## **Boolaroo—Warners Bay and Booragul Parishes**

We celebrate the Lord's Day on

Saturday at Our Lady Help of Christians Church Boolaroo at 5.30pm Sunday at 9.00am and 6.00pm at St Mary's Church, Warners Bay. There is no weekend mass at St Michael's Church, Ranclaud St., Booragul

Children's Liturgy is held at the <u>9:00am</u> 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 Fri: 9:00am Liturgy Boolaroo Wed 9:00am Mass

Warners Bay: Thurs 9:00am Mass (Stage Mass for St

Mary's PS)

Sat: 9:00am Liturgy.

A3 versions of the bulletin are available for the sight impaired. <u>Please</u> be mindful of our neighbours when parking your car. We pray the Preface for the Ord. Time 4 & Euch. Prayer 3.

Real Women café night 23 July 2018. Tickets can be purchased at St Mary's Parish Hall on Saturday 23 June 2018 from 10am to 12pm. Bookings may also be made by phone at this time if you are unable to be at the hall. Donation of \$12. Phone Sue 0417 091 255 or Marie on 0429 191 245. Cursillo. The Diocese of Maitland-Newcastle is having a Cursillo weekend from 7pm Friday 8 June to 5pm Monday 11 June. Ph John 0438 524 714. Kimberley Catholic Volunteer Service Wanted Volunteer workers. Placements are preferred for a period of 6 months. Volunteers are sought for several parishes. See the noticeboard.

Plenary Council 2020 – Listen to what the Spirit is saying. Pope Francis has approved the Australian Bishops' decision to hold a Plenary Council in Australia in 2020 and 2021. It is a significant moment for the Church in Australia to make decisions about the future. To prepare the agenda for the Plenary Council, all of God's people are invited to reflect on the question: "What do you think God is asking of us in Australia at this time?" Find out more about the Plenary Council 2020 at the new website, now online: www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au

Contemplative Prayer Meeting St Francis Xavier's Chapel, 60 Gipps St Carrington, every Wednesday night from 7-8pm, no cost. Reflect on The Cloud of Unknowing spirituality and the teaching and practice of quiet prayer. ph James 0414 600 033.

**Aurora**—Our Diocesan news magazine will be available this Saturday in the normal press outlets and on the Diocesan website.

**Sacred @ Seven** will be held on 11 July at 7:00 PM at St John's Chapel, Maitland. Join Bishop Bill for adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. ph 4979 1111.

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Planned Giving Program. The envelopes for the next year are available in the foyer. If you have to pick up a set, please make every effort to pick them up today, out of sympathy for the poor old Parish Priest's back!!! Fr Brian End of the Financial Year. Hopefully by now, everyone in the Planned Giving Program has received correspondence either through email or snail mail, regarding the end of the financial year, asking the question about whether you now need a tax receipt. We will presume that we will provide tax receipts to those who have received tax receipts in the past, unless you let us know otherwise.

Our Principal at St Mary's As many of you might know, our Principal at St Mary's Primary school has been diagnosed with MND (Motor Neurone Disease) This insidious disease continues to have no cure. Chris, in adopting the Mary Mackillop approach of "don't see a need without doing something about it" is going to participate in the "Great Slide" at Newcastle Sport's Ground No 1 on the 23rd June trying to raise funds for research into this disease. (See details in the foyer). If you would like to help financially to support Chris's efforts—he is well loved in our school (and its history!). He has been a wonderful parishioner as well. You can donate by following the link: https://newcastlebigfreeze2018.everydayhero.com/au/chris-fanning or you can leave your donation in the foyer this weekend or next and we will forward it on. THANK YOU.

Let us pray for the sick, including Jo Turner, Matt Lanigan, Bette Quinn Magill, Fran Power, Pauline Walters, Colin Conroy, Kath Burns, Mary Maier, Neville Betts, Kelvyn Elward, Beth and Barry Maggs, James Grew, Don Richards, Greg Adam, Allan Baxter, Cooper Daniel, Anthony Rigby, Dominic Punch, Colin and Elizabeth Oaten, Bayly Turner, Anne Keating, Sharna, Anna Veltruski, Kate Vincent (Crossingham), Veronica Hipwell, John Evans, 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 and Margaret Mullins. (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 particularly Pam Hopley. We pray too for Catherine Wilson, Jean Heggs, Thomas McEnearney and John Croker who are remembered especially 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 (<u>for the purpose of tax receipts</u>) is <u>46 167 334 530</u>
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.