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## Saturday Vigil / Sunday Mass Times

**St Cecilia's Church**  
23 Byron St Wyong  
Sat Vigil 5.00pm Sun 7.30am & 9.30am

**St John Fisher Mass Centre**  
Hicks Lane Tumbi Umbi  
Sat Vigil 5.00 pm Sun: 8.30am & 5pm

## Weekday Mass

**St Cecilia's** : Mon-Sat: 8.00am  
**St John Fisher:**  
Mon, Wed, Thurs 8:00am  
Tue & Fri: 9.15am

## Eucharistic Adoration

**St Cecilia's** Daily 7am-8am  
**St John Fisher** 1st Friday 8.15 - 9.15am  
**St Cecilia's** 1st Friday of the month 7pm  
mass followed by prayers - Mass Midnight  
concluding 1am Saturday

## Reconciliation/Confession

**St Cecilia's** Saturday morning after the  
8am Mass & Saturday at 4.30pm  
**St John Fisher** Saturday at 4.30pm

## Anointing of the Sick (First Friday)

**St Cecilia's** During 8.00am & 11.30am  
Mass  
**St John Fisher** During 9.15am Mass

## Monthly Mass

**St Barnabas** Yarramalong 1st Sunday  
11.15am  
**Filipino Mass** Every 3rd Sunday 12pm

## Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Sat St Cecilia's & Wed St John Fisher  
(after the 8:00am mass)

## Devotion to the Divine Mercy

**St Cecilia's** Fri after the 8am Mass  
**St John Fisher** Fri after the 9:15am Mass

## St Cecilia's Church

Rosary Group 2pm Tuesdays  
Legion of Mary 8am Wednesdays

## Emergency Priest Contact

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## Parish Office 23 Byron Street Wyong

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**New Email:** wyongparish@bbcatholic.org.au

Wyong Catholic Parish has a new Diocesan website,  
the website address is:

**New Website:** <https://www.bbcatholic.org.au/wyong/>

**Facebook:** [www.facebook.com/wyongcatholicparish](http://www.facebook.com/wyongcatholicparish)

## Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for May; Workers in War Zones

For doctors and their humanitarian collaborators in war zones, who  
risk their lives to save the lives of others.

## Condolences

*The Parish extends our deepest condolences to the family of  
Kay Taylor who passed away on Easter Sunday.*

*Kay was a dedicated member of our PPC, Liturgy Committee  
and Sacramental Team. She shared her faith, love and  
enthusiasm through these ministries.  
We will miss her deeply.*

*Kay's funeral was held at Our Lady of the Rosary, The  
Entrance on Friday 26th April at 2pm.*

*We know and pray that she is in God's loving hands.  
May she rest in peace. Amen*


## Keep Us In Your Prayers

**Prayer:** *The most valuable gift you can give someone.*

**Sick:** Len Miller, Sr Sylvia Markulin, Victor Gibbs, Harriet  
Powell, Danae Roe, Peter Ford, Gail Parsons, Harry Hall,  
Michael Briggs.

**Recently Deceased:** Kay Taylor, Rodney Noble,

**Anniversary:** Serapio Otones

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**Fourth Sunday of Easter** Readings: 12th May 2019

**First Reading;** Acts 13:14, 43-52;

**Second Reading;** Apoc 7:9, 14-17;

**Gospel;** Jn 10:27-30

You may view next week's readings by visiting this  
web site: <http://www.usccb.org/bible/>



## GOSPEL REFLECTION

*In Jesus' time and in early Christianity, there were two types of missionaries: those who preached to the people and then left, and those who proclaimed the Good News and remained to strengthen and nurture the faith of the community.*

*The work of the Apostles as commissioned by Jesus involves two things: to call people to belief and then to nurture this faith. This is expressed in two ways: to be 'fishers of men' and to 'feed the sheep'. In the case of Simon Peter, in the beginning he is told by Jesus: 'Do not be afraid; from now on you will be catching men' (Lk 5:10). And in today's Gospel, after his threefold confession of love before the risen Jesus, Simon is told: 'Tend my sheep'.*

*Jesus, the Good Shepherd, commissions Peter to feed Jesus' lambs and to tend Jesus' flock. Peter should never forget that the flock's owner is Jesus and that he is only the caretaker. As Good Shepherd, Jesus lays down his life for the sheep. The evangelist then indicates that Peter will die in a manner fitting for a shepherd in the service of Jesus.*

*This mandate of shepherding given to Peter is extended to other shepherds in the community. Jesus' words to Peter – 'Feed my lambs' – can be taken as a solemn charge to care for and to rule the community of believers in his name. The apostolic tradition will later pass on this image of the shepherd who is 'feeding the flock' as a metaphor for Christian leadership (cf 1 Pt 5:1-4; Acts 20:28-29).*

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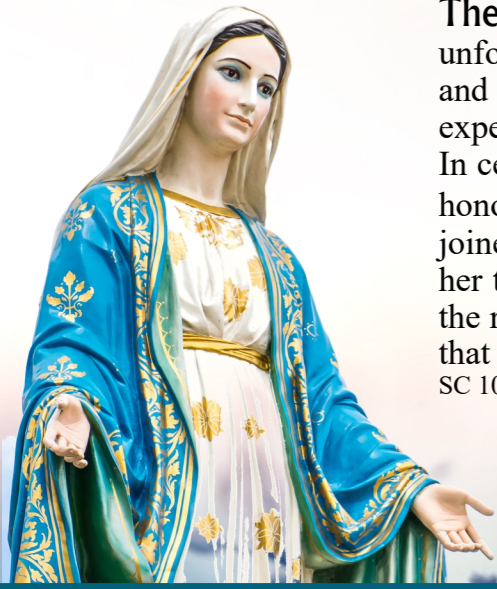
## WYONG CATHOLIC PARISH

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UNDER THE PASTORAL CARE OF THE SOCIETY OF OUR LADY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY SOLT

**VISION** THE WYONG CATHOLIC PARISH IS A WELCOMING, CARING DYNAMIC COMMUNITY  
**MISSION STATEMENT** WE WILL LIVE AND PROCLAIM THE MESSAGE OF THE GOSPEL  
**ENGAGE, PARTICIPATE, REACH OUT AND TRANSFORM**





**The Month of May.** Within the cycle of a year, the Church unfolds the whole of the mystery of Christ, from his incarnation and birth until his ascension, the day of Pentecost, and the expectation of blessed hope and of the lord's return...

In celebrating this annual cycle of Christ's mysteries, the Church honours with special love **Mary, the Mother of God**, who is joined by an inseparable bond to the saving work of her Son. In her the Church holds up and admires the most excellent effect of the redemption and joyfully contemplates, as in a flawless image, that which the Church itself desires and hopes wholly to be. SC 102, 103

May is traditionally the Month of Mary, where we recall the role of Mary in salvation. **We worship only Jesus Christ, but we honor Mary as a saint.**

The Rosary is a popular and traditional Roman Catholic devotion where we meditate on the life of Jesus and Mary.

The Rosary is recited after the 8am daily Mass at Wyong and also every Tuesday at 2pm. Why not come and join us, all are welcome.



**Upcoming activities**

**May**

- Monday 6th, Woman's Get-together group 10.30am Parish Hall
- Sunday 12th, Mothers Day
- Tuesday 14th PPC Meeting
- Sunday 18/19th, CWF appeal
- 24th & 25th, Sacrament of Confirmation Ceremony

**June**

- Sunday 1/2nd, The Ascension of the Lord / Week of prayer for Christian Unity
- Wednesday 5th, Liturgy Meeting 6pm Parish Hall
- Sunday 9th, Pentecost Sunday (don't forget to wear your name badges)
- Sunday 15/16th, SVDP Winter appeal

**July**

- Peter's Pence appeal



**OZ ROSARY #53**

**Weekend of the Feast of Our Lady Help of Christians**

**Friday 24th, Saturday 25th & Sunday 26th May**

**St Cecilia's Church Wyong**

**8.30am to 9am**

Parishioners are invited to come together after the 8am Mass on Friday 24th, Saturday 25th and at 8.45am on Sunday 26th and pray the rosary at St Cecilia's Catholic Church. The prayer intentions are for families, youth, Australia in particular and both political and Church leaders.

**The Charitable Works Fund will be held on the weekend of 18th/19th May**

**Supporting the Charitable Works Fund puts your gift to work in your local faith community.**

We are so grateful to our community who demonstrate their love for their neighbours by generously supporting the Charitable Works Fund.

**The CWF works** every day by providing the funds to ensure that there are trained CatholicCare Pastoral Care Practitioners in the hospitals in our Diocese.

**The CWF works** every day by providing the funds to create the resources and train the catechists (Catholic Special Religious Education Teachers) to the public schools in our Diocese.

**The CWF works** every day by providing additional funds to two schools with students with special needs.

**The CWF works** every day by providing funds to those who are deaf or hard of hearing through the Ephpheta Centre.

When you give to the CWF, you can be assured that your donation is working for the faith and the people of the Diocese of Broken Bay.

Donations \$2 and over are tax-deductible.

**Prayer for a New Bishop**



Heavenly Father and Eternal Shepherd, you watch over and govern your flock with vigilance and concern.

In your immense love, grant to your Church a pastor who will please you by his holiness and aid us with his unfailing care.

In your time, grant us the joy of welcoming a shepherd formed after your own heart. May he be an example of virtue to your people and, imbued with the power of the Holy spirit, fill their minds with the truth and beauty of the Gospel.

Grant wisdom, O Lord, to those now discerning your holy will in the selection of our new bishop.

We ask this in the name of Jesus our Lord and through the intercession of our mother, Mary Star of the Sea.

Amen.

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