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Prayer to St Michael

St Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle; be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the devil.



May God rebuke him we humbly pray; and you, O Prince of the Heavenly Hosts, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen



OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA TERRIGAL

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



03 July 2022

14th Sunday in Ordinary time Year C

Entrance Antiphon:	Your merciful love, O God, we have received in the midst of your temple. Your praise, O God, like your name, reaches the ends of the earth; your right hand is filled with saving justice.
1st Reading:	Isaiah 66:10-14
Psalm:	Let all the earth cry out to God with joy.
2nd Reading:	Galatians 6:14-18
Gospel Acclamation:	Alleluia, alleluia! May the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, and the fullness of his message live within you. Alleluia!
Gospel:	Luke 10:1-12, 17-20

Communion Antiphon: Taste and see that the Lord is good;

Next Week's Readings:		
1st Reading:	Deuteronomy 30:10-14	
Psalm:	The precepts of the Lord give joy to the heart.	
2nd Reading:	Colossians 1:15-20	
Gospel:	Luke 10:25-37	

WEEKDAY MASSES THIS WEEK

Tuesday	05	7.30 am
Wednesday	06	7.30 am
Thursday	07	7.30 am
Friday	08	9.00 am
Saturday	09	9.00 am
WEEKEND MASSES		NEXT WEEK
Saturday Vig	gil 09	5.00pm
Sunday	10	7.00am / 8.30am / 10.00am

Rosary 7am or 8.30am if 9am Mass

Our new website: www.bbcatholic.org.au/terrigal

Welcome to all our visitors, may you feel at home in our Parish.

PARISH INFORMATION:

Baptisms:

Sunday Mornings at 11.30am by appointment. Enquiries to our Parish Office to enrol.

Annointing of the Sick:

With 9am Mass on the last Friday of the month. Please ring the Parish Office if you have a loved one who is ill or dying.

Reconciliation:

Before and after the normal Saturday 9am Mass (8.30–10am) or phone the Parish Office for an appointment.

Weddings and Funerals:

Enquiries to the Parish Office.



COVID - 19 : Keeping Safe

Many of the restrictions are now being lifted, but to keep everyone safe we ask you to:

Sanitize your hands before entry to and exit from the church.

Where possible, **keep a social distance** of 1.5 metres between people from other family groups. Please spread out through the whole church.

Masks are encouraged to be worn, especially if you cannot keep a social distance.

Communion on the hand is preferred. If you want to receive communion on the tongue, please wait until the end of the communion line.

If you are **unwell**, please take care and **stay at home**.

Thank-you to everyone for your care to keep each other safe.

Catholic Women's League

13th July Delegates Meeting 10.00 a.m. at Kincumber



Catholic Womens's League will be having their scholarship Raffle next weekend the 9/10 and and 16 /17 of July - more information next week.

Celebrants for Sunday Masses

This Weekend - 2/3 July

Saturday

5.00pm Fr Vince

Sunday7.00amFr Vince8.30amFr Vince10.00amFr Jack

Next Weekend - 9/10 July

Saturday 5.00pm Fr Jack

Sunday

7.00am Fr Vince 8.30am Fr Vince 10.00am Fr Vince

School Holidays

The school is on holidays for the next two weeks. Please be attentive to any security issues. If you notice anything unusual or have any concerns please contact Fr Vince or the Parish Office or ring Knightguard Security's central monitoring on 1300 655 009. Also, please be away that there are CCTV cameras all around the church, parish and school site.

Driveway lights

During the school holidays Catholic Schools Broken Bay will be replacing the lights in the driveway from Serpentine Rd to the carpark. Please be careful if you are using the road and there are trucks and workers doing this essential work.

Curtains in the hall

Some months back we removed the black cloth and plastic that was covering the windows in the hall. This week curtains will be put up to allow some control over the light coming into the hall. This is being paid for by Fair by the Sea money that was raised at the last Fete. Thankyou

Deanery Meeting

On Tuesday the priests and deacons of the Central Coast Deanery will be meeting in the parish. Thanks to the parishioners who are helping to provide morning tea and lunch.

End of Financial Year

A big thank-you to the very generous parishioners who made donations to the parish and the Broken Bay Pastoral Works as a result of our appeals in the last few weeks. We will all benefit from your generosity.



Plenary Council:

The Second Assembly of the Fifth Plenary Council of Australia takes place from todayJuly 3 -9. Masses and sessions will be live-streamed each day and people are invited to send messages of prayer, hope and support to the Members gathering in Sydney. Find the livestreaming schedule and the portal for sending messages at: www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au



Parish Italian Night Building up our parish community in a fun special way.

All proceeds from the evening and the raffle will go to our Parish Saturday 13 August 6pm in the Parish Hall

With our wonderful award winning tenor Graeme Wright to entertain us.

