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### Prayer to St Michael

St Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle; be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the devil.



May God rebuke him we humbly pray; and you, O Prince of the Heavenly Hosts, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls.



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# OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA TERRIGAL

We love one another so that all may have a sense of belonging; desire a relationship with God; and want to share the Good News with others.

# 15 June 2025



### The Most Holy Trinity Year C

Entrance Antiphon:	Blest be God the Father, and the Only Begotten Son of God, and also the Holy Spirit, for he has shown us his merciful love.			
1st Reading:	Proverbs 8:22-31			
Psalm:	O Lord, our God, how wonderful your name in all the earth!			
2nd Reading:	Romans 5: 1-5			
Gospel Acclamation:	Alleluia, alleluia! Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: to God who is, who was, and who is come. Alleluia!			
Gospel:	John 16: 12-15			
<b>Communion Antiphon</b> : Since you are children of God, God has sent into your hearts the Spirit of his Son, the Spirit who cries out: Abba, Father.				
Next Week's Readings: The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)				
1st Reading:	Genesis 14: 18-20			
Psalm:	You are a priest forever, in the line of Melchizedek.			
2nd Reading:	Corinthians 11: 23-26			
Gospel:	Luke 9: 11-17			
WEEKDAY SERVICES				
Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday	June 17 7.30am Communion Service 18 7.30am Mass 19 7.30am Mass & 5.30pm Mass 20 9.00am Mass 21 9.00am Mass			
WEEKEND MASSES - NEXT WEEK				
Saturday Vigil: Sunday:	21 5.00pm Mass 22 7.30am & 9.30am Mass			

Our website: www.bbcatholic.org.au/terrigal

Amen

Welcome to all our vísitors! May you feel at home in our Parish.

### **PARISH INFORMATION:**

### **Baptisms:**

Sunday Mornings at 11.30am by appointment. Enquiries to our Parish Office to enroll.

### Annointing of the Sick:

With 9am Mass on the last Friday of the month. Please ring the Parish Office if you have a loved one who is ill or dying.

### **Reconciliation:**

Before and after Saturday 9am Mass (8.30 -10am) or phone the Parish Office for an appointment.

### Weddings and Funerals:

Enquiries to the Parish Office.



### **Donations to the Parish**

Donations can be made by: - putting **cash** in the collection bag at Mass; or - using the **Tap'n'Go** machines at the door of the church; or giving **directly** to our parish bank account:

### Terrigal Parish BSB: 062 784 Acc: 100001660 or

- using planned giving **envelopes**, available at the back of the church; or

- regular (monthly) **credit card** donations, as arranged through the Parish Office.

### St Michael Prayer Group Mass



# Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> June at 5.30pm

All are welcome to attend and join with us for Mass and Adoration,

with St Michael prayers.

Fr Anthony Casamento will be with us on this evening. Fr Anthony is the new Regional Superior of Australia and Papua New Guinea. Fr Anthony looks forward to introducing himself in this new role, and updating us to what is happening in the Missions. Please welcome him.

A light supper to follow.

## Baptisms

This weekend we welcome Hazel Peres, Phoebe & Paige Webber and Harrison MacLucas.



Congratulations and God's blessing to each of you and your families.

## **Bible Study and Discussion**

Where: In the Mercy Chapel, on the right-hand side of the church.

### When: Every Thursday.

Times: **1pm to 2pm** We begin our study of The Gospel of St John

**6pm to 7pm** We continue with our study on the Book of Revelation.

### All Welcome.

Bring your Bible with you.

For more information: Call Elias 0459 220 208



## **Grandparents Group**

Families are the cradle of the future of humanity, Pope Leo XIV said during a Mass for the Jubilee of Families, Children, Grandparents and the Elderly. Speaking to grandparents and elderly people, he asked that they watch over your loved ones with wisdom and compassion, and with the humility and patience that come with age.

Our Grandparents Group held its first meeting last week with 10 grandparents attending, representing 58 grandchildren and 4 great-grandchildren.

Our next meeting as at 6pm in the Parish Office on **Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> June.** 

All welcome.



#### POPE LEO XIV'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR JUNE

THAT THE WORLD MIGHT GROW IN COMPASSION

Let us pray that each one of us might find consolation in a personal relationship with Jesus, and from his Heart, learn to have compassion on the world.

## Live Streaming Parish Mass

We record the Mass each Friday. To have a look go to the parish website, click on this link: <u>Live Streamed Mass</u> or use the QR code:



### **Scripture Reflection Hour**

You are invited to enjoy an hour of peace to reflect on the following Sunday's Gospel reading. We meet at 10.30am to 11.30am **Thursday** in the Parish Rooms.

