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

Weekday Masses:

Monday to Thursday: 7.30 am
Friday 7.30am & 12 Noon
Saturday: 9am
This Public Holiday: 7.30am

Reconciliation:
Friday: 11.15am -11.45am
Saturday: 8.15am - 8.45am
Prior to weekday Mass

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

Exposition: Friday
At 10.45am (Holy Hour)

Baptisms: 11.30am on
appointed Sundays.
Also Saturdays by
appointment

**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 ”*

28 OCTOBER 2018




30th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR B

Entrance Antiphon: **Let the hearts that seek the Lord rejoice; turn to the Lord and his strength; constantly seek his face.**



**“Go, your faith
has saved you.”**

	TODAY	NEXT SUNDAY
1st Reading:	Jeremiah 31:7-9	Deuteronomy 6:2-6
Psalm:	The Lord has done great things for us; we are filled with joy.	
2nd Reading:	Hebrews 5:1-6	Hebrews 7:23-28
Gospel Acclamation:	<p style="text-align: center;">Alleluia, alleluia! Our Saviour Jesus Christ had done away with death, and brought us life through his gospel. Alleluia!</p>	
Gospel:	Mark 10:46-52	Mark 12:28-34

Sunday 28 October	Monday 29 October	Tuesday 30 October	Wednesday 31 October
Masses: 7.00am, 8.30am, 10.00am 30th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME POST FETE BARGAINS IN HALL (Sales for Missions & WYD)	Mass: 7.30 am (Rosary at 7.00am)	Mass: 7.30am (Rosary at 7.00am) 8.45am Legion of Mary 10am Gathering Group 7.15pm St Vincent de Paul Meeting  6pm St Michael Prayer Group Mass & Prayers All welcome	Mass: 7.30am (Rosary at 7.00am)
Thursday 1 November	Friday 2 November	Saturday 3 November	Sunday 4 November
Mass: 7.30am (Rosary at 7.00am)  All Saints Day Office closed from 11.45am 10.30 am <i>Lectio Divina</i> in the Parish Office 12 Noon School Liturgy Mass at 6pm	Mass: 7.30am (Rosary at 7.00am) 12 Noon Mass  ALL SOULS 7pm Baptism Preparation	Masses: 9.00am (Rosary at 8.30am) Vigil Mass 5.00pm CWF Appeal	Masses: 7.00am, 8.30am & 10.00am 31st SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME CWF Appeal

A message from Fr Jacek

Dear parishioners and visitors, welcome to our beautiful Terrigal Parish as we celebrate the 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time.

The Parish Fair by the Sea was a wonderful successful with \$54,400 raised and great community spirit.

Please note the Mass times for All Saints and All Souls day listed in this weekend's bulletin.

Mass envelopes for the Holy Souls are in the pews. The names will be written in the Holy Souls Book and placed before the Altar at each Mass. They will also be prayed for at each Mass.

There will be a service with prayers and blessing of the graves on the 11th November at 2pm at Wamberal Cemetery.

God Bless you on the week ahead.

Animator's Report Calling all Catholics. Your church wants to hear your voice. Plenary council 2020.

Catholic Education in Australia is, in one sense, an extraordinary success story.

The statistics are impressive. 1,700 schools, 750,000 students, 60,000 teachers.

Effectively one in five children in Australia are at a Catholic school. In addition at a tertiary level there are two Catholic Universities and the country's only liberal arts college.

For over 100 years this vast system was built without any Government assistance and staffed by the lifelong self sacrifice of thousands of women and men in the religious orders.

Catholic schools rightly enjoy a reputation for high academic and sporting achievement.

Few other English speaking countries have such a proud record. (In the United States the number of students at Catholic schools 40 years ago was 5 million; now it is only 2 million. In recent years over 1900 schools have closed.)

Yet one frightening statistic casts a dark shadow: 95% of all graduates of Catholic education have no involvement with the Church after leaving school. Why? These figures tell their own story. How can a system be achieving the propagation of the Catholic faith if only one in twenty graduates choose to follow that faith?

Again, a major challenge to be addressed at the Plenary Council.

In 2006 the Bishops issued a pastoral statement : Catholic Schools at the Crossroads.

They identified this failure but had no solution to resolve it.

Can it be resolved ? Are we destined to follow the American decline?

What are your views? How can our schools become once again " fortresses of faith"?

