

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 St Mary's Church, Warners Bay 9.00am and 6.00pm.

There is no weekend mass at St Michael's Church, Ranclaud St., Booragul

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.
	Fri:	9:00am	Liturgy.
Boolaroo	Wed	9:00am	Mass.
Warners Bay:	Thurs	9:30am	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.

We pray the Preface for the Ord. Time 2 & Euch. Prayer 2.

NAIDOC (National Aboriginal and Indigenous Day Organising Committee)

Week 2018 theme - Because of Her, We Can! As pillars of our society, Aboriginal women have played and continue to play active and significant roles in the community. You are invited to celebrate the beginning of NAIDOC Week. 8 July, Christ Church Cathedral, Newcastle, 3-4.30pm. Some copies of the Australian Catholic Bishop Conference's statement for NAIDOC week are in the foyer.

Real Women café night 23 July 2018. Bookings for the Café Night on the 23 July can be taken (if not already sold from the ticket selling day on the 23 June). Donation of \$12. Phone Sue 0417 091 255 or Marie on 0429 191 245.

Plenary Council 2020 – Listen to what the Spirit is saying. 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 .

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

Some dates for those involved.

B/WB Parish Council 31 July 7:30pm. St. Mary's Parish Hall Meeting Room.

B/GUL Parish Council/Fin. Committee. 2 Aug. 7:00pm St Michael's Hall.

B/WB Finance Committee 7 Aug. 7:30pm St. Mary's Parish Hall Meeting Room.

B/WB Liturgy Meeting 30 Aug. 7:30pm St. Mary's Parish Hall Meeting Room.

Fr Richard Lennan lecture will be held on 7 August at 5.30pm at Victor Peters Suite, 841 Hunter Street, Newcastle West. This event is \$15 per person, or \$10 for concession. E jenny.harris@mn.catholic.org.au.

The July edition of Aurora will appear in the usual places and on the Diocesan website.

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.

Thank you all who support our parishes through the Planned Giving Program and those who contribute to the loose collection. Just a reminder that, in B/WB case, the First Collection is for the support of all the priests of our Diocese and the Second Collection (Planned Giving Program and loose monies) is the financial lifeline to provide for our parish responsibilities (which include 10% for the Diocesan instrumentalities –which support our efforts here). Just a word of encouragement to those who are not in the electronic or envelope choices for giving, we would be for grateful if you could place a donation on the second collection as it passes by!!

Annual Catholic Appeal NEXT WEEK. As you can see on your seats, the envelopes for next weekend's appeal are available this weekend. This appeal provides critical support to the spread of the Gospel in down to earth and practical ways in over 160 countries, with the focus of the appeal, this year, being on Myanmar. On this NAIDOC weekend, we remember too that assistance from this appeal is given to some of our own Dioceses, for instance Broome. Feel free to take an envelope home with you to prepare for next weekend (but if you are going to be away, you might make your donation this weekend). Thank you.

Dr Richard Gaillardetz is speaking about 'Vatican II, Pope Francis and our role in realising a church of relevance and hope in the modern world.' For more information, see mn.catholic.org.au or E jennifer.ismay@catholic.edu.

Let us pray for the sick, including Roger O'Mara, Kerry Barnett, Jo Turner, Matt Lanigan, Fran Power, Pauline Walters, Colin Conroy, 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. We pray too for Colleen Watson, Tom Howard, Bryan Heard, James Elliott and Alice and John Haggerston 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 (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.