



MANLY FRESHWATER CATHOLIC PARISH

Mary Immaculate and St John the Baptist Churches

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time – 25th June 2023



**THE FEAST OF
ST JOHN THE BAPTIST**
will be celebrated this
Sunday 25th June at 9am Mass
followed by morning tea.

Everyone is welcome!

Gospel Reflection

In Matthew's missionary discourse, Jesus instills in his disciples of the need for courage and discernment in their preaching of the Gospel. The disciple who faithfully proclaims his Gospel can expect to be denounced, ridiculed and abused; but Jesus assures his followers that they have nothing to fear from those who would deprive "the body of life," for their perseverant and faithful witness to the Gospel will be exalted in the reign of God..

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IF YOU CAN'T GET TO MASS ON SUNDAY AND WANT TO RECEIVE HOLY COMMUNION? Many of you have not been able to come back to Mass on Sunday for different reasons. If you would like one of the Priest to visit you at home, please ring the parish office on 9977 5822.

Livestreaming on Facebook Sunday 8:30am
Mass [manlyfreshwaterparishfacebook/videos](https://www.facebook.com/manlyfreshwaterparish/videos)

Manly Freshwater Parish promotes SAFEGUARDING which involves the implementation of proactive, common sense and practical ideas that ensure the safety of children and vulnerable adults in our community.

We of Manly Freshwater Parish acknowledge the Kay-ee-my people, on whose ancestral lands we gather to worship today.

CHANGES TO PARISH OFFICE HOURS FOR NEXT 2 WEEKS



Jenny will be on annual leave from Monday 26th June and returns Monday 10th July. The parish office will be closed Monday 26th June and Monday 3rd July.

We welcome Paula back to open the parish office on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday for the 2 weeks. Friday's the office is closed as previously.

VINNIES WINTER APPEAL

We would like to thank everyone for their continuing support of Vinnies. Just a few facts about how your kind donation helps those in need.

Broken Bay Central Council which we belong to for the winter period between June and August 2022 provided \$232,000 worth of assistance to people experiencing disadvantage including \$90,000 worth of assistance for food. There are 10 Central Councils in NSW and combined they provided \$2,600,000 worth of assistance including \$1,371,000 in food. As you can see there is an enormous need for our help.

This year's appeal is high lighting "Older women experiencing homelessness".

At the heart of homelessness is poverty. In 2016 40% of women over 55 lived under the poverty line



Through our specialist homelessness and domestic violence services we are continuing to support these women as well as carrying on with our work helping all those in need. Please keep everyone in your prayers.

Envelopes are on the pews or you can use the Vinnies QR code. Cheers Bruce and Mick



Raising Awareness and Education with the 3-Simple Steps to Potentially Save a Life in case of a Sudden Cardiac Arrest (SCA) outside a Hospital.

The parish have been given two defibrillators which have been installed at each Church. You are invited to a demonstration on how to use the defibrillators this Sunday 25th June following the 9am Mass at Freshwater. It is easy and very educational!!!

Alcoholics Anonymous Manly

We are celebrating our 77th anniversary being the oldest continuous AA meeting in Australia and must express our deepest gratitude to Fr David, staff and Parish to enable us to continue to help the sick achieve sobriety. Making the room available each week (Wednesday evening) has saved hundreds of families on the Northern Beaches from the despair of alcoholism. We are pleased to report some who have recovered have become fellow parishioners. We welcome all those who have a desire to stop drinking.

In God We Trust.

JP - Secretary

Manly AA 7pm Wednesday

LET US PRAY FOR

25th June 2023

Recently Deceased:

Anniversary: Ellen Turley; Desmond Cahill

Prayers for the sick in our parish: "Lord, grant them and their carers strength and courage" Margaret Burridge; Stephen Robertson; Maureen Williams; Gerry Wybrandt; Amy Farrow; Patricia Duffy; Florencia Lira; Ken Waller; Mary Helen Fogarty; Belinda Nicholls; Jacqui Dawson; Gerry Ring; Zachaeus Ratnam; Pat Smith; John Connors; Don Hews; Joan Jacobs; Sheila Lee; Donnacha Donnelly; Paul Donnelly; Julie & Rodney Wallis; Lyn Hillard; Ian Flynn; Jake Usher; Wayne Smedley; Shirley Ford; Apolinar Anasarias; Kay Flenady; Annette Frances O'Leary

Dates to remember...

