

Boolaroo—Warners Bay and Booragul Parishes

We celebrate the Lord's Day on **Saturdays 5.30pm at Boolaroo.**

Sunday at 9.00am and 6.00pm at Warners Bay.

Children's Liturgy is held at the **9:00am** Mass on Sunday mornings during school terms.

Children's Liturgy is conducted by leaders who have a current New Working with Children

Check clearance, registered with the parish office and verified by the Diocese.

New Parishioners? Welcome! Please fill in a form in the foyer.

Weekday Masses and Liturgies:

Booragul:	Tues:	9:00am	Mass followed by Adoration
	Fri:	9:00am	Liturgy
Boolaroo:	Wed:	9:00am	Mass
Warners Bay:	Thurs.	9:30am	Mass
	Fri:	6:00pm	Mass
	Sat :	9:00am	Liturgy

A3 versions of the bulletin are available for the sight impaired.

Please be mindful of our neighbours when parking your car.

Preface of Easter 3 and the 3rd Eucharist Prayer

Bishop Bill Wright's Easter message. Copies are available.

Hour of Adoration and Prayer (HOAP) will be held on 15 April at 6:30pm at St Philip's Kotara.

The Craft group will be back on the weekend of the **28th April** (5.30pm Mass) and the **29th April** (9.00am Mass). [Sorry for the booboo with the dates last week. Fr B] They have made much for us to admire and **purchase** for the sake of the work of the Society of St Vincent de Paul.

In line with Royal Commission Recommendations to the Catholic Church, it continues to be essential for all church workers/volunteers to understand the principles guiding our ministry. These principles, as stated in the ACBC document '**Integrity in the Service of the Church**', will be explained throughout the diocese in 2018. Two 3 hour modules will run Fri 4 May: 10am – 1pm, Fri 29 Jun, 10am – 1pm, Charlestown Parish Hall. To register, contact via E sharon.murphy@mn.catholic.org.au or P 4979 1134.

Christian Meditation: The Spirit in the Desert. You are welcome on 5 May, 9.30am – noon at the Chapel of Newcastle Parish Centre, 25 Farquhar St, The Junction (enter via laneway). Morning tea provided. RSVP annecuskelly@hotmail.com or 0407 436 808. Cost \$5.

Palms Australia is holding an Information Session on 12 May from 3:00pm – 5:00pm at The Resistance Centre, 472 Hunter Street, Newcastle. See the noticeboard for more details.

Project Compassion. Project Compassion boxes can be returned now. Please place them on the table for the Presentation of the Gifts.

Adoration of the Blessed Eucharist at St Michael's Booragul on Tuesday after the 9:00am Mass.

Check the notice board for further information. The activities in this bulletin are endorsed by our parishes as part of the Diocese of Maitland-Newcastle

Rosary Statue: The Rosary will be prayed at the home of Robyn Spinks on Monday at 2pm, 26 Dalmeny Drive, Macquarie Hills. All welcome.

Rosary Roster is soon to be renewed. If you would like to host the Rosary during a week please sign the sheet in the foyer. We have only 4 people on the current roster who are able to host the praying of the rosary and that number is not sustainable in forming a new roster.

The Annual Tenison Woods Education Centre Dinner will be held on 21 May at the Therry Centre, East Maitland. See the foyer.

Morning tea with the Muslim community - Bishop Bill would like you to join him for a morning tea with the Muslim community, to be held at St Patrick Primary School Hall, Macquarie St, Wallsend on the 26 April from 10.30am to 12.00pm. It will be an opportunity to meet with people from the Newcastle and Mayfield Mosque and exchange information about our faiths. Please RSVP to Brooke Robinson Email events@mn.catholic.org.au or phone 4979 1111 by 20th April.

Let us pray for the sick, including Bette Quinn Magill, Fran Power, Pauline Walters, Colin Conroy, Kath Burns, Mary Maier, Neville Betts, Indianna Martin, Kelvyn Elward, Beth and Barry Maggs, James Grew, Don Richards, Greg Adam, Allan Baxter, Harry Smith, Cooper Daniel, Anthony Rigby, Dominic Punch, Colin and Elizabeth Oaten, Bayly Turner, Anne Keating, Sharna, Anna Veltruski, Kate Vincent (Crossingham), Veronica Hipwell, Pat Lanigan, John Evans, Yvonne Fitzpatrick, Pam Mason, Delma Clarke, Winston Aslin, Susan Salamon, Ryder Withers, Maria Terwkar, John McCarthy, Rita Sutton, Kristie Porters, Narelle Lackenby, Reuben Neilson, David Owens, Jacqueline Smith, Adele Duffy, Rebecca Reid, Margaret Mullins and Stella Jones.

(If you know that any of the above names can come off the list, could you let our office know. Thanks)

We pray for those who have died recently. We pray too for John Daly, Mollie O'Donoghue, Owen Morris and Marianne Lourensz who are remembered at this time.

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ABN for Boolaroo/Warners Bay Parish is 29 084 970 430. ABN for Maitland Newcastle Diocesan Trust Fund (for the purpose of tax receipts) is 46 167 334 530

ABN for Booragul Parish is 17 725 561 225

Any parishioner wishing to join the Planned Giving Program, please fill in the brochure in the foyer of the Church or contact Fr. Brian on 4958 2031. Donations can be given by direct debit and credit card facilities—forms are in the foyer.