Italian Food by authentic Italian cooks and those who "feel Italian". Start planning your table. If you wish to be part of a friendly preparation team (or one of our cooks) please contact Janette in the Parish Office.

Two tables booked alreadyplease join us

On this night you will feel you are in Italy.

I remember when ... supplied by the Parish Office

Each week we want to encourage as many parishioners as possible to send in a photo with a few lines about it. The photos and short story will be put in the bulletin and /or kept to put in our Terrigal Parish History book which we are aiming to get ready for December this year, this will coincide with our 20th anniversary of the relocation of the church at this site.

We really need your support to make this happen.



Our original church and amazing view



The original church of Our Lady Star of the Sea stood on Terrigal's Esplanade Hill from 1961 till our move to the new site in 2001.

In this year the school was complete, but the church was still to be built. While construction was happening, weekday Masses were said in what is now the school music room and weekend Masses were in the Hall. Fr Carol Grew encouraged us to be patient, that the children and the school had to come first. The parish funded the building of the school

The Parish office at this time was the house at the top of the drive, which then became the Haven and is now being occupied by Aspect. Our new church was finally opened on 22 December 2002



Check out the CYBB WYD website!



Scrípture / Lectío Dívína

Please join us on Thursdays at 10.30am in the Parish rooms, as we read the readings for the upcoming Sunday. A

time to be still and come closer to the God through Scripture.

All Parishioners are very welcome to come, when you can. For more information contact Bernie 0414653146

Social Justice

The next meeting of the Social Justice Group of our Parish will be on Thursday 7th July at 1.00 pm in the Parish rooms.

If you would like read Laudato Si, Pope Francis' Encyclical, on caring for our common home, there are five copies in the parish office to read and return, no charge. Please leave your name on the reading list when you borrow a copy. This is a world-wide plan with many parishes and dioceses involved.

We warmly welcome all parishioners, to come and share your thoughts and/or concerns, as we follow Pope Francis, in caring more deeply for God's Creation.

Donations to the Parish

Donations can be made at each Mass by putting cash on the plate or by using the **Tap'n'Go** machines at the door of the church.

Donations can also be made directly to our parish bank account:

Terrigal Parish BSB: 062 784 Acc: 100001660

To arrange for regular (monthly) donations please contact the Parish Office. Thank-you to everyone who has been so generous to us during the year.

Catholics need better understanding of the Mass: Pope

In a new letter, Pope Francis says the "sense of mystery" and awe Catholics should experience at Mass is not prompted by Latin or additional elements, but an awareness of the sacrifice of Christ and his presence in the Eucharist.

"Beauty, just like truth, always engenders wonder, and when these are referred to the mystery of God, they lead to adoration," he wrote in an apostolic letter "on the liturgical formation of the people of God."

Titled *Desiderio Desideravi* ("I have earnestly desired"), the letter was released on the feast of Sts Peter and Paul. The title comes from Luke 22:15 when, before the Last Supper, Jesus tells his disciples, "I have earnestly desired to eat this Passover with you before I suffer."

In the letter, Pope Francis insisted that Catholics need to better understand the liturgical reform of the Second Vatican Council and its goal of promoting the "full, conscious, active and fruitful celebration" of the Mass.

Click <u>here</u> to go to the letter.

Bookclub

Last Friday our bookclub discussed Greg Sheridan's book, God is Good for You. Sheridan's normal expertise is as a foreign affairs journalist so writing a defence of Christianity was an ambitious project. He turns his journalist's eye to the history of Christianity and finds that contrary to the "new atheists," belief in God is more reasonable than non-belief.

In the second half of the book he discusses the religious belief of various politicians and notes that as a group, there are more Christians in parliament than in the general population. This might seem counter intuitive given that the seamless garment of a consistent ethics of life at the hands of our politicians is looking a bit tattered in recent years.

The consensus was that this is a book worth reading.

The book for August will be The Minister and the Murderer. Written by Stuart Kelly the book is an examination of the issues facing the Church of Scotland when a convicted murderer having completed his prison sentence wanted to become a minister. The question of forgiveness takes centre



stage. A fascinating book!



On July 29th at 4pm we will be tackling Eight Popes and the Crisis of Modernity. Join us if this challenging topic interests you.

Lectio Divina

I would like to share with you a new website where you can find a weekly interactive reflection on the Gospel reading of the coming Sunday <u>https://</u> <u>lectiodivina.org.au</u> Over time further material will be added to offer more assistance in this area.

On **Saturday July 23rd from 1:00-2:00pm**, I am also hosting a one hour zoom meeting to give people an opportunity to appreciate the process of lectio divina and the benefits it brings to faith life. We will record this and make it available to you so you can share it with your parishioners. Join Zoom Meeting:

https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83048240094

Bishop David Walker

We are committed in Terrigal Parish to the well being, and protection of all in our care.





