

## Reading the Classics

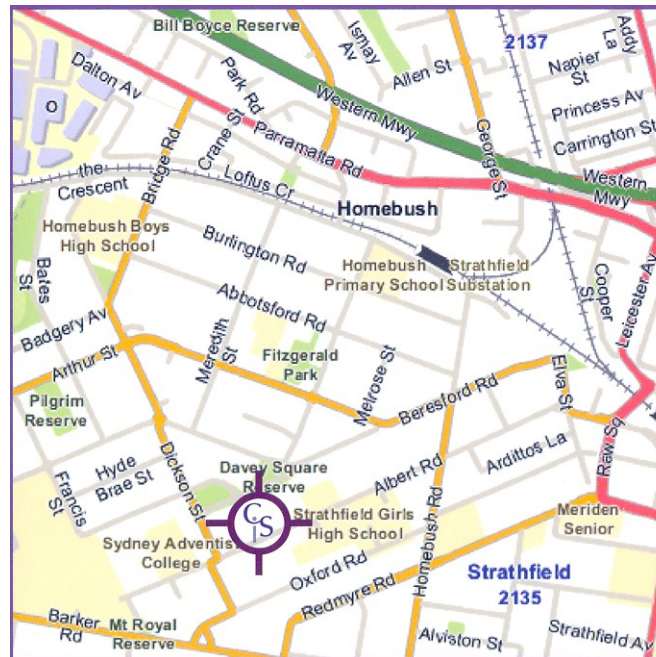
### “The Music of Philosophy”

Six Wednesdays

Wednesday 28 April  
to  
Wednesday 2 June

7.00–9.00pm

Dr Matthew Del Nevo



## Catholic Institute of Sydney

The Catholic Institute of Sydney is an independent Catholic theological faculty supported by the Archdiocese of Sydney as a member institute of the Sydney College of Divinity. It provides courses leading to tertiary awards as well as occasional public lectures and community education courses.

### Reading the Classics

This is a community education programme intended for people who wish to extend their education by reading classical works in areas such as philosophy and spirituality. No previous study is assumed, but people with a background in the subject area will be welcome. Participants will be guided through reading and discussion of the texts by an experienced teacher of the discipline.

With the fulfilment of additional requirements, sessions of Reading the Classics can be taken for credit in the BTh programme.

### Fees:

Tuition fee: \$115 (per reading course)



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with  
**Dr Matthew Del Nevo**

Time: 7 - 9 pm,  
Wednesdays,  
Dates: 28 April 10 - 2 June 10

In this short course the “philosophical classics” we shall study will be musical. We will open the musical pieces in such a way as to attune ourselves to a range of feelings that have no better voice, and from this philosophical vantage point we will gain some critical perspective on self, society and culture today. Each week will centre around a theme, starting with the ground-mood of melancholy, which lies closest to that sense of soulfulness from which our musical experience, our capacity to listen, will open up. This course will also be instructive for a philosophy of art, literature and philosophical aesthetics.

1. Shades of Melancholy
2. Gardens of Delight
3. Heights of exaltation and rapture
4. The work of mourning
5. When time stands still
6. Sadness and beauty

Recommended background reading:  
Everything is Connected by Daniel Barenboim (2008)

## REGISTRATION 2010

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28 April 10 – 2 June 10

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