

ST BERNARD'S PARISH

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Office Hours: 9am to 2pm Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday

Parish Priest: Fr. Martins Aloga Assistant Priest: Fr. Dominic Byrne.

St Bernards Primary School: 'That All May Be One'. Principal: Jacqueline Heffernan.

Carroll College: 'Learning For Life". Principal: Acting: Nathan Mansfield

THIS WEEK: 11-16 September

Tuesday 11: 9am Mass in Church

Wednesday 12: 8:40 am Rosary

9am Mass

9am Mass Thursday 13:

Friday 14: 9:am Stations of the cross

9:15 am Mass

Saturday15: 9am Rosary

> 5pm Reconciliation 6pm Vigil Mass

Sunday 16: 9am Mass

Adoration is on First Friday of the Month at 5:30pm. Mass is also celebrated every first Saturday of the Month at 9am.

ROSTERS FOR

Church Cleaning

Welcomers:

6pm: David Ebeier 9am: Margaret Harris

6pm: Terry & Anne Jackson & Saskia Ebejer

9am: Children making First Eucharist

Extraordinary Ministers

6pm: Alan Rodgers, Claire Burrows, Margaret

Bridges, Volunteers needed.

9am: Jo Wain, Maureen Kinross, Jacqui Heffer nan, Maria Trojkovic, St Bernards teacher

Computer screen

6pm: Daniel Coffey 9am: Julie Valentini

Morning Tea: Combined celebration. **Children's Liturgy:** No Kids Liturgy



Fr Martins:

Moruya: Tue, Wed, Thu, Fri, Sat & Sun

Fr Dom: Bay: Sat & Sun

Fr John: Bay: Tue, Wed, Thu, Fri



Up Coming Events

11th Wrap with Love **26th** Wrap with Love

15th Mens Breakfast

15th Plenary council listening session 16th Sacrament of First Eucharist.

20th Maranatha movie night.

23rd St Vincent de Paul Appeal

28th Police Remembrance Day

Weekly events

RCIA Process is ongoing every Wednesday 7pm in meeting room Rosary: Every Wednesday at 8:40am

in the church.

Singalong: every Monday at 1pm

In the church.

Stations of the cross: every Friday

at 9am in the church.

Craft: is held every Thursday 10 –12pm in the church meeting room

Wrap with Love: 2nd Tuesday& last Wednesday of the month

Men Alive:-meet every 1st & 3rd Wednesday of the month at 8am

Monthly Masses

Opal 1st Wednesday of month 10:30am

Glen 3rd Thursday of month

10:30am

Maranatha 4th Wed of month 2pm Croatian Mass 29th Sept @11am

Please pray for the people in our parish who are sick

Rae Fishlock, Mary Henderson, James Lee, Dianne Hantas, Judy Sykes, Charlie Morella, Fr Warwick Tonkin, John Dillon, Vince Burns, George Fitzgerald & Declan Holmes.

REST IN PEACE

We pray for those who have departed this life and anniversaries at this time

Harry Golbach, Fred Simiara, Denis Johnson, Michael Garrety, Joyce Karlish, Heather Roberts, Kevin O'Dwyer & Pam Carriage



2020 PLENARY COUNCIL LISTENING **SESSIONS**

As you may recall, on May 20th, 2018 the Feast of Pentecost the 2020 Plenary Council called by the Catholic Bishops' Conference of Australia was lunched. Following the lunching, the organising team presented a timeline for the processes leading to the two major sessions in 2020 and 2021.

What is a Plenary Council?

A Plenary Council is the highest formal gathering of all local churches at all levels: parishes, Deaneries and dioceses within a country. This Council is called by the Bishops Conference to chart the future direction for the Church based on her particular needs. The current Plenary Council will determine legislation which will be binding for the Catholic Church in Australia.

Who are the participants?

All Christ's faithful including you. Thus the Bishops are asking all to participate in the Listening Sessions around Australia.

Focus Questions

What do you think God is asking of us in Australia at this time? What questions do you have for the Plenary Council to consider?

Listening and Dialogue Sessions

The initial phase involves listening in groups of individuals, families, churches and communities where we gather to:

PRAY REFLECT TALK **SHARE**

You are therefore invited to join in a listening session near you in preparation for the 2020 Plenary Council where we are going to respond to 2 questions.

St Bernard's Parish: Saturday September 15th

10 am - 11.30am

Sacred Heart Parish, Moruya: Sunday September 16th 11.15- 1.00pm

All responses are sent forward to the Plenary Council Facilitation Team. Also, other meetings can be held at other times as the demand grows. You can also respond individually online via the website: www.plenarycouncil.org.au



Fredrick Ozanam was known for winning over converts he knew ' one thing is wanting, that our apostolate may be blessed by God- works of Charity. The blessing of the poor is the blessing of

Wrap with Love

Dates: Tue 11/9, Wed 26/9 Tue 09/10, 31/10 Enquiries Jenny 0414664077

Ladies in Black. **Police Remembrance Day**

28th Sept at 10am.

All welcome. Please come and support our local police service



Maranatha Movie night

Screening will be held at the Batemans Bay cinema Thursday 20th Sept Gather first for some light refreshments at 5pm fol-

lowed by movie at 6pm. Tickets are \$25 **RSVP to Kay 44781090**

BBECET-13th Sept 5-6 pm Melaleuca cres Presbyterian church. Prayer for our youth in the Bay.

Mens Breakfast

Saturday Sept 15th: Men's Breakfast celebrating Male Parents from 8: 00 to 9:30

Bring your best "Dad Joke" or be prepared to groan or chuckle along with your fellow man.

Participants are invited to join in the Plenary Council Listening Session immediately following . Contact: Tony Priest 042 3361083 Terry Jackson 0488 052147

On Tuesday student leaders from St Bernards, St Marys and Carroll College went to Canberra, to meet with Archbishop Christopher Prowse.

It was one of many "Listening sessions" to come, as we all journey towards the Plenary Council in 2020

It was an insightful meeting and the students were encouraged to raise their concerns and share suggestions on ways the Church could move forward. Children are very honest and their feedback was well received by Archbishop Prowse.

If you would like to see more, copies of the school newsletter is in the foyer. Please take one.

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