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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

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY 7 JUNE 2020, YEAR A

Diocese of Broken Bay
Ancestral home of the
Darkinjung people

Readings: Ex 34:4-6, 8-9; 2Cor 13:11-13;
Jn 3:16-18

Response:

You are blest, Lord God of our fathers.

Alleluia Alleluia!

Glory to the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit: to God who is, who was, and who is to come.

Alleluia!

Holy Trinity Sunday

Trinity Sunday celebrates the Mystery of God. We believe that there is one God, who is Father, Son and Holy Spirit. God is a mystery that we cannot fully explain. What are your favourite images of God?



Sam French

Sam is being received as a candidate for the sacrament of Holy Orders at his home parish of Woy Woy this weekend. This is the last step before he is ordained as a deacon. For those who don't know Sam, he was her with us for Christmas in 2018. Congratulations!

Diocese Anniversary

Our diocese was established on 28 May 1986 and we celebrated the feast of the diocesan patron Mary Star of the Sea on 1st June.

Message from Bishop Anthony

Click [here](#) for his week's letter to the Diocese.

Coronavirus Restrictions

50 people can now be in the church at one time. This means that our **Mass timetable** has returned to (pre-coronavirus) normal.

You **need to register** for Mass. This can be done by writing your name and contact details in either the red or blue Mass

Register kept at the entrance to the church; by ringing the parish office on 83791740 in office hours; or emailing a request to warnervaleparish@bbcatholic.org.au.

Please ensure you tick your name on the sheets in the breezeway when you attend.

Physical distancing and hygiene requirements must be met. There will be no physical contact at the sign of peace; no communion from the chalice or on the tongue; no collection plate; no communal singing; and no tea or coffee after Mass. If receiving communion on the hand creates a difficulty for you, please speak with Fr Vince to make other arrangements.

The **church will be open** until 6pm most evenings. You will need to record your name and contact details and the times you were in the church.

Reconciliation will be celebrated from 4pm to 4.30pm on Saturday, or by request.

Baptisms will be on Sunday at 11.30am. Since only children from one family can be baptised in each ceremony, we will arrange other times if necessary.

Fifty people can attend **funerals** and twenty people can attend **weddings**.

It is recommended that you do not come to the church **if you are feeling unwell** and everyone is encouraged to download the **COVID-19 app**.

Thank-you for your co-operation in these unusual times.

Sunday Mass

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

Weekday Mass

Mon - Fri 9.15am
Wed 7.30am

Reconciliation

Sat 4 - 4.30 pm

Family Mass

~~Every Sunday @ 10am~~
Includes children's liturgy

Anointing Mass

Third Saturday of the month
at 9.15am.

Men's Breakfast

~~Fourth Saturday of the month~~
at Warnies Cafe.

Baptisms

Sunday 11.30am Contact the
Parish Office for details.

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

Thank you for your continue support of the Return and Earn fundraiser.

This week we raised \$112.50.

Please remember containers need to be empty of liquid; and not crushed or broken.

With the gates locked there is a bin at the gate of the main carpark for your can and bottles.

Please place glass in the crates.



Cans and bottles must have 10c refund logo! THANK YOU!

Angela & Matthew

Congratulations to Angela Shanahan and Matthew Skelly who are being married in our church this weekend, surrounded by their immediate family.



Project Compassion

Donation boxes or envelopes for Project Compassion can be dropped into the parish office Wednesday to Friday if you would like a receipt for tax purposes .

Plenary Council Updates

The current pandemic has affected the schedule of the Plenary Council which has now been rescheduled to October 2021 and April 2022. The six Discernment Papers for the Plenary Council have now been completed. These papers bring into focus the themes and issues which arose from the listening phase of the Council and will be used going forward to help sharpen the focus for the Plenary Council.

[Discernment Papers](#)

Special Religious Education

Information about a managed return to scripture classes in our government schools by clicking [here](#).

Fr Ian Abbott

Please remember Ian in your prayers. His first anniversary was Thursday.

Connected in Christ

Click for [Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity](#) and [HERE](#) for other resources. om the diocese.

Myths about the Catholic Church

The course on Seven Myths about the Catholic Church continues on Monday at 10am and again at 7pm in the church. We are now able to have up to 50 people attending. If you are interested, registration is not necessary so anyone is welcome to join us.

This lesson is, 'Does the church oppose science part 2' which deals with three separate topics: Faith and Science, Galileo Galilei, and Stem Cell research. Questions on facets of these three topics arise very often in modern secularist life, so it is handy for us all to know something of what the Church stands for in these areas .

If you have any questions contact Terry Pate on 0408 973 316.

Position Vacant

The Diocese of Broken Bay is recruiting for the role of **Development & Relationships Manager**. This is a full time role based at Pennant Hills.

The Development & Relationships Manager is responsible for fundraising & development strategy, fundraising infrastructure, program & collateral, capacity building and parish support services. You will work closely with the parishes of the Diocese and provide support as they carry out the mission of the Catholic Church.

