



BOMBALA - DELEGATE CATHOLIC PARISH

IN THE MONARO MISSION

Country of the Yuin and Ngarigo people

First Catholics arrived in the area from 1826 as assigned servants (convicts)
Scottish, Irish and later German immigrants built up the presence from 1833

First resident priest Fr Patrick Newman 1864

Churches built - Bombala 1867 & 1942, Delegate 1877 & 1915, Cathcart 1878, Corrowong 1894

Schools 1866-1886 (privately Catholic), Bombala 1886, Delegate 1921

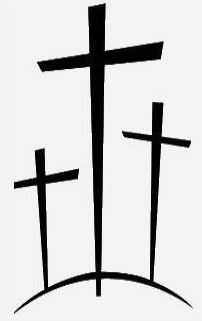
Sisters of St Joseph of the Sacred Heart (Mary MacKillop) arrived in 1888, continuous ministry for 132 years

Monaro & South Coast Parishes transferred to Goulburn Diocese 1917

First priestly vocation - Fr Ernest Baragry ordained as Missionary of the Sacred Heart 1941

Delegate a Parish in its own right 1954-1972. Welcomed the World Youth Day Cross & Icon Feb 2008

St Mary's Church Bombala Consecrated 2008. St Joseph's Church Delegate Centenary 2015



25th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A 19th 20th Sept 2020

Prayer Intentions

Pope's Intention:

We pray that the planet's resources will not be plundered, but shared in a just and respectful manner.

We pray for all the children from Bombala & Delegate who are being confirmed this weekend. May they grow in prayer and awareness of the special graces of this Sacrament.

For all institutions and agencies caring for children, that today's Child Protection Sunday will mark their full implementation of safeguarding measures.

We pray for the front-line health care personnel and their support staff, that they stay safe and well and take good care of themselves.

For all who are sick and suffering, for those affected by the Corona virus, that they may experience God's protection and peace.

For our deceased ones; may they enjoy God's presence for ever.

May the Sick be Comforted by our Prayers: Peter Thornton (Nola B's Nephew) Holly Stewart (1 yr old), Stewart Reed, Betty Cowell, Larry Bedingfield, Yvonne Murphy, Cheryl Hennessey

Remembering their faith and love: Jake Wertenbach, Natalie Ingram (Lee C's mother), Shirley Bedingfield, Gwen Kimber, Ellen Atkins, Jareth Hillyer, Gordon Ralphs, Darcy Ryan (anniv. 14/9), Toby Black (anniv. 1/9), Ben Ingram (anniv. 17/9)

Parish Team

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Chair Finance Committee:
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Please assist the team by having
items in by Wednesday pm.
Items may come in by phone, note or email.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Bombala-Delegate Catholic Parish

*"Created by God, Loved by Christ
and empowered by the Holy Spirit
... We come together inspired by
our patrons,
St Mary the Virgin and St Joseph,
her husband,
to worship, study and serve."*

Parish Vision Statement, 2004



**PLEASE CHECK
THE BULLETIN
EACH WEEK FOR
MASS/LITURGY
TIMES**

24th Sunday Ordinary Time Year A

Mon:

Tue

Wed: Mass 9.30 am Bombala

Thur: Sister Teresa to Delegate
Fri:

Sat:

Sun:

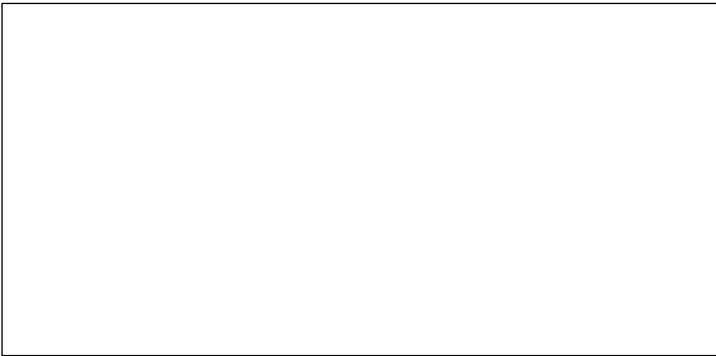
Time for Mass or Liturgy at
DELEGATE IS NOW 6 PM
FOR THE REST OF THE
YEAR AND THROUGH
SUMMER.

