

Our Lady of Perpetual Succour

Catholic Parish Toukley/Lake Munmorah

St Mary's Church 458 Main Rd Noraville

St Brendan's Mass Centre 29 Carters Rd Lake Munmorah



Vision

To be A Vibrant Eucharistic Community

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Thirteenth Sunday Ordinary Time Year A

28th June 2020

Pope's Reflection on Prayer



Prayer "is able to ensure the relationship with God, who is the true Companion of man's journey, in the midst of the many hardships of life: good or bad,". King David is an example of being consistent in prayer no matter what life throws at you or what good or bad you do, Pope Francis said.

David, he said, was "saint and sinner, persecuted and persecutor, victim and executioner, which is a contradiction. David was all this, together. And we too have often opposite traits in our lives; in the plot of living, all men often sin inconsistently." But, the pope emphasized, the consistent "thread" in David's life was prayer.

In the psalms, "David teaches us to bring everything into dialogue with God: joy as guilt, love as suffering, friendship as much as an illness. Everything can become a word addressed to the 'You' who always listens to us."

Pope Francis went on to explain that though David knew solitude and loneliness in his life, through the power of prayer he was never alone. "David's confidence is so great that when he was persecuted and had to flee, he did not let anyone defend him," the pope noted. David thought, "'If my God humiliates me like this, He knows,' because the nobility of prayer leaves us in the hands of God. Those hands, wounds of love: the only safe hands we have."

Fr Tomy



We wish to welcome all those parishioners who are able to keep updated by receiving the Bulletin via the email, all those who are able to join us for the Celebration of Mass on Facebook and all those who collect a printed Bulletin from the front of the church each week or the Parish Office.

Parish Facebook Page



Send a Friend Request to our new Toukley-Lake Munmorah Parish. Thanks to all who joined in the live streaming Mass.

The Charitable Works Fund—Thank you for your continued connection We are so grateful to our community who demonstrate their love for their neighbours by generously supporting the Charitable Works Fund. When you give to the CWF, you can be assured that your donation is working for the faith and the people of the Diocese of Broken Bay. (envelopes available at the back of the church) or Please visit

www.givenow.com.au/cwf (For donations)

Message from Bishop Anthony The Archdiocese of Sydney has developed a site to assist parishes throughout Australia as they respond to the easing of restrictions and the introduction of public Masses again. It is called massregister.com.au.

Bishop Anthony has recommended its use throughout our own Diocese of Broken Bay – though it is for individual parishes to consider its merit and to decide on its implementation.

Places of Worship

The following limitations apply to the number of people allowed within the premises:

For a **Mass, a Baptism, a funeral, a memorial, or other religious service, or for private worship** - the lesser of:

50 persons; or the total number of persons calculated by allowing 4 square metres of space for each person on the premises.

For a **wedding** the lesser of 20 Persons; or the total number of persons calculated by allowing 4 square metres of space for each person on the premises.

Any enquires please contact the office. Ph 4396 4455

First Reconciliation

The Sacrament of Reconciliation will take place on Wednesday the 1st July June at 11:00 am in St Brendan’s Catholic School.

St Vincent de Paul Appeal

Vinnies winter appeal is a vital source of funding for the many good works of the Society. As a collection cannot be taken up at the parish masses this winter, you may wish to consider donating in one of the following ways. By phone to 13 18 12 or using a debit or credit card. By Appeal envelopes (to be left at the parish office) By cash placed in the poor boxes at the Church entrances. Thank you for your generosity.

THANK You to everyone for there thoughts & prayers during my Time of need.