For the full advertisement see the **Positions Vacant** page of the Diocesan website: <https://www.bbcatholic.org.au/people/positions-vacant>

CatholicCare

Tim Curran has been appointed as Executive Director of CatholicCare, replacing Lyn Ainsworth who have been Acting Director for almost two years. Welcome to Tim and thank-you to Lyn

Tap & Go

We have ordered a *Tap and Go* machine to arrive by the end of June. It will be placed on the bench as you enter the church for ease of access for those parishioners and visitors who wish to donate but don't carry cash.

It needs to be set on a fixed amount which will probably be \$5 or \$10.



THIS WEEK

Monday 8 June

9:15am Mass Fr Vince

Tuesday 9 June

9:15am Mass Fr Vince

Wednesday 10 June

7:30am Mass Fr Vince

9:15am Mass Fr Vince

Thursday 11 June

9:15am Mass Fr Vince

Friday 12 June

9.15am Mass Fr Vince

Next Weekend 13 / 14 June

Corpus Christi Sunday, Year A

Sat 4pm Reconciliation Fr Vince

5pm Mass Fr Vince

8:00am Mass Fr Vince

10:00am Mass Fr Vince

11:30am Baptism Fr Vince

5pm Mass Fr Vince

Social Justice

Laudato Si

National Reconciliation Week was last week, commemorating the 1967 referendum and the 1992 Mabo decision.

In *Laudato Si* (no.145 and 146) Pope Francis deplores the disappearance of a culture and the need to show special care for indigenous communities and their cultural traditions as they "are not merely one minority among others, but should be the principal dialogue partners, especially when large projects affecting their land are proposed. For them land is a sacred space with which they need to interact if they are to maintain their identity and values".

Even though the Uluru Statement from the Heart was made in 2017 our indigenous communities are still waiting to have a First Nations Voice enshrined in the Constitution. We urge you to encourage our political representatives to act on the recommendations.

Before doing so we can read and reflect on this Statement at:

[https://](https://www.referendumcouncil.org.au/sites/default/files/2017-05/Uluru-Statement-from-the-Heart)

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Social Justice Committee
Warnervale Catholic Church

www.marymackillopsocialjustice.wordpress.com



Please remember our sick: Philip Diamond, Helen Kennedy (sister of Fr Carmelo), Peter Frankham, Stacey Pollach, Jim Swanson, Anne Bonnici, Mary Anne Larkin, Bill McGuinness, Ursula Paul, Tony Larnach-Jones.

Deceased: Frank Walsh (uncle of Karen Pantos), Lily McKnight, Hazel Mary Roll, Emma Albonico (from Milan, who died of COVID-19), Charlie Gatt, Fran Nolan, Eve Ama Davis (15 months old), Deacon Jim Caulfield, Beryl Bennett (resident of Loreto Gardens), Emilia Corpuz (mother of Deacon Roberto), Noel Gray, Graham Lesha, Pat Clarke, Bev Aliprandi, Marge Hanlon, Fr Pat McAuliffe.

Mass Intentions: Joseph Buhagier, Charles Firmstone, Fr Anthony Reynolds.



Readings at Mass

First Reading

Exodus 34:4-6, 8-9

The Lord God, ruler of all, merciful and loving.

With the two tablets of stone in his hands, Moses went up the mountain of Sinai in the early morning as the Lord had commanded him. And the Lord descended in the form of a cloud, and Moses stood with him there.

He called on the name of the Lord. The Lord passed before him and proclaimed, 'Lord, Lord, a God of tenderness and compassion, slow to anger, rich in kindness and faithfulness.' And Moses bowed down to the ground at once and worshipped. 'If I have indeed won your favour, Lord,' he said 'let my Lord come with us, I beg. True, they are a headstrong people, but forgive us our faults and our sins, and adopt us as your heritage.'

Responsorial Psalm

Daniel 3:52-56.

You are blest, Lord God of our fathers.

R. Glory and praise for ever!

Blest your glorious holy name

R. Glory and praise for ever!

You are blest in the temple of your glory.

R. Glory and praise for ever!

You are blest on the throne of your kingdom.

R. Glory and praise for ever!

You are blest who gaze into the depths.

R. Glory and praise for ever!

You are blest in the firmament of the heaven.

R. Glory and praise for ever!

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

Brothers, we wish you happiness; try to grow perfect; help one another. Be united; live in peace, and the God of love and peace will be with you.

Greet one another with the holy kiss. All the saints send you greetings.
The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the fellowship of the holy Spirit be with you all.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

Glory to the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit:
to God who is, who was, and who is to come.

Alleluia!

Gospel

John 3:16-18

God sent his son to save the world through him.

Jesus said to Nicodemus,

‘God loved the world so much
that he gave his only Son,
so that everyone who believes in him may not be lost
but may have eternal life.
For God sent his Son into the world
not to condemn the world,
but so that through him the world might be saved.
No one who believes in him will be condemned;
but whoever refuses to believe is condemned already,
because he has refused to believe
in the name of God’s only Son.’

The Gospel of the Lord.