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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.



OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA TERRIGAL

We love one another so that all may have a sense of belonging; desire a relationship with God; and want to share the Good News with





28th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B

Saturday 19 9.00am - Mass WEEKEND MASSES - NEXT WEEK		
Wednesday Thursday Friday	 7.30am - Communion Service 7.30am - Mass 7.30am - Mass 7.30am - Mass 9.00am - Mass 9.00am - Mass 9.00am - Mass 	
2nd Reading: Gospel:	Hebrews 4: 14-16 St Mark 10: 35-45	
1st Reading: Psalm:	Isaiah 53: 10-11 Lord, let your mercy be on us, as we place our trust in you.	
Next Week's Read	ings 29 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	
Communion Antiphon	The rich suffer want and go hungry, but those who seek the Lord lack no blessings.	
Gospel:	St Mark 10: 17-30	
Gospel Acclamation:	Alleluia, alleluia! Happy the poor in spirit; the kingdom of heaven is theirs! Alleluia!	
2nd Reading:	Hebrews 4: 12-13	
Psalm:	Fill us with you love, O Lord, and we will sing for joy!	
1st Reading:	Wisdom 7: 7-11	
Entrance Antiphon:	If you, O Lord, should mark iniquities, Lord, who could stand? But with you is found forgiveness, O God of Israel.	

Saturday Vigil195.00pm- MassSunday207.30am & 9.30amNEW TIMES

Amen

Our 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 Saturday 9am Mass (8.30 -10am) or phone the Parish Office for an appointment.



Weddings and Funerals:

Enquiries to the Parish Office.

Donations to the Parish

Donations can be made by:

- putting **cash** in the collection bag at Mass; or - using the **Tap'n'Go** machines at the door of the church: or

- giving **directly** to our parish bank account: Terrigal Parish BSB: 062 784

Acc: 100001660 or

- using planned giving **envelopes**, available at the back of the church; or

- having regular (monthly) **credit card** donations, arranged through the Parish Office.

Thank-you for your continued generosity.

Bible Study and Discussion

We will be starting on the Book of Revelation.

- Where: In the Divine Mercy Chapel, on the right-hand side of the church.
- When: Thursdays
- Time: 1pm to 2pm and 6pm to 7pm in the church Bring your Bible with you.



Newcomers are most welcome to join us at any of the above.

Catholic Women's League

21st October Coffee morning 10.30am at Breakers.

28th October Branch meeting 10.15am for 10.30am start. \$40.00 membership fees due.

New members always welcome. Enquiries: Ruth Robinson 0414 434 856

Baptisms

This weekend we welcome Daniela Smith into our Parish family. Please keep her and her family in your prayers.



Parish Office

Will be closed this **Monday the** 14th October.

Sorry for any inconvenience.

We welcome this weekend Fr Janusz Bieniek from the Congregation of St Michael the Archangel. Fr Janusz will be with us over the next four weeks while Fr Vince is away. Father has recently celebrated his 40th Anniversary of priesthood. Please make him welcome.

St Michael Prayer Group Mass

5:30pm Thursday 17th October 2024



All welcome to attend and join with the St Michael Prayer Group for Mass, Adoration, and Blessing.

Supper afterwards, you may like to bring a plate to share.

Our Parish Commitment to SafeGuarding



Our Lady Star of the Sea Terrigal is committed to the care, wellbeing and protection of children, young people and vulnerable adults.

National Children's Week commences 19th October.

The event is celebrated with a theme that is based on an Article from United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child (UNCRC). This year the theme is based on the UNCRC Article 24 *"the right of children to a clean and safe environment"*. The aim is for all Australians to recognise the importance of safe environments for children, ensuring they attain the highest standard of health

Our Lady of Fatima The Miracle that stunned the world. The faith that inspired millions.

Come and join us in the Parish Hall on Sunday 13th October for the Rosary, Movie and Lunch.



Start 11.45am - The Angelus and Rosary at Our Lady's Grotto.

