

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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The Most Holy Trinity

30th May 2021



Today we acknowledge our belief in One God as Three Persons. Jesus of Nazareth is the lens through which we interpret this mystery. On the Ascension we celebrated Jesus' return to his Father's home. Pentecost fulfilled Jesus' promise that he would not leave us orphans.

The constant challenge of our Christian faith is to allow the Spirit of Jesus to live fully and creatively in us. Through Jesus, we come to know God as Father/Creator. This means that we keep our eyes open to see God's power and wisdom towards all creatures. This is the God in whom we live, and move and have our being.

We profess faith in the Son, the mystery of God-with-us in Jesus Christ. Through the Son we experience an intimate relationship with God and we come to know God-with-us always. We profess faith in the Spirit, who stirs the divine life of Christ within us. Through the Spirit we come to perceive and experience the grace-filled works of our God and we are moved to respond. Jesus tells us to do in today's gospel, "Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you."

The community of persons in the Triune God is simply the result of a divine love that is so intense and so profound that it cannot be contained or defined in one dimension. It is a love that not only creates, but a love that redeems and sanctifies. God reaches out to us through Jesus, His Son and our brother, who is the full sign of God's love for all people. Today we have the opportunity to proclaim what we believe: our God is personal, involved in our lives and is calling us to come home together.

God is the perfect love that engenders hope and courage, and it is this Love that helps us to maintain a sense of purpose, peace and unity in our lives. It is this love that enables us to go out and preach to all nations, knowing that God is with us until the end of the age.

Fr Baby

WEEKEND MASS TIMES

St Mary's Church Toukley

Saturday: Vigil 6:00pm Fr Tomy

Sunday: 7:30am Fr Tomy

9:00am Fr Tomy

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

6:00pm Fr Baby

St Brendan's Lake Munmorah

Saturday: Vigil 5:00pm Fr Baby

Sunday: 8:00am Fr Baby

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

St Mary's Church Toukley

Monday 9:00 am

Tuesday 9:00 am

Wednesday 9:00 am

Thursday 9:00 am

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

First Friday Night Vigil

Exposition after 7pm Mass until 1.30am

COVID-19 Restrictions – Places of Worship Diocese of Broken Bay **Latest Update: 17th May 2021**

Capacity: Capacity at a place of public worship continues to be subject to the one person per 2 square metre rule. Children count towards the capacity limit. Our capacity: St Mary's: 235, St Brendan's: 320

Please do not enter the Church if you feel unwell.

Masks: masks are optional in our Churches.

Record Keeping: Everyone entering the Church must sign in with their name and contact number, preferably using the QR code, or on the paper sheet provided. Please write clearly. The Parish office will hold the record for 28 days confidentially and securely.

Seating: please sit only where marked, to maintain physical distancing requirements. Members of the same household may sit together. Seating signs are staggered to allow for physical distancing, so please adhere to these signs.

Singing: Singing is permitted in Places of Worship.

Holy Communion: Parishioners are requested to receive Holy Communion in the hand and adhere to 1.5m physical distancing while processing to Communion. Those wishing to receive Holy Communion on the tongue are advised to wait at the end of the Communion line.

No Gathering: Parishioners are asked to move away promptly from the Church after Mass has finished.

No Sharing Food: Please remember that any meetings we hold must not involve sharing of food. If food is served, it must be individual serves on separate plates/containers, or participants must bring their own food.

Offertory Procession: due to easing of COVID restrictions, we are now able to resume the Offertory Procession.

More details about COVID restrictions are available on the noticeboard.

Children's Liturgy resumed at St Mary's last Sunday, with lots of fun had by all. It will be held on the 1st & 3rd Sundays of each month at 9.00am Mass at St Mary's.

Youth Group for 5-12 year olds

We are looking to start a Youth Group for Primary school aged children, meeting once a month in the Parish Centre. We are calling on Parishioners, especially Parents of young children to be involved. Please contact the Parish Office if you would like to help.



Accommodation needed


A female student teacher from St Peters Catholic College, Tuggerah is looking for short term accommodation until 25th June. Will pay for use of a bedroom, bathroom and cooking facilities. No more than 30 minutes from Tuggerah. If you can assist, please contact the Parish Office.

Attention young singers & musicians!

Can you sing or play a musical instrument? Join our Youth Band and help us achieve our parish vision of being a vibrant eucharistic community! Next held on Sunday 6th June at 6pm Mass at St Mary's. See Sr Josie for more details. Stay for pizza after Mass!



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Mass Count

The Mass count has been completed for this year. Thank you to our Wardens for counting attendance at all Masses over the past few weekends and thank you to everyone who filled out Census cards last weekend, we appreciate your help.

Rosters for St Brendan's from June – August

Rosters are being prepared for the period June through to August. We welcome parishioners who are wishing to assist with the various ministries during the Mass. Training will be provided for all positions. Please see Tricia Humphreys or call the Parish Office.

Catechists Needed!

We are always on the lookout for new Catechists in our Parish, to either lead a class or be a helper for one of our current Catechists. If you've ever considered this Ministry, please speak with Fr Tomy or Fr Baby, or have a chat with one of our current Catechists. Please enquire with the Parish Office for more information.



First Holy Communion

Our Sacramental Candidates continue their preparation and will receive their First Holy Communion at the following Masses:

St Brendan's: Sat 12th June 5pm and Sun 13th June 8am.

St Mary's: Sat 12th June 6pm and Sun 13th June 9am.

