

Our Lady of Perpetual Succour

Catholic Parish Toukley/Lake Munmorah

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To be A Vibrant Eucharistic Community

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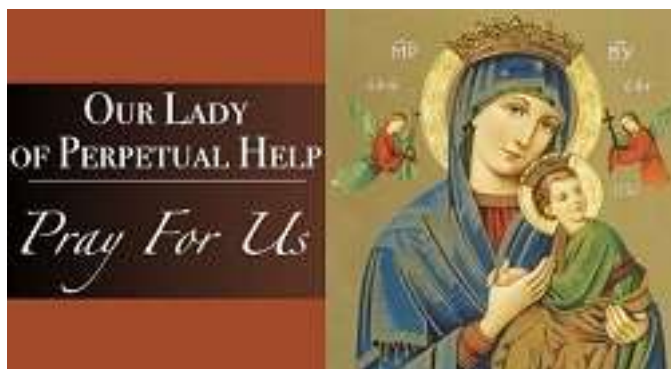
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14h Sunday Ordinary Time Year A 2020

Feast of Our Lady Of Perpetual Succour



The icon of Our Lady of Perpetual Help represents the Christian mystery of Redemption.

Our Lady of Perpetual Help is a Byzantine icon that is believed to have its origin sometime during the 13th -15th century. The image is also known as "Our Lady of Perpetual Succour."

The Archangels Michael and Gabriel, hovering in the upper corners, hold the instruments of the Passion. St. Michael (in the left corner) holds the spear, the wine-soaked sponge, and the crown of thorns. St. Gabriel (in the right corner) holds the cross and the nails.

The intent of the artist was to portray the Child Jesus contemplating the vision of His future Passion. Frightened by the vision, he runs to his mother for consolation. The anguish He feels is shown by the loss of one of His sandals as he quickly flees into the arms of his Mother.

In a very beautiful way, the Child Jesus grasps the hand of the Blessed Mother. He seeks comfort from His mother as He sees the instruments of His passion. The position of Mary's hands – both holding the Child Jesus (who seems like a small adult) and at the same time presenting Him to us – convey the reality of our Lord's incarnation, that He is true God who became also true man.

What Our Lady of Perpetual Help Means for Us?

Just as the Child Jesus fled into the arms of his Mother when he was frightened, so too do we flee into the arms of our Blessed Mother with child-like confidence whenever fear envelopes our hearts. Just as the Virgin Mother consoled and comforted her Divine Child, so too does she console and comfort us, her spiritual children, in our afflictions. We can always come to her in our time of need and receive her help.

In this iconography, Mary is represented as the one who guides us to the Redeemer. The Virgin Mother is also our Help who intercedes with her Son on our behalf. The star painted on Mary's veil, centred on her forehead, highlights her role in the plan of salvation as both the Mother of God and our Mother. (Extracted from Catholic Company.com)

Fr Baby

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's new from 1 July 2020?

Under the Public Health Order (No 4) 2020, effective from 1 July 2020 the following restrictions have been revised:

- The number of people allowed inside indoor venues (including places of worship) will be determined by the 'one person per 4 square metre' rule, with no upper limit. All activity must be seated only.
- Occupiers of the premises must develop and comply with a COVID-19 Safety Plan. A copy of the plan must be kept on the premises and made available for inspection by an authorised officer as requested.

All other restrictions including 20 guests inside the home and 20 for outside gatherings remain the same.

Parish Priests are required to allow employees to work from home if reasonably practicable in the context of the operational needs of the Parish.

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 hand. More details are available on the notice board.

Mass during restriction

Number of people allowed to attend Mass during restriction

St Marys Church - 110 people that is one person per 4 square metre.

St. Brendan's Also 110 people.

WEEKEND MASS TIMES (110 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 (110)

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



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Sacrament of Reconciliation

Sacrament of Reconciliation: We congratulate and pray for students from St.Mary and St.Brendan, and Anierah, Cohen, Shaun, Cleo & Ethan from other schools. We had more than 75 who made their First Reconciliation. The Parish community sincerely thank and appreciate the efforts of Facilitators, Catechists, Teachers ,Rev.Sisters and Sacramental Coordinator in preparing the children for Reconciliation. May God bless you all abundantly the Parish.