You are welcome to attend whenever you can. Bibles provided. If you are interested and would like to know more call Robyn Wild

on 0410 454 650.



## **Name Badges**

We have a group of Name Tags ready to pick up. Name tags can still be ordered at a subsidized price of **\$10** (normally \$17).

It is good to see more and more wearing them. You can choose from safety pin style or magnetic back.

Place order at the Parish Office or the Piety Stall.

### **Baptismal Preparation**

The next Baptismal Preparation will be held in the Church on Tuesday night the 24<sup>th</sup> June starting at 6pm.

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## Anointing of the Sick

This Sacrament is celebrated during the 9am Mass on the last Friday of the month.

The anointing is for all those who are sick or preparing for surgery will be celebrated at Mass on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> June 2025.



### Catholic Women's League



16<sup>th</sup> June Coffee morning from 10.30am at Breaker's Country Club 23<sup>rd</sup> June Branch Meeting 10.15am for 10.30am start.

New members always welcome. Enquiries: Colleen Addison 0425368431

## **Our Parish Italian Night**

Our famous annual Italian Night with entertainment from award winning tenor Graeme Wright and home cooked Italian food.



The event will be held this year on the **12<sup>th</sup> July at 6pm.** 

Tickets are **\$30** per person. Please start to get your group together and book a table or join a table. Please pay when booking to secure your seat. We also need the usual help to make this evening a success by offering to cook a dish or 2 on the Italian Menu. Also we will need help in the set up and sponsoring of prizes for the raffle & on the night. Enquries to Janette at the Parish Office.

### Combined Programme: Reconciliation and First Holy Communion 2025

Enrolment for Year 4 and over in the Parish Office Monday 30<sup>th</sup> June (during office hours) or after weekend Masses Saturday 5 July & Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> July

Please bring your completed enrolment form available from the Parish website), and a copy of your child's baptism certificate (if not baptised at Terrigal), plus \$40.00 to cover the cost of the activity books, certificates etc.

## **Reconcilation Programme**

Reconciliation Input for Parents Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> July at 7pm Parent/Child Support Class Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> August at 3.30pm Presentation 5pm 2<sup>nd</sup> August and all Sunday Masses 3<sup>rd</sup> August First Reconciliation Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup>,

Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup>, Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> August pointment



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## **First Holy Communion Programme**

**Communion Input for Parents** Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> August at 7pm

Parent/Child Support Class Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> August at 3.30pm

**Presentation** 5pm 30<sup>th</sup> August or any of the Sunday Masses 31<sup>st</sup> August Masses **First Holy Communion** Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> September 5pm Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> September 7.30am & 9.30am

or Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> September 5pm Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> September 7.30am & 9.30am

Enquiries about any of the above to Janette



# Bookclub

Universalism (the idea that all people, everywhere and throughout all time, are saved through Jesus Christ) has a long history. It is not surprising really, given the idea that an eternal hell is a



fairly sobering thought, and many throughout the ages have argued one way or the other. In recent years, the response to Bishop Barron expressing a "hope" that universalism might be true suggests that the idea of universalism has not gone away. Our book club at 4pm on June 27th will be discussing a book by David Bentley Hart **That All Shall be Saved** which is part of this long history of debate. Join us if this might interest you.

In July we will be reading Brant Pitre's book Jesus and the Jewish Roots of the Eucharist.

In August we will read Shusaku Endo's 1993 novel **Deep River** about four Japanese tourists on a pilgrimage to the Ganges in India in search of spiritual discoveries. Many may be more familiar with his book "Silence" which has been made into a film by Martin Scorsese.

gazboantonius@gmail.com

# **OLSOS Craft Group**

Next meeting 25<sup>th</sup> June. Enquiries to Cath on 0432 982 622



Come join a small friendly group of lovely ladies. Dates are on noticeboard

# Men's Bushwalking Group

Our next walk is on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> June. Any gentleman interested in participating in any of our walks, please contact Stim Robinson on 0401 058 329 or <u>stimrobinson@hotmail.com</u> to get further details including where to meet for the walk. Our walks usually take an hour or so and then we head off for lunch nearby.

## High Tea Thank You

To all the chefs, Wanita, Robyn, Janette, Melissa, Maria C, Maria S and Garry- Thank you for your generosity. Not only did they cook but they donated the ingredients. Thank you for the support of our Raffle and to the *royal guests* who made the effort to be there. We also raised \$1200 to support our parish. The first item to be purchased were 30 wooden hand held crosses for Fr Vince to take to the sick. Photos of the event are on the notice board. The Raffle was won by Marcia Said who was present at the High Tea.



