monaghan	Marcia Smith, Joan Gilmore	

### Upcoming Parish Events

May 16-24	9 days		Parish Mission
May 22	Sun	9.00am	First Communion Preparation Lesson 2

