

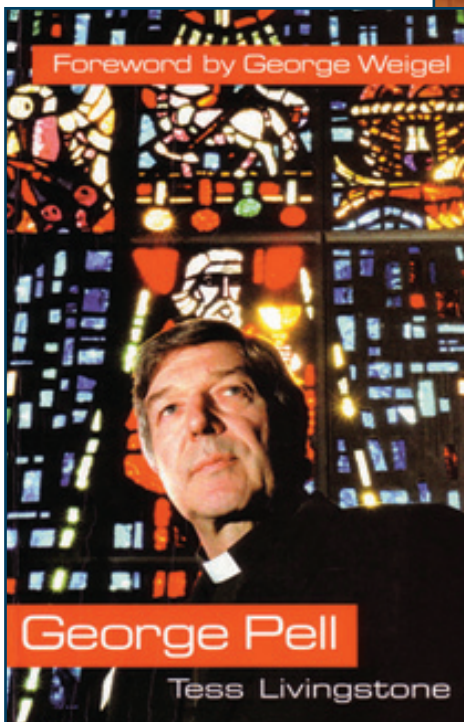
SYDNEY SNAPSHOT

Newsletter of the agencies in the Archdiocese of Sydney

A service of Catholic Communications, Sydney

new additions

Catholic Women's League – Books for Sale



As part of its work, the CWL is now selling selected books to raise money for charity.

A Welcome on the Mat by Fr John McSweeney PE, was recently launched by Sir William Deane to an enthusiastic audience in the crypt of St Mary's Cathedral.

This is an inspiring memoir of Fr Tom Dunlea – the founder of the Australian Boys Town, based on the model set up by Fr Flanagan in Nebraska, USA. Fr Dunlea also introduced and established Alcoholics Anonymous in Australia.

As well as a strong faith and dedication to the poor and homeless, Fr Tom's Irish charm attracted many to work with him and make things happen. "A great read." Large-format paperback \$19.95.

As this is not being sold in general bookshops, CWL will be happy to take orders for Polding Centre Staff. All proceeds will be shared between *Boys Town*, *Mathew Talbot Hostel* and Fr Chris Riley's *Youth Off the Streets*.

Tess Livingstone's biography *George Pell* is being sold by the Medical Mission of Australia, a charitable institution caring for Catholic communities and missionaries in poor countries, with programmes against malaria and to make pregnancy and childbirth safer.

As a women's organisation, CWL has agreed to help by selling copies of the book at a special price of \$18 with all proceeds to the Medical Mission.

Both books can be ordered from CWL - Ext 153

Welcome to July Sydney Snapshot

In the midst of our current Indian Winter it seems that most of us are burrowing into our work, trying to complete the many projects that have presented themselves.

Although there are few events to highlight this month, our sharing in the mission of the Church through our work continues unabated. On these days when the cold wind blowing encourages us to retreat further under the doona, perhaps we could take the opportunity to read one of the books highlighted this month by CWL.

If we are more adventurous, perhaps we may wish to take part in the annual pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady of Mount Carmel, or share in the public lecture by Fr James Schall SJ organised jointly by CAEC and the Fellowship of Catholic Scholars.

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- "Go Forth on a Strong Faith Journey". Aboriginal & Torres Strait Island Sunday.
- The Annual Archdiocesan Pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady of Mt Carmel.
- Movements at St Mary's Cathedral.
- New staff for Catholic Communications.

Deadline for material for the August edition is 12 noon, Tuesday 27 July.
Please email richard@sydney.catholic.org.au or call 9390 5301.

'A Reasonable Faith'

Fr James Schall SJ

A Public Lecture entitled 'A Reasonable Faith' will be delivered by Fr James Schall SJ at 7.30pm on Thursday, 15 July 2004 at the Gleeson Auditorium, Australian Catholic University, 25A Barker Road, Strathfield. The lecture is sponsored jointly by the Archdiocesan Catholic Adult Education Centre and the Fellowship of Catholic Scholars.



Fr Schall is a member of the California Province of the Society of Jesus having been ordained priest in 1963. He is currently Professor of Political Philosophy at Georgetown University, Washington DC.