WELCOME TO SPRING AND THE SEASON OF CREATION

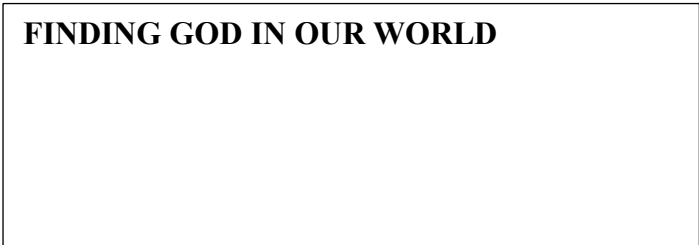


FATHER'S DAY APPEAL

This annual appeal is over the next few weeks. Please give generously for the retired Priests and their care. Envelopes will be available in the Church or some of you may have received a letter or an email. Please see fit as you are available to help.

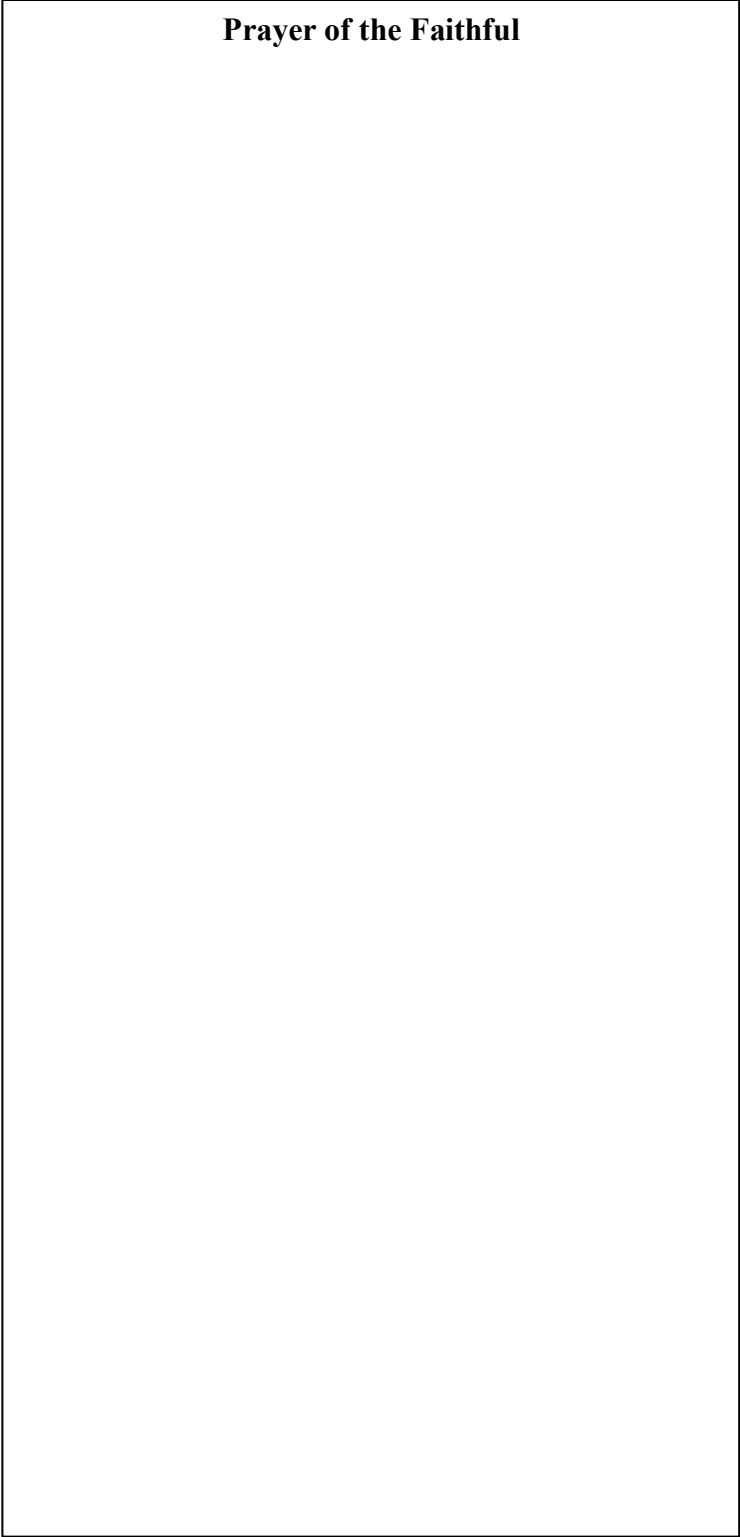


FINDING GOD IN OUR WORLD



*“Jesus Christ loves you;
He gave his life to save you;
And now he is living at your side every day
To enlighten
Strengthen
And free you.”*
Pope Francis, Evangelii Gaudium
(n164) Nov. 2013

Prayer of the Faithful



Weekly Prayer Intention

For the prophets calling us to ecological conversion, that they will fire us with passion for the care of creation.

Daily Prayer Intention

We pray for prophets such as Jeremiah who speak unwelcome truths, that they will never cease to call us to lives of justice and integrity.

Lord Jesus, give us all the grace to live lives of integrity and to humbly repent when we fall short of what we profess so that we may draw others to you, the one who has the words of eternal life.
(Living Word, Archdiocese of Canberra & Goulburn)

A Soft Reminder

(Carol Badewitz - March, 2014)

Oh God, have I talked with you this morning?
Have I handed you my day?
Have I asked you for your guidance
As I go through my day?
Have I told you how I love you?
For these things I do now pray.

I also pray for the lonely people
Who sit alone day by day
Wishing for someone to talk to
Someone who will sooth away their pain
Take their mind to higher places
And give them courage to live again.

I pray for people traveling
Keep them safely in your care
May they travel seas and highways
Air and byways till in time they reach a home
Where people care in lands so rear
Where they find peace and harmony

May people in authority soften their hardened
hearts
