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Saint Mary of the Cross MacKillop Parish, Warnervale.

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

12TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, 23RD JUNE 2024, YEAR B

Diocese of Broken Bay
Ancestral home of the Darkinjung people

Readings: Job 38:1, 8-11
2Cor 5:14-17; Mk 4:35-41

Response:

Give thanks to the Lord, his love is everlasting

Alleluia, alleluia!

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Alleluia, alleluia!

Reflection on Gospel



Worries and concerns are part of human life. Jesus teaches us, however, that

we ought not to let worries and concerns consume us. Jesus teaches us that our faith ought to lead us to trust in God's protection and love, no matter how strong the whirlwind going on around us. Like the disciples, we can bring our worries and concerns to Jesus in prayer. Jesus will hear our cries for help. He knows that our faith can be fragile and he will act so that our trust in God will be strengthened.

As you gather as a family, invite family members to talk about something that might be worrying them. Talk about how important it is to share worries and concerns with people. When we do this, we learn to see our worries from a different perspective. Ask your family questions such as these: Why were the disciples worried about the storm? Why wasn't Jesus worried about the storm? When we bring our worries to Jesus in prayer, Jesus can help us see things from God's perspective. Invite family members to name again a worry or concern and pray together that Jesus will help us have faith in God's love and protection. Conclude in prayer together by praying the Lord's Prayer.

St Vincent de Paul Winter Appeal



This weekend (22nd / 23rd June) St Vincent de Paul are holding their Winter Appeal in the Parish. Your generous support today can

help provide the immediate assistance and long-term support for many people in our local community who are in need, including, food hampers, warm clothes, and emergency accommodation. Long-term, your generosity will also provide ongoing support, advocacy, and help vulnerable people in our community to rebuild their lives. Everyone deserves a safe place to call home.

Envelopes will be available at Masses for 2 weekend. Envelopes can be placed in any collection plate, or be placed in the Vinnies Box outside the Blessed Sacrament Chapel, or you can donate online at www.vinnies.org.au.

If you require a receipt ensure your details are recorded on the envelope.

Fr Carmelo 60th Anniversary of Ordination



Fr. Carmelo will celebrate his 60th anniversary of ordination on Thursday July 18th. To mark this milestone, the Parish will

hold a special Mass on Saturday, July 20th at 5:00pm. Everyone is welcome to attend the Mass.

Sunday Mass

Sat (Vigil) 5pm,
Sun 8am, 10am, 5pm

Family Mass

Every Sunday at 10am
Includes Children's Liturgy

Weekday Mass

Mon—Communion Service
Tues, Thurs, Fri & Sat
9.15am
Wednesday 8:45am

Monthly BBQ

4th Sunday of each month
after 5pm Mass

Devotions

Rosary after weekday Mass
Tues 6pm Rosary

St Joseph's Men's Group

2nd & 4th Wednesday at 7pm

Anointing Mass

3rd Saturday of the Month
at 9:15am

Reconciliation

Sat 4pm - 4.45 pm

Baptisms

Sunday 11.30am Contact the
Parish Office for details.

Baptisms Preparation

3rd Tuesday of each month at
7pm in the church

Weddings

By appointment

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Tues to Sat/ 8am to 9am

Parish Luncheon

2nd Thursday of the month
12noon at The Ary (Ziva),
Main Rd, Toukley

Men's & Women's Breakfast

4th Saturday of the month at
8am at Warnies Café.

Syro-Malabar Mass

1st Friday at 6pm
1st & 3rd Sunday at 7pm

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Safeguarding: When safeguarding is embedded in Parish leadership, governance and culture; members of the Parish recognise that it is a shared responsibility to safeguard children, young people and adults at risk.

'Safeguarding is everyone's responsibility'

If you have any concerns please contact our Safeguarding officer - Bill Mifsud (bill@earthgold.com.au) 0412 051 839

Wills, Enduring Guardianship and Powers of Attorney Seminar

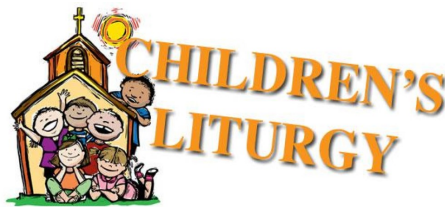
The Diocese of Broken Bay and Castle Lawyers will be holding a **free seminar and morning tea on Tuesday 20th August at Epping Club (45-47 Rawson St, Epping) from 10:30am to 12:30pm.** This event is designed to provide valuable information about the importance of Wills, Enduring Guardianship and Powers of Attorney. The Seminar will be presented by Cecilia Castle from Castle Lawyers.

Terms and Conditions for the Wills Seminar; Those registered for the event will be able to engage Castle Lawyers to draft, at no cost, one of the following; Standard Will; or Enduring Powers of Attorney; or Enduring Guardianship document.

To be eligible for the offer, the following terms and conditions apply.

1. The participant must make a donation of at least \$250 to the Pastoral Works Broken Bay fund prior to making the appointment with Castle Lawyers. Donation can be made by credit card at www.bbcatholic.org.au/giving/pastoral-works-broken-bay/pastoralworks. Please retain your receipt as evidence of your donation. OR
2. For Standard Wills only, make a bequest to the Catholic Parish of the Diocese of Broken Bay in your Will prepared by Castle Lawyers. This may include a specific dollar amount greater than \$1,000, a percentage of the estate, a residual of the estate or the entire estate.
3. The offer is limited to one standard will, Power of Attorney or Enduring Guardianship document per attendee. Additional fees will be payable for complex documentation.
4. Documents must be finalized by 30th September 2024.
5. The offer is subject to available appointments.
6. There is no obligation to take up the above offer. You are still most welcome to attend the seminar.

