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MASSES: Weekend Masses: Saturday Vigil: 5.00pm Sunday: 7am, 8.30am, 10am

Weekday Masses: 7.30am

Monday to Friday: 7.30 am 1st Friday 12 Noon Saturday: 9am Public Holiday: 9.00am

Reconciliation:

Saturday: 8.15am - 8.45am **Prior to weekday Mass.**

Anointing of the Sick: First Friday of the month: 12 Noon Mass

Exposition: First Friday 10.45am Holy Hour

Normal Friday's after Morning Mass (Holy Hour)

Baptisms: Contact Parish Office or Fr Jacek . Option during Mass at 5pm, 8.30am and 10am.

Ring the Parish Office for bookings or enquiries.



OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA TERRIGAL

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

21 JULY 2019 SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME





Entrance Antiphon: See, I have God for my help. The Lord sustains my soul. I will sacrifice to you with willing heart, and praise you name, O Lord, for it is good.

"Martha, Martha, you worry and fret about so many things, and yet few are needed."

	TODAY	NEXT SUNDAY	
1st Reading:	Genesis 18:1-10	Genesis 18:20-32	
Psalm:	The just will live in the presence of the Lord.		
2nd Reading:	Colossians 1:24-28	Colossians 2:12-14	
Gospel Acclamation:	Alleluia, alleluia! Happy are they who have kept the word with a generous heart, and yield a harvest through perseverance. Alleluia!		
Gospel:	Luke 10:38-42	Luke 11:1-13	

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Sunday 21 July	Monday 22 July	Tuesday 23 July	Wednesday 24 July
Masses: 7.00am, 8.30am, 10.00am SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 1st Holy Communion Enrolment after 8.30am and 10am Masses	7.30am Holy Communion Service (Rosary at 7.00am) St Mary Magdalene	Mass: 7.30am (Rosary at 7.00am) FUNERAL 11AM Maureen Holmes Followed by a wake in the Hall 8.45am Legion of Mary 10am Gathering Group 7.15pm St Vincent de Paul	Mass: 7.30am (Rosary at 7.00am) St James, apostle
		Meeting	
Thursday 25 July	Friday 26 July	Saturday 27 July	Sunday 28 July
	Mass : 7.30am (Rosary at 7.00am)	Mass : 9.00am (Rosary at 8.30am)	Masses: 7.00am, 8.30am & 10.00am
OFFICE CLOSED	OFFICE CLOSED	Vigil Mass 5.00pm	SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
		1st Holy Communion Enrolment after Mass	1st Holy Communion Enrolment after 8.30am and 10am Masses

A message from Fr Jacek

Dear parishioners and visitors, welcome to our beautiful Parish on the 16th Sunday in ordinary time.

Thank you to the crowd who attended last Saturday evening's Italian evening. Not only was there good food, entertainment and company we managed to raise just over \$6000. Thank you to all who prepared for this event.

The First Holy Communion enrolments will begin over the next three weekends. Please read the bulletin for further details.

Please note the office will be closed on Thursday and Friday NEXT week.

Blessings on the week ahead.

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ANNUAL TRIVIA EVENING



School and Parish working together for the Missions
6.30pm Friday 9th August 2019

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Catholic Women's League



22nd July – Branch meeting 10.15am for 10.30am start in Parish Board Room. New members always welcome.

Enquiries: Ruth Robinson, 0414 434 856.

Plenary Council Report.

The Church is now in the "listening and discernment" phase in preparation for the 2020 plenary Council.

What is discernment? The usual secular definition is "the ability to judge well."

In his third apostolic exhortation given in March 2018 Pope Francis saw it in the Catholic context as "seeking out and being inspired the Holy Spirit". To know what is God's will.

Working groups are to be appointed during the listening and discernment phase to develop the six themes announced at Pentecost.

