

# SYDNEY SNAPSHOT

Newsletter of the agencies in the Archdiocese of Sydney

A service of Catholic Communications, Sydney

**A special Mass for the Repose of the Soul of Pope John Paul II will be held at St Mary's Cathedral on Tuesday 5 April 2005 at 7.30pm.**

Please note that all staff and their families are invited to attend.



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## Festival of Faith

St Mary's Cathedral College Street, Sydney – JUNE 25, 2005

**W**hat is the Festival? The "Festival of Faith" is an opportunity for groups from across the Church to come together and share their experiences and work with each other and with the community. It is an opportunity for groups and individuals to celebrate their activities and contributions and to let others know what they do.

**When is the Festival?** The Festival will be held on Saturday 25 June 2005, starting at 11am and going on into the early evening.

**Where will it be held?** The Festival will be held in and around St Mary's Cathedral in College Street in the City.

**How can I be involved?** The Festival is all about the different groups, parishes and organizations in the Church getting together to display their contributions and share their work in a way that best suits them and best expresses who they are. If you are interested in hosting a stall displaying what you do, running a workshop, putting on a performance, or participating in a debate there is the potential for you to do so.

### I'm interested ... where to now?

From the first week of April onwards we'll be running a series of information sessions in the Polding Centre in the City. All you have to do is send someone along to one of those sessions. At the session we'll explain how we're putting together the program, what facilities will be available for you on the day, and what infrastructure will be there for use. After that, you will need to come up with a plan about how you can be involved, and we'll figure out together how best to involve your group in the program. If you let us know you are interested in getting involved, we'll send you more information in the coming weeks.

### How can we be involved?

Stalls	Displays	Musical Performances
Drama	Liturgies	Dance
Talks	Lectures	Activities for Children
Workshops	Technology	Social Justice
Food	And more	

### How much will it cost?

For most groups there will be no cost except the cost of putting together your stall or event. We are providing the infrastructure – the performance spaces and the stalls. All you have to do is come along to showcase what you do best!

### What do I have to do now?

Get back to us as soon as possible.

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The Festival of Faith is a project of The Knights of the Southern Cross (NSW).

## Welcome to April Sydney Snapshot

Welcome to the April edition of Snapshots as we celebrate the joyful and grace-filled season of Easter. As always, Snapshots is about bringing to those working in the Church and her agencies news about what is happening in other areas.

This month we have news about the Festival of Faith coordinated by the KSC, CCD introduce a new staff member, new courses are announced at CAEC, and a Copyright workshop is being run by the Liturgy Office.

Happy Reading,  
Marita

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## Luncheons at Catholic Womens League, Sydney

Forthcoming Guest Speakers at CWL Luncheons – topical, informative, entertaining and we want you to come!

Don't miss out!

April 12 –

Barbara Holborow, retired Magistrate, author and children's advocate.

May 10 –

Shirley Weekes, Vice President of United Nations Organisation, Sydney.

Commencing 12.30pm on Level 8, Polding Centre.

Delicious basket luncheon, only \$6.

You will not be disappointed – so please book on ext 153

Deadline for material for the May edition is 12 noon, 28 April.

Please email [media@sydney.catholic.org.au](mailto:media@sydney.catholic.org.au) or call 9390 5300.

caec

## CAEC announce term two subjects

The Catholic Adult Education Centre has announced several new subjects among its offerings for Term Two, according to Peter Holmes, Manager – Courses of Study.

The first is “The Early Church”, a survey of the Church in the first centuries, to be given by Church historian Fr Anthony Robbie. The subject will look at how such foundational beliefs and practices as the Mass, prayers and moral teachings can be traced back to the very beginnings of the Church. The subject will be given on Monday evenings.

On Thursday evenings Dr Brigid Vout, Co-ordinator of the Life Office for the Archdiocese of Sydney, will present “Christian Ethics”. Based on Pope John Paul II’s encyclical “The Splendour of Truth”, the subject will provide an insight into some modern ethical issues based on the foundations of the natural law and the teachings of Christ.

The third new subject will be “Christ in the Scriptures”, to be given by Peter Holmes on Tuesday mornings. The subject will look at the Old and New Testaments to show how

Christ is the living voice in all the Scriptures. In addition, there will be two subjects which have been given before. They are “Opening the Bible”, an introduction to Scripture, to be given by Peter Holmes on Monday evenings, and “Introduction to Theology”, to be given by Anthony English on Thursday evenings.

The term begins on Monday, May 2 and runs for eight weeks. All subjects are given at the Centre in Lidcombe. Those unable to attend the classes in Lidcombe due to distance or medical reasons may do the courses by correspondence.