To register please email events@bbcatholic.org.au or collect a postcard near the bulletins or outside the Blessed Sacramental Chapel.



Children's Liturgy runs every Sunday during the 10am Mass. This wonderful program offers children the opportunity to engage with the Word of God in a manner that is accessible and meaningful to them. Through age-appropriate teachings, activities, and discussions, children can better understand and appreciate the scriptures.

We are always looking for volunteers to join this ministry. If you are interested in helping to break open the word for the children of our parish, we would love to hear from you. Please call the parish office for more information.

Salesian Thought
*Let the waves growl
and roar all round about
your back, but fear not,
for God is there.*
(Letters to Persons in Religion, I, 10)

Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for June

For the Migrants fleeing their homes

We pray that migrants fleeing from war or hunger, forced to undertake journeys full of danger and violence, find welcome and new opportunities in the countries that receive them.

Rosary Prayer Group

Come pray with us for our families, the parish and the world, every **Tuesday at 6pm in the Church.**

The prayer meetings for **July 4th and 18th, Thursday evening at 7pm**, in the home of Bill & Dianne 56 Irving Court, Hamlyn Terrace. Phone 0413 454 547. Everyone is welcomed.

SAINTS DAYS

Monday 24 June
The Nativity of St John the Baptist

Tuesday 25 June

Wednesday 26 June

Thursday 27 June

Friday 28 June
St Irenaeus

Saturday 29 June
St Peter & St Paul

Return and Earn

This week we raised \$30.70

Thank you to everyone who continually supports our Return and Earn fundraising project and commitment to sustainability and environmental responsibility for our community.



Please remember;

- ◆ containers need to be empty of all liquid;
- ◆ not crushed or broken;
- ◆ labels must be on the containers;
- ◆ cans and bottles must have 10c refund logo.
- ◆ Please place glass bottles in crates



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Please remember our sick: Jacquie Thomas, Lara Young, Finn McConnon, Catherine, Elizabeth, Monika, Antonio L. Macapaqal, Maria C Edwards, Cody Mann, Lucy Hardman, Bill McGuinness.

Anniversaries: Charlie Gatt, Bernardinus Laka, Susan Charleston, Richard Murphy, Charles Firmstone, Willibrordus Laka, Albina Ynsfran, Romon Castro, Kathrie, Stephen Callaghan, Sr Fran Nolan Sgs.

Recently Deceased: Jane Fenech, Maureen Fenner, Denis James Ryan, Annabelle Bryant, Robert Curry Snr, Chris Henry, Christine Nemes, Shannon Deder, Phylis Austin, Pat Mcleod, Helen Cohen.



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First Reading

Book of Job 38:1, 8-11

Here I have set the boundaries of the sea.

From the heart of the tempest the Lord gave Job his answer.

He said:

Who pent up the sea behind closed doors when it leapt tumultuous out of the womb, when I wrapped it in a robe of mist and made black clouds its swaddling bands; when I marked the bounds it was not to cross and made it fast with a bolted gate? Come thus far, I said, and no farther: here your proud waves shall break.

The word of the Lord.

Responsorial Psalm

R. Give thanks to the Lord, his love is everlasting.

Some sailed to the sea in ships
to trade on the mighty waters.
These men have seen the Lord's deeds,
the wonders he does in the deep. **R.**

For he spoke; he summoned the gale,
tossing the waves of the sea
up to heaven and back into the deep;
their soul melted away in their distress. **R.**

Then they cried to the Lord in their need
and he rescued them from their distress.
He stilled the storm to a whisper;
all the waves of the sea were hushed. **R.**

They rejoiced because of the calm
and he led them to the haven they desired.
Let them thank the Lord for his love,
the wonders he does for men. **R.**

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Second Reading

St Paul to the Corinthians 5:14-17

All things are made new.

The love of Christ overwhelms us when we reflect that if one man has died for all, then all men should be dead; and the reason he died for all was so that living men should live no longer for themselves, but for him who died and was raised to life for them.

From now onwards, therefore, we do not judge anyone by the standards of the flesh. Even if we did once know Christ in the flesh, that is not how we know him now. And for anyone who is in Christ, there is a new creation; the old creation has gone, and now the new one is here.

The word of the Lord

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

A great prophet has appeared among us;
God has visited his people.

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Gospel

Mark 4:35-41

Who can this be? Even the wind and the sea obey him.

With the coming of evening, Jesus said to his disciples, 'Let us cross over to the other side.' And leaving the crowd behind they took him, just as he was, in the boat; and there were other boats with him. Then it began to blow a gale and the waves were breaking into the boat so that it was almost swamped. But he was in the stern, his head on the cushion, asleep. They woke him and said to him, 'Master, do you now care? We are going down!' And he woke up and rebuked the wind and said to the sea, 'Quiet now! Be calm!' And the wind dropped, and all was calm again. Then he said to them, 'Why are you so frightened? How is it that you have no faith? They were filled with awe and said to one another, 'Who can this be? Even the wind and the sea obey him.'

The Gospel of the Lord