

Our Lady of Perpetual Succour

Catholic Parish Toukley/Lake Munmorah

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To be A Vibrant Eucharistic Community

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FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR C

6th July, 2025



The Harvest is Plentiful

In the first reading Prophet Isaiah consoles them in their innumerable sufferings and hardships. He encourages the returned exiles to rebuild the holy city of Jerusalem. Isaiah compares Jerusalem to a mother who nurses her children at her breast - a moving imagery of peace, contentment and love. St. Paul insists in second reading that the Christian life is a new existence: that is, becoming Christ-like in everything. Paul explains to the Christian community at Galatia that though he had to suffer much illness, flogging and stoning, he bears the marks of Christ's passion on his body. For Paul, nothing else matters but to keep Christ crucified ever in mind.

Today's Gospel explains how Jesus sends his seventy disciples on a mission journey. He instructs them regarding the tough task ahead of them and the tremendous opposition they will face. He also asks them to lead a radical way of life like that of a wandering preacher - one who faces persecutions, homelessness and renunciation of family ties and loss of all material things. They are not to be encumbered with extra luggage of any sort. They are not to spend time on the wayside for the so-called chitchats and small talks. They are to be content with whatever is available and provided by the people. Hence single-minded devotion to the entrusted task is the hallmark of a disciple of Jesus.

Like those disciples, Jesus sends each one of us with the command, 'Be on your way, go into your neighbourhoods, schools and offices, proclaim my peace, heal in my name and make my presence felt wherever you are'. This is our baptismal call to give Jesus to our neighbours, abandoned and the needy through our smiles, kind words and helping hands.

Fr Tomy

WEEKEND MASS TIMES

St Mary's Church Toukley

Saturday: Vigil 6:00pm Fr Baby

Sunday: 7:30am Fr Baby
9:00am Fr Baby
6:00pm Fr Tomy

St Brendan's Church Lake Munmorah

Saturday: Vigil 5:00pm Fr Tomy

Sunday: 8:00am Fr Tomy

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

St Mary's Church Toukley

Monday 9:00 am

Tuesday 9:00 am

Wednesday 9:00 am

Thursday 9:00am

Friday 9:15am (Except 1st Friday of Month)

First Friday of Month Anointing of Sick

11:00am

Saturday 9:00 am

St Brendan's Church Lake Munmorah

Wednesday 9:00am

First Wednesday of Month Anointing of Sick

Thursday 9:00am

EXPOSITION BLESSED SACRAMENT

St Mary's Church Toukley

Every Saturday – after Morning Mass

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

St Mary's Toukley

Saturday 9.30am – 10am (by appointment other times)

St Brendan's Lake Munmorah

Saturday 4:30 - 5:00pm

MORNING PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

St Mary's Toukley

8:20 am Monday to Thursday & Saturday

8:45 am Friday

First Friday Night Vigil

Exposition after 7pm Mass until 12.30am

Children's Liturgy of the Word (CLOW)

1st & 3rd Sundays 9am at St Mary's

1st Saturday 5pm at St Brendan's

EXCEPT IN SCHOOL HOLIDAYS



Welcome to our Parish. Today we celebrate the **Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year C.** We welcome you to our Church and all new members of our Parish who have moved to the area & are very pleased to see you here.

Upcoming Parish events - Save the Date:

Sat 30th August: The Rite of Confirmation

RCIA/ RCIY - If you are interested to explore your faith /Catholic faith scan the QR Code or you may talk to any of our priests. Program starting soon!



Bequests: Remembering your faith community in your Will

After providing for family members in your Will, have you ever considered leaving a bequest directly to your local parish. This is called a legacy or bequest. Over the years, many people who have felt a special connection with their local parish and church have left part of their Estate to their Parish. Like a gift to a charity, a bequest of any amount to the Church is a way of saying "thank you" for the spiritual **nurturing provided to you and your family over the years.** See the Diocese website for more information.



Florist Needed for St Mary's Church - After many, many years and hundreds of beautiful floral displays for Mass and many other occasions in St Mary's Church, our florist **Lina Samaniego** is hanging up her gardening gloves. Thank you to

Lina for all those beautiful displays over the years! If you would like to volunteer to become the new florist. Please contact **Lina on 0424 506 448.**

Please do not place foreign coins or batteries in the collection bags. It creates a problem in the machine and jams it.



Baptism Welcome to St Mary's Parish We welcome Brielle, Marlo, Grayson, Brooks and families to our Parish. May God bless you on this day of your Baptism.

Parish Involvement: Have you ever thought, how would you like to share your talents, skills & time with our Lord? Are you ready & willing to share it but don't know who to ask? Just talk to our priests, call our Parish Office or anyone you know is helping in our parish. We're here to support you. This is your spiritual home & community.

Safeguarding Message: Our Diocesan Commitment to Safeguarding is underscored by our faith in Jesus Christ who teaches the fundamental sanctity of each human person, and by our dedication to education, practice and conversation about moral, legal and spiritual obligation to safeguard all those within our community. If you have any issues please contact our Safeguarding Officers. **St Mary's contact Jarad Ph: 0478558950**
St Brendan's contact Shella Ph: 0401468515.



