# Saint Mary of the Cross MacKillop Parish, Warnervale.

We gather as a community of believers in Jesus, to grow as his disciples, using our gifts, to proclaim the Gospel

# PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD 10 APRIL 2022, YEAR C

Image by Sr Dorothy Woodward rsj

**Readings:** Entrance Lk 19:28-40; Is 50:4-7, Phil 2:6-11; Lk 22-14-23:56

#### Response:

My God, my God, why have you abandoned me?

# Easter Liturgy Times Holy L

Holy Thursday: 7.30pm

**Good Friday:** 

Way of the Cross 10:00 Passion of the Lord 3pm **Holy Saturday**: 7.30pm

Easter Sunday: 8am, 10am & 5pm

Please note that there are no morning Masses on Holy Thursday or Good Friday and NO 5pm Mass Holy Saturday.



#### Good Friday—Way of the Cross

On Good Friday (15th April) at 10am we will be walking the Way of the Cross with stations of the cross around the outside of the Church. We are asking for 14 individuals or families to volunteer to set up one station each. You will be given a script and prayer. A sign up sheet with the 14 stations is available at the back of the church.

#### **Rosary Prayer Group**



Come pray with us for our families, the Parish and the world. The prayer meetings for April will be on Thursday evening of 21st of April at 7pm. At Bill and Dianne's

home, 56, Irving Court Hamlyn Terrace. Ph 0413 454 547. Everyone Welcome

# Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!

Christ became obedient for us even to death, dying on the cross. Therefore God raised him on high and gave him a name above all other names.

# Holy Land Collection—15/4



The annual collection for the support of the church in the Holy Land will take place on Good Friday.

This collection promotes the missionary work of the Church in the Holy Land by providing welfare assistance to local Christians in areas such as health. education, employment and housing. Parishes, schools, orphanages and medical centres throughout the Holy Land also rely on assistance from this collection. It is also used to maintain 70 churches and shrines associated with the life of Jesus. Last year, due to the ongoing global pandemic, it was again a difficult time for the Church and people of the Holy Land with much reduced income due to fewer pilgrims and lower church attendance around the world. This year, the Holy Land will continue facing an income shortfall due to the ongoing effects of the pandemic and so we again ask Catholics around the world to be a generous as possible. Please remember the Christians of the Holy Land on Good Friday and please keep them in your prayers. Donations can be made online at http:// holylandfranciscansaustralia.org/goodfriday/ or envelopes will be available at the end of each pew on Good Friday.

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#### **Sunday Mass**

Sat (Vigil) 5pm, Sun 8am, 10am, 5pm

#### **Family Mass**

Every Sunday at 10am Includes Children's Liturgy

#### **Weekday Mass**

Mon—Communion Service Tues - Sat 9.15am Wed 7.30am

1st & 3rd Sat 9:15am

#### **Devotions**

Rosary after weekday Mass

#### **Anointing Mass**

Third Saturday of the Month at 9:15am

#### Reconciliation

Sat 4 - 4.30 pm

#### **Baptisms**

Sunday 11.30am Contact the Parish Office for details.

#### **Baptisms Preparation**

3rd Tuesday of each month at 7pm in the church

#### Weddings

By appointment

# Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Tues to Fri 8am to 9am

#### **RCIA/Faith Renewal**

Thurs 7-8pm with Fr Philip

#### **Parish Luncheon**

2nd Thursday of the month 12noon at Doylo

#### Men's Breakfast

Fourth Saturday of the month at Warnies Café.

#### Syro-Malabar Mass

1st Friday at 6pm 1st & 3rd Sunday at 7pm

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Office hours: Tues—Fri 8:30am—2:30pm

Safeguarding: When safeguarding is embedded in Parish leadership, governance and culture; members of the Parish recognise that it is a shared responsibility to safeguard

children, young people and adults at risk.