1.00pm - Lunch and Movie in the Parish Hall

"The Miracle of Our Lady of Fatima"

Cost: **Free RSVP:** Monday 7th October 2024

Contact or message: Blossom 0481 703 206 or Dawn 0404 214 459

School Rosary Day

Each year the students and staff at Our Lady Star of the Sea School celebrate and remember Mary our Mother with our annual Rosary Day.

This year our Rosary Day is on Wednesday, 30th of October at 12 noon. We would like to invite parishioners to join us in our procession to the church, followed by the rosary and presentation of the Jack Costa Discipleship Awards.

Parishioners who wish to join in the procession should meet outside the school office at 11.55am.



This is a wonderful opportunity for our school community and parishioners to join together in prayer and celebration.

Holidays

Fr Vince has arrived in Darwin and then we will be driving to Perth, going south Katherine, west to Broome and then South, along the coast to Perth. We pray Fr Vince has a safe and happy break away.

School Building Update

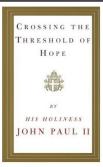
The project continues to be proceeding on time with no major hold ups. The expected finish date is mid 2025. <u>Click this Link for Building</u> <u>Update Video</u>

Pope's Prayer Intention for the month of October – for a Shared Mission

We pray that the Church continue to sustain in all ways a Synodal lifestyle, as a sign of co-responsibility, promoting the participation, the communion and the mission shared among priests, religious and lay people.

Bookclub

Papal interviews are a recent phenomenon. Vittoria Messori was lucky enough to interview John Paul II and **Crossing the Threshold of Hope**, which is the next book we will be discussing at book club, is the result of that collaboration. Does God exist?



"Proof" Is it still valid? Why is there so much evil in the world? Why so many religions? Buddha? These are just some of the questions put to John Paul II. The book is a defence of faith.

In January we will discuss Richard Rohr's book **The Divine Dance.**

The book for February is Sheldon Vanauken's A Severe Mercy- A Story of Faith, Tragedy, and Triumph.

In March we will read Julian of Norwich's work **Revelations of Divine Love**.

If any of these books interest you please join us for a lively discussion.

gazboantonius@gmail.com

OLSOS Craft Group

(Held every second Wednesday)

Wednesday, 22nd October 2024 from 12:30pm to 2:00pm

If you are not able to join us this week we will see you next time.

To find out more, call Cath on 0432 982 622

Come join the fun and bring a plate to share.



The items made will be given

for charity or for fund raising for the parish. If you can help with any donations of baby wool, 8ply Wool, Glue Gun, glue, crochet hooks, knitting needles Size 8 (4mm) or any other sizes. Please leave at the parish office.

Норе

In preparation for the 2025 Jubilee Year 'Pilgrims of Hope', Pope Francis designated 2024 to be a Year of Prayer.

The call to every Catholic has been to intensify their prayer life, rediscovering its great value and need, particularly in our current world.

This month of October represents a wonderful time to re-energise ourselves with this call to prayer from the Holy Father.

October is the month of the Rosary, a powerful tool for prayer, meditating the life of Our Lord, Jesus Christ.

In the past week, the Holy Father against asked us to pray and fast for peace in our world, amid an escalating conflict in the Middle East.

On Monday, the Diocese joined together at Our Lady of the Rosary Cathedral, to pray the Rosary for peace in our world, on the one-year anniversary of the deadly attack on Israel in 2023.

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In the next two weeks, the Church will celebrate the Memorials of Saint Teresa of Avila and Saint John Paul II, two important figures in the development of the Rosary.

Bishop Anthony Randazzo has asked we pray for him and all the other representatives at the Synod on Synodality in Rome, that they may listen to the Holy Spirit working through the Church. We are reminded in this, that the Synod is not just for those Bishops and other representatives in Rome, but for the whole Church.

In this spirit, Pope Francis' prayer intention for October is "for a shared mission", calling on the faithful in whatever vocation they may have to do their best to contribute to a sense of co-responsibility in the Church.

Through October, let us dedicate ourselves more to prayer, praying for the mission of our Church and peace in our world.

SECULAR FRANCISCAN ORDER

We have planned a special Franciscan Day on Sunday 20th October at the Terrigal Parish Hall to celebrate 800 years since St Francis received the Stigmata.

