



## 2020 FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

### EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

PLEASE COMPLETE USING BLOCK LETTERS

RETURN THIS FORM TO THE PARISH OFFICE by **Friday 18<sup>th</sup> September 2020**.

This Sacramental information is effective for this 'moment in time' and may change in line with the Archdiocese of Sydney and NSW Government guidelines.

#### Candidate's Details

Candidate's Full Name \_\_\_\_\_ **Gender:** Male / Female \_\_\_\_\_  
School Attended \_\_\_\_\_ **Grade:** \_\_\_\_\_  
Father's Names \_\_\_\_\_ **Religion:** \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother's Name \_\_\_\_\_ **Religion:** \_\_\_\_\_

#### Contact Details

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent's Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Parent's Email \_\_\_\_\_

#### Parish

Would you like to volunteer to assist with this Sacramental Preparation?  Yes  No

*Parish safeguarding requirements are needed to volunteer*

Have you completed St Mark's 2020 Census Form?  Yes  No

If No, please complete the enclosed Census Form.

Do you attend Mass weekly at St Mark's?  Yes  No

If Yes, which Mass(es)?  Sat 5:30pm  Sun 9am  Sun 10:30am  Sun 6pm

If No, please state which Parish do you worship regularly at? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you registered and contribute via our weekly planned giving envelopes?  Yes  No

If No, would you like to contribute to our weekly planned giving?  Yes  No

#### Details of Candidate's Sacraments

Parish where baptised

Date:

Parish of First Reconciliation

Date:

## COMMITMENT TO THE SACRAMENT OF EUCHARIST

*(To be read, discussed and signed by the candidate and both parents/guardians)*

I/we understand that completion of the full Sacramental Preparation Program is required for my child to receive the Sacrament. Therefore,

- I/we will prepare my child by teaching them the Faith.
- I/We will attend the Information Session and Commitment Mass.
- I/We will attend Mass at St Mark's on a weekly basis especially throughout the program.
- I/We will attend all the Parish Sacramental Preparation Sessions, participate in the activities and discussions throughout the Sacrament of Eucharist (Holy Communion) program.
- I will participate in the Sacrament of Reconciliation before First Holy Communion.
- I will try to pray regularly and accept more responsibility in my family, parish and community, now and in the future.

If there are any issues/difficulties with meeting the above requirements, please make an appointment to see **Fr Michael McLean**.

For all other enquiries, please contact the **Parish Office** at [admin@stmarksdrummoyne.org.au](mailto:admin@stmarksdrummoyne.org.au) or on **9181 1795**.

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Candidate's Signature

Mother's Signature

Father's Signature

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### **- IMPORTANT -**

Please return the completed form and a copy of the Baptism Certificate  
*(photocopy is acceptable) unless Baptism took place at St Mark's Drummoyne*  
to

Parish Office: 33 Tranmere Street Drummoyne NSW 2047

or Via email: [admin@stmarksdrummoyne.org.au](mailto:admin@stmarksdrummoyne.org.au)

**Due to COVID-19, the preparation for First Holy Communion will take place during Term 4.**

**This will be done in-line with the Archdiocese of Sydney and the NSW Government guidelines and may change due to restrictions.**

**\* Ceremony Booking requires a Completed Form and documents as required – First Come First Serve.**

**A confirmation email will be sent on ceremony date and time once all forms are received \***

### Office Use Only

- Registration Form and donation received
- Baptismal Certificate attached
- Consent Form
- Census Form

Suggested Donation:	<b>\$40</b>
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Date:	
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Ceremony confirmed:	
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**\*\*\* Donation is for Activity book, Certificate, and administration expenses and can be paid by Card on Parish Website or at Parish Office \*\*\***



## St Mark's Parish

33 Tranmere Street Drummoyne NSW 2047 Australia Tel (61 2) 9181 1795  
Email: [admin@stmarksdrummoyne.org.au](mailto:admin@stmarksdrummoyne.org.au) Parish website: [www.stmarksdrummoyne.org.au](http://www.stmarksdrummoyne.org.au)

### CONSENT TO FILM OR PHOTOGRAPH A CHILD

Name of individual child/children:

\_\_\_\_\_ (Child/children)

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ NSW \_\_\_\_\_ Age/s: \_\_\_\_\_

