

**Our Lady of Dolours  
Christmas Eve Youth Mass  
24 December 2008**

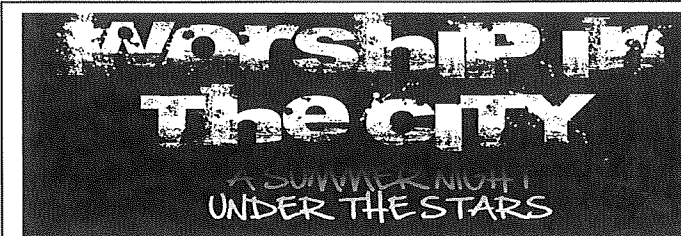
**CAROLS from 8pm  
MASS at 8.30pm**



**Hope to see you there – see over for how to get involved!**

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**YOUTH NOTICES and NEWS**



Worship in the City's December get together is on Friday December 12. A group from OLD is travelling by train from Chatswood station, meeting at the end of the mall/top of the escalators at 5pm, returning no later than 10.30pm. The night is set to go off with an amazing team of musicians, a guest speaker and a FREE BBQ dinner for all! The evening begins with the BBQ at 6pm and the worship starts at 7pm. At the end of the night there will be hot chocolate/coffee. If you'd like to come, email/text Suzanne asap on 0415 820 494 and no later than 10 December. More info on the Youth Noticeboard at the rear of the church.

***GOING FORWARD-Post WYD08***

The Australian bishops have approved a blueprint adopted by the National Youth Leaders Gathering 08 which identified the need for catechesis as well as avenues for empowerment for young people in leadership and ministry. The Bishops praised the post WYD spirit of faith and gave a blueprint which outlines three key areas for national coordination:

- Formation for Young People
- Support for Youth Ministry and
- National Events.

Fr Tom Rosica, director of WYD 2002 in Toronto, shared his seven step survival guide for life after WYD, Fr Rosica called on those present:

- to turn to the Bible in their youth ministry work
- to serve young people as a special part of the Church
- to present Communion as privilege
- to acknowledge the need for devotion
- to portray 'Blesseds' and saints as real role models
- to introduce youth to religious vocations, and
- to overcome the "crisis of ideologies"

**YOUTH ACTIVITIES IN OUR PARISH**

**GET INVOLVED MEET NEW FRIENDS  
START SOMETHING NEW**



**Youth Readers**

High school youth and young adults read at 5.30pm Sunday Youth Mass.  
Contact: Monica Cotter - 9412 1323



**Youth Choir**

Sing contemporary hymns at the Youth Mass 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Sundays of the month.  
Contact: Nick Hung - 0412 121 648



**Youth Band**

Sing or play at the Youth Mass 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays of the month.  
Contact: Regina Chan - 0411 622 800



**Youth Welcomers**

Provide a welcome/hand out the bulletin at the start of 5.30pm Sunday Youth Mass.  
Contact: Suzanne Camilleri- 9410 9032



**Youth Servers/Eucharistic Ministers**

Assist at the altar/distribute communion once a month.  
Contact: Gerard Ryan - 9419 8310