

OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA - NAROOMA

ST MARY'S - COBARGO / BERMAGUI

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The Radiant Glory of God: The Holy Spirit is the radiant glory of God that enlightens the Church and guides it on its way through the world in all its decisions.

Masses Next weekend	Weekday Masses Narooma
Saturday Vigil Cobargo 5:00pm	Liturgy Friday 9.00am
Sunday Bermagui 7:30am Narooma 9:30am	Cobargo Every 2 nd and 4 th Wednesday 9.30am Communion service

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

Please pray for the sick, Linda Holland, Susan Horsington

Recently deceased Rhyl McLeod

Anniversaries: Ken Smith, Murdoch Mackenzie Waters, Annette Baker

EASTER TIME: The fifty days from Sunday of the Resurrection to Pentecost Sunday are celebrated in joy and exultation as one feast day, indeed as one 'great Sunday'. These are the days above all others in which the Alleluia is sung. The Sundays of this time of year are considered to be Sundays of Easter.

THOMAS MERTON. "Every moment and every event of every man's life on earth plants something in his soul. For just as the wind carries thousands of winged seeds so each moment brings with it germs of spiritual vitality that come to rest imperceptibly in the minds and wills of men. Most of these unnumbered seeds perish and are lost, because men are not prepared to receive them: for such seeds as these cannot spring up anywhere except in the good soil of freedom, spontaneity, and love."

A BIG WORD OF THANKS First of all to our beloved priests, Fr Paul and Michael for their kind pastoral care during my absence.

Secondly, to all of you who have looked after the place and been good while some of us enjoyed our retreat at Moree's hot springs. It was an excellent reflection time and worthwhile to do now and then. Fr Paul Bateman joined us for this occasion and was very thrilled.

Thanks to Virginia and Margaret for taking care of Fr Paul and also with the general management of the retreat. God Bless

THANKSGIVING AND DEDICATION DAY Please keep your book free for this very significant celebration of our community of Narooma. Its marks a heartfelt thanks to God's grace and to all well giving dedications who have made our Parish alive.

A dinner will follow after the Pentecost Sunday 9:30am mass at Narooma. It will be held at Club Narooma commencing at 12:00noon at a cost of \$32.00 per head.

To help us to name different ministries (works) in the life of our Parish, please send a note to Father Joe and let him know what you are doing or have done in supporting the parishes. Thanks

PRIESTS' MEETING AT GALONG It was an excellent meeting this year which dealt with the important issues related to the new legislation of the ACT and NSW governments on Child Protection. How priests, both good citizens and faithful church ministers, are to deal with the sacrament of Confession and the legal requirement to report to Police any abused cases that are notified. A lot of work needs to be done to study further on this issue. Please keep priests in our prayers.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION Alice Young will be receiving her First Holy Communion on Sunday 23rd June at 9:30am mass. Please keep her in your prayers. We will be celebrating with a morning tea after mass so please bring a plate.

CATHOLIC VOICE The new Catholic Voice is available in the churches. There are some items of iconography, Fr Mark Crocker - always the shepherd, ANZAC services, and an update on the Plenary Council. Please get a copy home.

HEAD COUNT IN MAY: Please note that our annual head counts during May will be conducted by all our Churches for Sunday Masses. Please enter the numbers and sign it before returning it to the Parish Office. Thank you very much.

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

Collections (Narooma)	
1 st Collection	\$406.05
2 nd Collection	\$609.10
Good Shepherd Appeal	\$165.00
(Cobargo/Bermagui)	
1 st Collection	\$253.10
2 nd Collection	\$220.50

NAROOMA ROSTER

This week	Next Week
<u>Welcomer</u> Therese Short	Therese Short
<u>Commentator</u> Mark Nugent	Ralph Imberger
<u>Reader</u> Margaret Latimer	Margaret Latimer
<u>Offertory Procession</u> T Short/S Nash	T Short/T Nugent
<u>Eucharistic Ministers</u> J Verrell/K Smith	M Morrison/relief
<u>Counters/Collectors</u> M & K Fisk/Hans	J & P Verrell/Hans
<u>Pilgrim Statue</u> M & T Nugent	Margaret Cumming
<u>Flowers</u> Annie Ovington	Anne Morrison

COBARGO

This week	Next Week
<u>Eucharistic Minister & Server</u> A Cotterill	T Tarlinton
<u>Reader</u> J Froud	C Grant
<u>Offertory Procession</u> Tarlinton	R O'Halloran
<u>Cleaning</u>	M Jessop
<u>Flowers</u> K Rix	C Grant

BERMAGUI

<u>Reader</u> G Marsh	C Manns
<u>Prayers of the Faithful</u> N Scicluna	J Manns
<u>Welcoming Committee</u> J Harper	N Cridland