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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*

30TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
23 OCTOBER 2022, YEAR C

Readings: Sirach 35:12-14, 16-19;
2Tim 4:6-8, 16-18;
Lk 18:9-14

Response:

The Lord hears the cry of the poor.

Alleluia, alleluia!

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Alleluia!

Parish Multicultural Dinner

On Saturday evening 5th November after 5pm Mass, everyone is invited to join us for a parish multicultural dinner in the school hall. We will have a cultural food, performances and music to enjoy together as a whole parish community.

Dinner will include: Beef Cutlet (contains gluten) with Onion Salad (spices blend beef and potato patties) Appam & Lamb Stew (gluten free), (rice pancakes and lamb in coconut cream and mild spices), Vegetable Fried Rice with Butter Chicken (gluten free).

Tickets prices include entry and dinner, tea/coffee and dessert, BYO drinks.

\$30 per adult (over 13 years)

children aged 5—13 years \$20

children under 5 free.



Tickets will be available www.trybooking.com/CDHPG, or by scanning QR code or at the Parish office and will be cash only.

Tickets available until 30th October.

Fundraising Raffle for Roof on Coffee Corner Area

Raffle tickets will be sold at each mass this weekend to fundraise for the roof on the coffee corner area. 3 Hamper prizes to be won. **\$2.00 a ticket or 3 tickets for \$5.00.** Thank you for your support.



World Mission Day 23 October



Sunday 23 October is World Mission Day, a day that gives focus to Catholic Mission and their work on behalf of Pope Francis to support Church-run mission programs around the world. This year, they are inviting us to partner with the Church of Ethiopia and local communities. Further information to support the appeal can be found here: <https://www.catholicmission.org.au/for-parishes/main>

Broken Bay goes to Ignite Conference



MacKillop Catholic College was fortunate to take a number of high school students to attend the Ignite Conference in Sydney in the school holidays. Youth and young adults from across the Broken Bay Diocese attended this life-giving and action-packed gathering. The Conference offered talks and workshops and included free time to meet participants from neighbouring dioceses. These times were filled with a range of opportunities to experience encounter with Christ, through energetic praise and worship from the Emmanuel Worship band, engaging keynote speakers, heartfelt testimonies, creative items, prayer ministry and the sacraments. <https://igniteyouth.com/>

Diocese of Broken Bay
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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—College Mass
1st & 3rd Sat 9:15am

Monthly BBQ

4th Sunday of each month
after 5pm Mass

Devotions

Rosary after weekday Mass
Tues 6pm Rosary

Anointing Mass

3rd 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

4th Saturday of the month at
Warnies Café.

Syro-Malabar Mass

1st Friday at 6pm
1st & 3rd Sunday at 7pm
2nd and 4th Saturday 9.15 am

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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

One Communion of Faith with MacKillop Catholic College



"The Rosary is the most beautiful and the most rich in graces of all prayers." - Pope Saint Pius X

Rosary Prayer Group

October is the month of the most Holy Rosary, so we will be meeting each week. We will be having the Rosary every Thursday evening in October at 7pm, in the home of Bill & Dianne 56 Irving Court, Hamlyn Terrace. Phone 0413 454 547, and the rosary every Tuesday in the Church at 6pm. Everyone welcome to attend.

Catechist Corner



We have just started Term 4. We'd love to hear from you if you've ever thought about becoming a Catechist! We can put you in touch with one of our catechists to learn more about this ministry. Now is the perfect time to enquire as training can be completed before the 2023 school year begins. Please contact Kerrie for more information on 0402 815 633

Our Lady of the Rosary Parish—The Entrance

This year marks the **75th Anniversary** (1947) of the founding of our parish and the **60th Anniversary** (1962) of the opening of our parish church (on the same site as the original church).

To mark these two milestones, Bishop Anthony will be joining us for a special celebration on the feast of Christ the King, **Sunday 20 November, at the 9.30am Mass, followed by a morning tea in the parish centre.** All are welcome to attend to help us celebrate!

First Holy Communion



The First Holy Communion classes commence next Sunday 30th October during 10am Mass, and continue on 6th, 13th and 20th November (with a practice after the last session after Mass).

First Holy Communion will be **celebrated in our Parish on Sunday 27th November at 12noon.**

Please contact the parish office if you have any questions or wish to enroll your child.

Pastoral Care Seminar Day- 26 October 2022

To celebrate **Pastoral Care Week 2022**, CatholicCare's Hospital Chaplaincy and Pastoral Care Team invite you to our **Pastoral Care Seminar Day** on **Wednesday 26th October** between 9:00 am and 3:00 pm.

All are very welcome to attend, including: Priests, Deacons, Religious, Pastoral Care Practitioners, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Pastoral Visitors and Social Workers. Morning tea and lunch will be provided.

Venue: Caroline Chisholm Centre, 423 Pennant Hills Rd, Pennant Hills.

