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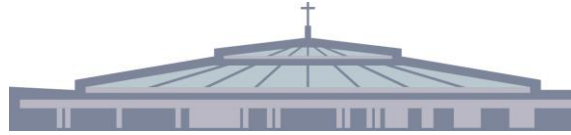
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Parish Office Hours

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)

## Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time, 28<sup>th</sup> January, 2018

**Our Deceased:** Fr. John Lyne, Fr. John Haseler, Geoff Clarke, Kwei Fong Fu, Young Hwan Ho, Yong Min Ho, Young Seok Seo, Maria Hur, Felix Michael Beins, Cecile Beins, Jan Brayan, Mary Duck, Ces Regan, Hanne S. Moujalli, Cyril Joseph Smith, Peter Summers, Marian Moujalli, Gloria Moujalli, Tannous Boudaher, Caterina Morfuni and Domenico Sorbilli.



**Our Sick:** Robert Lauw, Derek Hogg and Sharma Cooray

**Upcoming Saints Feast Day:** St. Thomas Aquinas, 28<sup>th</sup> Jan. & St. John Bosco 31<sup>st</sup> Jan.

### Parish News:

- **The first Youth Group meeting for 2018** will commence on Sat 3<sup>rd</sup> Feb after the 5.30pm Mass. Young Adults group will meet on Sun 11<sup>th</sup> Feb after the 6pm Mass. All youth welcome. For more info contact Anita Hogan on 0406 607 115.
- **Lent is almost here. Ash Wednesday Masses will be held at 7:30am, 9:15am & 6pm on Wed, 14<sup>th</sup> of February.**
- **Volunteers Needed:** Our responsibility to proclaim the Good News can be exercised in many ways. Perhaps some people here present may be interested in taking part in this ministry to be a **Catechist or help a catechist to spread the Good News about Jesus to Catholic children in Eastwood and Carlingford Public schools. We need scripture teachers and helpers on Wed/Thurs for 30-40 mins.** Lessons are provided. For enquiries, please contact the Parish Office on 9874 0312 or email: parish@stkevinseastwood.org.au

**Feast Day of St Bakhita:** Sydney Catholics are warmly invited to join the Archbishop of Sydney, Most Rev Anthony Fisher OP, at St Mary's Cathedral at 5.30pm on 8 February to celebrate the Feast Day of St Bakhita. St Bakhita is the patron saint of South Sudan and Human Trafficking. The Archbishop will also launch the Archdiocese's Anti-Slavery Taskforce, its strategy and initiatives, all directed toward the eradication of modern-slavery and human trafficking.

**St John of God Institute of Counselling** is entering its 50th and final year and will be offering a shortened course (6mos.) of their most popular subjects. The course will start on Tues 7<sup>th</sup> Feb and will continue each Tues evening from 7.30pm – 9.45pm during school terms 1 & 2, followed by a celebration of 50 years and farewell to the course in early July. The course covers skills in communicating and effectiveness with teenagers, family members, colleagues, conflicts and relationships. Cost: \$200 for 6mos. | Venue: Holy Cross College Ryde | Enquiries: Carol Harding 0408 705 848 or Jannelle Carlile 0431 598 004

**A Point to Ponder:** "If you accept authority of Jesus in your life, then you accept the authority of his words." – Colin Urquhart

### Understanding Our Parish Collections

To our current Givers - your generosity in supporting the priests and good works of the Church is gratefully acknowledged.

**First Collection** - supports the needs of the Parish Priest and includes monthly salary, upkeep of the presbytery (food, utilities, cleaner), and a small percentage to care for elderly priests. Income from Easter & Christmas offerings, weddings, baptisms are also added to the first collection. Any surplus goes into a central fund to ensure that all priests in the Archdiocese receive sufficient funds to cover their living expenses.

**Second Collection** - combines income from planned giving envelopes and cash on plates as well as our monthly credit card contributors. Supports the maintenance of parish buildings, pastoral programs, parish running costs (administration, insurance, utilities, general maintenance and upkeep of the Church, presbytery and parish property), staff salaries and superannuation, priest car expenses and CWF shortfall.

**Planned Giving** - Each person's capacity to give is different and you are not expected to give anything more than is reasonable. 25% of our Planned Giving Donations are eligible for Tax Deductibility. If you would like to assist the Parish financially via weekly envelopes or monthly credit card deductions, please take a form from the Church foyer, or contact the office.

**Association of the Miraculous Medal:** Mass with Novena will be celebrated in St Anthony's Church, Marsfield, on Sat 3<sup>rd</sup> Feb, 2018 at 10am. All welcome.

### NEXT WEEK'S ROSTER – 4<sup>th</sup> Feb, 2018

(AV Projectionist 9am Mass – D Muljadi)

Mass	Senior Servers	Junior Servers	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers
Vigil	A Ho	L Garcia L Garcia	R: N Wilkinson C: M Wilkinson	E & S Codsí F Reay, S Youssef
7:30am	B Patterson		R: M Pinson C: T Pinson	A Lawrence, R McNamara E Wicks, D Macedo
9:00am	V Chapman	R Liong V Widjaya	R: R Debeck C: M Young	M Polson, J Polson A Wahbe, R Boey
10:30am	N Silveira		R: E Smallhorn C: G Hardtke	M Hardtke, Br J Guthrie N & S Lobo
6:00pm	C Jonas	A Holowinski H Williams	R: N Williams C: A Brierley	L Hart, C S-Morgan D Le, S Esposito

(Counters: 5<sup>th</sup> Feb – C Hogan, J Hanna, S Youssef)