

# Our Lady of Perpetual Succour

Catholic Parish Toukley/Lake Munmorah

St Mary's Church 458 Main Rd Norville  
St Brendan's Mass Centre 29 Carters Rd Lake Munmorah



## Vision

*To be A Vibrant Eucharistic Community*

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Twenty Ninth Sunday Ordinary Time Year A

18th October 2020



Some once said that the only things certain in this world are death and taxes. And it appears from our gospel that at the time of Jesus, taxes had to be paid then also!

The Pharisees never missed a chance or opportunity to try and trap Jesus. They were always hoping that he would say or do something that would trap him and make him look foolish in front of his friends and followers.

Just because we are followers of Jesus, it does not mean we exempt from living in the real world. We go to work, earn our wages and spend our hard earned money on the things we need to stay alive. Bills have to be paid and we too today have to pay tax to keep our economy going.

People often miss quote this saying for the New Testament; money is the root of all evil. The correct saying in the Letter to Timothy is the love of money is the root of evil. There is nothing wrong with money in itself. It is how use, misuse and even abuse money that matters.

In a book called The Little Prince, it says it is with the heart that one can truly see, what is essential is invincible to the eye. In our own daily lives, we need to be aware of what we consider being essential. The real good news is that our dignity does not come from spending money on things we don't actually need. Our dignity and value come from be created, loved and known by God. The Prophet Isaiah reminds us that we are precious in the eyes of God. This is good news that will last. It is not some trendy statement that will go out of fashion.

Perhaps we need take some time this week to reflect on our daily lives to discover what is truly and deeply essential to us. According Jesus and the gospel what is essential is love, forgiveness, peace, justice and concern for the poor. As we do this, may the words of Jesus from to today's gospel stay with us; give to Caesar what is due to Caesar and give to God what is due to God.

Fr. Baby

## **WEEKEND MASS TIMES (100 People)**

### **St Mary's Church Toukley ( 100 )**

Saturday: Vigil 6:00pm

Sunday: 7:30am

9:00am

Children's Liturgy 1st & 3rd Sunday  
(except school holidays)

6:00pm

### **St Brendan's Lake Munmorah (100)**

Saturday: Vigil 5:00pm

Sunday: 8:00am

## **WEEKDAY MASS TIMES**

### **St Mary's Church Toukley**

Monday 9:00 am

Tuesday 9:00 am

Wednesday 9:00 am

Thursday 9:00 am (Ordinariate of Our Lady  
of the Southern Cross)

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

**First Friday of Month** Anointing of Sick

11:00am

Saturday 9:00 am

### **St Brendan's Lake Munmorah**

Wednesday 9:00am

**First Wednesday of Month** Anointing of Sick

9:00am

Thursday 9:00am

## **EXPOSITION BLESSED SACRAMENT**

### **St Mary's Church Toukley**

Each Saturday – After Morning Mass

## **SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**

### **St Mary's Toukley**

Saturday 9:30am—10:00am

### **St Brendan's Lake Munmorah**

Saturday 4:30—5:00pm

## **MORNING PRAYER OF THE CHURCH**

### **St Mary's Toukley**

8:20 am Monday to Saturday



## **Parish Facebook Page**

**Send a Friend Request to our new Toukley-Lake Munmorah Parish.**

Understanding COVID-19 Restrictions – Places of Worship Diocese of Broken Bay Fact Sheet

What does this mean for places of worship?

- The number of people in a public place of worship must not exceed one person per 4 square metres.
- When calculating the number of people permissible in the church for a religious service, the Celebrant, concelebrants, Deacon, server and other essential ministers are excluded from the head count. All members of the congregation should be counted, including children.

The calculation must be made by measuring the floor space of the areas open to the public. For our Churches, this means the sanctuary, sacristy, or other areas where people would not congregate are not included in the calculations. The maximum number of people allowed in the church should be displayed on all entry points to the church.

People attending a religious service will be required to provide their name and contact details (phone or email) when they enter so that they can be used for contact tracing. The details of one adult member per household is sufficient. **Parishioners are requested to receive Holy Communion in the hand & are advised to wear a mask during Mass.** More details are available on the notice board

## **Mental Health First Aid Training Update**

We have enough interest for two groups. I need to Register participants with Mental Health First Aid Australia.

