

**SECOND READING:** *(continued)*

Christ, we order and call on people of this kind to go on quietly working and earning the food that they eat.

The Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:** **Luke 21:38**

**Alleluia, alleluia!**

**Lift up your heads and see; your redemption is near at hand.**

**Alleluia!**

**GOSPEL:** **Luke 21:5-19**

**A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke**  
**Your endurance will win you your life.**

When some were talking about the Temple, remarking how it was adorned with fine stonework and votive offerings, Jesus said, 'All these things you are staring at now - the time will come when not a single stone will be left on another: everything will be destroyed.' And they put to him this question: 'Master,' they said 'when will this happen, then, and what sign will there be that this is about to take place?'

'Take care not to be deceived,' he said 'because many will come using my name and saying, "I am he" and, "The time is near at hand." Refuse to join them. And when you hear of wars and revolutions, do not be frightened, for this is something that must happen but the end is not so soon.' Then he said to them, 'Nation will fight against nation, and kingdom against kingdom. There will be great earthquakes and plagues and famines here and there; there will be fearful sights and great signs from heaven.

'But before all this happens, men will seize you and persecute you; they will hand you over to the synagogues and to imprisonment, and bring you before kings and governors because of my name - and that will be your opportunity to bear witness. Keep this carefully in mind: you are not to prepare your defence, because I myself shall give you an eloquence and a wisdom that none of your opponents will be able to resist or contradict. You will be betrayed even by parents and brothers, relations and friends; and some of you will be put to death. You will be hated by all men on account of my name, but not a hair of your head will be lost. Your endurance will win you your lives.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**



*"There will be great earthquakes....."*

**COMMUNION ANTIPHON:**  
**To be near God is my happiness, to place my hope in God the Lord.**

**READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK:**

**2 Sam 5: 1-3; Col 1: 12-20; Lk 23: 35-43.**

**The Catholic Archdiocese of Sydney Safeguarding Office:** If you or a person close to you has been abused by someone working or ministering within the Archdiocese of Sydney please call the Safeguarding & Ministerial Integrity Office on 02 9390 5812 or **speak with our Parish Safeguarding Support Officer Helen Vaz through the Parish Office.**

## Eternal Rest Prayer



Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord,  
and let perpetual light shine upon them.  
May their souls and all the souls of the  
faithful departed,  
through the mercy of God, rest in peace.  
Amen.

## PARISH OF ST. THERESE, DENISTONE



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**MASS TIMES:**

SATURDAY VIGIL:	6:00 pm.
SUNDAY:	8:00 am and 10.00 am.
MONDAY:	No Mass.
TUESDAY through to SATURDAY:	9.00 am Mass.
FRIDAY:	9.00 am Mass. Exposition & Benediction every Friday after Mass.
RECONCILIATION:	Saturday 5pm – 5.45pm or by appointment.
Baptism:	Every Sunday at 11.30am. Please contact Parish Office.
Marriage:	By appointment.
Anointing of the sick:	Please give names to Father Roberto Castillo.

### THIRTY THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (Year C) 12<sup>th</sup> / 13<sup>th</sup> November 2022

**ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:**

**The Lord said: I think thoughts of peace and not of affliction. You will call upon me, and I will answer you, and I will lead back your captives from every place.**

**FIRST READING: Malachi 3:19-20**

**A reading from the prophet Malachi**  
**The sun of righteousness will shine on you.**

The day is coming now, burning like a furnace; and all the arrogant and the evil-doers will be like stubble. The day that is coming is going to burn them up, says the Lord of hosts, leaving them neither root nor stalk. But for you who fear my name, the sun of righteousness will shine out with healing in its rays.

The Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Ps 97:5-9**

**RESPONSE: The Lord comes to rule the earth with justice.**

Sing psalms to the Lord with the harp with the sound of music.

With trumpets and the sound of the horn acclaim the King, the Lord.

