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A MESSAGE FROM FR BERNARD GORDON, VICAR GENERAL & ADMINISTRATOR

Dear Parishioners,

Grace and Peace.

The NSW Premier Gladys Berejiklian has announced a stay-at-home order that includes the Illawarra Region. This order commences from 6pm today (26 June) until 11.59pm Friday, 9 July. Therefore, we need to cancel Sunday and Weekday Mass during this time, including 5:30pm Mass this evening at Gwynneville (5:30pm).

Masses will be livestreamed from St Francis Xavier Cathedral (10.30am Sunday) and 12.10pm from Tuesday to Friday. To view Mass please visit our YouTube channel at: **livestream.lumenchristi.org.au**

Given the NSW Premier's announcement today, we anticipate that weekend Masses will be offered again commencing on Saturday 10th July 2021 with Mass at Gwynneville (5.30pm). We will update you if the NSW Government shortens the time of the stay-athome order.

The parish office will be closed while the stay-at-home order lasts, but you can contact the parish staff on 4211 0500 from Monday to Friday, 9am – 1pm.

Please pray with me that everyone will remain safe. Let us make sure to keep contact with our families, friends, and those most in need of our comfort and support.

May God bless you and keep you in his peace.

Yours in Christ

Gordon

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