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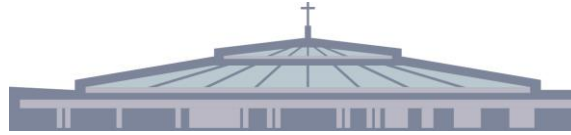
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Parish Office Hours

Mon-Fri: 10:00am-3:00pm

# Catholic Parish of St Kevin Eastwood



Weekend Masses: Vigil Sat 5:30pm,

Sun 7:30am, 9:00am, 10:30am,

12noon (Chinese) & 6:00pm

Weekday Masses: Mon – Thurs. 7:30am, Fri 5:00pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Sat 5:00-5:20pm

Our Lady of Miraculous Medal Rosary & Novena Prayers:

Tue 7:00-7:30pm (Holy Family Chapel)

## Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time, 17<sup>th</sup> June 2018

**Our Deceased:** Ros Shaddock, Geoff Clarke, Kwei Fong Fu, Young Hwan Ho, Yong Min Ho, Young Seok Seo, Soo Woog Jin, Maria Hur, Felix Michael Beins, Cecile Beins, Jan Brayan, Mary Duck, Ces Regan, Helena Curic, Yi Run Tang, John Bowdern, Reginald Brownette, Nohod & Roly Maroun, Leslie & Isabel Johnson and Michael Anne

**Our Sick:** Leonard Ragen, Sharma Cooray, Robert Lauw, Magdalen, Philippa Flahey, Br. Mark Murphy

**Upcoming Saints Feast Day:** The Nativity of St. John the Baptist, 24<sup>th</sup> of June

### Parish News:

- **We welcome into the family of God, Duncan Reginald Minter**, who will receive the Sacrament of Baptism this weekend.
- **Ros Shaddock, a long time parishioner of St. Kevin's**, passed away this week after a long-term illness. Please keep her and her family in your prayers. Thank you.
- **Planned giving envelopes for the coming financial year are ready for collection at the back of the church. 25% of Planned Giving Donations are eligible for Tax Deductibility.**
- **We are delighted to welcome back Fr Richard Leonard** who will be delivering another one of his inspirational talks on the topic: **'Mary, Here and Now, our Friend and Companion'** on Thursday, 9<sup>th</sup> Aug 7pm. **Save the date!**
- **To help raise funds for the 34<sup>th</sup> World Youth Day in Panama, we are selling cookies & cakes for only \$5 a bag!** Please support this worthy cause. Thank you.
- **Young adult group meeting on Sun 17<sup>th</sup> June after 6pm Mass. National Youth Conference 2018: 'Chosen' will be on Jul 12-15 in Melbourne.** Visit: <https://chosenconference.org.au/>
- **The menALIVE Weekend is almost here! Come and join us on Sat, 30<sup>th</sup> June & Sun, 1<sup>st</sup> July in the Parish Hall.** For info contact: Don 0401 162 705 | Lou at 0400 303 733. It's not too late to register! Go to: [www.eventbrite.com.au](http://www.eventbrite.com.au) (search: 'menAlive Eastwood').
- **New ministry rosters will soon be due, please advise the parish office of any changes through email: [parish@stkevinseastwood.org.au](mailto:parish@stkevinseastwood.org.au)**
- **The Liturgy Office of the Catholic Archdiocese of Sydney are inviting all Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist and Acolytes to attend a Formation and Training Course from 9am-12nn at St Charles Borromeo Parish Centre, 2A Charles St. Ryde.** For the Eucharistic Ministers it will be on July 7 & 14. For the Acolytes it will be on August 4, 11 & 18. To register, please collect a form on the table outside the sacristy or contact the parish office.
- **Thank you to a very generous member of our parish who donated a fine Ronisch upright piano for use in the Haseler Centre.** It will be featured in the next Kevinwood Concert on the 8<sup>th</sup> of July when duo pianists will present the Carnival of the Animals with orchestra.



**The St Kevin's School Fete is just around the corner! Come along on Sat 23<sup>rd</sup> June, 10am-4pm. Donations of books, clothes and toys are still accepted in the school office.**

### SEEKING HAPPINESS in LIFE

Often parents will say about their child; "All I want is my child to be happy." The reality is that no one is ever able to be constantly happy in life it is like to always want to experience fine weather!

A Jesuit priest *Fr Robert Spitzer* offered a helpful guide in enabling people to appreciate 4 level of happiness that I would now like to share. The first level of happiness could be called *self-gratification* this is where people choose to live by the principle of only wanting to maximize life's pleasures and then devising ways to minimize life's difficulties. The next level could be called *personal achievement happiness* this involves always looking for ways to be a winner in life. The third level could be called *going beyond oneself* happiness where someone lives by the principle of giving to others so as to find true inner happiness. This is a noble form of humanism. The fourth level and the highest level could be called the *ultimate good* where someone truly believes that the seeking of love, truth, beauty and joy in life comes to them from a source far greater than themselves. As Christians we believe that Jesus Christ models this type of love for his followers to acquire in their own lives.

The challenge for any of us is to realize this level of love and happiness comes from God by way of establishing and consolidating a relationship with God. - *Fr Martin R Maunsell*

**Our Lady of Mercy College Parramatta invites you to attend an Open Morning Tour on Wednesday, 20<sup>th</sup> June. The College is now enrolling for 2020. Visit [www.olmc.nsw.edu.au](http://www.olmc.nsw.edu.au)**

### NEXT WEEK'S ROSTER – 24<sup>th</sup> June, 2018

(AV Projectionist 9am Mass – D Tugaoen)

| Mass    | Senior Servers | Junior Servers        | Readers                      | Eucharistic Ministers                             |
|---------|----------------|-----------------------|------------------------------|---|
| Vigil   | C Tumminello   | J David<br>J Byrnes   | R: P David<br>C: C Lind      | F Reay, S Youssef<br>N Menezes, N Lobo            |
| 7:30am  | B Patterson    |                       | R: P Porta<br>C: S Boland    | L Bergfield, C Boland<br>E & A Barbagallo         |
| 9:00am  | V Chapman      | A McCosker<br>G Pace  | R: P Ryan<br>C: R Debeck     | Julie McCosker<br>Z Pace, R Boey                  |
| 10:30am | B Rigney       |                       | R: E Smallhorn<br>C: J Azize | C Rigney, Br J Guthrie<br>A Pinto, S Dharamdasani |
| 6:00pm  | I Madu         | D Yeo<br>A Holowinski | R: C Small<br>C: W T-Mordi   | J Gibson, Y Nair<br>S Esposito, L Hart            |

(Counters: 25<sup>th</sup> June – M Hill, H Reay, D Macedo & R Saez)