



19th Sunday in ORDINARY TIME Yr B 12th August 2018

Our Mission: We follow the words of our patron, St John Vianney, who said "He is here". We recognise Christ is in the Word, the Eucharist, and in us, His people with a special reverence for Him in the poor and marginalised. We are called to make Christ present through our prayer and charity. We seek to grow in our spiritual lives and create a community where everyone is welcome; the young and old, together to experience the loving presence of God. We believe He is here amongst us and we joyfully go out to make Him present to all.

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ST JOHN VIANNEY'S PARISH

St John Vianney's, Manly & St Jude's, Gumdale

Dear friends,

This week (Wednesday 8 August) we celebrated the Solemnity of St. Mary of the Cross MacKillop.

St. Mary of the Cross is the patron saint of Australia, the Archdiocese of Brisbane and the Birkdale parish. In other words, St. Mary of the Cross MacKillop is a big deal!

Below is a copy of a letter Mary penned to Monsignor Kirby. This letter gives a beautiful insight into her spirituality and it also provides us a rare opportunity to *hear* her own voice. Monsignor Kirby was a priest in Rome who helped her navigate the Vatican bureaucracy and gain recognition for her Sisters.

A reading from a letter of Mary MacKillop to Monsignor Kirby.

Oh, Father, I cannot tell you what a beautiful thing the will of God seems to me. For some years past, my Communion, my prayers, my intentions have all been for God's will to be done. I can never pray for a particular intention, a particular person, or anything particular about our own Institute, but in God's loved will, that is - whilst I desire with all my heart to pray for these, I cannot help at the same time desiring that He only use my prayers for the intention that His own will most desires at this time. Thus, I feel a joy when things go well, for I see His will in this, and an equal joy when they seem to go wrong or against our natural desire, for there again I see His will, and am satisfied that He has accepted my prayers and those of many more for some other object at the time nearer to His adorable will.

To me, the will of God is a dear book which I am never tired of reading, which has always some new

charm for me. Nothing is too little to be noticed there, but yet my littleness and nothingness has often dared to oppose it, and I am painfully conscious that in many ways I still in my tepidity offend against it without perceiving what I am doing. But such dear lessons as you gave me the other evening then come to my aid and encourage me, for the love of my sweet Jesus is too strong, too beautiful, and His merits too great, for me not to cling to Him.

(Letter, Ascension 1874 Resource Book 2, pp 49-51)

God bless

Fr Tom

What's happening this week ?	
Mon 13th	*****
Tues 14th	6:00pm Mass - Manly
Wed 15th	The ASSUMPTION of the BLESSED VIRGIN MARY <i>Holy day of obligation</i> 9:10am Rosary - Manly 9:30am Mass - Manly 6:00pm Mass - Manly 6:00pm Mass - Birkdale
Thurs 16th	6:00pm Mass - Birkdale
Fri 17th	9:30am Mass - Birkdale
Sat 18th	4:30pm Reconciliation - Manly 5:00pm Mass - Manly 6:15pm Mass - Birkdale
Sun 19th	7:00am Mass - Gumdale 8:00am Mass - Birkdale 9:30am Mass - Manly

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK: Karen Booker, Michael Gibbings, Mary Schmidt, Joyce Starkey, Madge Wiese, Pat Wilson, Sandra Wilson, Sr Teresa Geraghty, Pat Brennan, Mary Forrester, Krystyna Kelly, Sheila Petersen, Richard Pook, Violet Phillips, Ash Dean, Maddie Bell, Dennis Patterson, Carmen Phairs, Irene Gavrilova, Rosa Maria Santos, Dawn O'Sullivan, Eunice Harrison, Leon and Roz Thomas, Maura Poots, Angela Geraghty, Hugo Callan, Austin McDonald, Alan and Joan Francis.

For a name to be included in the 'Prayer for our Sick' list, the Privacy Act now requires the personal permission of the nominee or a close relative.

ANNIVERSARIES: Cyril Bashford, Catherine Bilotto, Daphne Brian, Matthew Lyle Briggs, Anthony Cassell, Sr Christina Corcoran, John Dickson, John Featherstone, Ellen Fleggerbein, Annie Johns, Gary Harding, Jane Lacey, Sr Ella Evelyn Lloyd, Sebastiano Marano, Colin McIntosh, Eugenie (Gene) Massie, Phyllis Morahan, Adrian Moran, Ellen Morrison, Alma Mulherin, Albert (Jack) Muller, Margaret Murphy, Sr Clare Ellen (Evangelist) Murtagh, Delia Nelson, Eileen Normyle, Eddie Nunn, Elsie O'Connor, Lorna Pankhurst, Joan Pitman, Mary Plant, Gwen Pook, Paulene Power, Jean Reading, James Roe, Mace Reid, Merle Skinner, Gary Tointon, Myrtle Thompson, Dick Wells, Douglas Ziebarth.

