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MASSES: Weekend Masses: Saturday Vigil: 5.00pm Sunday: 7am, 8.30am, 10am

Weekday Masses: 7.30am

Monday to Friday: 7.30am 1st Friday 12 Noon Saturday: 9am Public Holiday: 9.00am

Reconciliation: Saturday: 8.15am - 8.45am

Prior to weekday Mass.

Anointing of the Sick: First Friday of the month: 12 Noon Mass

Exposition: First Friday 10.45am Holy Hour

Normal Friday's after Morning Mass (Holy Hour)

Baptisms: Contact Parish Office or Fr Jacek . Saturday Mornings **Baptism Preparation Evening:** 1st Friday of the Month at 6.30pm.

Ring the Parish Office for bookings or enquiries.



OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA TERRIGAL

" May we Love one Another, so that all experience a Sense of Belonging "

22 SEPTEMBER 2019 TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR C

Entrance Antiphon:

I am the salvation of the people, says the Lord. Should they cry to me in any distress, I will hear them, and I will be their Lord for ever.



(Rosary at 7.00am)

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St Vincent de Paul

Adoration following

7.30am Mass

"Whoever can be trusted with very little can also be trusted with much "

	TOD	TODAY		NEXT SUNDAY		
1st Reading:	Amos 8:4-7	Amos 8:4-7		Amos 6:1,4-7		
Psalm:	Prai	Praise the Lord, who lifts up the poor.				
2nd Reading:	Timothy 2:1-8	Timothy 2:1-8		Timothy 6:11-16		
Gospel Acclamation:		Alleluia, alleluia! Jesus Christ was rich but he became poor, to make you rich out of his poverty. Alleluia!				
Gospel:	Luke 16:1-13	Luke 16:1-13		Luke 16:19-31		
Sunday 22 September	Monday 23 September	day 23 September Tuesday 24 Sep		r Wednesday 25 September		
Masses: 7.00am, 8.30am & 10.00am TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME SING FOR BIBLES 2PM KINCUMBER Anglican Church	Holy Communion Service (Rosary at 7.00am) St Pius of Pietrelcina	Mass: 7.30am (Rosary at 7.00am) 8.45am Legion of Mary 10am Gathering Group 7.15pm St Vincent de Paul Meeting 6-7pm Fair by the Sea Meeting 7pm - Parish Council Meeting		Mass: 7.30am (Rosary at 7.00am)		
Thursday 26 September	Friday 27 September	Saturday 28September		Sunday 29 September		
Mass: 7.30am	Mass: 7.30am	Mass: 9.0	0am	Masses: 7.00am,		

(Rosary at 8.30am)

Vigil Mass 5.00pm

8.30am & 10.00am

TWENTY- SIXTH

SUNDAY IN

ORDINARY TIME

A message from Fr Sacek

Dear parishioners and visitors, welcome to our beautiful Parish on this the 25th Sunday in ordinary time.

There has been a lot of activity around the school and parish with the school concert. Well done to Jenny Morris and the teachers for spreading musical joy through the children.

The fund raiser for Mary Mac's last weekend was a wonderful success raising at last count \$2450, thank you for your support.

Blessings on the week ahead.

PARISH SAFEGUARDING TRAINING

BRISBANE WATER AND TUGGERAH LAKES DEANERY'S (The Parishes of: Kincumber, Woy Woy, Gosford, Terrigal, Wyoming and The Entrance, Toukley-Lake Munmorah, Warnervale, Wyong) • Saturday 19 October 2019, 10.00am to 12 noon at Our Lady of the Rosary, 241 The Entrance Road, The Entrance

• Wednesday 23 October 2019, 11.00am to 1.00pm at Our Lady of the Rosary, 241 The Entrance Road, The Entrance

Plenary Council 2020. The parish is now asked to enter a new phase of preparation for the plenary Council to be held in 2020 in Adelaide. 222,000 submissions were received and the main points need to be discussed and determined at a parish level. A program for further involvement of the parish is to be presented and discussed by the parish council this month. Again everyone is asked to pray that the Holy Spirit will guide the Catholic Church in Australia through its present difficulties into a brighter future.

Well done good and faithful servant... Therese Engel died on the 9th September after suffering a fall and then a short illness in Hospital. Therese's funeral will be Monday 30th September at 11am. The Rosary will be recited prior at 10.30am. There will be a wake in the Parish Hall.

FOR YOUR DIARY



20 OCTOBER 2019

RAFFLE TICKETS ARE IN THE PEWS TO SELL Collection of Bric a brac & books from the 28 September. If you can assist with making items for the craft stall, or if you want to work on a stall Please contact the parish office.

Abortion Legislation update.

Debate in Parliament about the abortion bill continues unresolved. What the Premier, Gladys Berijiklian, hoped would be a quick fix has turned into a quagmire. A small group of MPs committed to the Christian teaching that all life is sacred and must be respected have frustrated those who wish to bring about abortion on demand in NSW. Our own local MLC, Taylor Martin, has been able to have them very name of the bill changed from Reproductive Health, which it never was, to the true title, Abortion Legislation.

In the lower house two individuals standout who are prepared to sacrifice their own political careers to protect the unborn, Tanya Davies and Kevin Connolly. Tanya is a former Minister for Women who left the cabinet to raise her growing family. She is not a Catholic but worships God in a Pentecostal church.