Lyn Haynes

WEEKEND MASS TIMES (50 People)

St Mary’s Church Toukley

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

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 8:15am—9:00am

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

Mass During Restrictions (50 people) Weekday Mass

Dear Parishioners ,
The Parish Pastoral Council has meet and reviewed the weekday Mass schedule. It was decided that we shall have the weekday masses at 9am from this week. Friday mass will be at 9:15am (First Friday 11am).
Thankyou for your kind understanding and co-operation.
Fr Tomy

Preparation for St Mary's Feast Day

Dear Parishioners,
Our Feast Day is approaching next Sunday 5th July 2020.
Our Lady of Perpetual Succour is the Patroness of our Parish sharing with us her unfailing eagerness to pray for the welfare of all people. We will prepare on the journey to our Feast day with a Novena before most Masses 830am

We remain in Covid-19 restrictions. Our celebrations will be scaled down compared to other years, but we will make up for it in the future.

At present restrictions on the number of people we can have in the Church remain at 50 people. We will need to book to attend by Wednesday 1st July 2020.

Our procession will begin at just after 9am at our Grotto. We will need to space out with 1.5 metres between each of us. Those unable to walk or stand can wait inside the Church for the Pilgrims. We will process to the Church door praying together to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour. As we enter the Church, we will sing Marian songs together as process to the Altar. This is always such beautiful and moving experience. A morning tea will be held after Mass under the breezeway at the front of the Church, remember to bring a jacket. Our Parish Centre is too small to guarantee the required social distancing.

Please ensure you are in and parked before 9am to ensure the safety of pilgrims. Everything is weather permitting. Please let us all work together to ensure we can celebrate and maintain the required safety for all of us.
Many thanks from your Clergy and Liturgy Committee

We thank Lucy Jurd, Connie Camilleri and Lina Samaniego for sponsoring fresh flowers on Corpus Christi and St.Mary's Feast day. May God bless them all for their generosity.

Next Thursday (2/7/2020) we shall have an extra Mass and Novena at 5.30 pm.



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

Recently Deceased

Maureen Daniels, Clement Apiap, Frank Feliciotto, Vi Brodie, George Garvey, Felice Grasso, Fr John Barry OSA, Fr Denis Callahan, Ellen Ashton, Frederick Jurd, Eileen O'Kane, Marie Dyer, Jason Myers (Dublin), Bernard Hensley, Wesley Glabus, Veronica King, Janet Milroy, Leonard O'Shea Julie McCaskie, Cyril Breen, Charles Williams, James Sabastian, Graham Gett, Ken Johnston, Jack Griffiths, Len Smith & Jean Bruce, Grant Frankie, Olive Chesterton, Trevor Haynes Joseph Jrn & Joseph Senior Cini & Charlie Cini.,
Anniversaries

Frederick Stephens, Tony Psaila, Matthew Johnston, John Flynn, John Kennedy, Danny Kay, Bill Tyson, Ruby Prendergast, John Flanagan, Colin McIntyre, Tony Wilson, Joseph & Stella Magri, Mary Stewart, Franceska Rose, Anselmo, Paulita, Enrico, Arturo & Pio Edwin Ambait, Pantaleon, Temotea Ambait, Elma Capacite, Romualda & Hermigilso Giba, Valmai Joseph, Dorothy Rush, Victoria Borg, Peter O'Malley, Rose and Stark Families, Valmai Joseph, Lia Newey, Lenard Smith & Doris Zerafa, Valmai Joseph, & Stark family Mary Cecelia Brown & Donald & Amelia Marshall, Fr Ian Abbott, Fr Paul Fitzgerald, John Haslam, Scott Karkay, William Baker & Cole Kelman, Carol Brown.

Remembrances

Katy Ng, Olga Creighton, Colin McIntyre, Scott Kay, Lisa Marie Grenot, Hannah McCool, John Thomas Matthews, Gilles Dedrouas, Norman Pierce, Ng Yook Chee, Lorraine Anderson, Courtney McCool

Please Pray for the Sick

Ken Chubb, Fiona Haslam, Vicky Debono, Teresa Wegrzyn, Ann Durnford, Steve Durnford, Maureen Mulheron, Koby Bourke, Monica Mason, John Andrews, Kathleen Wiegold, Ariane Hampton, Fr Bill Aliprandi, Linda Read, Eleanor Matthews, Andrew Kelly, Paul Covington, Fiona Gill, Koby Thomas, Evan Shepherd, Kathleen Strong, Bourke, Brian Davies, Tony Hodges, 4 year old Ethan, Faye Lund, Michael Wiggin & Vanessa Miller. Sister Carmela Debbie Gibba, Mary Powell & Miklos Beothy.