To be kinder, gentler, more caring
to those under their care.
May you drop more Guardian Angels
To protect our refugees
that they may live more freely, in this great
country.

Thank you for your time Lord
It's so nice to be with you
I know your love will guide me
As I go along my way
And it's nice to be reminded
In the little things you say.

A PRAYER FOR REVIVAL

Father, we pray for REVIVAL.
Please pour out Your Spirit on Your people
And grant us a new Vision of Your Glory,
A new experience of Your Power
A new faithfulness to Your Word
And a new consecration to Your service
That Your love may grow amongst us
And Your Kingdom come.
We trust You Father for protection
Against the snares of satan
Who would seek to destroy
Your Plans and Purposes
We proclaim Your Sovereignty in our loves
And that Your will may be done.
AMEN

Prayer of Intercession

God, no one is stranger to you
And no one is ever far from your loving care.

In your mercy watch over the people of the World
Comfort those who have lost loved ones,
And strengthen those who are struggling to survive.

Bring healing to those who are sick,
Bring peace to areas full of conflict,
Wisdom to those who respond,
Generosity to those who give,
And help us always to show your kindness to
strangers.

We ask this through Christ our Lord.
AMEN

Prayer for the pandemic

Lord, Jesus brought healing during his ministry on earth. Now we need his healing more than ever. We need not only the healing from physical illness brought on by the Coronavirus, but healing for human hearts.

Inspire us to serve the poor and abandoned. **Amen**
(St. Columbans Mission Society)
"This is how everyone will know that you are my disciples: if you love one another."
(John 13.35)



MARY MACKILLOP:

If we cannot excuse everything, we can at least excuse the intention. 4.11.1884
May the spirit of unity and love reign amongst us. 12.9.1884
Today God has been so good to me. 1874