

**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:**

<b>Booragul:</b>	Tues:	9:00am	Mass.
	Fri:	9:00am	Liturgy.
<b>Boolaroo:</b>	Wed:	9:00am	Mass.
<b>Warners Bay:</b>	Thurs:	9:30am	Parish and School Mass celebrating the feast of St Mary of the Cross, Mackillop.
	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 of Ord. Time 2 and the 3rd Eucharistic Prayer.***

**Society of St. Vincent de Paul Winter Appeal.** This weekend our annual appeal for the Winter Appeal continues. Envelopes and pencils should be nearby! Thank you for your outstanding generosity in the past. The appeal will conclude this weekend.

**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 [www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au](http://www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au).

**Synodality In Practice—The 14th National eConference** will focus on engaging communities around Australia concerning the future direction and vision for the Catholic Church in Australia. Speakers will focus on models of leadership. A local screening is at the John Lavery Parish Hall, Glendale on Thursday the 9th August from 10:00am till 2:30pm. Contact Jenny Harris 4979 1344. Other locations and times are available, please see the noticeboard. You can view the Conference on your home computer—go to the BBI eConference website to register before hand.

**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.

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**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.**

**Ladies Day** is this Monday at Warners Bay Sports Club at 11:30am. Contact June on 4946 8415 or Connie on 4953 0150.

**Pints with a Purpose** will be held on 6 August at 6.30pm at Northern Star, Beaumont St, Hamilton. Topic: Why on earth would you want to become a priest? Seminarians Solomon Omeiza and Richard Sofatzis will share their discernment process. P 4979 1288.

**Planned Giving Envelops.** Some have yet to pick up their envelopes. They are available in the foyer. Thanks.

**Christian Formation Course.** The Course topics are now available as standalone units, made up of four weekly sessions of face-to-face learning. Get a taste of scripture, theology, church history, etc. without taking on the full course. We are now taking enrolments for "Church from Age to Age" (August 2018 at Newcastle West) and "People of God" (September 2018 at Newcastle West). See back of the church or phone 4979 1134 for session dates and details.

**B/WB Finance Committee** 7 Aug. 7:30pm St. Mary's Hall M/ting Room.

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

**Let us pray** for the sick, including Kerry Barnett, Jo Turner, Matt Lanigan, Fran Power, Pauline Walters, Colin Conroy, Mary Maier, Neville Betts, Kelvyn Elward, 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 Anne Reilly, Geoff Hammond and Marion Marin 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.**