Pastor: Fr Frank Jones Associate Pastor: Fr Epati Tamati and Fr Thomas Zaranski

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PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Steve Pratt (Chairman), Joshua Walsh (Secretary), Bruce Corrie, Ray Devoy, Helen McNamara, John Muller, Martin Muller, Paola Nunez, Maria Jones and Arnold Read.

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Entrance Antiphon:

Look to your covenant, O Lord,
and forget not the life of your poor ones for ever.
Arise, O God, and defend your cause,
and forget not the cries of those who seek you.

First Reading **Kings 19:4-8**

Strengthened by the food, he walked to the mountain of the Lord.

Responsorial Psalm **Ps 33:2-9.**

Taste and see the goodness of the Lord.

I will bless the Lord at all times,
his praise always on my lips;
in the Lord my soul shall make its boast.
The humble shall hear and be glad. **R.**

Glorify the Lord with me.
Together let us praise his name.
I sought the Lord and he answered me;
from all my terrors he set me free. **R.**

Look towards him and be radiant;
let your faces not be abashed.
This poor man called; the Lord heard him
and rescued him from all his distress. **R.**

The angel of the Lord is encamped
around those who revere him, to rescue them.
Taste and see that the Lord is good.
He is happy who seeks refuge in him. **R.**

Second Reading: **Ephesians 4:30-5:2**

Walk in love, just as Christ.

Gospel Acclamation : **Jn 6:51**

Alleluia, alleluia!

I am the living bread from heaven, says the Lord;
whoever eats this bread will live for ever. **Alleluia!**

Gospel: **John 6:41-51**

I am the living bread come down from heaven.

The Prayers of the Faithful:

For all members of the Church to come to know Jesus
better through their participation in the Eucharist.

Lord hear us. Lord hear our prayer.

For all peoples of the world to seek God with all their
hearts.

Lord hear us. Lord hear our prayer.

For our children who are on their Sacramental journey
allow the gifts of the Holy Spirit into their hearts and
minds.

Lord hear us. Lord hear our prayer.

For our young people, that they may find joyful faith in
their families and encouragement to respond to a life of
ministry and service.

Lord hear us. Lord hear our prayer.

For our beloved dead and for all caregivers of the sick
and dying.

Lord hear us. Lord hear our prayer.

The ASSUMPTION of the BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

*is a Holy Day of Obligation and will be
celebrated this Wednesday with masses at
Manly - 9.30am and 6pm.*

REQUEST FOR DONATIONS OF WINE OR SPIRITS

The annual Parish/School fundraiser is being held on
Saturday 25th August.

It would be greatly appreciated if Parishioners could
donate wine or spirits towards this event.

There will be a basket at the back of the church for your
generous donations. **Thank you SJV School P&F**

ST JOHN VIANNEY'S FEAST DAY

is being celebrated on Sunday 19th August
commencing with the 9.30am mass. After
mass everyone is invited to stay. There will
be a celebratory cake delicious food, tea and
coffee.



The Wynnum/Manly Branch of the Knights of the Southern Cross

Silver Circle winner for Draw 5 of 4 August 18 is David
Palmer with Ticket No 87.

Congratulations David and thanks again to all who are
supporting the charitable works of the Wynnum/Manly
Branch of the Knights, through this fundraiser.

Preparing for the journey to the Plenary Council 2020

The Plenary Council 2020 is a gathering of the church in
Australia to make decisions for the future. Your voice is
important. All people are invited to contribute to the Plenary
Council agenda by sharing your experience of faith and of
the Church. See www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au for
more information.

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opportunities visit palms.org.au/volunteer. Can't commit
just yet? Check out palms.org.au/encounters

Next Week's Roster: 19th Aug 2018 20th SUNDAY in Ord Time Prov 9:1-6; Eph 5:15-20; Jn 6:51-58

Counters Group: F

SJV	MASS TIME	SACRISTANS	READERS	MINISTERS OF COMMUNION	ALTAR SERVERS	SCREENS	HOSPITALITY
	Sat. 5:00pm	Denise A	Denise D	Alison G Denis H	Connor M	Denise A	Gilbert family
	Sun 9:30am	June M	Anne S Ingrid E	Mark R June M	Lachlan A	Pratt family	Robyn A Lachlan A
St Jude's	Sun 7:00am	Joan C	Kathy C	Mark R Bernie C	Thank you for your contribution to our Planned Giving 😊		