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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

JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE, 24 NOVEMBER 2019, YEAR C

Diocese of Broken Bay
Ancestral home of the
Darkinjung people

Readings:

2 Sam 5:1-3; Col 1:12-20;
Lk 23:35-43

Response:

Let us go rejoicing to the house of the Lord.

Alleluia, alleluia!

Blessed is he who inherits the kingdom of David our father; blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Alleluia!

Reflection

With a wooden cross for a throne, at a place where thieves were crucified, the king of the Jews meted out a judgement to a common thief: 'this day you will be with me in paradise'. Worshipping him in the least of our brothers and sisters, we too will experience his compassionate judgement.

Toddler's Bible

Seeking a parishioner who enquired about a toddler's Bible. We now have two available in the piety stall. Please see Fr Philip or anyone attending the stall after Mass.

Churches Together 27 November

Local denominations from Warnervale to Noraville and Wadalba to Doyalson, are coming together on

Wednesday 27th November, 7.00 PM,
at St Mary's Catholic Church,
458 Main Road, Noraville

Celebrate "Advent – Hope in Christ our Light". Our community is made up of many different congregations and denominations, and it's always a wonderful time when we come together in a time of praise and celebration, especially as Christmas nears, and enjoy a social time with supper following on after the worship.



St Vincent de Paul Appeal Next weekend

Vinnies Christmas Appeal will be on the weekend of 30 Nov/1 Dec. Vinnies in our parish request your support of donations of non perishable foods for hampers such as: tinned fruit/vegetables, tinned ham, fruit cakes, Christmas pudding, puddings jellies, long life custard and cream, cordials, pasta and pasta sauces. If you wish to give toys they must be new and not wrapped so the Vinnies can allocate appropriately. Keep these in mind when you are shopping to help the needy in our community.



Second Rite of Reconciliation

The second (communal) rite of Reconciliation will be celebrated in preparation for Christmas on:

Tues 17 Dec 6pm at Toukley
Wed 18 Dec 6pm at Wyong
Thu 19 Dec 7pm at Warnervale
Fri 20 Dec 6pm at The Entrance

First rite of Reconciliation available every Saturday from 4pm to 4:30pm

Community Day Thank you

Thank you to everyone who attended and all the volunteers who organised this lovely day to meet and greet fellow parishioners. It was most enjoyed by all. The food was also very nice.



Sunday Mass

Saturday: 5pm
Sunday: 8am, 10am, 5pm

Weekday Mass

9.15am Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri
7.30am Wed

Reconciliation

Saturday @ 4.00pm

Family Mass

Every Sunday @ 10am
Includes children's liturgy

Youth Mass

Every Sunday @ 5pm

Seniors Anointing Mass

Third Saturday of the month
at 9.15am.

Men's Breakfast

Fourth Saturday of the month
at Warnies Café.

Baptisms

Most Sundays @ 11.30am
Attendance at Information
Evening is required

Weddings

By Appointment

Thinking of becoming a Catholic?

Please contact Parish staff
for more information.

Devotions

Divine Mercy before Mass at
9am; Rosary after Mass.

Exposition Of the Blessed Sacrament

Thursdays after 9:15am Mass

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Return and Earn

This week we raised \$110.40

Bags are available near the grassed area or under the table in the church foyer. Take a bag home for those unwanted drink cans, plastic/glass bottles, poppers

♻️ Thank you for ♻️ & flavoured milk cartons. **THANK YOU!** **Must state 10c refund!**



Counting Rosters available

Thank you to all our volunteers the new counters rosters and other rosters are available in the clear filing drawer marked "Rosters" on the table in the church foyer

Ordinariate Parish of St Ambrose

will celebrate their Patron Saint on Thursday, 5th December with a Mass at 7.45 am in St. Mary's Church, Norville (Toukley). Refreshments after the Mass will be served in the Parish Centre. All parishioners of Warnervale Parish are welcome to attend. Fr. Ken

Rosary

Come and pray together for our families and friends.

November 28th at 7pm.

At Bill and Dianne Mifsud home, 56 Irving Court Hamlyn Terrace. Ph 0413454547.

All welcome!



POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER INTENTION FOR NOVEMBER

Communication & Reconciliation

That a spirit of dialogue, encounter and reconciliation emerges in the Near East, where diverse religious communities are their lives together.



SAFEGUARDING MESSAGE

In our Parish children and young people will be kept safe by adults who treat them with care, respect and compassion.

SENIORS NEWS

Thursday 5 December
Final 2019 Lunch at Doylo 12 midday

Monday 9 December
Christmas Party (sorry no seats left!)

Saturday 21 December
Healing Mass 9:15am then Morning tea

New Seniors Committee needed

Moving into 2020 we need new volunteers (including a group leader) to start off the year in February. The regular outings are welcoming, fun social occasions enjoyed by all. **If you are interested in helping keep things rolling put your name on the list in the foyer.**

Piety Stall Help Needed

We are seeking a volunteer(s), who would help with running the piety stall. Greer has set things up well, so it will mean an hour or so organising/ordering occasionally for a sacrament. Then assisting at the Mass you attend if anyone needs a purchase. The parish secretaries also support you. Please contact Kate or Kim if you can help 8379 1740.

Counting-Once Every Five Weeks

We need someone to help out ONCE every 5 weeks to count money with 2 others. It's not hard, we have counting machines but need your helping hands. Come and have a look! Contact the coordinator Krystyna Lonergan on 0404 063 711 or the parish office 83791740

Golden Jubilee Blessing and Dedication St Mary's Church Toukley

Saturday 30th November 2019
Mass 11:00am

Followed by a Luncheon in the Fr Fitzgerald Parish Hall
Please bring a plate to share

Vinnies Christmas Cards

Vinnies Christmas Cards available for \$7 in the church foyer. If unattended place the money in an envelope provided and place in the St Vincent de Paul box outside the Blessed Sacrament Chapel.

THIS WEEK

Monday 25 November
9:15am Mass Fr Philip

Tuesday 26 November
9:15am Mass Fr Philip

Wednesday 27 November
7:30am Mass Fr Philip
9:15am Communion Service

Thursday 28 November
9:15am Mass Fr Philip

Friday 29 November
9.15am Mass Fr Philip

Next Weekend 30 Nov/1 Dec St Andrew the Apostle

Sat 4pm Reconciliation Fr Philip
5pm Mass Fr Philip

8:00am Mass Fr Carmelo
10:00am Mass Fr Philip
11:30am Baptisms
5pm Mass Fr Philip
7pm Syro Malabar Mass Fr Bineesh

Social Justice

Thank You!

Thanks to all the people who volunteered to sit on the stall to give out leaflets about Domestic Abuse.

The success of the day was possible by the contribution of people sharing the task. It was great for us to engage with each other and relax.

How Does This Involve You?

Domestic Violence effects many of our own children and grandchildren. Many of us also need to be aware of strategies to help our relatives and ourselves to avoid Elder Abuse, now and in the future.

Information and discussion gives us the ability to understand and take appropriate action.

In the New Year we hope to facilitate us learning together to keep ourselves and our relatives and friends safe.

Social Justice Committee
Warnervale Catholic Church
www.marymackillopsocialjustice.wordpress.com



Please remember our sick: Victor Carreon, Luzviminda San Pedro, Cara De Guzman, Vincent Shea, Koby Bourke, Michael Hunt, Sharon King, Adeline de Silva, Neville Brown, Zenaida Ambait.

Deceased: Raymond Kaifa, Hannah McCool, Anne Snodgrass, Betty Mecelli, Lily Wood, George Portelli, David Roberts, Nancy Kerr, Ellen Murrall, Catazon Cummis, Trevor Woods, Frederick Wilesmith.

Mass Intentions: Charlie Gatt, The Gatt & Mercieca families, Frank & Dulce Gica, The Polito & Aloisi families, Joan/John Walter & families, Guillerma/Thomas Quilling, Cesar/Celestina Fanio, Telesford/ Soledad Gaorian, Leah and Jessica Carroll, Peter Walsh, Laurie Bezzina & family, Taylor family, Gingell family, Mary & Robert Lettich, Frances Chappell, Angela Savia-Cotterell, Joseph P, Josef Polzinger.