Parish: St Mark's Parish Drummoyne Parish Priest: Father Michael McLean PP EV

#### 1. PHOTOGRAPHIC/VIDEO/AUDIO/ZOOM/SOCIAL MEDIA/COMMUNICATION RELEASE

I, \_\_\_\_\_ [name of parent/caregiver], of the abovementioned child/children, authorise St Mark's Parish, Drummoyne and/or its approved nominees, to take and use photographs, video or sound recording and any reproductions or adaptations of the child/children's likeness ('the material'), either in full or part, in conjunction with any wording or drawings, in any St Mark's Parish publication, production and presentation. This includes electronic publications on the St Mark's Parish Website, Facebook, Email, and Social Media.

*Note: children will not be identified by full name (without additional consent).*  Yes  No

I also consent to the above material being used for promotional purposes in the media.

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I acknowledge that neither I/we nor the abovementioned child/children have any commercial rights in any St Mark's Parish publication, production or presentation which includes the material.

I/we understand that this material will not be provided to any third party, other than as set out in this document without our/my express consent.

#### 2. WHAT HAPPENS TO THE CONSENT FORM ONCE IT IS FILLED OUT AND SIGNED?

The consent form will be placed in the Parish Office Safeguarding file at St Mark's Parish.

\_\_\_\_\_  
[Signature of Parent / Guardian]

\_\_\_\_\_  
[Date]

## CHECK LIST

- Fill in Enrolment Form – Printed or Online
- Attach a Copy of Baptismal Certificate (if not baptised at St Mark’s Parish)
- Choose one option for Sacramental Preparation
- Choose three options for First Holy Communion Mass Celebration
  - Remember we can have 6 Candidates only for each Mass and allocation is made in order of receipt of forms – “First come first serve”
  - Candidates are allocated one pew with their immediate family members
- Attend one of Sunday Masses in November

**If you choose not to celebrate at this time, you can still do the preparation and the celebration can take place at a later date when restrictions have been lifted.**  
**We do not know when or if restrictions will be lifted.**

### PLEASE INDICATE THE SESSION YOU WANT TO ATTEND

<b>PARENT PREPARATION EVENING</b>			
<b>Attendance Essential</b>			
<b>23 September 2020 @ 7.30pm</b> Via ZOOM OR PHONE IN (1 hour)			
<b>PREPARATION SESSIONS</b>			
<b>(Choose 1 set of dates)</b>			
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Wednesday @ 7pm on 14, 21 &amp; 28 October</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Thursday @ 7pm on 15, 22 &amp; 29 October</b>			
<b>MASS, PRACTICE EVENING AND PRAYER</b>			
<b>(Choose 1 date only)</b>			
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> Nov @ 7pm</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> Nov @ 7pm</b>		<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> Nov @ 7pm</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> Nov @ 7pm</b>	
<b>THE SACRAMENT OF PENANCE (FIRST RECONCILIATION)</b>			
<p><b>Each child must attend prior to their celebration of the Sacrament of Holy Communion.</b></p>		<p><b>Every Saturday</b>  <b>from 17 October to 21 November</b>  <b>11am – 11.55am @ ST MARK’S CHURCH</b></p>	
<b>CELEBRATION MASSES FOR THE SACRAMENT OF FIRST HOLY COMMUNION (FIRST EUCHARIST)</b>			
<b>Choose 3 (three) options</b>			
<p><b>Saturday: 5.30pm</b> <b>Mass</b></p> <input type="checkbox"/> 7 November <input type="checkbox"/> 14 November <input type="checkbox"/> 21 November <input type="checkbox"/> 28 November	<p><b>Sunday: 9.00am</b> <b>Mass</b></p> <input type="checkbox"/> 8 November <input type="checkbox"/> 15 November <input type="checkbox"/> 22 November <input type="checkbox"/> 29 November	<p><b>Sunday: 10.30am</b> <b>Mass</b></p> <input type="checkbox"/> 8 November <input type="checkbox"/> 15 November <input type="checkbox"/> 22 November <input type="checkbox"/> 29 November	<p><b>Saturday: 6.00pm</b> <b>Mass</b></p> <input type="checkbox"/> 8 November <input type="checkbox"/> 15 November <input type="checkbox"/> 22 November <input type="checkbox"/> 29 November