'Safeguarding is everyone's responsibility'

If you have any concerns please contact our Safeguarding officer - Bill Mifsud (bill@earthgold.com.au) 0412 051 839

#### **Catechist Corner**

**Catechist or Assistant NEEDED for** the Public Schools

We're looking for at least 2 more catechists to help in the public schools we teach scripture at. Full training and support is provided.

If we don't teach our children who God is someone else will teach them everything that he isn't. "Divine Mercy for America."

Please let Kerrie Dedera our Catechist Coordinator on 0402815633 or email kerriemdedera@westnet.com.au



#### Sacrament of Reconciliation



Congratulations to the 70 children who received their sacrament of Reconciliation in the parish during the week. Please keep these children in your prayers.

#### **Catholic Schools Broken Bay** is Hiring



Catholic Schools Broken Bay invites from suitably qualified

teachers who wish to be considered for casual teaching opportunities that may arise throughout the year in our schools located on NSW Central Coast, North Shore and Northern Beaches.

For all casual teachers position on the Central Coast visit:

www.teachers.on.net/vacancy/69379casual-teachers-central-coast-catholicschools-broken-bay/

Or visit www.csodbb.catholic.edu.au/ careers/work-with-us/ for all other available positions.

#### Find us on Facebook



Keep up with parish facebook happenings on Facebook at St Mary of the

Cross MacKillop Parish, Warnervale,

#### NO Wednesday 7:30am Mass

Please note that on Wednesday 13th and 20th April there will be **NO** 7:30am Mass as it is school holidays.

#### Collections

The regular collections at Sunday Mass are essential for the parish to function.

Contributions to the First Collection support the priests.

Contributions to the Second Collection pay for the running of the parish. Credit Card or weekly planned giving envelopes are the best ways to contribute to the parish since they give us a more regular income and so help us to plan. Application forms are available at the back of the church.

If you would like to donate online visit our website https://

www.bbcatholic.org.au/warnervale/ donations

or donate directly to our account.

Account Name: Warnervale Parish. BSB 062 784.

A/c number 10000 5628 Ref: Name & 1st or 2nd Collection.

#### **Advanced Notice Adult Education Series** 'David the King'

We will commence the next series in the adult education program at the beginning of May.

The series is titled "David the King" and deals with the seminal figure in the Old Testament with whom God made a covenant leading to Jesus Christ. Hopefully, this will draw us closer to the ultimate aim of these courses which is to broaden and deepen our faith.

The course starts on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> May and continues on succeeding Mondays for six weeks. It will be presented in the morning at 10am and again in the evening at 7pm. The duration will be about an hour and includes a video presentation by Bishop Barron and 30mins or so of discussion. Registration is not required - just come and enjoy the session!

If you have any questions, contact me by email at tpate2@bigpond.com or call me on 0408 973 316, or just grab me after mass!

#### THIS WEEK

Monday 11 April 9:15am Mass

**Tuesday 12 April** 9:15am Mass

Wednesday 13 April

NO 7:30am Mass—due to school holidays 9:15am Mass

Thursday 14 April

9:15am Mass 7:30pm—The Lords Supper Mass

Friday 15 April Good Friday

9:15am Mass 10am—Way of the Cross 3pm—Lords Passion

**Saturday 16 April** 9:15am Mass

NO 5pm Mass

7:30 Easter Vigil Mass

#### **MacKillop Catholic College Enrolments 2023**

Enrolling now for MacKillop Kindergarten 2023. Existing families already in the school are asked to submit forms as soon as possible. There are limited places for all other grades. School tours can be arranged. Contact the school office 4392 9399. **MACKILLOP** 

#### **Return and Earn**

#### This week we raised \$38.70



Thank you for your continued support! **Please** remember containers need to be empty of liquid; and not crushed or broken.

#### **Cleaning Roster**

Due to a shortage of cleaners, we are starting a roster for anyone who wishes to volunteer on a one off or on a more regular basis. The roster will commence on 25th March to 29th July. If you can spare an hour or so on a Friday, please write your name and contact details on the sheet at the back of the Church.



