



ST BERNARD'S PARISH

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

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

THIS WEEK: 10-15

Tuesday 10 9am Mass in Church
Morning tea with Bishop Michael Apochi after mass

Wednesday 11 8:40 am Rosary
9am Mass

Thursday 12 9am Mass

Friday 13 9:am Stations of the cross
9:15 am Mass
5.30pm Adoration

Saturday 14 9am Mass
5pm Reconciliation
6pm Vigil Mass

Sunday 15 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 Ebejer

9am : Mavis Williamson

Readers

6pm: Peter O'Kelly, Sr Carmel.D.
Joe Quigley

9am Bernie Basevi, Kieran O'Sullivan,
Joe O'Sullivan

Extraordinary Ministers

6pm: Alan Rodgers, Henrietta Blake, Phil Billington, Margaret Bridgers, Graeme Maynard

9am : Gary Norris, Anne Scicluna, Carol Schor
Volunteers needed.

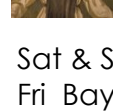
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6pm: Daniel Coffey

9am: Tony Priest



Fr Martins: Tue, Thur Sat & Sun Bay. Wed, Fri Moruya



Fr Dom: Tue, Thur, Sat & Sun Moruya. Wed, Fri Bay



We welcome Fr Rex Curry who has retired to Batemans Bay from Broken Bay.

Upcoming events

8th July Retreat in daily Life

10th July Visit from Bishop

17th Retreat at the Pines. See notice in foyer, or our website.

21st Mens Breakfast

26th 10:30 Mass at the Glen.

29th Gypsy Fire Concert

Weekly events

RCIA Process is ongoing every Wednesday 7pm in meeting room

Rosary Every Wednesday at 8:40am 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 & 4th Wednesday of the month

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

No Kids liturgy. Happy and safe holidays to the children. Safe travel if you are going away.

Please pray for the people in our parish who are sick

Rae Fishlock, Mary Henderson, James Lee, Denis Johnson, Dianne Hantus, Judy Sykes, Charlie Morella, Fred Simiara and Geoff Philpot

REST IN PEACE

We pray for those who have departed this life

Reg Clarke, Ashley Kevin Cullen, Sieglinde Bogdanovic and Josephina Van Oosterhout, Hetty De graaf.



Message

To reject Jesus is to reject the possibility of there being a life that offers true meaning. Why would people do this? Their lack of faith is one aspect to it. It suggests that they were not familiar with and could not recognise God and His works. It is less about how they see God and more about how they see each other.

They could have recognised the nature of what this prophet is doing and the person he had become but did not. They questioned the very nature of the person that Jesus was and began to build a picture shaped by their own blindness and pride. Curiously, people from Jesus' own town did not recognise the wisdom and miracles worked by Him.

A prophet is always asked to take people beyond where they are. Taking them beyond where they are leads them away from their own pride and closer to Jesus. This is God's task for every prophet and it is still a task for us today.

Fr Dominic

Claim the date

Sunday the 19th August we will be celebrating the 50th Anniversary of St Bernard's.

Mass will be at 10:30am followed by lunch.

Everyone is welcome. More details will follow.

New Parishioners

If you are a new parishioner, please take the time to fill in a blue form. We would love to welcome you into our parish You can pick up a form from the piety shop.

Gypsy Fire—Starring 10 String Guitarist Matthew Fagan aka Lord of the Strings Sunday 29th July, 3pm (Doors 2.30pm)
St Bernards Catholic Church

Thank you to all those who are considering to give by direct debt or credit. Your thought to this is much appreciated.

Banking Details Parish Finances:
Direct Debt
1st Collection (for the priests in the Archdiocese)
BSB: 062786
Acc. No: 0029248
Ref: Bbay (and your surname)

2nd Collection (Parish)
BSB: 062786
Acc. No: 0012939

Walking with Jesus Retreat in daily life.

Date: 22 July– 12th Aug
Venue: St Joseph's House of Spirituality.

This retreat invites you spend some time praying the scriptures each day as you continue the routine of your daily life.
Sr Carmel.D 44727063

Bishop Michael Apochi's Visit

Fr Martins home Bishop, Michael Apochi is currently in Australia for holiday. He will be visiting our Parish on Monday 9th July.

He will celebrate Mass on Tuesday 10th July at 9am to be followed by morning tea with the parishioners in the Meeting Room.

Fr Martins would sincerely like as many parishioners as possible come along to Mass and morning tea, to meet his bishop. Those attending please bring a plate to share.

BBECET Prayer Meeting

Monday 9th July 5-6pm Presbyterian church
13 Melaluca crs

All are welcome to come and pray for the young people of Batemans Bay

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