- **St Paul's College Feast Day Mass**
Thurs 29th June 9:15am
- **Cenacle of Our Lady** Manly Tues 9:45am
- **Lectio Divina** Tues 7:30pm and Wed 10am
- **Eucharistic Adoration in Manly** Wed 6pm – 7:30pm



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION IN MANLY ON WEDNESDAYS

Quiet Prayer & Adoration
6:00pm – 7pm

Scripture Reflection on the Eucharist & Benediction 7pm – 7:30pm

Divine Mercy Chaplet will be said starting at 6pm



SUPPORT OUR PARISH & PRIESTS FINANCIALLY by using one of the following...

1. **Planned Giving:** through a monthly direct debit or credit card. Please contact the parish office for more information 9977 5822.
2. **Collection plates during Mass**
3. **Tap and Go machines** using your credit/debit card or **EFTPOS Terminals.**
4. **Scan to Donate** using the QR code to access our BPoint Donation page.
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PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES for the new financial year.

are available for collection at both Churches. Please consider creating a monthly automatic debit by contacting the Parish Office on 9977 5822.

As we are slowly becoming a cashless society, we would like to remind you that we have Tap N Go facilities available at Manly and Freshwater.

Thank you for your generosity.

PARISH WEEKLY EVENTS

- Bible Study via Zoom: 2nd & 4th Tuesday at 7pm
- Cenacle of Our Lady: Tues 9:45am Manly Church
- Christian Meditation Group: Tues 12pm Parish Centre
- Craft Group: Tues 10:00am Parish Centre
- Eucharistic Adoration: Weds 6:00pm – 7:30pm Manly
- Lectio Divina: Tues 7.30pm & Weds 10am Parish Centre
- Piety Store: open on weekends or call the Parish Office
- Reconciliation: Manly: Sat 10am – 11am
- RCIA: Contact the Parish Office 9977 5822
- Rosary via Zoom: 1st Thurs 6pm, every other Thurs 7pm
- Rosary: Freshwater Tues – Fri 8.45am in Church.

PARISH MONTHLY EVENTS

- Anointing Mass: Manly & Freshwater 1st Friday 9:15am
- Parish Pastoral Council: contact Parish Office
- St Joseph Men's Group: 1st Thurs of the month 7pm
- St Vincent de Paul: Manly & Freshwater Conferences 2nd Mon each month 5:30pm

Bequests – Remembering your faith community in your Will!

After providing for family members in your Will, have you ever considered leaving a bequest directly to your local parish or the Diocese of Broken Bay? This is called a legacy or bequest. Over the years, many people who have felt a special connection with their local parish and church have left part of their Estate to their Parish or the Diocese of Broken Bay. Like a gift to a charity, a bequest of any amount to the Church is a way of saying "thank you" for the spiritual nurturing provided to you and your family over the years.

If you would like further information on bequests including how we can acknowledge your generosity in your lifetime, please speak with your Parish Priest or the Broken Bay Diocese Office for Communications on 8379 1664.

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During school holidays

JULY 2023 PROGRAM



Located within the grounds of St Mary's our vacation service offers a wide range of activities catering to children of differing ages and interests including fun incursions and local excursions each holiday period.

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**MORE INFO
& BOOKINGS**

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St Mary's School News...

We've had an eventful month here at St. Mary's School, filled with exciting activities and wonderful achievements.

On National Walk Safely to School Day our students had the opportunity to experience the beauty of our surroundings as they walked to school with their friends accompanied by Miss Brunskill and Miss Haeussler.

The recent Movie Night organized by our Year 5 families was a tremendous success. With the film "Minions: The Rise of Gru", delicious treats like pizza, lollies, and popcorn, and the presence of hundreds of enthusiastic students and their families. It was an awesome evening that left us with many smiles.

Four of our Year 6 leaders, accompanied by Principal Mr. McGuire, attended the 27th annual Defence of Sydney Commemorative service at North Head.



This significant event marked the 81st Anniversary of the Japanese mini-sub attack on Sydney Harbour in 1942. Our leaders represented our school with utmost respect during the commemoration.

Our Year 5 students visited Taronga Zoo Sydney. They enjoyed entertaining encounters with various animals and had the opportunity to explore the Zoo behind the scenes as part of their science unit.