Activities begin after the 9.30am Mass when we will have a Morning Tea to which all parishioners are invited. Our guest speaker is Sister Pia Galea, a Sister of St Clare.

For additional information about the Franciscan charism, please see the website: <u>http://www.ofsaustralia.org.au</u>

Men's Bushwalking Group

We had to postpone our walk as the weather gods played havoc with our plans. Heavy drizzle is not conducive to a pleasant day out. We will try again next time.

Our next walk is on 22nd October and look forward to enjoying some great weather and companionship again. We intend exploring several trails on Kincumba Mountain.

Any gentlemen interested in participating in any of our walks, please contact Stim Robinson at <u>stimrobinson@hotmail.com</u> or on 0401 058 329 and you can get further details including where to meet for the walk. Our walks usually take an hour and a half or so and then we head off for lunch nearby.

Praying for Peace in the World

Mass at 9am Saturday 26 October will be an opportunity to come together to pray for peace.

It will be the normal Saturday Mass format with Reconciliation and Adoration.

During Adoration the Rosary will be prayed for World Peace.

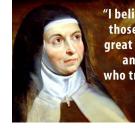
We place our troubled and broken world in our loving Father's hands through the intercession of Mary .



Anointing of the Sick

This Sacrament is celebrated during the 9am Mass on the last Friday of the month. The next Mass for anointing will be Friday 25th October. The anointing is for all those who are sick or preparing for surgery.

Saint Teresa of Avila



"I believe that God helps those who set out to do great things for His sake and never fails those who trust in Him alone." -Saint Teresa of Avila

Feast day 15th October

Pastoral Care Seminar Day

This will be a day of enrichment and fellowship for all those people in the Diocese of Broken Bay who are involved in a ministry to care for the sick, including Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion.

Morning tea and lunch will be provided. Various guest presenters will share hopeful and creative pastoral care with palliative care patients on the theme: "Chaplains Beyond Religious Roles"

Hosts: CatholicCare Hospital Chaplaincy

Venue: Caroline Chisholm Centre, Pennant Hills

Enquiries: Peter Brown 0418 616 602

Registration:

email peter.brown@catholiccaredbb.org.au before 16th October.

A Taste of Presence

Immerse yourself in a sensory journey at our workshop, where you'll engage in a harmonious blend of movement, relaxation, meditation, poetry, and hands-on creativity.

Join us for a refreshing escape that promises to inspire and uplift you. More info on our webpage: www.stjosephskincumber.org.au **PRICE: \$45**

MORNING TEA: Included 26th October 9.30am - 12.30am RSVP BY: 20th October 2024

St Joseph's Spirituality and Education Retreat 8 Humphreys Rd, Kincumber South See flyer on noticeboard

World Mission Sunday - Sunday 20th October

Pope Francis chose as this year's theme for the Day "Go and invite everyone to the Banquet".

Please <u>click link</u> for the Holy Father's message.

Pilgrims of Hope

All Young Adults and Senior High School students are warmly invited to attend "**Pilgrims of Hope**" a PraiseFest style event including Mass and Keynote Speaker which will be hosted by the Parish of Chatswood on 15th November 2024.

For further information, please contact; <u>mission@bbcatholic.org.au</u>

Save the Date – CCD Annual Mass

Saturday 16th November 11.30am, OLOR Cathedral, Waitara

The CCD Annual Mass is our opportunity to recognize and celebrate the devoted SRE catechists in our Diocese. We honour those who have served our ministry for 15 years or more, and this year we are thrilled to present a 60 years of service award. We also recognize catechists who have achieved high levels of training. We invite all clergy to concelebrate the Mass, and all catechists, family, friends and parishioners are welcome to attend.

ACBC Social Justice Statement 2024-25

"Truth and Peace: A Gospel Word in a Violent World"

To download, please click: 2024-2025 Social Justice Statement Social Justice Prayer Card Social Justice One Page Summary

XVI General Ordinary Assembly of the Synod of Bishops

Members of the Synod have gathered together in Rome for their second session. We invite you to continue to pray for all those attending the Second Session, particularly Bishop Anthony and Kelly Paget, as they participate in this significant and important gathering.