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Missed the Parent Information for Confirmation?

Parent Information for Confirmation. If you missed the Parent Info, we still have the last session which will be on 21 July, Mon at 7-8PM on Zoom. Please register now using the link or the QR Code.

<https://forms.office.com/r/YFpfSk2YWe>



Peter's Pence Collection: Last Sunday we celebrated the feast of St. Peter & St. Paul. Our tradition of Peter's Pence collection will take place this **Sunday 6th July**. The appeal is to support the Pope's Mission activities around the world. Envelopes are available in the churches.

Free Wills Seminar & Morning Tea Plan Well, Live Faithfully

The Clergy and Parishes Broken Bay team invites all parishioners to a special Free Wills Seminar and Morning Tea on **Tuesday 12 August 2025, held at Our Lady of Dolours Parish, Chatswood.**

The seminar will cover essential topics including: Writing/ updating a Will, understanding Power of Attorney, Enduring Guardianship. Attendees may also be eligible for a complimentary Will, thanks to our collaboration with Castle Lawyers.

□ Time: 10:30 AM – 12:30 PM

□ Venue: Magnificat Room, Our Lady of Dolours Parish, 94 Archer Street, Chatswood To register or for more information, visit

www.trybooking.com/DAPZO

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Sunday is today 6th July.

This is a day that brings the Australian Catholic Church Together to celebrate the gifts of Australia's First peoples to our Catholic Church. The theme for this year is 'Sent Forth in Strength and Hope'.

St Brendan's Rosters for August to October

Liturgy Rosters are now being prepared for the period August to October if you would like to volunteer for any position please add your details to the sheets at the back of the Church. Training is provided for all positions.



PWBB Receipts - if you would like a receipt for your Pastoral Works Broken Bay Collection please contact the office.

Kid's Ministry! Hi Kids, would you like to share your talents and skills? Do you love to sing? Would you like to read and tell the stories from the Bible? Would you like to help for charity or serving at the Altar? Think & pray about it and discuss it with your parents. Keep an eye out for our poster for you to sign- in soon.

RCIA Liturgical Formation on 16th Aug at Pennant Hills

An exciting and interactive formation opportunity facilitated by Chris Ohlsen, Kelly Paget and Deacon Peter McCulloch for all RCIA Coordinators, RCIA Teams and diocesan parish staff to refresh their skills and build upon their knowledge in relation to practical implications, liturgical fundamentals and ongoing formation for the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA).

Time: 9:30am - 3pm, Saturday 16 August

Venue: Caroline Chisholm Centre, Pennant Hills.

Morning tea and lunch provided.

To register: email mission@bbcatholic.org.au

Please pray for the following:

Recently Deceased: Charles Pulo, Brian Fletcher, Roberta Cahill, Noel Rodrigues & Nicola Iacovazzi

Anniversaries: Fred Wilesmith, Tony Ferraro, Marj Murphy, Michael Murphy, Ethel Brennan, Eileen Sykes, Catherine Cahill & Don Bailey

Remembrances: Stephens Cappa, Richard, Margie Hamer, Crisencia Soriano, Benjamin Soriano Sr, Perpekto Soriano, Betty & Ted Sullivan, Trevor Haynes, Arturo, Julieta, Manuel, Margaret Vella, Joseph Vella, Doris Cassar, Patricia Ferraro, Frank Costa & family, Angelo Caruana, Marie O'Keefe, Valami Joseph & Stark Family & Wendy Woodhouse

Please Pray for the Sick: Matt Lowe, Clair Ray Doris, Beth Andrews, Clare Johnstone, Fred Camenzuli, Nick Brien, Chris Wilson, Miklos Beothy, Novita Elizabeth Taha Lamharan, Joy Stokes, Dale Bentick, Avis Sullivan, Ken Jenkins, Lawrie & Libby Boshell, Ruben Fernandez Velasco, Ivy Teo, Brian Brame, Irene Tognito, Avis Sullivan, John Muir, Amelia Hamilton-Ford, John Hamilton Snr, John Hamilton Jnr, Kel Outlaw, Kevin Roy, Kathy Casey, Elaine Horton, Jane, Allen, Helen Sewell, Liz Kelman, Lacey, Chelsea Brame, Nicholas Sheehy, Nicholas Brien, Hunter, Peter De Lacy Peek, Patrick Hobson, Jessica & Lee Abott, Baby Nora, Denis Tansey, Lucky Bowen, Sergio, Maxwell, Nacua Sedicol, Sue Reardon, Sandra Turl, Mia & Johanna Harries, Ana das Gracas, Zona Kable, Jose Adelino, Barry Egan, Suzanne Webb, Ray Crocker, Patricia, Warren Pope, Elaine Scrivener, John Stuart, Stefano & Paolo Macchi, Stephen Jeffrie, Paul Mizzi, George, Sylvia Hudson, Bill O'Keefe, Michelle Maroon, Mick G & Robbie Depares



Happy 50th Wedding Anniversary to **Terry & Phyllie Tobitt** on the 1st July. May God bless you always.