All participants can you please now register with your Name, Address and Phone number to email [robynrosina@iinet.net.au](mailto:robynrosina@iinet.net.au)  
Group 1 – Saturdays Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> and Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> October 2020 9.30 am-2.30pm.

Group 2 – Saturdays 31<sup>st</sup> October and 7<sup>th</sup> November 2020 9.30 am-2.30 pm.

Group 3 - 21st November & 28th November

Venue – St. Mary's Parish Centre.

\$30 per person (at cost to cover learning manual etc) fine to pay on the day.

So, looking forward to sharing this learning with you.

## **Mass during restriction**

Number of people allowed to attend Mass during restriction

St Mary's Church - 100 people that is one person per 4 square metre.

St. Brendan's also 100 people.

**Parish Centre** The number of people allowed in the parish centre is 20.



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## October Devotions - Rosary

St Brendan's – Rosary - In the church at 5pm commencing 12<sup>th</sup> October to 21<sup>st</sup> October. On Saturday evenings after 5pm Mass  
St Mary's – Rosary at the Grotto 6pm commencing 22<sup>nd</sup> October to 31<sup>st</sup> October. On Saturday and Sunday evenings before Mass at 5:30pm

Rosters St Mary's are ready, please pick up from the Sacristy.

Position Vacant Parish Secretary  
Part-time, 25 hours (5 days) per week

Fr Tomy is seeking to recruit a Parish Secretary. This key role provides support in visitor and telephone reception, communications, records and archives maintenance, general administration, financial processes, meeting and event organisation, and compliance requirements. Previous office administration experience is required.

For further details, see the Diocesan website: [www.bbcatholic.org.au/people/positions-vacant](http://www.bbcatholic.org.au/people/positions-vacant) Applications close: Sunday, 25 October

*This role will be subject to pre-screening WWCC and National Police History Check.*

The Peter's Pence Collection : Provides for the charitable works and structures of mercy identified by His Holiness, Pope Francis. The annual appeal is usually taken up all over the world around the time of the feast day of St Peter and St Paul (29 June). This year, due to COVID-19, His Holiness Pope Francis has asked that the annual appeal take place on 18th October.

## Happy 30th Wedding Anniversary to

**Sunny & Kathy Khan**



***Mitchell Taueli & Rosa Vitale Paulo***

***To be married on the 23/10/2020 at St Mary's Church Toukley Congratulations***



***Jesse O'Brien 3rd Oct***  
***Dawn Thompson 5th Oct (the Big One)***  
***Geoff 7th oct***  
***Jason Fry 10th Oct***  
***Ron Buds 13th Oct & Isaac 13th Oct***  
***Anna Cole 14th Oct***



*In your charity, please pray for those who have died and those who are sick.*

## Recently Deceased

Carmel Bezzina, Cecilia McNeill, Nicky Ingersohl, Ken McKeveitt, Stephen Cappa, Les Quigley, Heather Niblett, Cyril Byrne & Christopher Lee, Matthew P.V, Leslie Wilkins, Terry Ingersoll, Carmel Keys.

## Anniversaries

Albert Sykes, Eileen Sykes, Rose and Stark Families, Carol Brown, Stephen J Eggleton, Jovito Malaki Sr, Bella Orbina, Khoo Swee Choon & Ng Yook Chee, **Jean Grimes, Eileen O'Kane, Kathleen Reid, Susannah Pearce** and John Glennen, Don Metcalf, Lisa Marie Grenot, Lloyd Buckman, Georgina Baker, Susan King, Alkino, Teodora & Felicitas Bergado, Anselmo, Paulita, Enrico, Arturo, Pio Edwin Ambair, Elma Capacite, Hermigildo, Romualda Giba, Pantaleon, Temotea Ambait, Rosemary Jennifer Mulvany.

## Remembrances

Valmai Joseph & Stark Family, Mary & Jack Webb, Jack & Rita Webb & Wynn Family, Scott Kay, Danny Kay, Moore & Lanqley Families, Bernard Yap, V DeSouza, V Baraez, Fred & Ann Stephens, Rosemary Jennifer Mulvany, Gerard De Zilva, Stephen Cappa.

