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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*

**32ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
6 NOVEMBER 2022, YEAR C**

**Readings:** 2 Macc 7:1-2, 9-14;  
2 Thess 2:16-3:5; Lk 20:27-38

## Response:

Lord, when your glory appears, my joy  
will be full.

**Alleluia, alleluia!**

Jesus Christ is the firstborn of the dead;  
Glory and kingship be his for ever and  
ever.

**Alleluia!**

## November Prayers



Our prayers for those who  
have died continue throughout  
November. We have prepared  
small prayer cards which will  
be available in the foyer of the  
church.

Please write down the names of anyone for  
whom you would like Mass prayed for  
during November and place the card in the  
basket at the base of the altar. All  
November Masses will be offered for these  
souls.

## 2022 Catholic Mission Appeal



This week  
Catholic Mission  
offers us the

opportunity to be part of a life-changing  
program which aims to help prevent  
malnutrition, especially in babies and  
young children, and help disadvantaged  
families provide food for their loved ones.  
The Deberety Goat Rearing Centre is a  
dream of the local Church and community  
in Emdibir. When established, the Centre  
aims to provide nutritious goats milk for  
families in need. Please give generously  
today to help kickstart this life-giving  
program by using the appeal envelope  
provided, going online at  
[catholicmission.org.au/ethiopia](http://catholicmission.org.au/ethiopia). Your gift  
will also help many other similar  
Church-run mission programs around the  
world.

## Funeral Liturgy Information

The parish is now offering a document to  
plan your own funeral liturgy. The  
document will come in an envelope for  
you to fill out and then seal and return it to  
the parish office, where it will be kept  
confidential and secure until requested by  
your family. This is an opportunity to have  
your final wishes planned and give your  
loved ones a guide on what you would like  
for your funeral, which will relieve some  
stress from your loved ones when you pass  
away. If you wish to receive the  
information please contact the parish office  
or see Fr Philip.



## MSFS Appeal

Thank you to everyone who donated to the  
special annual collection in October for the  
Missionaries of St Francis De Sales  
(MSFS). The appeal raised \$2,200 for the  
congregation Fr Philip belongs to.

## Roof Raffle

The raffle was drawn on last Saturday at  
5pm Mass. The winners are:

**1st prize - Maureen Mulheron,**

**2nd prize- Denise Humphries**

**3rd prize- Chris Firmstone**

*Congratulations to the  
winners.*



**Diocese of Broken Bay**  
Ancestral home of the  
Darkinjung people

## 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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**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'*

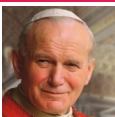
If you have any concerns please contact our Safeguarding officer - Bill Mifsud ([bill@earthgold.com.au](mailto:bill@earthgold.com.au)) 0412 051 839

One Communion of Faith with MacKillop Catholic College

## Baptism Information Evening



Our next information session is on **Tuesday 15 November at 7pm** in the church. Please come along if you wish to have your child baptised. If you would like more information please contact the parish office during office hours.



## Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for November

### Children Who Suffer

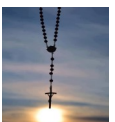
We pray for children who are suffering, especially those who are homeless, orphans, and victims of war; may they be guaranteed access to education and the opportunity to experience family affection.

## 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!

## Rosary Prayer Group



Come pray with us for our families, the parish and the world, every Tuesday at 6pm in the Church. The prayer meetings for **November and December will be on Thursday evenings of 10th & 24th November and 1st and 15th December at 7pm**, in the home of Bill & Dianne 56 Irving Court, Hamlyn Terrace. Phone 0413 454 547. Everyone is welcome.

## Find us on Facebook



Keep up with parish happenings on Facebook at [St Mary of the Cross MacKillop Parish, Warnervale](#), please "like" our page.



Ageing Well

Free, five week program  
in Warnervale  
16 Nov - 14 Dec 2022

## Ageing Well Program

**A free Ageing Well Program is commencing on Wednesday 16th November from 10:30am to 11:30am in the Church.**

Drawing on expertise from Catholic Healthcare industry experts, Ageing Well is a free five-part masterclass series covers everything from staying connected to your community, diet and exercise, to why mental health matters as we age. Gather with like-minded individuals and receive practical advice so you can live life to the full.

To register [www.eventbrite.com.au/e/ageing-well-warnervale-tickets-444909244527](http://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/ageing-well-warnervale-tickets-444909244527).

For more information, visit Catholic Healthcare's website

[www.catholichealthcare.com.au/events/ageing-well/](http://www.catholichealthcare.com.au/events/ageing-well/) or email [communications@chcs.com.au](mailto:communications@chcs.com.au).



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## The year of St. Francis de Sales

Do not content yourself with confessing your venial sins merely as to the fact but accuse yourself also of the motive which induced you to commit them.

