

Boolaroo—Warners Bay and Booragul Parishes
Weekend Masses have resumed BUT
prior registration is required, please see below.

Status of Weekend Masses. Government authorities have indicated that religious services may accommodate 100 people at their services **BUT** the 4 square metre rule still applies. This then means that we can accommodate only the number of people based on the square metre size of our Churches divided by 4. It doesn't quite work out like that, given the actual pews and seats present in the Churches and how they are arranged.

Each weekend people who have pre registered have their name and details ticked off, use sanitiser and be directed to allocated seating.

***Please take your bulletin home with you—
they should not be left in the Churches or on the tables.***

***Bishop Bill Wright has continued the dispensation from the obligation
to attend weekend Mass to all parishioners.***

People need to pre register via the website (**preferably**) or phone for the weekend of the 8th/9th August **from Tuesday (from 9:00am) and no later than the Thursday NOON and** subsequently the same process will apply for **each** weekend after this weekend!!

On the above mentioned days, see the **“Registration form for weekend Masses”** button on the home page . If you can't see the button, refresh your page.”

*Social Distancing requirements apply both
inside and outside our Churches.*

Weekday Masses Schedule

Tuesday 9:00am at St Michael's Booragul.
Wednesday 9:00am at Our Lady Help of Christians Boolaroo.
Thursday 9:30am at St Mary's Warners Bay.

Obviously, a number of conditions apply in reference to social distancing, sanitising, ticking off of names and phone numbers etc.

Those who attend weekday Masses, who are registered volunteers, can assist in the fulfilling of the conditions, by being monitors.

It is very important to note that all parishioners who are at risk, the elderly, those with compromised health and those who are sick, feeling unwell etc. are encouraged seriously to consider refraining from attending Mass at any time at the moment.

Finance Committee Meeting The meeting is scheduled for the 6th August and at this stage, hopefully we will be able to meet (respecting social distancing, of course). The meeting is at 7:30pm at St. Mary's Parish Hall.

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.

Our Bishop celebrates Sunday mass at 9:30am.

[\(www.mn.catholic.org.au/places/live-stream/](http://www.mn.catholic.org.au/places/live-stream/)

Bishop Brian Mascord is doing the same but it is at 9:00am. Check the Diocese of Wollongong website.

Webinar – Wednesday 19 August 2020 – 3pm to 5pm Michelle Crawford, who established her own professional development business, Being More Human, is hosting a webinar - 'Trauma and its Impact in Humans in the Workplace and Beyond'. This webinar is ideal for people who have been involved directly or indirectly with trauma/abuse and need healing. It directly connects healing to building strong constructive organisational cultures. The 2 hour webinar is free and is conducted by Michelle Crawford along with her colleagues. You can register for the webinar at this link -- <https://mailchi.mp/78c19eb3c52b/c4vi74rvt>

Hello Hunter helps people who are feeling isolated, lonely or anxious. Volunteers are available to make a friendly call, deliver essentials, assist in finding specialised help or on request pray with the person. Hello Hunter are now looking for hub leaders and volunteers. Volunteers need to submit a form, validated by their local parish priest . Go to hellhunter.org.au for more information. A Zoom Information Session will be held on Tuesday 28 July at 11am. Pre registration is important. See https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/ZUucuGupjMsGdWck2fTOHXmQGv_HGRL3Egw

Let us pray for the sick, including Karen Roberts, Wayne Landers, Arian Hampton, Mary Hammond, Leila Grew, Sarah Williams, Nick Gibson, Philomena O'Neill, Matt Lanigan, Neville Betts, Barry Maggs, James Grew, Greg Adam, Allan Baxter, Anthony Rigby, Colin and Elizabeth Oaten, Bayly Turner, Anne Keating, Sharna, Veronica Hipwell, John Evans, Pam Mason, Delma Clarke, Winston Aslin, Ryder Withers, Maria Terwkar, Kristie Porters, Narelle Lackenby, Reuben Neilson, David Owens, Jacqueline Smith, Rebecca Reid and Margaret Mullins.
(If you know that any of the above names can come off the list, please let the office know).

We pray for those who have died recently particularly Anthony (Mick) Rigby and John Chigwidden. We pray too for all those whom we remember fondly at this time.

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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 envelope in the foyer of the Church or contact Fr. Brian on 4958 2031. PARENTS of Catholic School children, remember you have the choice of donating the amount of the Diocesan School Building Levy (for which you are charged on your fees for 2020 onwards), to our Parish instead. Donations can be given by direct debit and credit card facilities—forms are in the foyer. Ring us and we can talk you through it.