



OUR LADY OF DOLOURS SERVITE CHURCH

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4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR B) 28TH JANUARY 2024

Mass Times

Vigil Mass: Sat 6.30 pm
Sunday 9.30 am
11.00 am
Spanish Mass 12.30 pm
6.30 pm
Mon to Sat 10am & 6.30 pm

Sacrament of Confession

Saturday 10.45 – 11.15 am
6.00 – 6.30 pm
Mon – Fri 6:15 – 6:30 pm

Parish Office Opening Hrs

Mon – Fri 9am to 5pm
(Lunch from 1.30pm to 2.30pm)

Rosary

Every Wednesday after
10am Mass followed by Tea
in the Founders Room.

- Rosary also held
on Sundays at 3pm
in the Colonnade.

Legion of Mary

Every Tuesday at 7pm in the
Parlour.

Holy Hour

1st Friday of every month after
10am Mass. The **Blessed
Sacrament** will be exposed for
Rosary, Litany Divine Mercy &
Benediction.

Saints Days

Mon 29th – Servant of God
Brother Juniper
Tue 30th – Bl. Mary Angela
Truszkowska
Wed 31st – St. John Bosco
Thu 1st – St. Ansgar
Fri 2nd – Presentation of the Lord
Sat 3rd – Bl. Joachim of Siena



St. Peregrine Mass of Healing

Our next St. Peregrine Mass of
Healing is on **31st of January
2024** at 6:30pm.

Relic of Blessed Carlo Acutis

Exposition of this Relic on every
Monday after our 10am Mass.

Blessed Carlo, Pray for us.

Sunday Reflection

Today's Gospel shows that Jesus' teaching made a deep impression on his listeners because, unlike the scribes (the official teachers), he taught them with authority. He commanded the unclean spirit and it obeyed him. These miracles signified in action what he preached in words. Jesus' powerful words, are accompanied by his equally powerful deeds. The people speak of his act of exorcism as "a new teaching".

Why did Jesus make an impact to his listeners? It is because his teaching originates from immediate contact (moment of prayer) with the Father, from face-to-face dialogue – from the vision of the one who rests close to the Father's heart.

I suppose this gospel is an invitation for us to reflect on this Year of Prayer which Pope Francis announced last Sunday (21st January 2024) during his Angelus to establish a moment of prayer to the Lord Jesus who has the authority to liberate us from the bond of the unclean spirit.



First Holy Communion – A soft reminder that the next Session Sunday will be on 4th February at 10:00 am prompt at the School Hall. Make sure that your child will come before the time please.

Confirmation Classes 2024 – The next Confirmation Session will be on 4th February 2024 at 5:00 pm and then followed by a Mass at 6:30 pm.

Ministers of the Holy Eucharist – We are inviting those who would like to serve as Ministers of the Holy Eucharist to join and attend the forthcoming formation to be given by Mary Crowley on 27th February 2024 at 7:00 pm at the Founders Room.

Service of Anointing of the Sick – There will be a Mass of the Sick with Anointing to be celebrated by Cardinal Vincent Nichols at Westminster Cathedral on Saturday 10th February 2024 at 2:30 pm. Kindly coordinate at the parish office please.

Prayer to Blessed Joachim of Siena, OSM

God our Father, you taught Joachim, disciple of Jesus and Mary, to serve his brothers and sisters even by accepting their sickness. May we learn from his example to acknowledge our own weakness and so be compassionate and understanding of the weakness of others. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.