*(Introduction to the Devout Life, Part II, Chapter 19)*

## SAINTS DAYS

**Monday 7 November**

**Tuesday 8 November**

**Wednesday 9 November**  
**The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica**

**Thursday 10 November**  
**St Leo the Great**

**Friday 11 November**  
**St Martin of Tours**

**Saturday 12 November**  
**St Josaphat**

## Return and Earn



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:** Finn McConnon, Salvacion Mabaquiao, Martin Duffy, Robert Seddon, Rommell, Toni Grace, Cara De Guzman, Christina Edwards, Christian Caulfield, Joshua Caulfield.

**Anniversaries:** John Butler, Emilio Nacua Sr, Mary Borg, Leo Galec, Kenneth Durley, Frank Costa, Kathleen Nolan, Stephen Sammut, Alan Hardcastle, Larry & Lina Phillips, Elizabeth Roll.

**Recently Deceased:** Alejandro Mabaquiao Jr, Christine Burns, Victor Gatt, Ray Slucher, Shelia Marslon.



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## First Reading

Maccabees 7:1-2, 9-14

**The king of the world will receive us into life eternal at the resurrection.**

There were seven brothers who were arrested with their mother. The king tried to force them to taste pig's flesh, which the Law forbids, by torturing them with whips and scourges. One of them, acting as spokesman for the others, said, 'What are you trying to find out from us? We are prepared to die rather than break the Law of our ancestors.'

With his last breath the second brother exclaimed, 'Inhuman fiend, you may discharge us from this present life, but the King of the world will raise us up, since it is for his laws that we die, to live again for ever.'

After him, they amused themselves with the third, who on being asked for his tongue promptly thrust it out and boldly held out his hands, with these honourable words, 'It was heaven that gave me these limbs; for the sake of his laws I disdain them; from him I hope to receive them again.' The king and his attendants were astounded at the young man's courage and his utter indifference to suffering.

When this one was dead they subjected the fourth to the same savage torture. When he neared his end he cried, 'Ours is the better choice, to meet death at men's hands, yet relying on God's promise that we shall be raised up by him; whereas for you there can be no resurrection, now new life.'

The word of the Lord.

## Responsorial Psalm

**R. Lord, when your glory appears, my joy will be full.**

Lord, hear a cause that is just,  
pay heed to my cry.

Turn your ear to my prayer:  
no deceit is only lips. **R.**

I kept my feet firmly in your paths;  
there was no faltering in my steps.  
I am here and I call, you will hear me, O God.  
Turn your ear to me; hear my words. **R.**

Guard me as the apple of your eye.  
Hide me in the shadow of your wings.  
As for me, in my justice I shall see your face  
and be filled, when I awake, with the sight of your glory. **R.**

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## Second Reading

St Paul to Thessalonians 2:16-3:5

**May the Lord strengthen you in everything good that you do or say.**

May our Lord Jesus Christ himself, and God our Father who has given us his love and , through his grace, such inexhaustible comfort and such sure hope, comfort you and strengthen you in everything good that you do or say.

Finally, brothers, pray for us; pray that the Lord's message may spread quickly, and be received with honour as it was among you; and pray that we may be preserved from the interference of bigoted and evil people, for faith is not given to everyone. But the Lord is faithful, and he will give you strength and guard you from the evil one, and we, in the Lord, have every confidence that you are doing all will go on doing all that we tell you. May the Lord turn your hearts towards the love of God and the fortitude of Christ.

The word of the Lord.

## Gospel Acclamation

**Alleluia, alleluia!**

Jesus Christ is the firstborn of the dead;  
glory and kingship be his for ever and ever.

**Alleluia!**

## Gospel

Luke 20:27-38

**He is not a God of the dead but of the living.**

Some Sadducees—those who say that there is no resurrection—approached Jesus and they put this question to him, ‘Master, we have it from Moses in writing, that if a man's married brother died childless, the man must marry the widow to raise up children for his brother. Well, then, there were seven brothers. The first, having married a wife, died childless. The second and then the third married the widow. And the same with all the seven, they died leaving no children. Finally the woman herself died. Now, at the resurrection, to which of them will she be wife since she had been married to all seven?’

Jesus replied, ‘The children of the world take wives and husbands, but those who are judged worthy of a place in the other world and in the resurrection, from the dead do not marry because they can no longer die, for they are the same as the angels, and being children of the resurrection they are sons of God. And Moses himself implies that the dead rise again, in the passage about the bush where he calls the Lord to God of Abraham, the God of Isaac and the God of Jacob. Now he is God, not of the dead, but of the living; for to him all are in fact alive.’

The Gospel of the Lord.