Last week, we congratulated our Polding Cross Country representatives who competed at Horsley Park Equestrian Centre for the Polding Catholic Schools carnival, which includes all Catholic Schools north of Sydney Harbour up to the Queensland border. Congratulations to Tadhg (1st place), Gracie (1st place), Otto (1st place), Toren (15th place) and Toby (11th place). Your efforts were amazing, we are all very proud of you!

Our playgroup sessions have concluded for Term Two. Over the weeks, we have witnessed these pre-schoolers grow more comfortable with our school environment, forming friendships and gaining confidence. We are delighted to see them becoming increasingly school-ready. The Term 3 playgroup will commence on August 25, with a focus on mathematics.

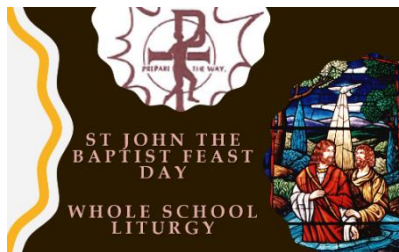
We invite all members of our community to join us for our final Family Mass for Term Two on Sunday June 25th at 6pm.

Kind regards Josie (REC)

PARISH GIVING – thank you for your generous support. We encourage you to use the tap machines at the Church entrances. If you prefer to use cash there will be **ONE** collection during Mass at the offertory at Manly and **TWO** at Freshwater.



St John's School News...



Our school is full of excitement as we prepare to celebrate our St John the Baptist Feast Day. To celebrate our wonderful school, our Feast Day

celebration this year is set to be an amazing day including a Liturgy led by Kindergarten and Year 4, a whole school walk to Freshwater Reserve, an obstacle course, sand art at Freshwater Beach, and a BBQ followed by family art activities at school. We are looking forward to our parents joining us on the day!

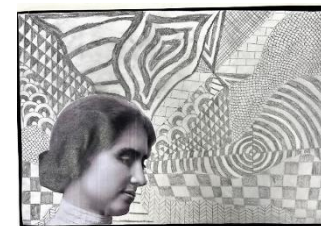


Our amazing Year 6 leaders are always busy being amazing leaders! They lead, guide and support our younger students each and every day! They love to work



with their kindergarten buddies, run assemblies, lead tours for parents and help with Play-Group on Thursdays. They also run fun activities with our local visiting Preschools.

Each of our classes participated in experiencing the Planetarium Superdome which allowed the students to travel through the universe with an awe-inspiring 4K Earth & Space science adventure. The students were able to take a trip through our Solar System and onwards to the very edge of our Galaxy while immersed in a stunning 360° movie, and then come back down to Earth to find out what's in the sky tonight. It was an amazing experience for all!



The tradition of "The Night of the Notables" at SJB is an integral part of the Year 6 program. The "Night of the Notables" will be held on Tuesday 27th June. This event is dedicated to celebrating the students'

remarkable project achievements from Term 2 while researching their chosen notable person, a person who has changed humanity for good and advocated for the marginalised, aligning with the teachings of Jesus. The students have learnt about the challenges that people face and the resilience they show to persevere and create change in the world.

St John the Baptist, Freshwater, are enrolling now for kindergarten 2024! Please follow details below!

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RESILIENCE PROJECT 2023

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Kind regards Kelli Johnson (Acting REC)

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Welcome to the NBRs Winter 2023 Newsletter

We have had a busy six months with 274 airfares paid. They have arrived from Syria, Iraq, Afghanistan, Eritrea, Ethiopia and Congo. The largest numbers were from Syria and Iraq.

The Northern Beaches Refugee Sanctuary's first family arrived in June 2003. We have now helped 8160 people from 48 different countries. It has been a wonderful 20 years filled with so many memories. We have met or talked to so many courageous people who have profoundly affected us. Stories of heartbreak and survival. I am often asked how well do people settle here? I think it is best summed up by saying a lot better than where they came from. I remember asking one lady "what is the best thing in Australia". She thought about it and then said, "not hearing gunfire at night". It makes me extremely grateful for the life I have.

We are still seeing strong demand for assistance. The cost of airfares has fallen back towards pre-covid levels. This makes flights more affordable. It also makes it easier for the families to repay the loan.