June Birthdays

Salome Cappa (1st July)
Jehezkiel Lambaran (1st July)
Phyllie (Philimeno) Tobitt (2nd July)
Christine Buckman (5th July)
Keith Castellias (70th on 7th July)
Emma Ranada (7th)
Jan Vydiniotis (27th July)



Pope Leo XIV's Francis' July Intention



To pray for formation in discernment. Let us pray that we might again learn how to discern, to know how to choose paths of life and reject everything that leads us away from Christ and the Gospel.

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Male & Female

Do you have a caring heart & time to become a friend to a lonely person in an Aged Care Facility? Please call Anne-Marie 4396 1555

First Reading King Isaiah 66:10-14

A reading from the prophet Isaiah

I will send toward Jerusalem peace like a river.

Rejoice, Jerusalem,
 be glad for her, all you who love her!
 Rejoice, rejoice for her,
 all you who mourned her!
 That you may be suckled, filled,
 from her consoling breast,
 that you may savour with delight
 her glorious breasts.
 For thus says the Lord:
 Now towards her I send flowing
 peace, like a river,
 and like a stream in spate
 the glory of the nations.
 At her breast will her nurslings be carried
 and fondled in her lap.
 Like a son comforted by his mother
 will I comfort you.
 And by Jerusalem you will be comforted.
 At the sight your heart will rejoice,
 and your bones flourish like the grass.
 To his servants the Lord will reveal his hand.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.**Responsorial Psalm** Ps 65:1-7, 16, 20**R. Let all the earth cry out to God with joy.**

Cry out with joy to God all the earth,

O sing to the glory of his name.

O render him glorious praise.

Say to God: 'How tremendous your deeds! **R.**

'Before you all the earth shall bow:
 shall sing to you, sing to your name!'
 Come and see the works of God,
 tremendous his deeds among men. **R.**

He turned the sea into dry land,
 they passed through the river dry-shod.
 Let our joy then be in him;
 he rules for ever by his might. **R.**

Come and hear, all who fear God.
 I will tell what he did for my soul.
 Blessed be God who did not reject my prayer
 nor withhold his love from me. **R.**

Second Reading Galatians 6:14-18

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Galatians

The marks I carry on my body are those of Jesus Christ.

The only thing I can boast about is the cross of our Lord
 Jesus Christ, through whom the world is crucified to me,
 and I to the world. It does not matter if a person is circum-
 cised or not; what matters is for him to become an alto-
 gether new creature. Peace and mercy to all who follow
 this rule, who form the Israel of God.

I want no more trouble from anybody after this; the
 marks on my body are those of Jesus. The grace of our
 Lord Jesus Christ be with your spirit, my brothers.
 Amen.

The word of the Lord

Thanks be to God**Gospel Acclamation** Colossians 3:15, 16

Alleluia, alleluia!

May the peace of Christ rule in your hearts,
 and the fullness of his message live within you.
 Alleluia!

Gospel Luke 10:1-12, 17-20

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke

Your peace will rest upon him.

The Lord appointed seventy-two others and sent them
 out ahead of him, in pairs, to all the towns and places he
 himself was to visit. He said to them, 'The harvest is rich
 but the labourers are few, so ask the Lord of the harvest
 to send labourers to his harvest. Start off now, but re-
 member, I am sending you out like lambs among wolves.
 Carry no purse, no haversack, no sandals. Salute no one
 on the road. Whatever house you go into, let your first
 words be, "Peace to this house!" And if a man of peace
 lives there, your peace will go and rest on him; if not, it
 will come back to you. Stay in the same house, taking
 what food and drink they have to offer, for the labourer
 deserves his wages; do not move from house to house.
 Whenever you go into a town where they make you wel-
 come, eat what is set before you. Cure those in it who are
 sick, and say, "The kingdom of God is very near to you."
 But whenever you enter a town and they do not make
 you welcome, go out into its streets and say, "We wipe
 off the very dust of your town that clings to our feet, and
 leave it with you. Yet be sure of this: the kingdom of
 God is very near." I tell you, on that day it will not go as
 hard with Sodom as with that town.'

The seventy-two came back rejoicing. 'Lord,' they said,
 'even the devils submit to us when we use your name.' He
 said to them, 'I watched Satan fall like lightning from
 heaven. Yes, I have given you power to tread underfoot
 serpents and scorpions and the whole strength of the ene-
 my; nothing shall ever hurt you. Yet do not rejoice that
 the spirits submit to you; rejoice rather that your names
 are written in heaven.'

The Gospel of the Lord

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ**Next Sunday: Fifteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time**

First Reading: Deuteronomy 30:10-14

Second Reading: Colossians 1:15-20

Gospel: Luke 10:25-37