Please remember our sick: Isagani Santos, Joshua Caulfield, Janice, Finn McConnon, Cecelia Henry, Anne Firmstone, Con Pantos, Terence McBride, Allan Curtis, Jim Swanson.

Deceased/Anniversary: Archibald Crippin, Michael Connerly, Paul & Agnes De Battista, Bridgie King, Michael Wong, Reginald Hamilton, Jennifer Scarrabelotti, Patre Kerney, Hazel Mary Roll, Maria Taype.

Mass Intentions: Connie Claramunt, Peter Walsh, Frank Walsh, George & Helen Pantos, Angelo & Mary Spiteri, Daminh, Rafael Santos, Mrs. Marciana Ong, Ana Ison, Rebecca & Amelia.

# Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord, Year C

**Gospel** Luke 19:28-40

#### Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Jesus went on ahead, going up to Jerusalem. When he drew near to Bethphage and Bethany, at the mount that is called Olivet, he sent the disciples, saying, 'Go into the village opposite, where on entering you will find a colt tied, on which no one has ever yet sat; untie it and bring it here. If anyone asks you, "Why are you untying it?" you shall say this, "The Lord has need of it". So those who were sent went away and found it as he had told them. And as they were untying the colt, its owners said to them, 'Why are you untying the colt?' And they said, "The Lord has need of it'.

And they brought it to Jesus, and throwing their garments on the colt they sat Jesus upon it. And as he rode along, they spread their garments on the road. As he was drawing near, at the descent of the Mount of Olives, the whole multitude of the disciples began to rejoice and praise God with a loud voice for all the mighty works that they had seen saying,

'Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord! Peace in heaven and glory in the highest!' And some of the Pharisees in the multitude said to him, 'Teacher, rebuke your disciples'. He answered, 'I tell you, if these were silent, the very stones would cry out'. The Gospel of the Lord.

First Reading Isaiah 50:4-7

# I did not cover my face against insult and I know I will not be ashamed.

The Lord has given me a disciple's tongue. So that I may know how to reply to the wearied, he provides me with speech.

Each morning he wakes me to hear, to listen like a disciple.

The Lord has opened my ear. For my part, I made no resistance, neither did I turn away. I offered my back to those who struck me, my cheeks to those who tore at my beard; I did not cover my face against insult and spittle.

The Lord comes to my help, so that I am untouched by the insults. So, too, I set my face like flint; I know I shall not be shamed.

The word of the Lord.

# Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord, Year C

### **Responsorial Psalm**

Ps 21:8-9, 17-20, 23-24

### R. My God, my God, why have you abandoned me?

All who see me deride me. They curl their lips, they toss their heads. 'He trusted in the Lord, let him save him: let him release if this is his friend.' R.

Many dogs have surrounded me, a band of the wicked beset me.
They tear holes in my hands and my feet, I can count every one of my bones.

R.

They divide my clothing among them.
They cast lots for my robe.
O Lord, do not leave me alone,
my strength, make haste to help me!

R.

I will tell of your name to my brethren and praise you where they are assembled. 'You who fear the Lord give him praise; all sons of Jacob, give him glory. Revere him, Israel's sons.' R.

### **Second Reading**

# St Paul to the Philippians 2:6-11

# He humbled himself to become like us and God raised him on high.

His state was divine, yet Christ Jesus did not cling to his equality with God but emptied himself to assume the condition of a slave, and became as men are; and being as all men are, he was humbler yet, even to accepting death, death on a cross.

But God raised him high and gave him the name which is above all other names so that all beings in the heavens, on earth and in the underworld, should bend the knee at the name of Jesus and that every tongue should acclaim Jesus Christ as Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

The word of the Lord.

# **Gospel Acclamation**

Phil 2:8-9

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!

Christ became obedient for us even to death, dying on the cross.

Therefore God raised him on high and gave him a name above all other names.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!

Gospel Luke 22:14-23:56