Bible Study and Discussion: Get to know your Bible. The Gospel of St Mark

Where: In the Divine Mercy Chapel, on the right-hand side of the church.

When: This Wednesday evening

Time: 6pm to 7pm

Bring your Bible with you. Everyone is still welcome to join us at any time. We look forward to seeing you.

For more information ring:

Prayer Requests

For those who request prayers, we will leave the name in the bulletin for two weeks, and will pass the names to our prayer groups.

Recently Deceased

Caesar Franckin Terry McDermott Barbara Withford Anne Firmstone Rick Walters Julia Shirvington Alan Walker Matthew Marien Edith Riley Leslie Gardner Clotilde & Hanna Bastoli Bernadette Toomey Trisha Hinde Paul Stanley Stuart Bock Alisa Sim Heather Hodges Joseph Pace

Anniversaries & Remembrance

Heather Hort1st AnniversaryBernie Hill (10 yrs)Jim DonohoeClem GormanJohn & Patrice TurnerSelina OrtonMaurice WainwrightJosefina HerreraMichael KokegeiJean ShawBryan CollinsFinn HockingFina HerreraBryan Collins

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Fr John Waltes Mark Debenham Susan Bonsall Sandra Tagliabue Noelene Sherwood Pauline Levido Anne Roy Kim ByrneGeTracey BurnJacNed LinesLeFiona ConnellyMoEileen LedwidgePaMorny PuckeridgeBro

Gerry Dubios Jack Dummett Len Freeman Moira Love Pauline Kopsa Bruce Gordon

St Vincent Pallotti Scholarship Trust

The St Vincent Pallotti Scholarship Trust offers scholarships to enable lay people to further their understanding and skills in leadership/ministry or a specialised activity, such as promoting faith enhancement, social justice and pastoral care.

More information and Applications Forms are available on our website <u>https://pallottine.org.au/</u>scholarships/st-vincent-pallotti-scholarship-for-lay-

ministry.html

Closing Date: Friday 29 July 2022

The PDCC final report has been handed to Bishop Anthony!

The final report of the Pastoral Discernment Project was handed to Bishop Anthony at the recent Clergy Conference with Clergy and Diocesan Leaders present. Subsequent to Bishop Anthony's response to the Report, a task group will be established for the project's implementation phase.

We invite the Holy Spirit to continue to guide the next phase of the Pastoral Discernment Central Coast Project.

For further information and regular updates, visit

www.bbcatholic.org.au/pdcc.

'Behold, I am doing a new thing; now it springs forth; do you not perceive it?' Isaiah 43:19

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Sunday - 3 July 2022



Every year, on the first Sunday in July, Catholics come together across Australia to acknowledge and celebrate the gifts of Australia's First Peoples in the Catholic Church.

The National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Catholic Council (NATSICC) is the peak advisory body to the Australian Catholic Bishops on issues relating to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Catholics. The Council was founded in 1992 and the Secretariat is based in Adelaide. Each State and Territory nominates a representative via their local Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Ministry. In addition to a number of initiatives aimed to support First Nations Catholics, NATSICC advises the Bishops Commission for Relations with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Catholics. NATSICC is a not for profit organization that is funded by the Catholic Church and Caritas Australia's First Nations program.

We Acknowledge the Traditional Custodians who have walked upon and cared for this land for thousands of years. We acknowledge the continued deep spiritual attachment and relationship of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples to this country and commit ourselves to the ongoing journey of reconciliation.

ROSTERS FOR SERVERS and EM

Saturday - 5.00pm

2/7/2022 - Server V & J Duverge (EM) L'O Donnell 9/07/2022 Server L George (EM) M Perry

Sunday - 7.00am 2/7/2022 - Server E Katselas (EM) B Brown 9/2/2022 Server G Justin (EM) J Sheehan

Sunday - 8.30am 2/7/2022 - Server E Bastoli (EM) A Bone 9/2/2022—Server P Wuinn (EM0 R Lentini

Sunday - 10.00am

2/7/2022 - Server B Lobo (EM) I Kite 9/7/2022 Server P Maniskas (EM) J Merrotsy

EM = Eucharistic Minister or correctly Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion

If you wish to be involved in this ministry please contact the Parish Office.

