

OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA - NAROOMA

ST MARY'S - COBARGO / BERMAGUI

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Victory With Christ: *Today's celebration should raise our morale in the fight against evil. Christ our Leader, who came to bring fire on earth, communicates to us something of his tremendous zeal*

Masses Next weekend	Weekday Masses Narooma
Holy Trinity	Tuesday 4.30pm
Saturday Vigil Cobargo 5:00pm	Wednesday: School Mass Thursday: 9.00am 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: Susan Horsington, Bub O'Neill, Barry Watkin, Irene Chaplain, Melva Horsington

Recently deceased: Andrew Froud, Bernard Wakeling, Edward Desmond, Chrystalla Pericleous. Kath Ovington

Anniversaries: Claire Wakeling, Noa Jessops, Bernie & Joe Lazzaro, Gina Sab, Gloria, John and Robert Cotterill, Cirilo Lacson, Cecilia Moore

Melva Horsington has been transferred to Estia.

The minutes of the PPC meeting held 7th August are available at the back of the Bermagui Church.

THOMAS MERTON.."Be human in this most inhuman of ages: guard the image of man for it is the image of God."

"A life is either all spiritual or not spiritual at all. No man can serve two masters. Your life is shaped by the end you live for. You are made in the image of what you desire."

PETITION AGAINST ABORTION: Petition to ask the NSW Upper House members to vote against the abortion bill. Please join with Archbishop Christopher and sign the petition form in the Church today. Babies have no voice but we have. Please raise your voices today.

A BIG WORD OF THANKS Narooma Parish and myself would like to thank Kurt PISK and Allan SHEPHER, who did the hard yards in preparing the sale of the Dalmeny Church and the land. Your heartfelt for the Parish heartfelt for the Parish issues such as the council car park behind the Presbytery, the history of Dalmeny Church, Narooma Church and images of Parish life and churches of Narooma and Cobargo-Bermagui Parishes are on the back drop of the Church.....God bless and thank you, both.

COBARGO CHURCH FRONT PAINTED. We would like to thank Howard Emanuel for your kindness and hard work in painting the front part of Cobargo Church. Your work and thought about having done it voluntarily are very much appreciated. God bless.

ABORTION; A great disaster for the human family is to kill baby fetus, millions around the world. It was a dark day for NSW last night, when the lower house voted 59 to 31 for what it called in a colourful term "The Reproductive Health Care Reform Bill". That makes abortion legal up until birth in NSW, for any reason, as long as two doctors agree, if the baby is more than 22 weeks old. Please raise our voices for the innocent babies and continue to use our right to protect them.

470. WHAT IS FORBIDDEN BY THE FIFTH COMMANDMENT

The fifth commandment forbids as gravely contrary to the moral law;

Direct and intentional murder and cooperation in it;

Direct abortion, willed as an end or as means, as well as cooperation in it. Attached to this sin is the penalty of excommunication because, from the moment of his or her conception, the human being must be absolutely respected and protected in his integrity;

Direct euthanasia which consists in putting an end to the life of the handicapped, the sick, or those near death by an act or by the omission of a required action;

Suicide and voluntary cooperation in it, insofar as it is a grave offense against the just love of God, of self, and of neighbour. One's responsibility may be aggravated by the scandal given; one who is psychologically disturbed or is experiencing grave fear may have diminished responsibility.

SMART LOVING ENGAGED: Online preparations for marriage is to help every stage of marriage be a success. It is very informative and works at your own pace. Go online at www.smartloving.org/engaged

WANTING to spend one hour with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. He said Each moment that you spend in His Eucharistic Presence will increase His divine life within you and deepen your personal relationship and friendship with Him. "I have come that you may have life, and have it more abundantly." "I am the vine and you are the branches. Whoever remains in Me and I in him shall bear much fruit because without Me, you can do nothing." (Jn 15:5)

FINAL REPORT for the PLENARY COUNCIL, Phase 1. Is available on www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au/resources/reports/ or on the www.catholicvoice.org.au

TWO DAY RETREAT AT JAMBEROO BENEDICTINE ABBEY

on Monday 16 to Tuesday 17 September. Limited to 20 people, meals included. Full details see John Voytas – 0411 325 710

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	\$485.20
2 nd Collection	\$709.20
Cobargo/Bermagui	
1 st Collection	\$237.75
2 nd Collection	\$215.70

NAROOMA ROSTER	
This week	Next Week
<u>Welcomer</u>	
Kathy Day	John Voytas
<u>Commentator</u>	
Mark Nugent	Ralph Imberger
<u>Reader</u>	
John Lundy	Mary Ryan
<u>Offertory Procession</u>	
T Short / T Nugent	K Day / V Wallens
<u>Eucharistic Ministers</u>	
J Lundy / P Verrell	J Verrell / K Smith
<u>Counters/Collectors</u>	
J & P Verrell / Hans	M & F Clarke/ Hans
<u>Pilgrim Statue</u>	
J & P Verrell	Ann Morrison
<u>Flowers</u>	
Therese Short	Anne Ovington

COBARGO	
This week	Next Week
<u>Eucharistic Minister & Server</u>	
T Tarlinton	A Cotterill
<u>Reader</u>	
T McDonald	J Froud
<u>Offertory Procession</u>	
Collectors	Tarlintons
<u>Cleaning</u>	
Trish/Jenny	
<u>Flowers</u>	
T McDonald	K Rix
BERMAGUI	
<u>Reader</u>	
V Hummel	M Wall
<u>Prayers of the Faithful</u>	
G Hummel	C Manns
<u>Welcoming Committee</u>	
N Cridland	V Hummel