The following resources are available for use in liturgies or for group or personal prayer Journeying together -Synod 2023 – General Intercessions Synod Prayer A5 Prayers in the Spirit of Mary MacKillop Lectio Divina – Prayer Experience

Smart Loving

With the readings on marriage this week, I though to refer all married couples to the SmartLoving website at https://smartloving.org/

This is an excellent website for marriage enrichment and renewal. I ask all engaged couples I am marrying to do the online marriage preparation, which they are often reluctant to do, but then find it very helpful. Maybe you will find something worthwhile. Have a look! Vince **Save the date:** The Parish Family and Friends Christmas dinner: Saturday at 6pm 7th December (please note the new date).

Glimmers of Grace - Mary's Blessings

Jesuit and Ignatian Spirituality Australia is offering during the month of October an opportunity to receive an email each day with an image of Mary that St Ignatius contemplated and a prayer asking her to intercede for you to her Son, Jesus. You can also choose to receive information on St Ignatius and the Rosary. These emails are free, but a donation is requested at the time of registering. You can register anytime during October. Register for your daily October mail

Spring Cleaning

Next weekend on the table outside the church you will find our wish list of jobs. If you can assist, please put your name beside one of the jobs that need to be



done. You may like to work by yourself, in pairs, or form a group . Just come in your own time for as long as you want.

Before coming in to clean it is best to phone and check with the Parish Office that nothing is happening in or around the church. The windows in the church and Hall have been professionally cleaned

Thank you in anticipation .

Celebrate the Feast Day of Blessed Carlo Acutis with us!

Feast Day Vigil Mass, Veneration of Relic, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament – 7pm Friday 11 October at Chatswood

All are warmly welcomed to join our Feast Day celebration of Carlo's life by joining the Vigil Mass at 7pm. After Mass everyone will have an opportunity to venerate the relic of Blessed Carlo. Once Adoration has finished, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will occur all night, finishing at 9am on Saturday 12th October.



On the way to be the First Millennial Saint

Prayer Requests

Recently Deceased

Rodolfo Torzani Juc Moiread Said Joh

Judith Kersten Brian John Lentini Mary

Brian Jones Mary Rosemary Allen

Anníversaríes & Remembrance

Jesus Austria Sandonal Mary Lavelle Paul Costello Christopher Grouse Therese Engel Denise Smith Helmut H Roth Selina Orton Zofia Berkrycht

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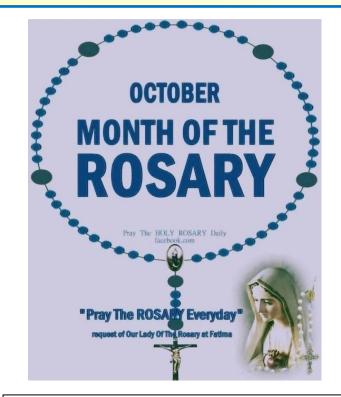
Fr Johny Arattukulam OCD Phillip O'Rourke Kate Terry Patricia Cooper Pia Favetta Michael Murphy Judy Saunders Marie Campbell

Dallas Reichel Bernie Introna Isla Sullivan Mary Smith

Prayer Requests

The long list of prayer requests for those who are sick or have died means that sometimes we don't notice the addition of the name of a person who especially needs our prayers at this time. For this reason, it has been decided to only leave names in for two or three weeks. Please pay attention to the names and, in your generosity, pray for those mentioned in the lists and their families.