### Pastoral Care Course

Volunteer Catholic Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion visit hospitals throughout the Diocese of Broken Bay providing comfort and care to Catholic patients. Our Diocese and NSW Health require that 40 hours of training is completed to perform this important role. The *Introduction to Pastoral Care Course* (IPCC) meets this requirement, is free and is open to those who already volunteer in hospital or aged care facilities, and to those who might be deciding if they are suited to this ministry.

The course will be offered on five consecutive Wednesdays: July 2,9,16, 23 and 30 between 9:00am and 3:00 pm at CatholicCare Central Coast Family Centre (10/10 Pioneer Avenue, Tuggerah). Morning tea and lunch will be provided.

Please speak with Fr Vince for more information about the course and how to apply, or contact Peter Brown on 0418 616 602.

### Australian Catholic Youth Festival – Diocese of Broken Bay Pilgrimage Sat 29<sup>th</sup> Nov – Wed 3<sup>rd</sup> Dec

Calling all young people in Broken Bay to join us in Melbourne, along with young Catholics from across Australia for a renewed, personal encounter with Jesus, at the 2025 Australian Catholic Youth Festival (ACYF).

Flights, accommodation and registration \$1,630 per person. Limited opportunity for \$500 subsidy. To register your interest, <u>click here.</u>

### Pope's Prayer Intention Pope Leo XIV: From the heart of Jesus, let us learn to have compassion on the world

During the month of June, traditionally dedicated to devotion to the Heart of Jesus, the Pope invites us to pray "that each one of us might find consolation in a personal relationship with Jesus, and from his Heart, learn to have compassion on the world."

This is the **first time we hear Pope Leo XVI's voice on <u>The Pope Video</u> to ask the faithful to pray for his intentions. This month, he asks us to pray "that each one of us might find consolation in a personal relationship with Jesus, and from his Heart, learn to have compassion on the world."** 

# **World Elder Abuse Day (WEAAD)** is on June 15<sup>th</sup>. It is a time to honour the

is on June 15<sup>th</sup>. It is a time to honour the important contributions of older adults and bring attention to the often-overlooked issue of elder abuse. This abuse can take many forms, including physical violence, emotional neglect, financial manipulation, and social isolation. As a community, we have a shared responsibility to protect the dignity and wellbeing of every person, especially those most vulnerable. We are called to be aware, compassionate, and active in ensuring that older adults are treated with the respect and care they deserve.

### Hope on the Horizon

Divine Renovation and Alpha are hosting a moment to celebrate the parishes, leaders, and communities boldly stepping into renewal. At this global event, Cardinal Pablo Virgilio "Ambo" Siongco David (Philippines) and Bishop Michael Gielen (New Zealand) will share how evangelization and mission-focused leadership are transforming parishes today. You'll hear powerful testimonies from priests, lay leaders, and young adults who have seen their parishes come alive. And through worship and prayer led by Matt Maher, we'll refocus our hearts on Christ, the source of all renewal.

Time: 10am online Date: Thursday 3 July Register: <u>Divine Renovation</u>

## Journeymen – A Spiritual Adventure – A Men's Only Weekend.

Friday 18<sup>th</sup> 2025 – Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2025

In a society that often emphasises competition, winning & success, this retreat (not silent), offers a chance to break free from these constraints. It will guide us in exploring & embracing the diverse aspects of life, fostering a unique sense of male spirituality & freedom. To embrace our own journey with Christ, turning our struggles into growth.

Come along & be led by Fr Chris McPhee, msc – a former PP, Novice Master, Provincial Superior & General Councillor for the Missionaries of the Sacred Heart.

Cost \$550.00 incl. GST. Bring your journal & walking shoes.

Mary MacKillop Spirituality Centre, 8 Humphreys Rd, Kincumber South.

Phone 4368 2805

# Breaking open the Final Document of the Synod of Bishops

The School for Synodality is hosting an 'Online Book Club', offering everyone the opportunity to reflect more deeply on the Final Synod Document. Each week, a different section of the document is unpacked, exploring its theological and practical implications, with time for questions and discussion.

To join live, register to receive the YouTube webinar links. **REGISTER HERE** All sessions will also be available on YouTube and via podcast afterwards.