Please keep these children and their families in your prayers.

Thank you to our Sacramental Leaders for preparing the children.

CWF Appeal

We wish to extend a huge THANK YOU to YOU, our wonderful Parishioners for your contributions towards our CWF Appeal over the past weekends. Your generous contributions totaled more than \$5100. Sincere thanks from Fr Tomy, Fr Baby and the Office staff.



Readers Ministry

We had a wonderful gathering of readers last weekend. Christine Mickkelsen is the coordinator for readers in the Parish. Those who would like to join the readers ministry please contact Christine or the Parish Office.

Clergy Conference

The Diocesan Clergy Conference will take place from 14th-17th June. During that week, there will be no Masses on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at St Mary's and St Brendan's.

PRAISEFEST is back in the flesh! Join us on Friday 11 June 2021 at St Patrick's Gosford Parish from 6pm-9pm. Come along, sit back and chill with us, and enjoy: PRAISEFEST Radio, games, food and hospitality, 'Rambling with the Rev', Praise & Worship, an inspirational message and more.



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



Recently Deceased

Alda De Agnoli, Amy & Raymond Cheong

Anniversaries

Gloria Ayoub, Tony Ayoub, Margaret Huggins, Bob Huggins, Bryan Huggins, Bill Huggins, Stella Sultana, Grahame Lesha, Fr Ian Abbott, Trevor Haynes, Ouseph Kuruvellil, Marrietta Moir, Evelee Ross, Danny Goonan, Cathri, Carmen Cefai, Ken Johnston, Doris Zerafa

Remembrances

Moore & Langley families, Stephen Cappa, Arsenio Reyes, Greg Irvine, Georgina Baker, Valmai Joseph Stark Family, Carol Brown

Please Pray for the Sick

Eleanor Matthews, Dave Rodney, Mary Smith, Therese Chetcuti, Graham Moir, Julie Kozak, Chris Jones, Marie Cohen, John McCann, Michael Wiggins, Vanessa Miller, Maureen Johnston, Diane Booth, Sr Tincy Thomas

Notices in this section appear as follows:

Recently Deceased—3 weeks, Anniversaries—3 weeks, Remembrances—3 weeks, Sick—6 weeks. Please contact the Parish Office to place/renew your notice.

May/June Birthdays

Ray Crocker (6th May)
Judy Kay (8th May)
Aileen Reid (15th May)
Fr Tomy (25th May)
Charlie Debono (26th May)
Charlie Micallef (28th May)
Peter Huby (31st May)
Harvey Fisk (3rd June)



Call the office to have your birthday included!

First Friday of the Month—Fri 4th June

Join us for the Reparation vigil to the Sacred Heart and Immaculate Heart from 7pm Friday 4th June—1.30am Saturday. With suppliant hearts come and spend some time with our Lord.

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

Deuteronomy 4:32-34, 39-40

The Lord himself is God in heaven above and on earth below: there is no other.

Moses said to the people: 'Put this question to the ages that are past, that went before you, from the time God created man on earth: Was there ever a word so majestic, from one end of heaven to the other? Was anything ever heard? Did ever a people hear the voice of the living God speaking from the heart of the fire, as you heard it, and remain alive? Has any god ventured to take to himself one nation from the midst of another by ordeals, signs, wonders, war with mighty hand and outstretched arm, by fearsome terrors - all this that the Lord your God did for you before your eyes in Egypt? 'Understand this today, therefore, and take it to heart: The Lord is God indeed, in heaven above as on earth beneath, he and no other. Keep his laws and commandments as I give them to you today so that you and your children may prosper and live long in the land that the Lord your God gives you for ever.'

The word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 32:4-6, 9, 18-20, 22

R. Happy the people the Lord has chosen to be his own.

The word of the Lord is faithful
and all his works to be trusted.
The Lord loves justice and right
and fills the earth with his love. **R.**

By his word the heavens were made,
by the breath of his mouth all the stars.
He spoke: and they came to be.
He commanded; they sprang into being. **R.**

The Lord looks on those who revere him,
on those who hope in his love,
to rescue their souls from death,
to keep them alive in famine. **R.**

Our soul is waiting for the Lord.
The Lord is our help and our shield.
May your love be upon us, O Lord,
as we place all our hope in you. **R.**



Second Reading

Romans 8:14-17

You have received the Spirit that makes you God's own children, and in that Spirit we call God: Father, our Father!

Everyone moved by the Spirit is a son of God. The spirit you received is not the spirit of slaves bringing fear into your lives again; it is the spirit of sons, and it makes us cry out, 'Abba, Father!' The Spirit himself and our spirit bear united witness that we are children of God. And if we are children we are heirs as well: heirs of God and coheirs with Christ, sharing his sufferings so as to share his glory.

The word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation *cf Revelation 1:8*

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

Matthew 28:16-20

Baptise them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

The eleven disciples set out for Galilee, to the mountain where Jesus had arranged to meet them. When they saw him they fell down before him, though some hesitated. Jesus came up and spoke to them. He said, 'All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go, therefore, make disciples of all the nations; baptise them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teach them to observe all the commands I gave you. And know that I am with you always; yes, to the end of time.'

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

Next Sunday - The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

First Reading - Exodus 24:3-8

Second Reading - Hebrews 9:11-15

Gospel - Mark 14:12-16, 22-26

Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for May

The World of Finance

Let us pray that those in charge of finance will work with governments to regulate the financial sphere and protect citizens from its dangers.

