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Catholic Parish Toukley/Lake Munmorah

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Vision To be A Vibrant Eucharistic Community



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TENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR B

9th June, 2024



Unity brings Strength

In today's gospel narrative, we find Jesus amidst a tumultuous scene. The crowd was so large that He and His disciples couldn't even eat. His family, concerned about His well-being, thought He was out of His mind. Meanwhile, the teachers of the law accused Him of being possessed by Beelzebul, claiming He drove out demons by the prince of demons. Jesus, however, responded with profound wisdom, speaking in parables and highlighting the absurdity of such claims. He emphasized that a house divided against itself cannot stand and concluded with a powerful statement about who truly belongs to His family.

This passage is a powerful reminder of the importance of unity and the strength found in a shared purpose. Jesus' teaching that a divided house cannot stand encourages us to seek harmony and understanding in our relationships and communities. It challenges us to rise above conflicts and divisions, recognizing that working together in unity is essential for achieving our common goals. Moreover, Jesus' response to His accusers shows us the importance of staying true to our mission, even in the face of misunderstanding and criticism. Jesus remained focused on His divine purpose, undeterred by the doubts and accusations of others. This inspires us to remain steadfast in our own callings, trusting in our values and convictions even when faced with opposition.

Finally, Jesus' declaration about who constitutes His family—those who do the will of God—expands our understanding of kinship. It calls us to embrace a broader, spiritual family bound by shared faith and commitment to God's will. This inclusive vision encourages us to build relationships based on love, support, and a shared commitment to living out God's purpose in our lives. In essence, Jesus challenges us to foster unity, remain steadfast in our mission, and embrace a broader, more inclusive understanding of family. It calls us to live with purpose, resilience, and a deep sense of connection to all who seek to do God's will, reminding us that in unity and faith, we find our true strength and belonging.

Fr. Baby

WEEKEND MASS TIMES

St Mary's Church Toukley

Saturday: Vigil 6:00pm Fr Tomy Sunday: 7:30am Fr Tomy

> 9:00am Fr Tomy 6:00pm Fr Baby

Children's Liturgy 1st & 3rd Sunday at 9:00am

Mass (except school holidays)

St Brendan's Church Lake Munmorah

Saturday: Vigil 5:00pm Fr Baby Sunday: 8:00am Fr Baby

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

St Mary's Church Toukley

9:00 am Monday Tuesday 9:00 am Wednesday 9:00 am

Thursday 9:00 am (Ordinariate of Our Lady of

the Southern Cross)

Friday 9:15am (Except 1st Friday of Month)

First Friday of Month Anointing of Sick

11:00am

9:00 am Saturday

St Brendan's Church Lake Munmorah

Wednesday 9:00am

First Wednesday of Month Anointing of Sick

Thursday 9:00am

EXPOSITION BLESSED SACRAMENT

St Mary's Church Toukley

Each Saturday – After Morning Mass

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

St Mary's Toukley

Saturday 9:30am -10:00am (by appointment at other times)

St Brendan's Lake Munmorah

Saturday 4:30 -5:00pm

MORNING PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

St Mary's Toukley

8:20 am Monday to Thursday & Saturday 8:45 am Friday

First Friday Night Vigil

Exposition after 7pm Mass until 12.30am



Welcome to our Parish. Today we celebrate the The Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year B. We welcome you to our Church & are pleased to see you here.

Upcoming Parish events - Save the Date:

Mon 10th June - Fri 14th June Clergy Conference **Thurs 27th June:** Kinder Mass St Brendan's 9am



Sat 29th June: Family Mass St Brendan's 5pm Fri 26th July: Bishop Anthony's visit to Parish

Clergy Conference 10th-14th June - Fr Tomy & Fr Baby will be away for a Clergy Conference from Monday 10th – Fri 14th June. There will be 9am morning Masses at St Mary's ONLY and Communion only service at St Brendan's on Wednesday and Thursday. The Ordinariate Mass will still be held at St Mary's on Thurs.

The Parish Office will be closed on Monday 10th June

Monday is a public holiday and the Parish office will be closed on this day.

Tap n Go Machines at both churches: We are aware there has been a problem with our Tap n Go machines. This is due to the network needing to be upgraded. This is in the process and they should be replaced very soon. We appreciate your continued support to our Parish.

Planned Giving envelopes - we still have quite a few boxes of envelopes that have not been collected from either Church. If you did not receive your envelopes or you would like to join the weekly Planned Giving program and would like to receive your own envelopes please contact the Parish Office.



This month of June is dedicated to the **Sacred Heart of Jesus.** The Catholic Church reserves June for a deeper devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus which represents His love for humanity. The devotion inspires us to remember how much Jesus loves us, while growing our desire to love Him.



