

Saint Mary of the Cross Mackillo Parish, Warnervale.

We gather as a community of believers in Jesus, to grow as his disciples, using our gifts, to proclaim the Gospel

THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD, YEAR B 13 MAY 2018



Diocese of Broken Bay Ancestral home of the Darkinjung people

Readings: Acts 1:1-11:

Eph 4:1-13 or Eph 1:17-23; Mk 16:15-20

Response:

God mounts his throne to shouts of joy; a blare of trumpets for the Lord.

Alleluia Alleluia!

Go and teach all people my gospel, I am with you always, until the end of the world.

Alleluia

Confirmation Congratulations

Bishop Peter confirmed 80 children yesterday, Saturday 12th May. Congratulations to all



those children who received the gift of the Holy Spirit, on the weekend before Pentecost! Many thanks to the Sacramental Team for making the day so special.

Happy Mothers Day!

Blessings to all the mother's and thank you for another year of wisdom and guidance.

Loving God,

We thank you for the love of the mothers you have given us; whose love is so precious that it can never be measured; and whose patience seems to have no end. May we see your loving hand behind them and guiding them.

We pray for those mothers who fear they will run out of love and we ask you to bless them with your own special love.
We pray for our mothers who have died.
We make these and all our prayers in the name of Mary's son Jesus, our brother, who lives and reigns forever and ever.
Amen



Our next CWF appeal will take place next weekend of 19/20 May 2018. Envelopes are available this weekend.

Charities include Hospital Chaplaincy; CCD; St Lucy's; St Edmund's; and the Ephpheta Centre.

We have already raised \$11,067 this financial year. Thanks!

Rosary

Today, 13 May, is Rosary
Day. Please join in praying the
rosary for the Protection of
Australia. You can either pray
the rosary on your own, or
with a group of friends, or join
with the parish after the 10am
Mass today. Other locations
can be found at the website
https:ozrosary.wixsite.com/ozrosary53

200 Club

MacKillop Seniors still have \$30 ticket packages for 200 Club selling after each Mass.

Curry Night

Join the Parish Pastoral Council for a Grand Curry Night on Saturday 2nd June at 6:15pm.. See the flyer on the notice board. Tickets will be on sale after weekend Masses in the weeks ahead.

Sunday Mass

Saturday: 5pm Sunday: 8am, 10am, 5pm

Weekday Mass

9.15am Mon, Tues 7.30am Wed 9.15am Thurs, Fri

Reconciliation

Saturday @ 4.00pm

Family Mass

Every Sunday @ 10am

Youth Mass

Every Sunday @ 5pm

Baptisms

Most Sundays @ 11.30am Attendance at Information Evening is required

Weddings

By Appointment

Thinking of becoming a Catholic?

Please contact Parish staff for more information.

St Vincent de Paul

4356 6700 1300 Vinnies

CatholicCare Counselling

4324 6403

Domestic Violence

Gambling Help

1800 858 858

Alcoholics Anonymous 4323 3890

Priest Vince Casey (PP) Pastoral Associate Joan Pavitt CCD Coordinator Gayle Caulfield

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One Communion of Faith with MacKillop Catholic College

IN THE PARISH

RCIA If you are thinking of becoming a Catholic or know someone who may be, contact Kate at the Parish Office to join us in the preparations for the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA).

Children's Liturgy of the Word: Every Sunday during 10am Mass

Weekdays - 9:15am Masses Divine Mercy before Mass 9am and **Rosary** after Mass

The Edge Youth Group_This youth group for years 6, 7 & 8 is held every 4th Sunday of the month, after Sunday Mass from 6pm to 7.15pm in the Church. The cost for dinner is \$2.

Seniors Healing/Anointing Mass Every third Saturday at 9.15am.

Men's Breakfast Every fourth Saturday. Join us at Warnies Café



SOCIAL JUSTICE

Affordable Housing

Have a bit of fun with your children and grandchildren. With them search on the internet for "houses from recycled plastic" and "3D print out houses"

Admire the inventiveness of Nev Hyman building cyclone proof dwellings from plastic bricks. N.Z., America and Mexico use and export these dwellings.

3D houses can be made from mud or concrete.

Could any of these house the 116,427 homeless people in Australia? Social Justice Committee.



www.marymackillopsocialjustice.wordpress.com

Pastoral Care Volunteers Needed

Can you spare 1-1½ hours per week to visit Nursing Homes and give out communion? Pease contact the parish office or speak with Fr Vince.

Meditation and Renewal Day

at St Benedict's Monastery 121 Arcadia Rd, Arcadia on Sunday, 20 May 10am for 10:30 start.

SENIORS NEWS

- * Healing Mass, Saturday 19th May at 9.15am with morning tea afterwards, always a nice outing.
- * For those crafty people, craft day at Ann's at Jilliby on Thursday 24th May. Ann's phone no. 0425264119

Ring Marie Wilde if you need a lift. 43972935.

God Bless Ria ¥ and Committee

Living in the Divine Will





"Thy Will be done <u>on earth</u> as it is in Heaven."

You are warmly invited to attend a One Day Conference on Living in the Divine Will to be presented by Fr. Hugh Thomas on 9 June, 9am -3pm at Toukley Parish. . "This retreat day will open new hosizons for your spiritual lives. It will include some surprising teachings given by Jesus to an Italian mystic of the 20 Century,

See ORANGE brochure at back of church for details.

THIS WEEK

Monday 14 May

9:15am Mothers Day Mass with Primary School Fr Vince

Tuesday 15 May

9:15am Mass Fr Vince

Wednesday 16 May

7:10am Morning Prayer 7:30am Mass Fr Vince 9.15am Communion Service Joan 10am Bible Study

Thursday 17 May

9:15am Mass Fr Vince After Mass - Eucharistic Adoration

Friday 18 May

9:15am Mass Fr Vince

Saturday 19 May 9.15 Seniors Mass with Anointing of the Sick. Fr Vince

Next Weekend Pentecost Sunday

Sat 4pm Reconciliation Fr Carmelo Sat 5pm Mass Fr Carmelo 8.00am Mass Fr Ken 10.00am Family Mass Fr Vince 5pm Youth Mass Fr Vince

New phone numbers & email addresses

From 21 May our Parish emails and land line phone numbers will be changing. More details to follow.

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 13-20 May

This week is the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity. This year's theme is "Your right hand, O Lord, glorious in power", from the triumphant song of Moses and Miriam in Exodus 15:1-21. It also reflects the saving action of God through Christ.

Spirituality in the Pub

Ecumenical & Interfaith Speakers Forum with Q & As

Tuesday 5 June, 2018, 7.30pm to 9pm

The Grange Hotel Function Room Cnr: Renwick St & Pacific Hwy, WYOMING

Bistro opens at 5-30pm.

Inquiries: 4328 2596 or 0498 588 261

Please remember our sick: Christine, Battese, Louis Johnson, Alan Hardcastle, Jeff Charlton, Phyllis Gardner.

Recently Deceased: Mavis Dormer, Paul Van de Ven, Barbara White, Fr Peter McGrath CP, Dorothy Burns, John Hiep.

Mass Intentions: Mary and Nicholas Gatt, Damien Henry, Carol Brown, Agnes Rodger (anniversary), Emma & Gordon Campbell, Alex Moss, Dalphine Ring, Howard Kelly, Lex Mann, Denis Ring, Elsie & Jack McGinlay, .

Luisa Piccarreta"