How do we make sure "Catholic education" is Catholic? Isn't that an enormous challenge for the 21st century Church?

Please remember the Parish Gathering on Saturday 17 November.

Your views and your story are needed.



Schoenstatt Mother Apostolate Sunday 28th October

At our parish after 10am Mass the Rosary will be prayed at the Shrine.

There will also be tea and coffee in the parish Hall with special guest Sister Luisa Maria.

DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR / DIARY

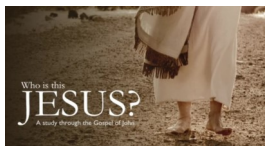
- November** 1st Thursday Diocesan Charity Race Day Gosford (Office closed from 11.45 am)
- 6th Tuesday Melbourne Cup Caritas Luncheon
- 17th Saturday GATHERING - **Plenary Council**
- December** 1st Saturday **PARISH CHRISTMAS DINNER**

MASSES FOR ALL SAINTS AND ALL SOULS ALL SAINTS -THURSDAY 1st November 7.30am and 6pm



ALL SOULS FRIDAY 2nd November 7.30am Mass and 12 Noon Mass

Learning about the Catholic faith has begun in our parish



For those interested in knowing more about the Catholic Faith a gentle and non-threatening series of talks are currently being held. **Wednesday 31 October at 7pm.**

The program we will be using is entitled "At Home with God's People".

If you are seeking Baptism or, as a baptised person you wish to know more about our faith family, then this may be for you. Please feel welcome to join us.

For further information please ring **Betty 4384 3756** or **Janette at the Parish office 4367 4610.**



Please keep in your prayers the soul of Jorge Fernandez. Jorge died of brain cancer last weekend in Spain.

He was 56. He leaves a widow and 3 teenage children.

Jorge is an important part of our parish story.

He worked with the then parish priest Fr Carol Grew to finance the transfer of the church and school from the former overgrown site on Terrigal beach to the present one. Jorge organised the syndicate that paid the then enormous amount of \$10 million and took on the difficult job of obtaining Council consent for the site's redevelopment to gain a return on such a large pay out.

He was a devout Catholic, living at Potts Point and a generous benefactor of St Mary's Cathedral.

May he rest in peace.

CATHOLIC WEEKLY \$2.00
Money in the poor box please

CHARITABLE WORKS COLLECTION
NEXT WEEKEND
Envelopes are available in the pews

 **Fair by the Sea**
THANK YOU TO ALL PARISHIONERS
and our wonderful winners.
RAFFLE WINNERS
1ST PRIZE Olivia McKenzie (\$3,000)
2nd PRIZE Lauren Williams (Skydome Solar)
3rd PRIZE N. Pensabene (Crowne Plaza)
4th PRIZE Nick Strong (Mystery Gift)
5th PRIZE John Burg (Cinta Voucher)


POST FETE SALES in the Hall This weekend
Please take a look after the Masses this weekend
Money will be shared with the Missions in PNG for a
lap top for the Parish Priest in Kuli and our 2 World
Youth Day Pilgrims !

POSTPONED - The fundraiser for Sarnelli House - An apology from Bernie and helpers that the luncheon for Sarnelli House has been postponed until early next year!
If you would still like to make a donation for this year please leave in an envelope in the Parish Office.
This will go to support the children with Aids in Thailand. We proudly support the work of parishioner Kathleen Introna in her valuable work. Further information Bernie Introna 43677251


CHILDREN'S LITURGY ROSTER
28/10/18 Michelle Weisbaum
4/11/18 Vicki Lengeek & Rebecca Lynch

Sisterhood Sydney Connect - Sat Nov 3
2-5pm Info Sandra 0415306368
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NOVEMBER THE MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS



- ◆ Mass envelopes available in the pews
- ◆ Pray for the Holy Souls, an extra Rosary or attend an extra Mass.

WAMBERAL CEMETERY SERVICE with blessing of graves at 2pm Sunday 11 November. Please notify your friends who may have loved ones buried at Wamberal.

Catholic Women's League



5th November Craft morning 10.00am in Parish meeting room.
19th November Coffee Morning from 10.00am at Breakers Country Club.
26th November final Branch Meeting for 2018 11.15 a.m. for 11.30 a.m. start.
Keep aside 10th December 12.00 noon at Breakers Country Club for end of year luncheon.
\$40 membership for 2019 now due.
Enquiries: Ruth Robinson (President) M: 0414 434 856

ROSTER - SUNDAY 4 NOVEMBER 2018

ALTAR SOCIETY	ROSARY STATUE	CHURCH CLEANING from Monday 5/11/18	BUS DRIVERS
Joan Cole Cecilia Long	This week: Mr Mrs J Strong Next week: Mr Mrs B Merrotsy	Mary Bryant, Nigel Carter, Pina Maisano, Kerry Oliver	4.11.18 Adrian 11.11.18 Joe 18.11.18 Peter 25.11.18 Russell (we need more drivers)

	READERS	ALTAR SERVERS & Extra Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	VISUAL DISPLAY
5.00 pm	Dudley Smith, Nicole Murphy	L George, J Smith, D Smith, R Zardo, M Perry Juniors: Nick Husk, Lachlan Murphy Pacholek	Bede
7.00 am	L Tamayo, E Tamayo, J Rogers	G Justin, P Clayton, J Hayes, E Katselas, B Brown	
8.30 am	F Cohen, E Goodworth, F O'Dowd	F Sammut, P Jelfs, A Bone, R Lentini, R Ayers Juniors: William Lynch, Tom Fetnton, Cooper Jamieson	Frank
10.00 am	M Ellicott, J Merrotsy, B Introna	P Quinn, B Lobo, S Zavolokin, I Kite, A Brooks Juniors: Justin Katalinic, Nathan Katalinic, Kaden Old	Gay

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Connie Aylett	Alexandra Willis A
Amy	Connor Katie Lachlan
Glenn Smith	Flynn Corti Gallagher
Sharon Bramwell	Kevin Murphy
Don Moore	Stephen & Ann Durnford
Oliver Gleeson	Delia Margaret Dowling
Margret Gatland	Patrice Turner
Mariano Duarte (5years)	Christian Stephanie
Louise Gorman	Dave Crowther
Mary Moore	Mark & Daniel Hayes
Jennifer Nolan	Gerrit Boekkee
Jane Schneider	Paul Webb
Keiran, Tom, Daniel & Christine, John	Matt Garland Ron Smith
Zac Thorpe, Paddy Finn	Fred Carter
Christine Dornauer	Pat Burn Ross Rae
Maryanne Fardy	Catherine Harris
Lulu Woodhouse	Helen Sharman
Sharon Bramwell	Dean Thompson
Haydn Smith JT	Baby Joseph & Evan
Marie, Dean, Paul, Victor, pt A&P M	Marie Partier
Betty Bainbridge	Darcy Green (12yrs)
Sheelagh Hearn	Kelly Smith
Monique Leyden	Milka Roch
Tadhg O'Rourke	Paul Catanzariti
Carolyn Imbruglia	Gary Green
Marion Stephens	Eva Jaszczyk
Donna Flanagan	Greg Lucie Panton
Daisy Collins	Sarah Lynch (12 Years)
Rob Peake LF CB R	Denise & Trevor Bailey
Elizabeth Perry	Sam Borg
Peter Wessel	Amalia Costa HM
Francesca	Carla Redding
Wessel-Chevallerau	Kevin Brown Jude
Barbara D'arcey	Susanna Ronnie
Mark Watkins	Michael Paic KH GL
Ross Watkins	Eli Agzarian Thomas
Terry Sharon	Sr Dorothy Costigan csb
Jack Bruce (5yrs)	Belinda Garnsey Helen
Carolyn Harris	Eileen, Jesse
Louise O'Rourke Grant	Jordyn Butt
Chris Dunphy Gloria	Bryan Collins
Terence Conlon BH	Elizabeth Benazzi
Merrece Strange Ann	Dave Crowther
Paul Malone	Joanne Murphy KM
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Margaret Thorpe	Kate Schweitzer
Michael Kokegei (9th Anniv)	Pam Gressier
Jim & Lorraine Ryan	Barry Love
Margo Annis-Brown	Ted Hayes
Chiara Balzama (8th Anniv)	Tony & Geraldine
Rae Breen	D'arcey
Sue & Dorothy Cox	Lily & Sam Sammut
Maureen & Bernie Mellare	Vince & Nelda Bridges
Alofa Cosgrave	Michael O'Mally
Selina Orton	Clare Carter
Mara, Steypan Lugar	Elena Ycsiar
Iris Raymond	Frank & Dot Jones
Gerry Whalan	Bernie & Anne Dawes
Michael De Nichilo	Sam & Lily Sammut
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