Welcome to our new Office Welcome Assistant Rachelle McConnon We would like to welcome Rachelle to the Parish Office as

our new office assistant. Please call in and meet her & make Rachelle feel welcome. She is the mother of 3 boys & has lived locally for many years.







<u>Vinnies Winter Appeal</u> - Collection will be held in our two churches on the weekend of **June 15th** & **16th.** Envelopes will be available together with collection bags for unwanted winter woollens. In these time

collection bags for unwanted winter woollens. In these times of hardship for so many, your usual generous support will be most welcome as always.



Sacrament of First Holy Communion -

Congratulations to our children who have just received their first Holy Commun-

ion. You are now a full member of our Catholic community. Thank you our dear parents, teachers, catechists and Sacramental group leaders for your love, patience, support in journeying with our children. And to our dear parishioners, the children's prayer buddies for your constant prayers for them. Thank you also to Sr. Jennifer & Cath Cefai our sacramental co-ordinators.

<u>Sacrament of Confirmation:</u> We invite parents whose children are baptised and from Y3 and above. If you have missed the parents Information Session please contact our Parish Office. Enrolment ends on 19th June.



<u>Thank you to Bernice Parker</u> the Parish would like to thank Bernice for her very generous support and donation to our Pastoral Works Broken Bay appeal.

Sr. Josie & Sr. Jennifer are away from the 5th - 17th June

Our Sisters are visiting Indonesia for their religious immersion program. have been invited to visit? We pray for them to have a wonderful time and a safe journey.

Catholic Diocese Broken Bay Young Adult Event -

We're excited to invite you to our next Encounter event on June 21st at Woy Woy Parish! This month, we're honoured to have our very own Broken Bay Seminarian, Shayne D'Cunha, as our guest speaker. Shayne will be sharing an inspiring talk on "Why the Church Needs Us!"

Don't miss this opportunity to connect, grow, and be inspired. RSVP today at vocations.ministry@bbcatholic.org.au or call 02 8379 1626!

☐ Date: June 21st Time: 6 PM

☐ Location: Woy Woy Parish: St John the Baptist Church 125 Blackwall Road Woy Woy.



<u>Happy Wedding Anniversary</u> to Lucy & Errol Jurd for their 42nd wedding anniversary! Congratulations.

Please pray for those who have died and those who are sick

Recently Deceased - Sr. Anicia

Agramon OSA, Peter Dormer, Hector Borg, Gregory Keogh, George Miller, Christine, Battese, Michael Vella & Christine Nemis

Anniversaries – Teofilo & Elena Mabini, Celestina Alonzo, Joseph Debono, John Haslam, Ouseph Kuruvelil, Eveleen Ross, Danny Goonan, Luke Matthew Canillas, Katherine Cassar, Mary Cefai, Vicky Mifsud, Lilly, Jim & Margaret Borg, Angelo Caruana, Myrtle & William Brennan, Simon Butcher, Victor & Nancy Magro, Donald & Amelia Marshall, Frank Costa & Family

Remembrances - Stephens Cappa, Crysterline Hamer, Richard & Margie Hamer, Georgina Baker, Wade Ross, Mitchell, Dennis & families, Emannuel Camilleri, Vicky Debono, Salvina Caruana, Sylvia Hudson, Valmai Joseph & Stark Family, Wendy Woodhouse, Carol Brown, Brown & Miller family

Please Pray for the Sick - Shirley Dormer, Jenny Roy, Stephen Jeffrie, Jonah Langley, Paul Mizzi, George, Jim Rush, Sylvia Hudson, Cusick Family, Maree Campbell, Katherine Hoppett, Ann, Krissy & Craig Taylor, Tim Keogh, Patrick Hobson, Judy Kay, Marion Campbell, Wayne Stafford, Mark Wilson, Michelle Maroon, Mick G, Kylie Musgrave, Avis Sullivan, Brian Fletcher, Rhondda Rey, Christine Yousef, Florian Stoffel, Bev Jessop, Sandra Campbell, Mia, Robbie Depares, De-Anne Richards, Jackie Chaplin, Michael Casey, Koen Mackaway, Eva Cusick, Melissa, Margaret Connolly, Rita Cini, Baby Mia Lilli, Maria Butseties, Shirley Campbell, Josh. R, Robyn Brand, Susan Simmons, Denis Tansey, Miklos Beothy, Liz Kelman & Amanda O.

May /June Birthdays

Janet Cashin (1st June)
Harvey Fisk (3rd June)
Sinead Horan (10th June)
Anne-Marie Moon (12th June)
Aaron Ballhause (13th June)
Errol Jurd (14th June)
Doug Cashin (16th June)
Delyce Denton-Helm (25th June)
Thomas Horan (29th June)





<u>Pope Francis' June Intention</u> For 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.