To register your attendance please email by Wednesday 19th October to: denis.obrien@catholicaredbb.org.au

CatholicCare
Diocese of Broken Bay

The year of St. Francis de Sales

When we discover that our lute is out of tune, we must neither break the strings nor throw the instrument aside.

(The Spirit of St. François de Sales, IX, 2)

Find us on Facebook

Keep up with parish happenings on Facebook at [St Mary of the Cross MacKillop Parish, Warnervale](https://www.facebook.com/StMaryoftheCrossMacKillopParish), please "like" our page.

SAINTS DAYS THIS WEEK

Monday 24 October
St Anthony Claret

Tuesday 25 October

Wednesday 26 October

Thursday 27 October

Friday 28 October
St Simon and St Jude

Saturday 29 October

Return and Earn

This fortnight we raised \$96.20



Please remember containers need to be empty of liquid; not crushed or broken. Please place glass containers in the crates. Cans and Bottles must have 10c refund logo.

Thank you for your continued support!

WORLD YOUTH DAY LISBON 2023



World Youth Day 2023 Lisbon is fast approaching!

Bishop Anthony will depart Sydney, along with youth and young adults, to pilgrimage through Italy before heading to Lisbon for WYD 2023. **Young adults 18-35yrs! It is now time to register for the Broken Bay WYD23 Pilgrimage.** Visit <https://bbwyd.org.au/register-for-wyd/> to register

Central Coast Santa Maria Christmas Lunch

Sunday 11th December everyone is welcome to attend the **Christmas Lunch** at Halekulani Bowling Club. Door open at 12noon. Cost is \$40 per person to be booked and paid for by 27th November. Please contact Charlie on 4393 9998 or 0404 194020 for more information.

Please remember our sick: Martin Duffy, Robert Seddon, Finn McConnon, Rommell, Toni Grace, Cara De Guzman, Christina Edwards, John Desmond Gill, Christian Caulfield, Joshua Caulfield.

Anniversaries: Frank Costa, Kathleen Nolan, Stephen Sammut, Alan Hardcastle, Larry & Lina Phillips, Philipa Borg, Elizabeth Roll, Geoff Hannan, Mary & Frank Gatt, Tess Ann Hardman, Frank Felicetto.

Recently Deceased: Christine Burns, Victor Gatt, Ray Slucher, Shelia Marslon, Harrison Rufogarlis.



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First Reading

Ecclesiasticus 35:12-14, 16-19

The prayer of the humble will penetrate the heavens.

The Lord is judge who is no respecter of personages. He shows no respect of personages to the detriment of a poor man, he listens to the plea of the injured party. He does not ignore the orphan's supplication, nor the widow's as she pours out her story. The man who with his whole heart serves God will be accepted, his petitions will carry to the clouds. The humble man's prayer pierces the clouds, until it arrives he is inconsolable, nor will he desist until the Most High takes notice of him, acquits the virtuous and delivers judgment. And the Lord will not be slow, nor will he be dilatory on their behalf.

The word of the Lord.

Responsorial Psalm

R. The Lord hears the cry of the poor.

I will bless the Lord at all times,
his praise always on my lips;
in the Lord my soul shall make its boast.
The humble shall hear and be glad. **R.**

The Lord turns his face against the wicked
to destroy their remembrance from the earth.
The just call and the Lord hears
and rescues them in all their distress. **R.**

The Lord is close to the broken-hearted;
those whose spirit is crushed he will save.
The Lord ransoms the souls of his servants.
Those who hide in him shall not be condemned. **R.**

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Second Reading

St Paul to Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18

All that remains is the crown of righteousness reserved for me.

My life is already being poured away as a libation, and the time has come for me to be gone. I have fought the good fight to the end; I have run the race to the finish; I have kept the faith; all there is to come now is the crown of righteousness reserved for me, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give to me on that Day; and not only to me but to all those who have longed for his Appearing.

The first time I had to present my defence, there was not a single witness to support me. Every one of them deserted me—may they not be held accountable for it. But the Lord stood by me and gave me power, so that through me the whole message might be proclaimed for all the pagans to hear; and so I was rescued from the lion's mouth. The Lord will rescue me from all evil attempts on me, and bring me safely to his heavenly kingdom. To him be glory for ever and every. Amen.

The word of the Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

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Gospel

Luke 18:9-14

The publican returned to his home justified; the Pharisee did not.

Jesus spoke the following parable to some people who prided themselves on being virtuous and despised everyone else.

‘Two men went up to the Temple to pray, one a Pharisee, the other a tax collector. The Pharisee stood there and said this prayer to himself, “I think you, God, that I am not grasping, unjust, adulterous like the rest of mankind, and particularly that I am not like this tax collector here. I fast twice a week; I pay tithes on all I get.” The tax collector stood some distance away, not daring even to raise his eyes to heaven; but he beat his breast and said, “God, be merciful to me, a sinner.” This man, I tell you, went home again at rights with God; the other did not. For everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, but the man who humbles himself will be exalted.

The Gospel of the Lord.