

Christ the King Catholic Church East Greenmount

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Society of St. Pius X



May 2026

Month dedicated to Our Lady

109 years
ago this
month:

On May 13, 1917,
Our Lady appeared in
Portugal to the
children of Fatima. If
she takes care to come
into the midst of us, it
is to plead with us, to
have pity on our souls,
to remind us that our
soul is made for God,
to love Our Lord Jesus
Christ and to tell us
there is no salvation
outside her divine Son.



So she begged us to pray and to do
penance. She herself took the Rosary in
hand and taught the children of Fatima to
pray the Rosary with her so as to save
their souls and those of their neighbour.

From *The Rosary with Archbishop Lefebvre*, 2018, page 9
(from a homily given May 14 1989)

The Rosary is
our weapon

The magnificent examples
produced through the
recitation of the Rosary
throughout history, obliges
you to recite it often, and
if you are able, even the
entire Rosary. Entrust
yourself to the Blessed
Virgin Mary... **The most
Holy Virgin, in her
apparitions, always
comes with a rosary in
her hand, showing us in
that way how much she
cares about this prayer.**

From *The Rosary with Archbishop Lefebvre*,
2018, page 8

May 1st	St Joseph the Worker
May 14th	Ascension of the Lord
May 24th	Pentecost Sunday
May 27th	Ember Wednesday} in the octave
May 29th	Ember Friday} of Pentecost
May 30th	Ember Saturday}

NOTE: This year the feast of Our Lady Help of Christians,
Patroness of Australia, is transferred to Monday 1 June.





Every day unbelievers and unrepentant sinners cry: "Let us crown ourselves with roses."

But our cry should be: "Let us crown ourselves with roses of the Most Holy Rosary."

How different are theirs from ours! Their roses are pleasures of the flesh, worldly honours and passing riches which will decay in no time, but ours, which are the Our Father and Hail Mary which we have said devoutly over and over again and to which we have added good penitential acts, will never wilt or die and they will be just as exquisite thousands of years from now as they are today.

From The Secret of the Rosary, St Louis De Montfort, 1954, page 1

Remember the **Rosary crusade** for the **episcopal consecrations** on the 1st July. (19th March to 1st July)

With confusion and even real moral errors being spread by both Church and state it is of crucial importance that the SSPX is enabled to hold fast to the true faith. Intentions and tally sheets available at the back of the church. **Continue with fervour -- begin now with fervour – it is not too late!!**

St Dominic and the Albigensians*

It was only in the year 1214 that Holy Mother Church received the Rosary in its present form and according to the method we use today. It was given to the Church by St Dominic who had received it from the Blessed Virgin as a powerful means of converting the Albigensians and other sinners.

St Dominic, seeing that the gravity of people's sins was hindering the conversion of the Albigensians, withdrew into a forest near Toulouse where he prayed unceasingly for three days and three nights. During this time he did nothing but weep and do harsh penances to appease the anger of Almighty God...

...Our Lady appeared to him, accompanied by three angels and she said: "Dear Dominic, do you know which weapon the Blessed Trinity wants to use to reform the world?"

"Oh, my Lady," answered St Dominic, "you know far better than I do because next to your Son Jesus Christ you have always been the chief instrument of our salvation."

Then Our Lady replied: "I want you to know that, in this kind of warfare the battering ram has always been the Angelic Psalter which is the foundation stone of the New Testament. Therefore if you want to reach these hardened souls and win them over to God, preach my Psalter."

So he arose, comforted, and burning with zeal for the conversion of the people of the district he made straight for the Cathedral. At once unseen angels rang the bells to gather the people together and St Dominic began to preach.

From The Secret of the Rosary, St Louis De Montfort, 1954, page 18

* The Albigensians (also known as Cathars) diverged significantly from Catholic doctrine by positing the existence of two gods, representing the dualistic struggle between good and evil, spirit and matter. Believing the material world was created by the evil god, they rejected many of the sacraments and rituals of the Catholic church, disputed the Catholic view of Christ's Incarnation, Crucifixion and Resurrection, did not venerate the Virgin Mary, saints or icons, and believed in reincarnation.