Students may select any individual units they desire, or they may enrol in a Certificate in Faith Education, usually done over two years, or a Certificate in Youth Ministry.

The Certificate in Faith Education is accredited by the Catholic Education Office for the teaching of Religious Education in Catholic Schools and by the Confraternity of Christian Doctrine for catechists. More information can be obtained by phoning the Centre on 9663 3660.

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## CWF – video

The Charitable Works Fund (CWF) is the main source of funding for around thirty Catholic agencies in the Archdiocese of Sydney. Each year, these agencies help over 500,000 people in areas such as social welfare, aboriginal ministry, adult and religious education and youth services. The CWF relies on contributions to its Pastoral Care Appeal, held in parishes three times each year and in schools once each year. A poster and flyer is normally produced for use in promoting the appeal. In addition, in recent years a CD-powerpoint presentation has been produced. Static images and voice over is the best we’ve done so far.

In 2005, a video showing the activities, the people, the works of the Archdiocese has been produced. Thanks to Aboriginal Catholic Ministry, CCD, Catholic Immigration Office, CYS and Centacare for their participation. If any agency wishes to obtain a copy, please call Tina at Catholic Communications on 300.

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## New staff, events and books

During April CCD welcomes new staff, new events and new books. Elie Maalouly is a welcome addition to the staff of CCD. He comes with a Bachelor of Visual Communications, majoring in Multimedia and Graphic Design, from KVB College and is now completing his Masters in Digital Media at Sydney University.

Presently working part time at a school as well as part time with the CCD, Elie will be using his skills as a graphic artist on the new SRE curriculum currently in production.

Dooleys Lidcombe Catholic Club is the venue for the annual Archdiocesan Catechist Gathering which will be held from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm on Friday April 29. Always well supported, this year’s theme is *The Year of the Eucharist*,

*Child Protection and SRE*.

Catechist Co-ordinators are asked to contact Carmel Duffy on (02) 9390 5122 by Wednesday 20 April with the number of catechists from their parishes who wish to attend.

President of the Society for Eucharistic Adoration Christine McCarthy currently has three titles available which are ideal for catechists and suitable for children of all ages. Each of these books is particularly relevant in this, the *Year of the Eucharist* and are readily available from Sydney Catholic Books & Resources at very affordable prices.

The books are: *I The Lord Am With You Always*, which contains prayers and meditations for Eucharistic adoration, rrp \$12.50; *Come to Me, My Children*, pro-

## Events



### April

#### Holy Days and Feast Days

- 1 Easter Friday
- 2 Easter Saturday
- 3 Sunday of Divine Mercy
- 4 Annunciation of the Lord
- 7 John Baptist de la Salle
- 11 Stanislaus
- 25 Anzac Day
- 26 Mark
- 28 Peter Chanel
- 29 Catherine of Siena

vides a wonderful treasury of prayers, an ideal gift for children, particularly those making their first Confession or first Holy Communion, rrp \$6.95; and *In Memory of Me*, a wonderful supplement to the Apostolic Letters Dies Domini and Mane Nobiscum Domine, rrp \$11.95 (featuring local priest Fr Michael De Stoop).



Elie Maalouly

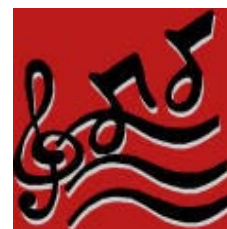


**Liturgy  
Office**  
Catholic Archdiocese of Sydney

# Copyright for Parish Musicians

**Priests, Musicians, Pastoral Associates and RE/Liturgy Co-Ordinators**

**Presenter:** Michael Jear (Music Consultant – Liturgy Office)  
**When:** Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> April 2005  
**Time:** 10.00 am – 1.00 pm (Registration 9.30 am)  
**Where:** Catholic Centre, 3 Keating Street, Lidcombe  
**Cost:** \$10.00 per person



Through input, discussion and group work participants will explore:

- Copyright Laws in Australia
- Copyright Guidelines for Churches
- Copyright Licensing Agents in Australia

Each participant will receive a package containing written material.

For more information please contact Maree Cadogan or Nancye Cullen at the Liturgy Office. Phone: 9643 3680 or Fax: 9643 3689

Please fax, email or return form to Liturgy Office, PO Box 147, Lidcombe. 2141.  
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**RESPONSE FORM – Copyright for Church Musicians**  
**Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> April 2005**

**Surname:** ..... **First Name:** .....  
(please print) (please print)

**Address:** .....

**Telephone:** ..... **Parish:** .....

Fee enclosed

Receipt required

Please make cheques payable to: Liturgy Office

**Registrations must be returned by Monday 4th April 2005**

