

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

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

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**3rd November 2019 Year C; *Jesus In Our***

***Midst:*** To him the whol world is like a grain of dust. Yet he loves all that exists, and comes to dwell with sinners.

<b>Masses</b>	<b>Weekday Masses</b>
<b>Next weekend</b>	<b>Narooma</b>
	Tuesday 4.30 pm
<b>Holy Trinity</b>	Wednesday: Estia 10.30am
<b>Saturday Vigil</b>	Thursday: 9.00
Cobargo 5:00pm	Friday 9.00am
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Cobargo</b>
Bermagui 7:30am	Every 2 <sup>nd</sup> and 4 <sup>th</sup>
Narooma 9:30am	Wednesday 9.30am
	Communion service

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

**Please pray for the sick:** Susan Horsington, Jennie Gahan, Heather Horsington, Isabel Whitty, Joan Fernandes, Jozefa Wojtas

**Recently deceased:** Andrew Froud, Pam Ramsay, sister John Keenan, Josefa Cernanec, Melva Horsington, Fr John Rate msc

**Anniversaries:** Ian Cusack, Ray Imberger, Helen Cusack, John Wallens, George Gundich, Paddy Ryan, Frank McGarry, Phil Watt, Carmen Atair.

**SAINT CARDINAL JOHN HENRY NEWMAN:**

“Lead, Kindly Light, amid the circling gloom,  
Lead Thou me on!  
The night is dark, and I am far from home,  
Lead Thou me on!  
Keep Thou my feet: I do not ask to see  
The distant scene, one step enough for me.

Cardinal John Henry Newman was canonized saint last Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> October 2019 in Rome. Saint John Newman (1801 – 1890) was a Catholic theologian, philosopher who converted to Catholicism from Anglicanism in 1845

**PRAYER for the BLESSING OF RAIN**

Bless Australia – Our Great South Land of the Holy Spirit.  
Grant that as the *Cross* shines in our southern skies, so may Christ bring light to our nation, to its peoples old and new.  
May we receive the blessings of abundant rain so that the ‘desert blooms with the life that lies in wait.  
We ask this through Christ, Our Lord. Amen  
By Fr Tony Percy VG

**EXTRAORDINARY MONTH of MISSION**

Pope Francis has declared that October 2019 is a special month of Prayer and action to strengthen and grow God’s mission and the Church. It aims-

To encourage Catholics into a deeper relationship with Jesus through prayer  
To look to and learn from the actions and sacrifices of our saints, martyrs and living missionaries  
To financially support overseas mission, through Missio  
To rediscover and renew our understanding of overseas mission (mission ad gentes)  
For more information – catholicmission.org.au/october2019.va/en.html

**JESUS IS COUNTING ON YOU, BECAUSE THE EUCHARIST IS THE CENTRE OF LIFE:**

Every member of the Church must be vigilant in seeing that the Sacrament of Love shall be at the centre of the life of the People of God, so that through all themanifestations of worship du to Him shall be given back ‘love for love’ and truly become the life of our souls.

**NOVEMBER is dedicated for the HOLY SOULS.** Unity between the living and the death is in praying. Mass offering envelopes for the deceased family and friends is available on the pews. Intentions Memorial Book is at the altar, please put the names you want to pray for in it. God Bless.

**NO 477: What practices are contrary to respect for the bodily integrity of the human person?** They are: kidnapping and hostage taking, terrorism, torture, violence, and direct sterilization. Amputations and mutilations of a person are morally permissible only for strictly therapeutic medical reasons.

**TEN STEPS TOWARDS GENUINE HUMAN ENCOUNTER** in our digital world pamphlet carries a good guide on how to deal with our digital world today. The pamphlet is available in the church. It can be downloaded at [www.socialjustice.catholic.org.au/publicaions/ten-step-leaflets/](http://www.socialjustice.catholic.org.au/publicaions/ten-step-leaflets/)  
Facebook: @socialjusticeACBC  
Twitter: @justiceCatholic

**UNIT FOR RENT.** Narooma Parish’s unit 23/11 Payne St, Parklands is available for rent soon. It contains 3 bedrooms and a double garage, ideal for retirees. Please contact Parish Office for inquiries on 44762191

**St Mary’s, St Bernard’s and Carroll College** are co-hosting a community event called **Lollapalooza – Friday evening 22 November, from 4pm – 8pm** in the grounds of Carroll College, Broulee. There will be food, music, stalls, art show, Grand Pesca and much more. St Mary’s will hold the agricultural stall, so donations of preserves or plants will be greatly appreciated.  
Further information please contact Brigid McNeill 0408 888 756 or Karen Motyka 0415 592 019

**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

<b>Collections (Narooma)</b>	
1 <sup>st</sup> Collection	\$368.85
2 <sup>nd</sup> Collection	\$550.50
<b>Cobargo/Bermagui</b>	
1 <sup>st</sup> Collection	\$307.85
2 <sup>nd</sup> Collection	\$331.45

<b>NAROOMA ROSTER</b>	
<b>This week 3<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>Next Week 10<sup>th</sup></b>
<u>Welcomer</u>	
Denise Thirtle	Peter Brice
<u>Commentator</u>	
Therese Short	Mark Nugent
<u>Reader</u>	
John Verrell	Ralph Imberger
<u>Offertory Procession</u>	
T Short/ T Nugent	K Day/ V Wallens
<u>Eucharistic Ministers</u>	
M Morrison/ J Voytas	J Lundy/ P Verrell
<u>Counters/Collectors</u>	
J & P Verrell/ Hans	M & A Morrison/ Hans
<u>Pilgrim Statue</u>	
Kaye Smith	A & S Dellamarta
<u>Flowers</u>	
Annie Ovington	A Morrison

<b>COBARGO</b>	
<b>This week</b>	<b>Next Week</b>
<u>Eucharistic Minister &amp; Server</u>	
A Cotterill	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	J O’Halloran
<b>BERMAGUI</b>	
<u>Reader</u>	
C Manns	G Hummel
<u>Prayers of the Faithful</u>	
J Manns	V Hummel
<u>Welcoming Committee</u>	
N Cridland	J Manns