The challenge is how to ensure that the concerns expressed by tens of thousands of Catholics are properly reflected in the agenda for the plenary Council. The six themes are vague and will need considerable development. It is important then that the working groups do not function in isolation but develop the agenda based on thousands of submissions and the concerns expressed by tens of thousands of laity.

It is also important that the bishops do not determine the agenda but rather they receive it. And consider it prayerfully. The bishops need guidance from the laity. The days when the bishops simply laid down the rules and the laity followed are well and truly over. The Pope in emphasising a new a new Synodal church has made it clear again and again that the laity are a crucial part in the future governance of the Church.

A recurrent theme of submissions for the plenary Council related to married priests. Initially Pope Francis appeared to be against this. This is no longer the case. The Pope has convened a Synod for bishops from the Amazon region (most South American countries). This will be in Rome in October 2019. He has specifically placed on the agenda the ordination of married men.

To quote:

"men ordained in remote areas should preferably be indigenous people respected and accepted by their community, even if they already have a family..."

As this Synod is to take place 12 months before our own plenary Council any decision on married priests, even if initially confined to South America, is an important precedent for Australia.

The shortage of priests in South America has become a massive crisis. Not millions but tens of millions have left the Catholic Church and gone over to Pentecostalism. As an Argentinian the Pope is well aware of this crisis and is now prepared to meet it head on. However, as always, he wishes to do this in a consultative and deliberative way. Hence the Synod.

The Australian bishops with the Pope in June this year. It was anticipated they would discuss with the Pope allowing the laity to have a deliberative vote at the plenary Council and not simply consultive role. No announcement has been made so far.

Future plenary Council reports will address the issue of the six themes.



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CHILDREN'S LITURGY

28.7.19 Rebecca Lynch & Vicki Lengeek 4.8.19 Michelle Weisbaum

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FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

ENROLMENT will take place after the Masses on the following weekends:

Saturday 20th July after 5pm, Sunday 21st July after 8.30am & 10.00am

Saturday 27th July after 5pm, Sunday 28th July after 8.30am & 10.00am Saturday 3rd August after 5pm, Sunday 4th August after 8.30am & 10.00am

INPUT SESSION FOR PARENTS

7pm Thursday 8th August 2019

ROSTER - SUNDAY 28 JULY 2019

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If you are interested in participating in spiritual direction please call Robyn Wild 0410454650

Robyn will be introducing herself this weekend at the Masses.

The first CWF appeal for the 2018/19 financial year is scheduled for 3/4 August 2019. This appeal focuses on the CatholicCare Hospital Chaplaincy and Pastoral Care program and providentially coincides with the anniversary of Patricia's death (the subject of our next video story).

Social Justice Terrigal Group Meet the 2nd Thursday of the month in the Parish Office. All welcome

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ALTAR SOCIETY	ROSARY STATUE	CHURCH CLEANING (Week starting 29/7)	BUS DRIVERS
Helen Farmer Joan Harris	This week: Mr Mrs I Rimes Next week: Mr Mrs S Lynch	Wanita Lynch, Wanita Lynch, Penny King, Kate Lyons, Geraldine Czerkesow	28.7.19 Peter (We need more drivers on our roster, please help if you can)

	READERS	ALTAR SERVERS & Extra Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	VISUAL DISPLAY
5.00pm	Jane Denny, Dawn Smith	Smith C Lamont, P Proust, J Smith, C Catanzariti, L O'Donnel Chris Juniors: Dilyn Willis	
7.00am	m B Brown, P Clayton, H King S Imbruglia, M Slattery, P Clayton, B Brown P Malone		
8.30am	B Tutill, F Cohen, C Hartcher	J Duvergé, V Duvergé, R Lentini, R Ayers, R Noffke Juniors: Cooper Jamieson, William Lynch Frank	
10.00am	B Hunter, G Boersma, V Wilmot	B Lobo, P Maniskas, F Wessel, S Zavolokin, R Lentini Juniors: Justin Katalinic, Nathan Katalinic	Gay



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