Mackay Family Funerals

In Association with Mackay Family Crematorium A.B.N. 79 085 423 589

A.D.IN. 19 083 423 369

Head Office: 249 Pacific Highway West, Ourimbah 2238

PO Box 89 Ourimbah NSW 2258.

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Volunteer Angels

Male & Female

Do you have a caring heart & time to become a friend to a lonely person in an Aged Care Facility
Please call Anne-Marie
4396 1555

First Reading Genesis 3:9-15

A reading from the book of Genesis

This I will make you enemies of each other: your offspring and her offspring.

The Lord God called to the man after he had eaten of the tree. 'Where are you?' he asked. 'I heard the sound of you in the garden;' he replied 'I was afraid because I was naked, so I hid.' 'Who told you that you were naked?' he asked. 'Have you been eating of the tree I forbade you to eat?' The man replied, 'It was the woman you put with me; she gave me the fruit, and I ate it.' Then the Lord God asked the woman, 'What is this you have done?' The woman replied, 'The serpent tempted me and I ate.'

Then the Lord God said to the serpent, 'Because you have done this,

'Be accursed beyond all cattle, all wild beasts.

You shall crawl on your belly and eat dust every day of your life.

I will make you enemies of each other: you and the woman,

your offspring and her offspring. It will crush your head and you will strike its heel.'

The word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Responsorial Psalm Ps 129
R. With the Lord there is mercy and fullness of redemption.

Out of the depths I cry to you, O Lord, Lord, hear my voice!
O let your ears be attentive to the voice of my pleading. R.

If you, O Lord, should mark our guilt, Lord, who would survive? But with you is found forgiveness: for this we revere you. R.

My soul is waiting for the Lord, I count on his word. My soul is longing for the Lord more than watchman for daybreak. R.

Because with the Lord there is mercy and fullness of redemption, Israel indeed he will redeem from all its iniquity. R.

Second Reading 2 Corinthians 4:13 - 5:1

A reading from the second letter of St Paul to the Corinthians

We believe, and therefore we speak.

As we have the same spirit of faith that is mentioned in scripture - I believed, therefore I spoke - we too believe and therefore we too speak, knowing that he who raised the Lord Jesus to life will raise us with Jesus in our turn, and put us by his side and you with us. You see, all this is for your benefit, so that the more grace is multiplied among people, the more thanksgiving there will be, to the glory of God.

That is why there is no weakening on our part, and instead, though this outer man of ours may be falling into decay, the inner man is renewed day by day. Yes, the troubles which are soon over, though they weigh little, train us for the carrying of a weight of eternal glory which is out of all proportion to them. And so we have no eyes for things that are visible, but only for things that are invisible; for visible things last only for a time, and the invisible things are eternal.

For we know that when the tent that we live in on earth is folded up, there is a house built by God for us, an everlasting home not made by human hands, in the heavens.

The word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Gospel Acclamation John 12:31, 32

Alleluia, alleluia!

The prince of this world will now be cast out, and when I am lifted up from the earth I will draw all to myself, says the Lord. Alleluia!

Gospel Mark 3:20-35

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark *It is the end of Satan*.

Jesus went home, and such a crowd collected that they could not even have a meal. When his relatives heard of this, they set out to take charge of him, convinced he was out of his mind.

The scribes who had come down from Jerusalem were saying: 'Beelzebul is in him' and, 'It is through the prince of devils that he casts devils out.' So Jesus called them to him and spoke to them in parables, 'How can Satan cast out Satan? If a kingdom is divided against itself, that kingdom can not last. And if a household is divided against itself, that household can never stand. Now if Satan has rebelled against himself and is divided, he can not stand either - it is the end of him. But no one can make his way into a strong man's house and burgle his property unless he has tied up the strong man first. Only then can he burgle his house.

'I tell you solemnly, all men's sins will be forgiven, and all their blasphemies: but let anyone blaspheme against the Holy Spirit and he will never have forgiveness: he is guilty of an eternal sin.' This was because they were saying, 'An unclean spirit is in him.'

The mother and brothers of Jesus arrived and, standing outside, sent in a message asking for him. A crowd was sitting round him at the time the message was passed to him, 'Your mother and brothers and sisters are outside asking for you.' He replied, 'Who are my mother and brothers?' And looking round at those sitting in a circle about him, he said, 'Here are my mother and my brothers. Anyone who does the will of God, that person is my brother and sister and mother.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ



Next Sunday - Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Ezekiel 17:22-24 Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 5:6-10

Gospel: Mark 4:26-34