We are delighted to be assisting a lot more people from Afghanistan (75), most of whom are families of interpreters who worked with the Australian Defense Forces. They have been targeted because of their relatives working with the ADF. They have been forced to flee and most have travelled to Pakistan or India. Sadly, there isn't any safety there either. When the visas to Australia are granted, there is great relief and celebration. The sponsor in Australia will have been supporting the families. This makes it difficult to save the cost of the airfares. They may also have to pay for an exit permit. When they arrive in Australia the children will be able to get a good education. They will all have food and medical treatment. There will be challenges to overcome but their lives won't be at risk.

We recently helped one family. The son had worked with the ADF and suffered gunshot wounds. He was lucky to survive. He helped his parents and siblings escape to Afghanistan while they waited for a visa. They were not allowed to work so life was very difficult. One of the family required an operation which the sponsor paid for. He also paid for their accommodation and food. The sponsor still suffers from the injuries he sustained which has made work painful. He also has a wife and children to support. When the visa was granted, he couldn't pay for the airfare. We were able to help and the family will arrive soon. His children will meet their grandparents and uncles and aunts. They will have a chance of freedom. The girls will be able to get an education and work. They won't be constantly fearful of people trying to kill them. They are so grateful for the help, and I am so happy that we were able to help them. I am not sure if I will ever meet them as they live a long way away, but the courage and generosity of the sponsor has been an inspiration to me.

We assisted Mohamed with his parents and siblings when they were granted visas in 2015. They arrived and settled in Melbourne. Mohamed is a terrific person. He was able to help his family make a life in Australia. His wife was sad that only his family had visas and her family didn't. She missed her mother and siblings. He said "happy wife happy life". He then sponsored his wife's family. They were rejected which was difficult for them. He kept applying for his wife's mother and siblings. They were finally granted a visa and we helped again with a loan for the travel. Mohamed and his wife are so grateful they both have family here now and his children have both sides of the family to enjoy and love.

This is an email we received from one of our families that we helped. He can tell you what your donations are used for better than I can.

"Dear David,

I cannot express how grateful we are for your generous offer to help us purchase the tickets we needed. Yes, you can absolutely contact IOM and pay them \$12000 and the rest \$5000 we will manage. Your kindness and willingness to assist us have truly touched our hearts.

We understand that the amount you have contributed is significant and we are committed to repaying it back to you as soon as possible. Your support has been a tremendous help to us, and we promise to work hard to fulfill our obligations to you. Also, our family members are waiting for their Immicard which they will receive in 1 week and then the IOM will proceed to the next stage to get their exit permits from Pakistan.

Once again, thank you from the bottom of our hearts. Your assistance has made a real difference in our lives, and we will never forget your kindness."

IOM is The International Organization for migration. It assists refugees with travel arrangements.

IMMICards are the documents that refugees travel on. They are issued by the Australian Government.

They have arrived now and have already started to repay the loan.

We are looking for donations if you can help.

Donations are tax deductible and reused many times.

Our bad debts were about 0.3% of loans this year which is fantastic.

If you want to help please transfer the money to our account.

The Northern Beaches Refugee Sanctuary Ltd

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Please email me your details so that I can email you a tax receipt.

