



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

31ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR C 3 NOVEMBER 2019

Diocese of Broken Bay
Ancestral home of the
Darkinjung people

Image by Sr Dorothy Woodward rsj

Readings:

Wis 11:22-12:2; 2 Thess 1:11-2:2
Lk 19:1-10

Response:

I will praise your name for ever, my king
and my God

Alleluia, alleluia!

God loved the world so much, he gave
his only Son, that all who believe in him
might have eternal life.

Alleluia!

Congratulations



Congratulations to Katie Lea, Ella Northey, William Pardo-Saunders, Isabella Wilesmith and Charlie Zarb who all received the sacrament of First Holy Communion last weekend.

November Prayer Cards

We pray for those who have died throughout November. Small prayer cards are available at the back of the church. Please write down the names of anyone for whom you would like mass offered and place the card in the basket at the base of the altar. All November Masses will be offered for these souls.



Eternal rest, grant to them O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace Amen.

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.

Pastoral Carers needed

More helpers are needed. Taking Holy Communion and a chat can lift the spirits of these often lonely people. It is very rewarding role. Do you have a spare hour? For more information please contact Michael Goodway on 0418 294 034.

Catechist Congratulations

At the Annual CCD Diocesan Catechist Mass on 9 November at 11:30am Ken Whalan will receive his 15 year Service Award. Last year Gayle Caulfield was honoured for her contribution to Special Religious Education and over 23 years service including Parish Coordinator. Lorette Kelty will be presented with her 10 year service award at a parish Mass later in the year.

Get Well Greer

Greer Whalan who coordinates the piety stall has had a partial hip replacement. She is convalescing at home now and we all wish her well for a speedy recovery. 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. Parish secretaries also support you. Please contact Kate or Kim if you can help 8379 1740.

Plenary Council

How God is calling us to be a Christ-centred Church This month's theme is "Humble, Healing and Merciful" please take a handout from the table at the back of the church to reflect on this theme. A box will be at the back of the church for you to share your views on **what action we can take** to become more *Humble, Healing and Merciful*.

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

Priests: Fr Philip Thottam MSFS, Administrator (philip.thottam@bbcatholic.org.au)

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Return and Earn

This week we raised \$90.30

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

& flavoured milk cartons. THANK YOU! **Must state 10c refund!**

RECYCLING

Plant Stall - This weekend

Ed and Rita are having the Springs first monthly stall after 5pm Mass Saturday and 8am, 10am on Sunday.

Any enquiries please contact Ed on 0427 002 164.



Rosary

All welcome to come and pray together for our families and friends.

Dates for November are Thursday 14th and 28th at 7pm. At Bill and Dianne Mifsud home, 56 Irving Court Hamlyn Terrace. Ph 0413454547.



Prayer Intention Box

There is a prayer intention box at the back of the church. If you would like a prayer said for you please write it on a piece of paper and put in the box.

Bible Study Jesus Christ

Bob Madafiglio leads this discovery of the incomparable Christ. All welcome Wednesdays 10am



Santa Maria Christmas Lunch
Sunday 8 December 2019
Halekulani Bowling Club
50 Natuna Ave, Budgewoi

- 2 Course lunch, tea/coffee
 - Live entertainment by Rave On
 - Bar drinks at your own expense
- Cost \$40 per person
Book & pay by 24 November
Charlie 43939998 or 0404194020;
Tony/Rita 43926719; Jane 43939202
or Dennis 43922595 43922595

SENIORS NEWS

First Thursday of the month
Lunch at Doylo 12 midday

Second Wednesday -Wye Games Day
Contact Christine 4357 2197

Third Saturday - Healing Mass 9:15am
Followed by morning tea

Contact Marie Wilde 4397 2935 if you need transport to any of our outings.

God's blessings to you all,

Ria ☺ Judy, Marie W, Marie F,
Colleen S and Annie.



Seniors Christmas Party

Monday 9th December
12 midday
at Ziva Restaurant
Toukley RSL
Maximum of 40 only
Put names on list in foyer

Community Day Sunday 17/11

On Sunday 17 November after 10am Mass the Parish Pastoral Council is hosting a community day. If you would like to be involved in entertainment on the day please contact Glenn D'cruz on 0413 291 129

Community Event



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

Spirituality in the Pub

The Grange Hotel Function Room
Cnr: Renwick St & Pacific Hwy,
WYOMING

2nd Tuesday 12 November 7:30 to 9pm
This month 2 buddist monks speaking
Info: Maryke 0498588261 - notice board

THIS WEEK

Monday 4 November
St Charles Borromeo
9:15am Mass Fr Philip

Tuesday 5 November
9:15am Mass Fr Philip

Wednesday 6 November
7:30am Mass Fr Philip
9:15am Communion Service

Thursday 7 November
9:15am Mass Fr Philip

Friday 8 November
9.15am Mass Fr Philip

Next Weekend 9/10 November
Sat 4pm Reconciliation Fr Philip
5pm Mass Fr Philip
Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

8:00am Mass Fr Carmelo
10:00am Mass Fr Philip
11:30am Baptisms
5pm Mass Fr Philip

Social Justice

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

For just one hour on Friday
15th November.
Can you give one hour please?

The Parish is providing a table making literature about Domestic Abuse available to shoppers. It is in the **Lake Haven Shopping Centre on Friday 15th November.**

We need volunteers who will sit with someone else at the tables. You are NOT selling anything or talking about the issue but just guiding anyone interested to the relevant leaflets.

Please consider this as Domestic Violence is prevalent in our local area as elsewhere.

Ring 43993523 to volunteer. Leave a message if unavailable.



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

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

Deceased: Anne Snodgrass, Betty Mecelli, Lily Wood, George Portelli, David Roberts, Nancy Kerr, Ellen Murrall, Catazon Cummis, Trevor Woods, Frederick Wilesmith, Conchita Nacua Roberts

Mass Intentions: 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, Anselmo, Paulita, Enrico, Arturo, Pio Edwin Ambait, Elmo Capacite, Pantaleon, Temotea Ambait, Hermigildo, Romalda Gibb.