The two of them have made it clear that they will continue to fight for the rights of unborn children no matter how unpopular this makes them with the Premier and some of their other colleagues. They have won the battle to ensure that babies born despite a botched abortion are to receive medical care and not simply be left to die while health professionals stand and watch.

They are now fighting their next battle to outlaw sex selection where the unborn child is killed because it is the wrong sex, usually female. We pray for them in their battle and commend them for their courage.

HEALING RETREAT & HEALING MASSES Celebrant: Rev Fr "JOEY" AYALA FALLER He is fully aware of God's presence in him; With the powerful Gift of Healing and being used as an instrument of God's love. HEALING RETREAT : Date : 12 October (Saturday) Time : 9.30 am -5.30 pm Venue : St Joseph's Parish Hall Walz st, Rockdale NSW (ENTRANCE VIA PARKER ST.) MORNING TEA, LUNCH, AFTERNOON TEA IS SERVED, BOOKING ESSENTIAL, REGISTRATION \$30.

HEALING MASS : Celebrant : Rev Fr " JOEY" AYALA FALLER Date: 13 October (Sunday) Time : 2.30 pm Venue: St Joseph's Church Walz St, Rockdale NSW (ENTRANCE VIA PARKER ST.)

ENQUIRIES: Ida : 0424 267 500 or Helen : 0433 455 114 E: <u>jlowcommunity@gmail.com</u> W: <u>www.jlowcom.org</u>

Laudato Si' PRAISE BE TO YOU (Published 2015) On Care for our Common Home

Paragraph 5. Pope Francis recalls the words of St John Paul II in 1979, warning that human beings frequently seem 'to see no other meaning in their natural environment than what serves for immediate use and consumption.'

R.C.I.A.

(The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) Have you ever thought "I may want to be a Catholic", or heard someone else say that? Well, the R.C.I.A. program may be for you. This program is currently running in our parish and may help you to decide if this is for you or someone you know. It is a gentle and non-threatening series of talks that use a program entitled "At Home with God's People". If you are considering Baptism or, as a baptised person of another faith, wish to know more about the Catholic faith, then this program may be for you. If you are a Catholic and have a relative or friend. who may be interested, please let them know of this program. A personal invite is very powerful.

For further details and information please contact Betty 43843756 or Janette at the parish office 43674610.

SAFEGUARDING MONTH -

To learn more about the role of the Office of the eSafety Commissioner visit www.esafety.gov.au It is committed to empowering all Australians to have safer, more positive experiences online.

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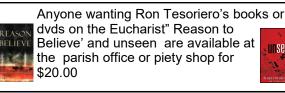
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This week Mel Jones & Alicia Handson Rebecca Lynch & Vicki Lengeek

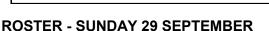


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BUS DRIVERS NEEDED FOR THE PARISH BUS



CATHOLIC WEEKLY \$2.00 Money in the poor box please

Bequest, Gift In Wills or Gifts in Memory Booklets, from the Diocese.

Following requests from Parishes to provide new and updated Gift In Wills (Bequest) booklets, we are pleased to advise that bequest booklets are now available at the back of the church.

Catholic Women's League

23rd September from 10.15sm Branch meeting in Parish Board Room.



New members always welcome. Enquiries: Ruth Robinson, M: 0414 434 856

SOCIAL JUSTICE IN OUR BACKYARD! Shout a Mate a Plate Collection in our Parish Congratulations and thank you to all who made it possible to collect \$2450 to help Mary Mac's. We will forward any extra donations next week.

A warm thank you for your prayers and support from the Nebauer Family for baby Aria, whose operation was successful. We pray for her continual health.



On the 10th October a mini bus is going to the Schoenstatt Sisters of Mary Shrine and Retreat Centre, Mulgoa (near Penrith).Departs 8am back approx 4pm. This is an invitation for all local parishes and seats will fill quickly. Mass

BYO picnic lunch, walking rosary meditation, talk by Sisters and even a sight seeing tour of Warragamba Dam.

Cost \$20 (approx.) Bookings to Sonia Zavolokin 0402473742

ALTAR SOCIETY		ROSARY STATUE	CHURCH CLEANING (Week starting 23/9)	BUS DI	BUS DRIVERS	
		This week: Mrs K Hinshelwood Next week: Mrs L Tamayo	Viv Ball, Ann Vidler, Chris Whalan, Marg Brown, Alison Bone		6.10.19 Adrian 20.10.19 Joe ivers on our roster, o if you can)	
	READERS		ALTAR SERVERS & Extra Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion		VISUAL DISPLAY	
5.00pm	Dawn Smith, Dudley Smith		D Southwell, J Sheridan, G Catanzariti, M Juniors: Lachlan Murphy Pacholek	Alex		
7.00am	S Petith, R Wild, P Clayton		M Slattery, G Justin, B Brown, E Katselas			
8.30am	A Strong, F Cohen, G Tracey		F Sammut, E Bastoli, R Lentini, A Bone, P Jelfs, Juniors: Chloe Ure, Lawrence Ure, Sophia Speers		Peter	
10.00am			B Lobo, P Maniskas, G Boersma, I Kite, J Juniors: Lizzy Adams-Maher	Choir		