## Please Pray for the Sick

Tincy Thomas, Cheryl Kennedy, Zerafa family, Vicky Debono, George Gavranic, Ann Buckman, Josephine Poynting, Eloise Bell, Camille Hill, Wendy Peterson, Adrian, Ken Chubb, Fiona Haslam, Teresa Wegrzyn, Ann Durnford, Steve Durnford, Maureen Mulheron, Koby Bourke, Monica Mason, Ariane Hampton, Fr Bill Aliprandi, Linda Read, Eleanor Matthews, Andrew Kelly, Paul Covington, Fiona Gill, Evan Shepherd, Kathleen Strong, Brian Davies, Tony Hodges, Michael Wiggin & Vanessa Miller, Sister Carmela Debbie Gibba, Mary Powell & Miklos Beothy, Mr Baldovan, Hannah Tierney, Faye Lund, Julie Newey, Kathy Outlaw, Finn McConnon, Anne & Steve Durnford, Vaughn Haynes, Pam Moir (family), Maureen Mulheron, Lurlene Dehn.

## Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for October

The Laity's Mission in the Church we pray that by the virtue of baptism, the laity, especially women, may participate more in areas of responsibility in the Church.

**Holidays** Dear parishioners, Fr Baby Will be away from 17th Oct to the 24th Oct.

## Mackay Family Funerals

In Association with Mackay Family Crematorium  
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## Volunteer Angels

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

The Community Visitors' Scheme

## First Reading

*Isaiah 45:1, 4-6*

*I have taken the hand of Cyrus to subdue nations before his countenance.*

Thus says the Lord to his anointed, to Cyrus, whom he has taken by his right hand to subdue nations before him and strip the loins of kings, to force gateways before him that their gates be closed no more: It is for the sake of my servant Jacob, of Israel my chosen one, that I have called you by your name, conferring a title though you do not know me. I am the Lord, unrivalled; there is no other God besides me. Though you do not know me, I arm you that men may know from the rising to the setting of the sun that, apart from me, all is nothing.

The word of the Lord.  
**Thanks be to God.**

## Responsorial Psalm

*Ps 95:1, 3-5, 7-10*

**R. Give the Lord glory and honour.**

O sing a new song to the Lord, sing to the Lord all the earth. Tell among the nations his glory and his wonders among all the peoples. **R.**

The Lord is great and worthy of praise, to be feared above all gods; the gods of the heathens are naught. It was the Lord who made the heavens. **R.**

Give the Lord, you families of peoples, give the Lord glory and power, give the Lord the glory of his name. Bring an offering and enter his courts. **R.**

Worship the Lord in his temple, O earth, tremble before him. Proclaim to the nations: 'God is king,' He will judge the peoples in fairness. **R.**

## Second Read

*1 Thessalonians 1:1-5*

*We are mindful of your faith, hope, and love.*

From Paul, Silvanus and Timothy, to the Church in Thessalonika which is in God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ; wishing you grace and peace from God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

We always mention you in our prayers and thank God for you all, and constantly remember before God our Father how you have shown your faith in action,

worked for love and persevered through hope, in our Lord Jesus Christ.

We know, brothers, that God loves you and that you have been chosen, because when we brought the Good News to you, it came to you not only as words, but as power and as the Holy Spirit and as utter conviction.

The word of the Lord.  
**Thanks be to God.**

## Gospel Acclamation

*Philippians 2:15-16*

Alleluia, alleluia!

Shine on the world like bright stars;

you are offering it the word of life.

Alleluia!

## Gospel

*Matthew 22:15-21*

*Give to Caesar the things that belong to Caesar and to God the things that are God's.*

The Pharisees went away to work out between them how to trap Jesus in what he said. And they sent their disciples to him, together with the Herodians, to say, 'Master, we know that you are an honest man and teach the way of God in an honest way, and that you are not afraid of anyone, because a man's rank means nothing to you. Tell us your opinion then. Is it permissible to pay taxes to Caesar or not?' But Jesus was aware of their malice and replied, 'You hypocrites! Why do you set this trap for me? Let me see the money you pay the tax with.' They handed him a denarius, and he replied, 'Whose head is this? Whose name?' 'Caesar's,' they replied. He then said to them, 'Very well, give back to Caesar what belongs to Caesar - and to God what belongs to God.'

The Gospel of the Lord.  
**Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Next Sunday Twenty-Ninth SUNDAY

First Reading Exodus 22:20-26

Second Reading 1 Thessalonians 1:5-10

Gospel Matthew 22:34-40