Fr Schall was a member of the Pontifical Commission for Justice and Peace from 1977 to 1982 and a member of the US National Council on the Humanities and the US National Endowment for the Humanities from 1984 to 1990. He has been granted an MA in Philosophy from Gonzaga University, a PhD

in Political Philosophy from Georgetown University and an MA in Sacred Theology from Santa Clara University.

Fr Schall has written in various journals in the United States, Canada, Europe and Australia. Enquiries Ph (02) 9643 3660 or Email info@caec.com.au.

New Staff for Catholic Communications

Anne Zabodal has returned part-time to Catholic Communications as Administrative Assistant after her maternity leave.

She has now been joined by Jessica Dwyer as our new full-time

Office Assistant.

You can reach Anne on extension 309 or by email anne@sydney.catholic.org.au and Jessica on extension 307 or by email: jdwyer@sydney.catholic.org.au.

Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Sunday

This year Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Sunday takes place on Sunday, 4 July 2004.

The theme this year is 'Go Forth on a Strong Faith Journey - Shepherd-Rejoice-Hope-Peace'.

Archdiocesan Pilgrimage

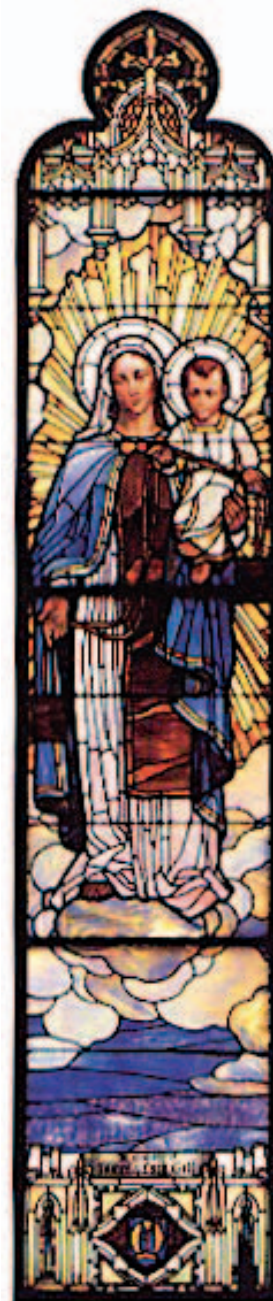
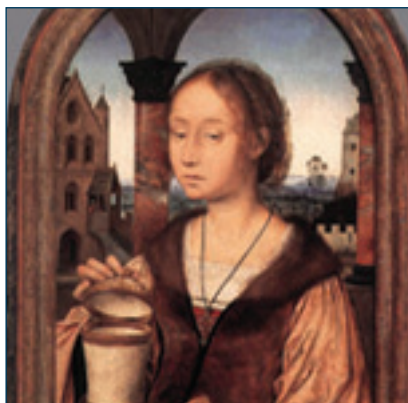
The Annual Archdiocesan Pilgrimage from St Mary's Cathedral to the Shrine of Our Lady of Mount Carmel, Waterloo, will be held on Sunday, 11 July 2004 commencing at 12 Noon.

Pilgrims are requested to assemble in the forecourt in front of St Mary's Cathedral.

Details - Fr John Knight Ph (02) 9698 2869.

St Mary's Cathedral

Fr Neil Brown, the past president of the Catholic Institute of Sydney has been appointed Dean of St Mary's Cathedral. Msgr Anthony Doherty, who has been Dean of the Cathedral, will become Parish Priest of St Mary Magdalene Parish, Rose Bay.



July

- Sat 3** St Thomas, Apostle - Feast
- Sun 4** Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Sunday
- Sun 11** Archdiocesan Pilgrimage
- Thurs 15** St Bonaventure, bishop & doctor of the Church
Public Lecture - 'A Reasonable Faith'
- Fri 16** Our Lady of Mount Carmel
- Thurs 22** St Mary Magdalen
- Mon 26** Ss Joachim and Anne, parents of Mary
- Thurs 29** St Martha
- Sat 31** St Ignatius Loyola, priest