Taken from <https://knightstemplar.co/the-albigensians-medieval-heretics-in-the-heart-of-europe/>

Rosary Group

All parishioners are invited to join the Rosary Prayer Group that meets on Wednesday mornings in Toowoomba. Devotions begin at 9.30am and continue for about 45mins, followed by a cuppa. Please see Geoffrey Purcell for details.



Prophetic Dream of St John Bosco

Not all dreams are created equal. Some dreams are more than just unconscious renderings of our conscious lives. In some rare cases, dreams are inspired visions from heaven... It is of this latter version, that of prophetic dreams, that filled the life of St. John Bosco.

St John Bosco received many prophetic dreams regarding the youths under his care. Not all the dreams however, concerned his boys

In perhaps his most famous dream, St John Bosco saw a large ship, representing the Church, in a violent storm and under attack. The Pope guided the ship to two large columns, at which, the ship docked and was saved.

On the one column was a statue of the Virgin Mary with the title “*Help of Christians*” and, at the top of the other larger column was a Eucharistic Host entitled “*Salvation of the Faithful*”.

St. John Bosco explained: “Only two means are left to save the Church amidst the confusion: Devotion to Mary Most Holy and frequent Holy Communion.”

In our modernist era besieged by materialist confusion, the dreams of St. John Bosco are all the more urgent. The attacks are particularly diabolical against young people, seducing them to believe that there is no God or absolute morality, and no eternal consequences...The devil lies hidden before our secular eyes...

Sadly, as the percentage of Catholics decrease, the number of those without religious affiliation expands... If youth were so imperilled in the 19th century, how much more endangered are souls in the 21st century with the falling away *en masse* from the Church, the unmooring of morality, particularly in sexual promiscuity of all sorts, and so much more. The monsters of St. John Bosco’s dreams are running wild today.

The Church, however, is here to aid us in the battle. It is our field hospital, present on the battlefield to heal our wounds and save our souls. She helps us grow in virtue and slay the beasts.

The saint’s solution for us was simple: innocence preserved in penance. He said one good Confession could restore us to our title of “Son of God.” **As the dreams of St. John Bosco reveal, our salvation is found in prayer, frequent Confession and Holy Communion, Adoration, and recourse to the Blessed Virgin Mary and the Rosary.**

Taken from <https://catholicexchange.com/snake-rosary-dreams-st-john-bosco/>



Items for East Greenmount Bulletin

Has there been an important event in your life?

Parishioners who have received sacraments such as Baptism, First Holy Communion, Confirmation, Weddings are welcome (and encouraged) to have the event published in the newsletter. If available, photos would also be great.

Please see Geoffrey Purcell for details about publishing your news!



Christ the King Church East Greenmount

2 Hodgson Street, East Greenmount

Mass times for May 2026

(Month dedicated to Our Lady)

Date	Time	Details
<i>Sunday 3rd May</i> Fourth Sunday after Easter	2.00pm	Low Mass
<i>Sunday 10th May</i> Fifth Sunday after Easter	UPDATED 2.00pm	Low Mass
<i>Sunday 17th May</i> Sunday after the Ascension	9.00am	Low Mass
<i>Sunday 24th May</i> Pentecost Sunday	Please check Oxley bulletin	Low Mass
<i>Sunday 31st May</i> Holy Trinity	Please check Oxley bulletin	Low Mass

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SSPX Website	sspx.com.au/en

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Church Account (For donations) Society of St Pius X, ANZ Mt Ommaney
BSB 014 295 Account No 2597-10714

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Direct deposit details (if preferred):

Society of St Pius X, ANZ

BSB: 014-141 Account No. 2727-32619

Reference: Your initial and last name, followed by EGM. *Example: JBROWNEG*

Please ensure you deposit into the correct account and include your reference as shown above. Unidentifiable donations will be applied to further assist the general SSPX.

Contact Details

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