# Do you have a problem you can't solve on your own?

When feelings become overwhelming or confusing, counselling can be very helpful. Common issues addressed in Counselling include family transitions, communication issues, work/life balance, conflict, parenting after separation, grief and loss and decision making.

**CatholicCare** offers Government funded, fee for service and NDIS approved therapy options for yourself, your children and as a family unit. Call 1800 324 924 or visit

www.catholiccaredbb.org.au.

### **PNG Mission Opportunities**

Costandi Bastoli and his brother Elias (from our parish) have been invited to give two missions in PNG. The new dates will now be the last week of August and first week of September. The first is with the Catholic Charismatic Renewal in Mount Hagen Diocese and the second with the Disciples of Jesus Charismatic Community at Port Moresby. Can you assist as a:

Team Partner to join the team and go to PNG. Prayer Partner to pray before, during and after. Financial partner to support the mission financially, especially assisting those who are on team but cannot fund themselves. Please contact Elias for more information.Mobile: 0459220408. Email: eliasbastoli1@gmail.com

**Donations** can be sent directly to: DOJCC Blue Mountains Commonwealth Bank BSB 062 061 Account No. 1003 5264 (Please reference your donation PNG 2025)

### Easter Water

The Easter Water (sometimes called holy or consecrated water) is no longer available. Holy water is always available from the white ceramic container near the baptismal font.

## Jubilee Year 2025

### Website



A dedicated Jubilee site

bbjubilee.com.au within the diocesan website contains a myriad of resources, Calendar of Diocesan celebrations, detailed information for parishes and resources from the Holy See.

### **Clergy Conference**

The week with the clergy of the diocese went well. The main theme was parish renewal as a source and sign of Hope, with presentations on renewal of our priesthood and our parishes, especially focusing on the mission of the parish. Other topics included some statistics, fundraising, diocesan administration and marriage laws.

### **Bishop's Letter**

Bishop Anthony has written a letter to the clergy and people of Broken Bay in preparation for "Corpus Christi" next weekend. A copy was emailed with the bulletin and some copies are available at the door of the church.



# What is spiritual direction?

In spiritual direction you reflect deeply on the experiences of your daily life, your loves, hurts, dreams, joys and fears.

Gradually, as you contemplate, you may begin to discover how God's spirit is moving in your life and that God has been waiting for you to see this closer relationship.

Spiritual direction is really not about being directed, nor is it therapy, or counselling. Rather, it is very much about being encouraged to draw closer to God whether that be in your prayer life, relationships, in nature, or in the events of your life. The privilege and responsibility of a spiritual director is to journey with you, in one-on-one conversations, as you deepen your relationship with God. What is shared is held in confidence.

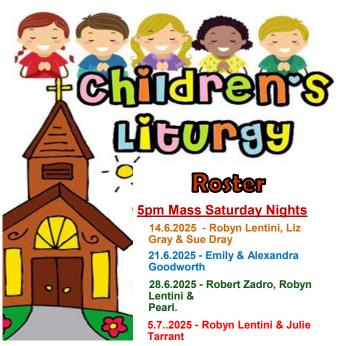
A meeting time is agreed upon, usually once a month, for an hour.

If you are interested in participating in spiritual direction please call Robyn Wild on 0410 454 650

#### MARY MAC'S WOY WOY Terrigal Parish proud to support



Thanking you once again for showing your love by donating groceries at the parish office door, which is then collected by Mary Mac's volunteers. Poppers, mini water bottles, snacks, tin food, always welcome.



Visitors welcome.

In this Holy Jubilee Year, our hope is to connect to the mission of Jesus Christ each day. Please support our upcoming Pastoral Works May 2025 Appeal



Your gift to MAY 2025 APPEAL is taxdeductible. Donate via QR Code or at www.bbcatholic.org.au/pastoralworks

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# PWBB

Thank you to all who contributed last weekend. We still have collection envelopes in the pews or at the back of the church if you wish to contribute.. We need to raise \$14,000 this month to support **Hospital Chaplaincy** at Gosford and **Catechists** in the schools in our parish.

**Envelopes** can be placed on either collection or given to the parish office.

All donations are **100% tax deductable**. Some parishioners **contribute to PWBB each month**. Please contact the parish office if you would like to begin.

You can also make your contribution here: <u>www.bbcatholic.org.au/pastoralworks</u>

Please mention you are from Terrigal Parish.