Parish Social Profile

Dear Parishioners, the Parish Social Profile will be published next week. This profile is based on 2016 Australian Census data. More details are available on website www.ncpr.catholic.org.au

Job Position Vacant

The Diocese of Broken Bay chancery is recruiting for the role of Facilities and WHS officer in the office of stewardship. For more details please check the diocesan website: www.bbcatholic.org.au/people/positions-vacant

Thank you from Susan

I am feeling much better now and would like to say thank you for all the prayers ,cards and messages of love and support. Paul and I very much appreciated them.

Love Susan Simmons



New Basketball Hoop

Welcome to all Who would like a friendly game of basketball.



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

Recently Deceased

We pray for Noeleen Smith, The sister of Bishop David Walker. Noeleen's funeral will take place on Tuesday 7th July at 10am at the Santa Sabina College Chapel, Strathfield

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 Valmai Joseph, Peter O'Malley, Rose and Stark Families, Valmai Joseph, Lia Newey, Leonard Smith & Doris Zerafa Valmai Joseph, & Stark family Mary Cecelia Brown & Donald & Amelia Marshall, Fr Ian Abbott, Fr Paul Fitzgerald, John Haslam, Scott Kay, William Baker & Cole Kelman, Carol Brown.

Remembrances

Brett Todd Palmer, Joseph Boyle, Jack Muller, Brown & Muller Families, Colin Sykes, John Sullivan, Scott Kay, Gilles Dedrouas, Norman Pierce, Ngt Yook Chee, Lorraine Anderson, Courtney McCool

Please Pray for the Sick

Eloise Bell, Adrian, 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 Wiggan & Vanessa Miller. Sister Carmela Debbie Gibba, Mary Powell & Miklos Beothy.

Pope Francis' Prayer

Intention for July



We pray that today's families may be accompanied with love, respect and guidance.

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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

The Community Visitors' Scheme

First Reading

Zechariah 9:9-10

See how humbly your king comes to you!

The Lord says this:

'Rejoice heart and soul, daughter of Zion!
Shout with gladness, daughter of Jerusalem!
See now, your king comes to you;
he is victorious, he is triumphant,
humble and riding on a donkey,
on a colt, the foal of a donkey.
He will banish chariots from Ephraim
and horses from Jerusalem;
the bow of war will be banished.
He will proclaim peace for the nations.
His empire shall stretch from sea to sea,

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 144:1-2, 8-11, 13-14

R. I will praise your name for ever,
my king and my God.

or

R. Alleluia!

I will give you glory, O God my King,
I will bless your name for ever.
I will bless you day after day
and praise your name for ever. **R.**

The Lord is kind and full of compassion,
slow to anger, abounding in love.
How good is the Lord to all,
compassionate to all his creatures. **R.**

All your creatures shall thank you, O Lord,
and your friends shall repeat their blessing.
They shall speak of the glory of your reign
and declare your might, O God. **R.**

The Lord is faithful in all his words
and loving in all his deeds.
The Lord supports all who fall
and raises all who are bowed down. **R.**

Second Reading

Romans 8:9, 11-13

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Romans

*If by the Spirit you put an end to the misdeeds of the body,
you will live.*

Your interests are not in the unspiritual, but in the spiritual, since the Spirit of God has made his home in you. In fact, unless you possessed the Spirit of Christ you would not belong to him, and if the Spirit of him who raised Jesus from the dead is living in you, then he who raised Jesus from the dead will give life to your own mortal bodies through his Spirit living in you.

So then, my brothers, there is no necessity for us to obey our unspiritual selves or to live unspiritual lives. If you do live in that way, you are doomed to die; but if by the Spirit

you put an end to the misdeeds of the body you will live.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation

Matthew 11:25

Alleluia, alleluia!

Blessed are you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth;
you have revealed to little ones the mysteries of the kingdom.

Alleluia!

Gospel

Matthew 11:25-30

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew
I am gentle and humble of heart.

Jesus exclaimed, 'I bless you, Father, Lord of heaven and of earth, for hiding these things from the learned and the clever and revealing them to mere children. Yes, Father, for that is what it pleased you to do. Everything has been entrusted to me by my Father; and no one knows the Son except the Father, just as no one knows the Father except the Son and those to whom the Son chooses to reveal him.

'Come to me, all you who labour and are overburdened, and I will give you rest. Shoulder my yoke and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. Yes, my yoke is easy and my burden light.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Next Sunday Fifteenth Sunday Ordinary Time

First Reading Isaiah 55:10-11

Second Reading Romans 8:18-23

Gospel Matthew 13:1-23



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