Fr Vince



Acts of the Apostles

Bishop David Walker will present a four-part series on the Acts of the Apostles at St Agatha's, 20 Boundary Road, Pennant Hills. Tuesdays, 10:30am – 12 noon on 15th, 22nd & 29th October. Registrations essential. Contact St Agatha's arish Office on (02) 9484 1427 or email stagathas@bbcatholic.org.au

ROSTERS FOR SERVERS & EM

Saturday - 5.00pm

12/10/2024 Server D Southwell 19/10/2024 Server J Tarrant 26/10/2024 Server J Sheridan 2/11/2024 Server L George

Sunday - 7.30am

13/10/2024 Server G Justin (EM) E Katselas & E Bastoli 20/10/2024 Server M Slattery (EM) E Katselas & B Brown 27/10/2024 Server E Bastoli (EM) N Barcha & B Brown 3/11/2024 Server P Clayton (EM) E Katselas & B Brown

Sunday - 9.30am

13/10/2024 Server B Lobo 20/10/2024 Server P Quinn 27/10/2024 Server P Maniskas (EM) C Addison & R Avers 3/11/2024 Server B Lobo

(EM) R Ayers & A Bone (EM) K Curtis & R Lentini (EM) K Curtis & C Addison

(FM) L O'Donnell

(EM) M Perry

(EM) R Zadro & G Catanzarit

(EM) R Zadro & L O'Donnell

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

12/10/2024	(1) Lynches	(2) McCudden
19/10/2024	(1) Maureen Reynolds	(2) Dudley Smith
	(1) Dawn Smith	(2) Goodworth's
2/11/2024	(1) Connie Attarfd	(2) Lynches

Sunday - 7.30am

13/10/2024 (1) Peter Clayton	(2) Betty Brown
20/10/2024 (1) Sandrea Petith	(2) John Sheehan
27/10/2024 (1) Robyn Wild	(2) Jeanette Rogers
3/11/2024 (1) Chris Hartcher	(2) Anne Strong
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Sunday - 9.30am

13/10/2024 (1) Vic Wilmot	(2) Anne Mackson
20/10/2024 (1) Susan de Brincatt-Moffatt	(2) Joan Kearney
27/10/2024 (1) Jane Watt	(2) Graham Sproats
3/11/2024 (1) Jayne Robinson	(2) Janette Merrotsy

Weekly Cleaning Angels Roster



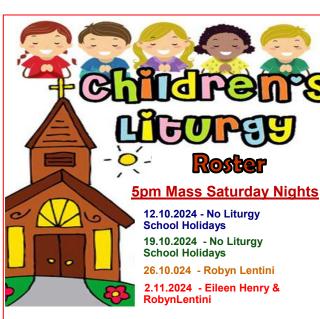
14th October 2024 Anna Camilleri, James Ferguson & Ann-Marie Finn

21st October 2024 Eileen Dodds, Sor Morales, Pamela Price & John Donnelly

Music Scholarships

Our Lady of Dolours, Chatswood is proud to re-open two exciting scholarships: junior organ scholar, and a choral scholar. Go to the following links: Junior Organ Scholar Flyer Choral Scholar Flyer

For any questions contact Titus.Grenver@bbcatholic.org.au



New helpers are welcome

MORNING TEA ROSTER Please stay and join us

After 9.30am Mass

Group 4	Anne Strong, Eileen Dodds, Mary Portelli & Mary Jones - 13.10.2024
Group 5	Margaret Brown & Robyn Ayers, Juliet Mathew & Kate Curtis - 20.10.2024
Group 6	Chris Whalan, Viv Ball & Alison Bone - 27-10.2024
Group 7	lan & Pat Rimes, Linda & Isabel Lee - 3.11.2024
Group 8	June Carpenter, Carmel Peek & Anne-Marie McCarthy – 10.11.2024
Group 1	Wanita Lynch, Mary Howes & Robyn Lentini - 17.11.2024 Extra helper needed
Group 2	Joan Kearney, Ina Kite, Robyn Wilmot & Viv Coleman - 24.11.2024
Group 3	Geraldine Czerkesow, Anne Coggan, Nancy Carey-Berryman & Susan Connor - 1.12.2024

Everyone is welcome, but we also invite you to bring along something to share together to eat. It may be a packet of biscuits, but more interesting is something to share that you have cooked.



Bus to Mass

The Parish bus collects parishioners for 9.30am Mass. If you would like to be picked up, please contact Peter Clayton via the Parish Office.



We need a few more drivers, so please consider this valuable ministry.

Thank you to our loyal drivers