David Addington

06/06/2023

MINISTRY ROSTER – JULY 2023 – MANLY

	Ministry	Week 1 1st – 2nd July	Week 2 8th – 9th July	Week 3 15th – 16th July	Week 4 22nd – 23rd July	Week 5 29th – 30th July
		13th Sun in Ord Time	14th Sun in Ord Time	15th Sun in Ord Time	16th Sun in Ord Time	17th Sun in Ord Time
6pm Vigil Mass	Server	Kieran Wan	Louise Wareham	Louise Wareham	Louise Wareham	Louise Wareham
	Readers	Freya Zemek	Bill Tango	Rita Bruzzese	Bill Tango	Rita Bruzzese
	Music	CD'S	CD'S	CD'S	CD's	CD's
	Welcomers	John & Merle Zemek Mary Prager	John & Merle Zemek	John & Merle Zemek Mary Prager	John & Merle Zemek	John & Merle Zemek
	Piety Store	Merle Zemek	Merle Zemek	Merle Zemek	Merle Zemek	Merle Zemek
8:30am Mass	Server	Ken Thompson	Ivica Covic	Ken Thompson	Ivica Covic	Ken Thompson
	Readers	Jan Van Den Broek	Patty Thomas	Patty Thomas	Jan Van Den Broek	Patty Thomas
	Music	Parish Choir	Parish Choir	Parish Choir	Parish Choir	Parish Choir
	AV Screens	Robert Marshall	Robert Marshall	Robert Marshall	Robert Marshall	Robert Marshall
	Piety Store	Jan Dorsen	Jan Dorsen	Jan Dorsen	Jan Dorsen	Jan Dorsen
10:30am Mass	Server	Louise Wareham	Louise Wareham Teresa Hearn	TBC Bernie Lawler	Louise Wareham	Louise Wareham Bernie Lawler
	Readers	Katalina Taefotu Ron Gravolin	Rita Bruzzese Janie Fonua	Carmel Lawler Katalina Taefotu	Rita Bruzzese Janie Fonua	Carmel Lawler Janie Fonua
	Music	Tongan Choir	Gina Marshall Bianca Zatz	Tongan Choir	Gina Marshall Bianca Zatz	Gina Marshall
	AV Screens	Tongan Choir	Robert Marshall	Tongan Choir	Robert Marshall	Robert Marshall
	Welcomers	Paul & Nicola Pervan Anne Gaughan	Paul & Nicola Pervan Anne Gaughan	Paul Pervan Anne Gaughan	Paul & Nicola Pervan Anne Gaughan	Paul & Nicola Pervan Anne Gaughan
	Morning Tea			Tongan Community		
	Piety Store	Kim McGrath	Jenny Tucker	Kim McGrath	Jenny Tucker	Kim McGrath
6pm Mass	Server	Richard Heasman	Kieran & Gabriele Wan	Ivica Covic Richard Heasman	Kieran & Gabriele Wan	Ivica Covic
	Readers	Dean Gale	Sandie Cornish	Youth Group	Assistance Required	Sandie Cornish
	Music	Simon Hyland	Josh Willard	Simon Hyland	TBC	Josh Willard
	Piety Store	Assistance Required	Assistance Required	Assistance Required	Assistance Required	Assistance Required

MINISTRY ROSTER – JULY 2023 – FRESHWATER

	Ministry	Week 1 1st – 2nd July	Week 2 8th – 9th July	Week 3 15th – 16th July	Week 4 22nd – 23rd July	Week 5 29th – 30th July
		13th Sun in Ord Time	14th Sun in Ord Time	15th Sun in Ord Time	16th Sun in Ord Time	17th Sun in Ord Time
5pm Vigil	Server	Mick O'Farrell	Ian Press	Mick O'Farrell	Lou Maruca	TBC
	Readers	Amanda Whitfield	Amanda Whitfield	Amanda Whitfield	Jessica & Joseph Press	Amanda Whitfield
	Music	CD's	CD's	CD's	CD's	CD's
	Welcomers	Shirley Abbott	Shirley Abbott	Shirley Abbott	Shirley Abbott	Shirley Abbott
	Server	Lou Maruca	Joanne Druery	Francis Raymond	Amorina Wright	TBC
9am Mass	Readers	Patricia Brown Luke Campbell	Vincent Bokanovic Luka Bokanovic	Toni Walsh Pam Brown	Josh Wright Jasmine Wright	Toni Walsh
	Music	Pat Brown	Pat Brown	Pat Brown	Pat Brown	Pat Brown
	Welcomers	Sally Moffatt	Sally Moffatt	Sally Moffatt	Sally Moffatt	Sally Moffatt
	Altar Society	Patricia & Solo Brown	Isabella & Phillip d'Souza	Maria Harkness	Jacqui Good Mary Arcus	Patricia & Solo Brown
	Morning Teas	Andy & Beck Thiss	Tim Markwart	Angelica & Michael Rosatto	Wright family	Francis Raymond

If you would like to take part in one of these ministries, please contact the parish office 9977 5822

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time – Year A

Note: Readings for the Manly Family Mass will be taken from the Children's Lectionary

First Reading *Jeremiah 20:10-13 (JB)*

A reading from the prophet Jeremiah

He has delivered the soul of the needy from the hands of those who are evil.