ROSTERS FOR READERS OF THE WORD

Saturday - 5.00pm

2/07/2022 (1) Dudley Smith (2) Dawn Smith 9/07/2022 (1) Georges (2) Connie Attard 16/07/2022 (1) Maureen Reynolds (2) Dudley Smith

Sunday - 7.00am

3/07/2022 (1) Helen Arena (2) Brian McMahon 10/07/2022 (1) Betty Brown (2) Jeanette Rogers 17/07/2022 (1) Peter Clayton Sandrea Petith

Sunday - 8.30am

3/07/2022 (1) Frank Cohen (2) Christine Lovatt 10/07/2022 (1) Felicity Meek (2) Brian Tuttill 17/07/2022 (1) Jane Watt (2)Graham Sproats



Weekly Cleaning Angels Roster from 4 July 2022 Barbara Clarke, Nigel Carter, Pina Maisano, Robyn Lentini

Laying a Missionary Foundation Course

"to evangelise, to proclaim the Good News of Jesus Christ, gathered as one body and sent out to be missionary disciples"

A 6-session hybrid course to equip parish leaders, ministers and parishioners with knowledge and skills needed to live out the mission of the Church fruitfully today,

One in-person retreat day. Saturday 30 July 9.30am – 4pm at Pennant Hills. Five Zoom sessions. Tuesday 2 August to Tuesday 30 August 7pm – 9pm.

Children's Liturgy Of the Word Roster 8.30am Sunday Will resume 24th July (after the School holidays)

Thank you to the four teams that are supporting this most valuable ministry.

If you wish to assist this small caring group of parishioners on a roster system (maybe once every 5 or 6 weeks), please contact the parish office for more details. Catechists, parents, teachers are especially welcome. Share the love of the scriptures with the younger members of our parish. Activities are provided each week.

Spirituality in the Pub (SIP) Meeting 7.30-9.00pm Tuesday 5th July at the Grange Hotel, Wyoming.



Guest speaker are **Jacqueline Hilton**, a Counsellor working in private practice at East Gosford, and **Bruce Perry**, the Rector of the Anglican parish of Bateau Bay. Hotel bistro opens at 5.30pm. SIP enquiries: 0415 129250 or 0439 678608.

ST VINNIES WINTER APPEAL

Clothing bags will be collected at the end of next week for anyone still wanting to donate. They can be left in the parish hall for collection.

Sector de Paul 6

Thank you for your generosity.

BUS TO MASS

The Parish bus has begun running again to collect parishioners for 10am Mass. If you would like to be picked up, please contact Peter Clayton via the Parish Office.

Masks must be worn on the bus. More bus drivers are required to go on a roster to help in this important ministry. Thank you to our loyal drivers



Vox Populi - The Voice of the People -from the Broken Bay Diocese

We are now officially in the second half of 2022. That means six months to Christmas! However there is a great deal in the calendar to celebrate before then.

Each month of the year is dedicated to a particular devotion within the Catholic faith; the dedication of each month is based on historical events or a particular aspect of the liturgical calendar, or a combination of the two.

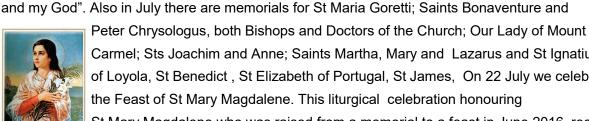
July is the month we honour the Precious Blood of Jesus - falling right between June's devotion to the Sacred Heart and August's devotion to the Immaculate Heart.

The feast of the Precious Blood of our Lord was instituted in 1849 by Pius IX, but the devotion is as old as Christianity. The early Fathers say that the Church was born from the pierced side of Christ, and that the sacraments were brought forth through His Blood.

The month also falls within the liturgical season of **Ordinary Time**, which is represented by the liturgical colour green. This symbol of hope is the colour of the sprouting seed and arouses in the faithful the hope of reaping the eternal harvest of heaven, especially the hope of a glorious resurrection. Ordinary Time, which means ordered or numbered time, is celebrated in two segments: from the Monday following the Baptism of Our Lord up to Ash Wednesday; and from Pentecost Monday to the First Sunday of Advent. This makes it the largest season of the Liturgical Year.

The rhythm of the liturgical seasons reflects the rhythm of life — with its celebrations of anniversaries and its seasons of quiet growth and maturing. In July we celebrate many important feast days and memorials. Sunday is the feast of St Thomas the Apostle, who

at first did not believe but has become known for the fervour in which he expressed his regained faith: "My Lord





Carmel; Sts Joachim and Anne; Saints Martha, Mary and Lazarus and St Ignatius of Loyola, St Benedict, St Elizabeth of Portugal, St James, On 22 July we celebrate the Feast of St Mary Magdalene. This liturgical celebration honouring St Mary Magdalene who was raised from a memorial to a feast in June 2016, recognising her in

the same status as the other apostles of Jesus. A most ardent and loving follower of Jesus, she

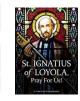
stood with Mary at the foot of the Cross, and when she went to the tomb with the other women, it was in the garden near the tomb that Jesus appeared to her. Mary Magdalene brought the news of the Resurrection to the Apostles, leading many to refer to her as the "apostle to the apostles".













May we ask all these great Saints in July to intercede on our behalf, to help increase our faith, to share our worries and to help us be " saints in the making" as we go about our daily work, and spending time with family and friends. May we also inspire others through our faith. JB

