



# Holy Cross College, Ryde

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Dear Parents,

On **Wednesday 24 May** the Australian Catholic Church celebrates the Feast of Our Lady, Help of Christians, Patroness of Australia. On this day the College will combine this celebration with our 2017 Back to Parish day. All students from Years 7 - 12 will attend Mass in one of our nominated feeder parishes. Students who belong to one of these parishes will attend their own Church in the morning before making their way back to school. Those who do not come from one of these parishes will attend Mass at St Charles' Ryde. **This is a compulsory activity for ALL students in keeping with your son's enrolment in a Catholic School.**

Details are as follows

- All students will make their own way to their nominated Parish to attend Mass. A roll will be taken by Holy Cross staff also attending this Mass. Students will nominate their Parish during HCT time next week.
- Where required buses will be supplied to transport students from their parish Mass to school.
- Supervision will be provided at school for those groups who arrive back earlier than others.
- Recess will be held from 10:50am. The College canteen will be open as normal.
- Classes will resume as normal from period 3 and students will be dismissed as usual at the end of the school day.
- ALL STUDENTS are to wear full winter uniform including tie and blazer.

All Hallows, Five Dock	9.00am
Holy Name of Mary, Hunters Hill	9.00am
Holy Spirit, North Ryde	8.30am
St Augustine's, Balmain	7.30am
St Ambrose, Concord	9.00am
St Charles, Ryde	9.20am
St Kevin's, Eastwood	9.15am
St Michael's Meadowbank	9.30am
St Mark's, Drummoyne	9.30am
St Mary's, Concord	8.30am
St Therese, Denistone	9.00am
St Patrick's, Mortlake	8.00am

With thanks for your ongoing support of the Catholic life of the College.

Yours sincerely,

Mr Michael Reid  
ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL