

<b>October</b>		
Eucharistic Adoration Daily	7am—8am	St Cecilia's Church
<b>Monday 7th Our Lady of the Rosary (Memorial)</b>		
Mass or Devotions and Prayers	11am	St Peter's Catholic College
<b>Tuesday 8th</b>		
Catechist Classes; Tuggerah & Tuggerawong Public Schools		
Rosary Group	2pm	St Cecilia's Church
PPC Meeting	6pm	Parish Hall
<b>Wednesday 9th</b>		
Catechist Classes; Chittaway & Berkeley Vale Public Schools		
Legion of Mary	8am	St Cecilia's Church
Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help - following	8am Mass	St John Fisher Mass Ctr
Fr Raul/Alex and the Legion of Mary to visit	10.30am	Wyong Nursing Home
<b>Thursday 10th</b>		
Catechist Classes; Tacoma Public School		
Parish Court House helpers provide morning tea	9am-11.30am	Wyong Court House
<b>Friday 11th</b>		
Devotion to the Divine Mercy - following	8am Mass	St Cecilia' Church
Devotion to the Divine Mercy - following	9.15am Mass	St John Fisher Mass Ctr
<b>Saturday 12th</b>		
Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help following	8am Mass	St Cecilia' Church
Children's Liturgy	5pm	St Cecilia's Church
<b>Sunday 13th</b> 28th Sunday Ordinary Time -		
Children's Liturgy	9.30am	St Cecilia's Church
Baptisms	10.45am	St Cecilia's Church
Parish Multicultural Lunch	12noon	St John Fisher Hall Hicks Lane Tumby
Children's Liturgy	5pm	St John Fisher Mass Ctr

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Week 10

1st Louis Sammut No 13 \$40

2nd Pam May No 35 \$20

Week 11

1st Robert Peers No 58 \$40

2nd Patrick Fitzgerald No 72 \$20

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# 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year C

6TH OCTOBER 2019

## Gospel Reflection

Sometimes being a person of faith is simply hard work and a challenge and there can be more questions and answers. Is God listening? Does God care? These are questions that we can all find ourselves asking and the prophet Habbakuk wrestled with these questions in midst of turbulent and troublesome times in the seventh century BC. Babylon was on the rise and his world was being turned upside down. Much of his writing brings his questions, and those of the people of Israel, directly to God. Ultimately he comes to see that God's promises will come to fulfilment, but that will be in God's time and in God's ways. In the meantime, the person of faith must be faithful and endure—no easy matter then or now!

In the early decades of the Christian movement there were many challenges to be faced. Timothy is encouraged to take hold of the fluttering and precious gift of faith and work hard to fan it into a flame of power, love and self-control. He is reminded that while being a missionary can lead to imprisonment, as it did for Paul, this is no cause for shame but prompts us to rely on the gift of the Spirit within us. Jesus' own words about faith today provide both encouragement and challenge. We can do so much when we are firmly founded on faith and use the gifts that we have been given. Persisting in the midst of life with all its demands and complexity—that's our duty.

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**The word of the Lord stands for ever;  
it is the word given to you, the Good News.**

## Parish Multicultural Lunch

Celebrate diversity in our parish come and share a multicultural lunch and some fun afternoon activities. Please bring food (sweet and savoury) to share and stories from your cultural background.

**13th October  
12noon  
St John Fisher Hall  
Hicks Lane Tumbi Umbi.**

## Parish Fundraiser with Environmental Benefits

Return and Earn

The parish is looking at new initiatives to raise money to meet parish needs. With this in mind we have decided to commence the Return and Earn Program.

We ask every parishioner to bring one recyclable can or bottle (more if you choose) to Mass each week. Please place in the special bin provided.

Brian Bugden has kindly offered to collect the recycling items every Monday and take them to the Return and Earn station.

Warnervale Parish implemented this great idea some months ago and have been averaging around \$70 per week.



## Bunnings BBQ

A very big thank you to everyone involved in making the Bunnings BBQ a great success. Special Thank you to Kerry & Brian Bugden and Catherine & Patrick Fitzgerald for running the event on the day.

**We raised \$1500.00**

## The next Women's Get Together Group will be held on Monday Monday 7th October.

All Welcome to join us @ 10.30am in our Parish Hall.

- ◆ Cake Coffee
- ◆ Companionship
- ◆ Chit Chat
- ◆ Craft - optional

## Our Lady of the Rosary

The month of October is dedicated to the Holy Rosary. The Memorial of Our Lady of the Rosary is celebrated on 7th October.

'The Rosary is a way of contemplating the face of Christ, seeing him, we may say, with the eyes of Mary.'  
(Pope John Paul 11).

Our **Parish Community** and **Parish School Community's** are invited to come together to celebrate.

**24th November**

**5pm, Sunday night Mass**

**followed by a Sausage Sizzle.**

Please join in this Mass to Celebrate our wonderful wide community.

We especially invite our Youth and all the children who have received Sacraments this year.

## Parish Christmas Dinner

Parishioners are invited to come together to celebrate the festive season and thank one another for our gifts we share throughout the year. These gifts we share are what makes our Parish the wonderful caring community it is.

**Friday 13th December**

**Parish Hall/Veranda and grass area. 23 Byron Street Wyong. Bring picnic chairs or blanket to sit on outside.**

Please bring desserts or sweets to share.

## Anointing of the Sick (First Friday)

St Cecilia's During 8.00am & 11.30am Mass

St John Fisher During 9.15am Mass

## Keep Us In Your Prayers

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

**Sick:** Len Miller, Victor Gibbs, Harriet Powell, Danae Roe, Peter Ford, Harry Hall, Michael Briggs, Kerry Baldwin, Christine Heffernan, Jennese Thompson, Stephen Doyle, Martin Wicks, Leeann Hazelton, Janet Ellis & Catherine Amey.

**Recently Deceased:** Jill Hill.

**Anniversary:** Barry Austin, Donald King.

## Condolences

*The Parish extends our deepest condolences to the family of Jill Hill who passed away recently. Jill's Requiem Mass was held at St Cecilia's Church Friday 4th October 1.30pm. We know and pray that she is in God's loving hands. May she rest in peace. Amen*

## Weekend 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

## Reconciliation/Confession

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

## Monthly Mass

St Barnabas Yarramalong

1st Sunday 11.15am

Filipino Mass

Every 3rd Sunday 12pm

## Eucharistic Adoration

St Cecilia's Daily 7am-8am

St John Fisher 1st Fri 8.15-9.15am

St Cecilia's 1st Friday of the month  
7pm mass followed by prayers - Mass  
Midnight concluding 1am Saturday

**Please Note:** During the October School Holidays the Parish Office will be closed on: Mon 7th and Fri 11th Oct.

**Readings: 13th October 2019  
28th SUNDAY in ORDINARY  
TIME, Year C**

**First Reading;** 2 Kg 5:14-17;  
**Second Reading;** 2 Tim 2:8-13;  
**Gospel;** Lk 17:11-10

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