**Response.**

Let the sea and all within it, thunder; the world, and all its peoples. Let the rivers clap their hands and the hills ring out their joy at the presence of the Lord.

**Response.**

For the Lord comes, he comes to rule the earth. He will rule the world with justice and the people with fairness.

**Response.**

**SECOND READING: 2 Thessalonians 3:7-12**

**A reading from the second letter of St Paul to the Thessalonians**

**Do not give anyone food who refuses to work.**

You know how you are supposed to imitate us: now we were not idle when we were with you, nor did we ever have our meals at anyone's table without paying for them; no, we worked night and day, slaving and straining, so as not to be a burden on any of you. This was not because we had no right to be, but in order to make ourselves an example for you to follow.

We gave you a rule when we were with you; not to let anyone have any food if he refused to do any work. Now we hear that there are some of you who are living in idleness, doing no work themselves but interfering with everyone else's. In the Lord Jesus

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**12 / 13 NOVEMBER 2022 – 33<sup>RD</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

	SATURDAY 6.00PM	SUNDAY 8.00AM	SUNDAY 10.00AM
<b>Acolyte</b>	R MORFUNI	D ELLIS	M MORELLI
<b>Reader</b>	B CLARK	P TREACY	C LAYOUN
<b>Offertory</b>	DABBAH FAMILY	VOLUNTEER FAMILY	VOLUNTEER FAMILY
<b>Projection</b>			
<b>Altar Servers</b>	GRP 2: ZAC O'DONOGHUE & NOAH EL-AZZI	JOSH MULROE	GROUP 6: ADAM CALLAGHAN
<b>Welcomers</b>	A CHAN & P ONG		VOLUNTEER WANTED
<b>Counters</b>	GROUP 4: R WHITE G WHITE		
<b>Altar Flowers</b>	N HAHN	NOVEMBER ATAR LINEN: JOSEFINA DELAVEGA	

**19 / 20 NOVEMBER 2022 – OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE**

	SATURDAY 6.00PM	SUNDAY 8.00AM	SUNDAY 10.00AM – FAMILY MASS
<b>Acolyte</b>	T DABBAH	A STANTON	G MOODLEY
<b>Reader</b>	L SAMONTE	S JAYAMANNE	H VAZ
<b>Offertory</b>	DABBAH FAMILY	VOLUNTEER FAMILY	VOLUNTEER FAMILY
<b>Projection</b>			
<b>Altar Servers</b>	GROUP 3: SOPHIA BERNLEITNER & AMARA LOIACONO & NIARA PAREKELEM	JOSH MULROE	GROUP 7: VINCENT & ALYSSA WIDJAYA
<b>Welcomers</b>	A CHAN & P ONG		VOLUNTEER WANTED
<b>Counters</b>	GROUP 5: P HO F HO A STANTON		
<b>Altar Flowers</b>	A NAGANATHAN	NOVEMBER ATAR LINEN: JOSEFINA DELAVEGA	

**PARISH NEWS & NOTICES:**

**Request for Mass and Prayers.**

We pray for those who have recently died. Also pray for those who celebrate anniversaries. Please also remember to pray for those within our parish who are sick especially Jamelie Morabito



**Advent Prayer Reflection – Stay Awake!**

The season of Advent begins on the 22<sup>nd</sup> November. In preparation for Christmas, we will hold an Advent Reflection every Tuesday beginning on the 29<sup>th</sup> November at 7.30pm in the St Therese School Hall. Everyone is welcome to attend. There will be an advent companion provided.



**Reconciliation for children in Year 2 at Denistone.**

The **FOURTH** session of the programme is on **Wednesday** the **16<sup>th</sup> November** at **7pm**. Reconciliation will take place on Friday the 18<sup>th</sup> November.

**Advent-Christmas Giving Tree.**

St Vincent de Paul found that our gift card donations last year made their distribution so much easier, therefore they have requested we do the same again this year due to the increased need in our community for financial assistance.