Jeremiah said: I hear so many disparaging me, "Terror from every side!" Denounce him! Let us denounce him! All those who used to be my friends watched for my downfall, 'Perhaps he will be seduced into error. Then we will master him and take our revenge!' But the Lord is at my side, a mighty hero; my opponents will stumble, mastered, confounded by their failure; everlasting, unforgettable disgrace will be theirs. But you, Lord of Hosts, you who probe with justice, who scrutinise the loins and heart, let me see the vengeance you will take on them, for I have committed my cause to you. Sing to the Lord, praise the Lord, for he has delivered the soul of the needy from the hands of evil men.

The word of the Lord. **All: Thanks be to God.**

Responsorial Psalm *Ps 68:8-10, 14, 17, 33-35 (JB)*

R. Lord, in your great love, answer me.

It is for you that I suffer taunts, that shame covers my face, that I have become a stranger to my brothers, an alien to my own mother's sons. I burn with zeal for your house and taunts against you fall on me. R.

This is my prayer to you, my prayer for your favour. In your great love, answer me, O God, with your help that never fails: Lord, answer, for your love is kind; in your compassion, turn towards me. R.

The poor when they see it will be glad and God-seeking hearts will revive; for the Lord listens to the needs and does not spurn servants in their chains. Let the heavens and the earth give him praise, the sea and all its living creatures. R.

Second Reading *Romans 5:12-15 (JB)*

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Romans

God's gift to us is nothing like our sin against him.

Sin entered the world through one man, and through sin death, and thus death has spread through the whole human race because everyone has sinned. Sin existed in the world long before the Law was given. There was no law and so no one could be accused of the sin of 'law-breaking', yet death reigned over all from Adam to Moses, even though their sin, unlike that of Adam, was not a matter of breaking a law.

Adam prefigured the One to come, but the gift itself considerably outweighed the fall. If it is certain that through one man's fall so many died, it is even more certain that divine grace, coming through the one man, Jesus Christ, came to so many as an abundant free gift.

The word of the Lord. **All: Thanks be to God.**

Gospel Acclamation *John 15:26, 27 (JB)*

Alleluia, alleluia!

The Spirit of Truth will bear witness to me, says the Lord, and you also will be my witnesses.

Alleluia!

Gospel *Matthew 10:26-33 (JB)*

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew
Do not fear those who can kill the body.

Jesus instructed the Twelve as follows: 'Do not be afraid. For everything that is now covered will be uncovered, and everything now hidden will be made clear. What I say to you in the dark, tell in the daylight; what you hear in whispers, proclaim from the house-tops.

'Do not be afraid of those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul; fear him rather who can destroy both body and soul in hell. Can you not buy two sparrows for a penny? And yet not one falls to the ground without your Father knowing. Why, every hair on your head has been counted. So there is no need to be afraid; you are worth more than hundreds of sparrows.

'So if anyone declares himself for me in the presence of men, I will declare myself for him in the presence of my Father in heaven. But the one who disowns me in the presence of men, I will disown in the presence of my Father in heaven.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.



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Parish Pastoral Council: Paul Pervan (Chair);

Michael McGrath (Deputy Chair); Margaret Dent

(Secretary); Patricia Carroll; Joanne Druery;

Val Buono; Ivica Covic; Robert Marshall;

Peter Nacard, Ian Press, Katalina Taefotu

Weekend Masses:

Manly: Saturday Vigil 6:00pm

Sunday 8:30am, 10:30am, 6:00pm

Freshwater: Saturday Vigil 5:00pm & Sunday 9am

Weekday Masses:

Manly: Tuesday – Friday 9:15am

Freshwater: Tuesday – Friday 9:15am

Baptisms: please contact the parish office

Manly: 4th Sunday of the month

Freshwater: 2nd Sunday of month

Reconciliation: *Manly* Sat 10am – 11am

St Mary's Primary School 9977 2225

Principal: Paul McGuire

St John the Baptist Primary School 9939 6699

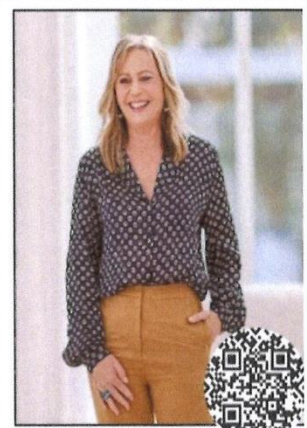
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