St Joseph's Catholic Church Oatley

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Schedule of Masses		Baptisms	By appointment (usually	
Saturday Sunday	5 pm (Vigil for Sunday) 8 am, 10 am		first and third Sunday, 11am)	
Tuesday Wednesday	8 am (Rosary 7:45) 8 am (Rosary 7:45)	Confessions	Saturday 4:00-4:45 pm	
Thursday 12 Friday 8 a	12 noon (Rosary 11:45) 8 am (Rosary 7:45) 8 am (Rosary 7:45)	Exposition	Thursday, 9am to 11:45am (with benediction at 11:40am)	

13 July 2014: 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Masses and prayers: Please pray for Maria Odrljin (died 2/7), Bruce Byers (ann. 6/7), Val Behl (ann. 3/7), Mary (Molly) Murray (ann. 17/7), Bessie McPhee (ann. 14/7), Kevin McMullen (ann. 17/7), Kevin McGrath (ann. 15/7), Joyce McKenna (ann. 13/7), Winifred Bartlett (ann. 18/7) Beatrice Rolleston (ann. 17/7) and those who are sick or who need our prayers including Salvator Di Palma, Rita Cutelli & Kevin O'Neill.

Matt Maguire would like to thank everyone for their prayers during his recent illness.

St Vincent de Paul Society Oatley Conference wishes to say thank you to the Parish Community for your support and generous donations towards our winter appeal. The amount raised was \$3,572 and this will enable us to continue our work in the Oatley and Hurstville area.

A Vocation View: The seed of a vocation needs fertile surroundings. Sometimes it gets stepped on, sometimes it gets choked, sometimes it lacks depth. But other times it is nourished by loving and caring friends.

CWL will hold their "Together in July" luncheon after midday Mass at St Joseph's, at Lugarno Restaurant on Thursday next, 17th July.

CWL next meeting will be held on Saturday 19th July at 10am in the Marian Hall.

Receipts Available: Receipts (for 13/14) are ready for collection from the church foyer for all Planned Giving envelopes, CWF, Project Compassion and Priests' Retirement Foundation donations over \$2.

Explore The Scriptures: An Introduction to the Bible St Joseph's Parish Oatley Marian Hall. Tuesday 15 July 7:30pm-9pm (Introducing the Bible & the Hebrew Scriptures) Tuesday 22 July 7:30pm-9pm (Introducing the New Testament)

Facilitated by Darren McDowell, Coordinator of Adult Faith Formation for the Diocese of Wollongong and parishioner here at St Joseph's. For further information please contact Darren McDowell darren.mcdowell@dow.org.au

The Uniting Church Car Park adjacent to the Presbytery may only be used by Uniting Church members and people meeting in the Uniting Church halls on any given day.

Fashion Parade: Parishioners are invited to attend a Fashion Parade to be held at St Michael's Church, Bethany Hall, 10 Croydon Road Hurstville on Saturday 30 August 2014 at 7.00pm. Tickets are \$20 per person, with supper included. Clothes will be provided by Katies. There will be costume jewellery, raffles, auctions and entertainment. All proceeds will go to the Missions of Papua New Guinea in Vanimo and Mount Hagen. All enquiries to Margaret Vella on 9533-2500 (h) or 0411320825 (m). Margaret will be speaking to us at Masses this weekend. Raffle Tickets will also be available after Mass this weekend.

City Silence – Catholic Youth Services invites all young adults aged 18-35 to City Silence, Sydney's newest event held every Tuesday evening (6.30-7.30pm) at St Mary's Cathedral Sydney. City Silence is a weekly Holy Hour led by a different priest each week, and animated by different musicians; it includes times of silence, reflection, scripture, and song; confessions are also available. Immediately following City Silence all are invited for dinner at a local restaurant. Hope to see you there! For more information visit www.facebook.com/catholicyouthservices.

Collections Last Week

1st: \$728		2nd: \$372		Envelopes: \$1,289
Holy Father's Appeal \$1,080				
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Money Counters Roster	Sun 2	0 Jul An	na Merrick, Soni	a Bennett, Ellis Bollard

Parish Liturgy Roster

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		Acolytes and Ministers	Lectors	Altar Servers	Mass Wardens
Sat 12 Jul	5pm	Danny Clark	Chris/Chris Mitchell	Bridget C Beth J	Richard McMillan
Sun 13 Jul	8am	Anne Lee	Brian/Marcia Smith	Emma B Niamh McIntyre	Seb Arena
Sun 13 Jul 1	10am	Joe Shakkal	Thomas Clark	Nicholas K Luke M	George Battikha
Sat 19 Jul	5pm	Sam Attard	Patrick Salonga	Marnie J Chloe B	John Perkins
Sun 20 Jul	8am	Ellis Bollard	George Novak	Isabella S Marc S	Tom Ryan
Sun 20 Jul 10am Glenn McLachlan		Lewis Degabriele	Ross G Mitchell L	David Lee	
Children's Liturgy		Rosary Leader	Altar Society		
Sun 13 Jul	No Liturgy – School Holidays		Angelina Trimboli	Wendy Grimes	
Sun 20 Jul	Alex Merrick, Fiona Doolan		Brian Rayment	Margaret Rayment, Kath Richardson	

Upcoming Parish Events

17 Jul	Thu	12.30pm	CWL Together in July Lunch at Lugarno
24 Jul	Thu	7.00pm	Confirmation Parents' Information Evening