

**OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA - NAROOMA**

**ST MARY'S - COBARGO / BERMAGUI**

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**3rd March 2019 Year C**

**Praise and Thanksgiving:** Today let our hearts be so filled with the joy of the risen Christ that we can praise and thank him with sincerity and truth.

<b>Masses</b> Next weekend	<b>Weekday Masses</b> <b>Narooma</b> Tuesday 4.30pm Wednesday <b>see note</b> Thursday 9.00am Friday 9:00am and Adoration
<b>Saturday Vigil</b> Cobargo 5:00pm	<b>Cobargo</b> Every 2 <sup>nd</sup> and 4 <sup>th</sup> Wednesday 9:30am communion service
<b>Sunday</b> Bermagui 7:30am Narooma 9:30am	

**Reconciliation:** Cobargo and Bermagui before Mass. Narooma on Saturday - 9.30am.

**Please pray for the sick** Shirley and Tony Dellamarta, Linda Holland, Rhyl McLeod, Tony Sims, Kay Niemoeller, Jean and Max Murray, Joe Nash, Susan Horsington

**Recently deceased** Paul Wieland relative of Pauline and John Verrell, in the UK. Jane Busuttill, Nancy Norton, John White, Elizabeth Geaney, Joe Bryant, Joe Demajo, Marian Kaufman, Kevin Cullen, Margaret McGrath, Bill Borg

**Anniversaries:** Mary Thomas, Raphael Camilleri, Kathleen Copelin, David Cowan.

Thomas Merton. "Art enables us to find ourselves and lose ourselves at the same time." "In silence God ceases to be an object and becomes an experience."

**ASH WEDNESDAY:** Fasting and Praying  
 Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of fast and abstinence. Fasting for those have completed their eighteenth year, until the beginning of their sixtieth year. Abstinence binds those who have completed their 14<sup>th</sup> year.

**Ash Wednesday Masses 6<sup>th</sup> March**  
 9.30 am Cobargo  
 4.30 pm Narooma

**Narooma weekday Mass Times changed.** Due to Narooma school catechism being changed from Thursdays to Wednesdays, **please note** from this week Thursday Mass for Narooma is 9.00am except the third Thursday (Bermagui School Mass). **No Wednesday Mass**

**Lenten Program and book.** Please take part in the Lenten program and put your name on the list at the Church. Lenten books will be available now. Cost \$10 each.

- Narooma : 7.00pm Thursday, 7/3
- Cobargo: after 5.00pm Saturday Mass
- Bermagui: after 7.30am Mass

**Project Compassion boxes and envelopes:** During Lent we are asked to share our spiritual and financial support to others, particularly the poor. Project compassion boxes and envelopes are available in the Church. Please get one home. Thank you.

**St Patrick's Day Church Picnic Sunday 17 March.** A sausage sizzle will be held at Rotary Park at 12 noon (near charter boats). Bring a friend, BYO drinks, sausages provided.

**First Holy Communion.**

Preparations will be in the Church meeting room.  
 Session 1. Monday 25<sup>th</sup> February 3.30pm  
 Monday 4<sup>th</sup> March, 3.30pm  
 Monday 11<sup>th</sup> March, 3.30pm  
 Monday 18<sup>th</sup> March, 3.30pm

**menAlive Weekend for Men.** What are you doing on the 23/24 March? Could you benefit from a weekend, featuring talks, personal testimonies, opportunities for discussion and space to reflect? Since menAlive commenced in 2003, thousands of Catholic men have been encouraged and inspired by.

Now the Far South Coast's menAlive weekend is being organized in Bega. Please contact Sean McCambridge on 0430491010 or Parish Office 02-64921058

**509. What is the content of the social doctrine of the Church?**

The social doctrine of the Church is an organic development of the truth of the Gospel, about the dignity of the human person and his social dimension offering principles for reflection, criteria for judgment, and norms and guidelines for action.

**If you would like to take the Pilgrim Status** home please let Therese know.

**Prayer of Commissioning:** Take the Body of Christ to share with those who are sick and housebound. May his presence in the Eucharist strengthen them in peace and joy, through Christ our Lord. Amen

**ESTIA Mass** will be moved to Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> March due to Ash Wednesday Mass

**Catholic Voice:** The new edition carries – Five minutes with John Voytas; World Youth Day in Panama; When losing everything.....

Collections (Narooma)	
1 <sup>st</sup> Collection	\$420.70
2 <sup>nd</sup> Collection	\$479.15
(Cobargo/Bermagui)	
1 <sup>st</sup> Collection	\$293.35
2 <sup>nd</sup> Collection	\$333.90

NAROOMA ROSTER	
This week	Next Week
<u>Welcomer</u>	
Therese Short	Kathy Day
<u>Commentator</u>	
Mark Nugent	Therese Short
<u>Reader</u>	
Margaret Latimer	Ralph Imberger
<u>Offertory Procession</u>	
M Latimer/S Nash	T Short/ T Nugent
<u>Eucharistic Ministers</u>	
J Verrell/K Smith	M Morrison/ J Voytas
<u>Counters/Collectors</u>	
M&K Fisk/Hans	M&F Clarke/ Hans
<u>Pilgrim Statue</u>	
Chris Jory	J&L O'Neill
<u>Flowers</u>	
Anne Morrison	
COBARGO	
This week	Next Week
<u>Eucharistic Minister &amp; Server</u>	
T. Tarlinton	T. Devoy
<u>Reader</u>	
C Grant	T. Devoy
<u>Offertory Procession</u>	
R O'Halloran	Collectors
<u>Cleaning</u>	
M. Jessop	
<u>Flowers</u>	
C Grant	No Flowers
BERMAGUI	
<u>Reader</u>	
G Marsh	S. Harper
<u>Prayers of the Faithful</u>	
N Cridland	J. Harper
<u>Welcoming Committee</u>	
C Manns	J. Manns