**We will collect your cash donations on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Sundays of Advent and will convert them to gift cards for SVdePaul.**



**CWF November parish Appeal.**

THIS weekend we will hold our CWF Appeal. The CWF supports a range of charities and ministries, including the Good Shepherd Seminary, CatholicCare, the Confraternity of Christian Doctrine, prison Chaplaincies etc. Appeal envelopes will be provided and in the church ready to be used.



**NOVEMBER MASS INTENTIONS  
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2022**

- 24. Joe Camilleri, Evelyn Camilleri, Michael Camilleri, Peter Fenech and Victoria Fenech. ~
- 25. Claire Richmond and deceased members of the Richmond and Mulholland families. ~
- 26. Savic: Vaskrsije, Blagoje, Djordje, Mladen, Nada I Ljubica. Stankovic: Momir, Dragoyub, Bogoyub, Rade and Radenka. ~
- 27. Nino Nedzod Kikic, Zdrovko Jotic, family Kruzicevic, family Jotic and family Bibin ~
- 28. Maros: Wikola, Ivka, Mira, Antun, Franjo. Filipovic: Josipa, Marko, Srecko. Savic: Josip. Fistic: Ivo. Family Brankov and Irma. ~
- 29. Family Dzoic I Staub Anita Atej Lila Matic ~
- 30. Policiano and Anna D'Souza, Charles & Grace D'Mello, Family of D'Souza's, Family of D'Mello's. Olga Hoppmann, Ashlyn D'Douza, Colleen Arentz and Tomas D'Souza ~
- 31. Dalfogo, Kovac, Zumzulovic, Lederhaus, Peymek, Ebmem, Kmezevic, Ramgak, Rupam, Radusin, Kojic. ~
- 32. Lubica Wezic st Paulina, Zdravko Batalija, family Sivric, Poppvic Ana, Likic Dara & Marko, Dragovic, Jela, Ilija, Karadzic Vojo, Family Maros, Jurisic. All holy souls. ~
- 33. Joseph Louis Paiva, Agnes Judith Paiva and Chella Samuel

34. Molly Smith & Ernest Smith. ~

35. Members of the Strappazon, Cugola, Secco, Cesarini, Cantalupo families and members of their families and friends. May the Lord and our Blessed Lady keep them in their care. Rest in peace. Amen ~

36. Family Perica and Family Brcic ~

37. Eternal rest of Clemette, Teresa, Giovanni, Nicola & Caterina ~

38. Stephen Lourey & Ziad Karam ~

39. Albert Sarayar & Stefonus Sarayar ~

40. Kevin Hilferty, Claire Shepherd and all the members of the Hilferty and Colahan Families ~

41. Families: Juszczuk and Kaminski ~

42. Ofierzynski Family and Zareba Family ~

43. Thomas Lee, Bill and Lillian Lee, Annie Yeowell, Eileen & Robert Glasscock, David & Bess Rowe, Edward Rowe, Patricia & Leo Stack & Elizabeth Power ~

44. John, Tony, Mark, Millie, Jim Pearce and members of the Pearce family. Peg, Trevor, Austin, Addy & Vivian & Ron Myatt, Winnie Pearsons, Frank Muniz, Colleen, Conway, members of the Conway Family. ~

45. Mary Lin Llin Yingjin, John Wang & Wang Shonhua ~

46. Owen Barry, Jim Barry, Mavis Burge, Noel Burge, Brian Burge & John McDonald ~

47. John Merhi (Senior) Toufic & Amira Merhi, Peter & Cahrlie Norman, Carol & Peter Norman, John and Martha Merhi ~

48. John Joseph Chan Hee Khee, Monica Ann Tai See Nee, Theresa Wendy Chan Lai Hua, Helen Lai Khun Ma, Voon Man Kui, Voon Tze Fong and all the deceased relatives and friends.