### **ROSTERS FOR SERVERS & EM**

### Saturday - 5.00pm

14/06/2025 Server L George 21/6/2025 Server P Proust 28/6/2025 Server J Tarrant 5/7/2025 Server V & F Duverge (EM) R Zadro

#### Sunday - 7.30am

15/6/2025 Server M Slattery 22/6/2025 Server E Bastoli 29/6/2025 Server P Clayton Server M Slattery 6/7/2025

#### Sunday - 9.30am

(EM) E Katselas (EM) J Sheehan (EM) B Brown (EM) E Katselas

(EM) V & F Duverge

(EM) G Catanzariti & J Costello

(EM) L O'Donnell & M Perry

15/6/2025 Server P Maniskas 22/6/2025 Server J Tarrant 29/6/2025 Server P Quinn 8/6/2025 Server B Lobo

(EM) C Addison & K Curtis (EM) R Lentini & J Merrotsy (EM) M Sproats & R Ayres (EM) A Bone & K Curtis

(2) Maureen Reynolds

(2) Jeanette Rogers

(2) Goodworths

(2) Lynches

(2) Ivy Holly

(2) Robyn Wild

(2) Anne Strong

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**EM** = Eucharistic Minister or correctly Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion

If you wish to be involved in this ministry please contact the Parish Office.

### **ROSTERS FOR READERS OF THE** WORD

### Saturday - 5.00pm

14/6/2025	(1) Dudley Smtih
21/6/2025	(1) McCuddens
28/6/2025	(1) Dawn Smith
5/72025	(1)

### Sunday - 7.30am

15/6/2025 (1) Bety Brown 22/6/2025 (1) Ron McCarthy 29/6/2025 (1) Justine Hayes 6/7/2025 (1) Chris Hartcher

### Sunday - 9.30am

22/6/2025	(1) Anne Mackson (1) Janette Merrotsy	(2) Susan De Brincatt-Moffatt (2) Vic Wilmot	
	<ul><li>(1) Gramham Sproats</li><li>(1) Curtis Stephenson</li></ul>	(2) Jane Watts (2) Janette Merrotsy	

## Weekly Cleaning Angels Roster



16<sup>th</sup> June 2025 Matt Riley, Felicity Riley & Heidi Bridger

23<sup>rd</sup> June 2025 Mary Bryant, Evelyn Lazzaroni & Kerry Oliver

### Bus to Mass

### The Parish bus collects parishioners for 9.30am Mass.



If you would like to be picked up, please contact Stephen Coyle via the Parish Office.

Thank you to the people who volunteered to drive the Parish bus.

### Prayer Requests

## **Recently Deceased**

Paul Brincat **Christine Dormer** Carol Holmlund Tricia Hudson Tresa Mary (sister of Fr Vincent Lourduswamy) Angela Whalan

### Anníversaríes & Remembrance

Jose Luis Vieira Camara Brian Neven Mario Favetta Selina Orton Christine Dornauer Edward Bevrycht Ellen Dodds Ray Cooper

Group 6

Group 7

Group 8

Group 1

Todd Jackson Lauren Cross Florencia Acosta Alan Walker Jim Donohue Josefina Merrera Juliusz & Maria Ostrwski John Lentini Robbie Lamont Damian & Christopher Wright

## Síck

Irene Buckley (Fr Paul Finucane's mother) Debbie Bell Joan Kearnev Pamela Patterson **Bob Harris** Kate Terry Sue Warren-Smith Patricia Cooper Margaret Lee

Maureen Smith Lucy Favetta Pia Favetta Mary Smith Victor Rupertich

# MORNING TEA ROSTER

### Please stay and join us After 9.30am Mass



- Group 2 Robyn Lentini, Ina Kite, Scott Dunn, Robyn & Vic Wilmot - 13.7.2025 Group 3 Barbara Clarke, Sue O'Connor & Eileen Dodds - 20.7.2025
- Anne Strong, Eileen Dodds, Mary Portelli Group 4 & Mary Jones - 27.7.2025
- Group 5 Margaret Brown & Robyn Ayers, Juliet Mathew & Kate Curtis - 3.8.2025

Everyone is welcome, but we also invite you to bring along something to share together to eat. It may be a packet of biscuits, but more interesting is something to share that you have cooked.

### Catholic Evangelisation Leaders Gathering

An invitation is extended to all who work and serve in evangelisation to gather for Mass, lunch and shared conversation and facilitation on topics such as evangelisation inputs, workshops, fellowship, wisdom walks and building a new vision. Wednesday 9 July, commencing with Mass at 12.30pm in the Caroline Chisholm Centre followed by lunch and gathering. To register, please click <u>flyer.</u>