Pope Francis' Prayer

The way of the Heart Intention for June



We pray that all those who will suffer may find their way in life, allowing themselves to be touched by the Heart of Jesus.

Mackay Family Funerals

In Association with Mackay Family Crematorium
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HEADOR STREET, TOUKLEY
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www.tnc.org.au

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

2 Kings 4:8-11, 14-16

That is the holy man of God, let him remain there.

One day as Elisha was on his way to Shunem, a woman of rank who lived there pressed him to stay and eat there. After this he always broke his journey for a meal when he passed that way. She said to her husband, 'Look, I am sure the man who is constantly passing our way must be a holy man of God. Let us build him a small room on the roof, and put him a bed in it, and a table and chair and lamp; whenever he comes to us he can rest there.'

One day when he came, he retired to the upper room and lay down. 'What can be done for her?' he asked. Gehazi (his servant) answered, 'Well, she has no son and her husband is old.' Elisha said, 'Call her.' The servant called her and she stood at the door. 'This time next year,' Elisha said 'you will hold a son in your arms.'

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm Ps 88:2-3, 16-19

R. For ever I will sing the goodness of the Lord.

I will sing for ever of your love, O Lord;
through all ages my mouth will proclaim your truth.
Of this I am sure, that your love lasts for ever,
that your truth is firmly established as the heavens. **R.**

Happy the people who acclaim such a king,
who walk, O Lord, in the light of your face,
who find their joy every day in your name,
who make your justice the source of their bliss. **R.**

For it is you, O Lord, who are the glory of their strength;
it is by your favour that our might is exalted:
for our ruler is in the keeping of the Lord;
our king in the keeping of the Holy One of Israel. **R.**

Second Reading Romans 6:3-4, 8-11

Having been buried with him through baptism, we shall walk in a new life.

When we were baptised in Christ Jesus we were baptised in his death; in other words, when we were baptised we went into the tomb with him and joined him in death, so that as Christ was raised from the dead by the Father's glory, we too might live a new life.

But we believe that having died with Christ we shall return to life with him: Christ, as we know, having been raised from the dead will never die again. Death has no power over him any more. When he died, he died, once for all, to sin, so his life now is life with God; and in that way, you too must consider yourselves to be dead to sin but alive for God in Christ Jesus.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation 1 Peter 2:9

Alleluia, alleluia!

You are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy people. Praise God who called you out of darkness and into his marvellous light.

Alleluia!

Gospel Matthew 10:37-42

Anyone who does not accept his cross is not worthy of me. Anyone who welcomes you, welcomes me

Jesus instructed the Twelve as follows: 'Anyone who prefers father or mother to me is not worthy of me. Anyone who prefers son or daughter to me is not worthy of me. Anyone who does not take his cross and follow in my footsteps is not worthy of me. Anyone who finds his life will lose it; anyone who loses his life for my sake will find it.

'Anyone who welcomes you welcomes me; and those who welcome me welcome the one who sent me.

'Anyone who welcomes a prophet because he is a prophet will have a prophet's reward; and anyone who welcomes a holy man because he is a holy man will have a holy man's reward.

'If anyone gives so much as a cup of cold water to one of these little ones because he is a disciple, then I tell you solemnly, he will most certainly not lose his reward.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Next Sunday: Fourteenth Sunday Ordinary Time

First Reading Zechariah 9:9-10

Second Reading Romans 8:9, 11-13

Gospel Matthew 11:25-30

