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Mass Times
Tues 05: 5.30pm Mass
Wed 06: 8:40am Rosary
9am Mass
Thurs 07: 9am Mass
Fri 08: 9am Stations of the
Cross 9.15am Mass
5.30pm Adoration
Sat 09: 9am Rosary
5pm Reconciliation
6pm Vigil Mass
Sun 10: 9am Mass
5pm Mass
Sacristans
6pm: Craddy & Carmody
9am: Scicluna & Bemelman
5pm: D. & B. McCormack

ROSTERS 9/10 November
Church Cleaning
R Talbot, L Butt (11-15)
Welcomers
6pm K Conway
9am M Naughton
5pm D Ebejer
Readers
6pm N Crewe, Susan Smith
9am P Billington
5pm S Ebejer, Volunteer
Commentator
6pm J Quigley
9am A Brown
5pm C Nicoletti
Extraordinary Ministers
6pm L Favetta, C Brownlie, A
Rogers, M Weatherall
9am M O'Neill, M Trojkovic, G
Norris, A Scicluna
5pm B McCormack, D Gorzal-
ka

Computer Screen
6pm D Coffey
9am T Priest
Children's Liturgy
T Cashman
Morning Tea
Filipino Community
Hospital Visits: Mary O'Neill
Nov 10th

The Conversion Story of Zacchaeus: This weekend, the gospel focused on the conversion of Zacchaeus, the Tax Man. What was the cause of Zacchaeus' instantaneous conversion? By entering Zacchaeus' house, Jesus gave back to its owner the dignity that he had lost and restored his sense of self-worth. Jesus gave him a new life. By making no demands on Zacchaeus, Jesus gave him a feeling of acceptance and a new direction for his life. Hence during the banquet, Zacchaeus made the solemn announcement of his repentance and committed himself to doing justice by the sharing of his wealth (giving half his possessions to the poor), and the making of reparations (fourfold to the defrauded). This exceeded what the Torah asked (Ex 22:1-4, 21:2). According to the Jewish law, when one who had cheated another confessed his guilt and *volunteered* to make restitution, the amount required was equal to the amount stolen plus one fifth more (Leviticus 6:5, Numbers 5:7)). Zacchaeus did not make this offer to win Jesus' approval, but to show his gratitude. This confirms the integrity of Zacchaeus' conversion and affirms the quality of his Faith, Jesus announced that salvation had not come to Zacchaeus alone, but rather to his entire household. Zacchaeus' household would now share in his blessings as they had previously shared in his unjust practices. **Fr. Martins**

DOT POINT SUMMARY OF PPC MEETING 24 OCTOBER 2019

Items for discussion included the following:

- ◆ Pastoral Care ministries have completed formation, led by Marie Weatherall and are working well within the parish.
- ◆ The Bereavement team has also undertaken formation and eight new members have begun their work in the parish.
- ◆ Liturgical ministries, lector's and special ministers will be renewed early 2020. More people are asked to consider taking part.
- ◆ The Parish will be hosting a seminarian from Nov 2019- June 2020.
- ◆ Plenary Council phase II will take place during November. All are invited to participate and have you say.
- ◆ Fr Martins is exploring the possibility of a parish pilgrimage in 2020/2021. If you are interested please let him know.
- ◆ A Parish based Sacramental program is being explored at the moment. To be run by the Parish and supported by the school.

If you have any questions, concerns or suggestions for the Parish Pastoral Council, please let a member of the council know.

Weekly Events:
Singalong: Monday at 1pm in the Church.
Bible Study/Faith Formation Wed. at 9.30am
Rosary: Wednesday at 8:40am, Church
Stations of the Cross: Friday, 9am in church
Adoration/Vespers: Friday at 5:30pm
Craft: Thursday 10 –12pm Meeting Room
Wrap With Love: 2nd Tue & last Wed of month in church
Men Alive: Every 1st & 3rd Wed in Church
Reconciliation: Saturday at 5pm in Church
Cenacle Prayer: Tues at 4.45pm in Church
Monthly Events
First Saturday: 9 am Mass—All Souls

Opal Mass: Every 1st Wed at 10:30am
Glen Mass: Every 3rd Thurs at 10:30am
Maranatha Mass: Every 4th Wed at 2pm
Baptism Preparation: Last Wed at 6.30pm
Mass of the Sick: Every 1st Tue at 5.30pm
Weddings and Funerals by arrangement
Upcoming Events: November
1st All Saint's Day Mass 9.15am
2nd All Souls 9 am mass—All are welcome to join
11th Remembrance Day Service 11 am
16th Men's Breakfast 8 am meeting room
25th PFC Meeting 5 pm
28th PPC Meeting 5 pm meeting room
30 Nov—1st Dec SVDs Christmas Appeal



NATIONAL PRAYER CAMPAIGN

For the gift of rain, for people affected by drought, for support services.

*Eternal God,
In wisdom and love you
created our earth to sustain us
and give us life.*

*We turn to you now in faith, hope
and love, asking you to look with
favour on our drought-stricken
land, on our starving animals, on
our failing crops.*

*Strengthen, sustain and give new
heart to our farmers and to all
who are affected by drought: be
with those who support them.*

*In your loving providence, send
abundant rain and
restore our parched earth.*

*Father of all compassion, hear
our prayer through Jesus Christ
your Son, in whom the promise of
new life has dawned, and through
the
power of the Holy Spirit, the Lord
the giver of life: Renew your faith-
ful people Renew the face of the
earth.*

*Our lady of the Southern Cross,
Mary, help of
Christians
Pray for us
St Mary of the Cross
Mackillop
Pray for us.*

*We acknowledge the Traditional
Owners of country throughout
Australia and continue
to commit to reconciliation and
justice. We pay respect to them
and their elders past and present.*

MARANATHA LODGE: Will be holding a fund raising movie night screening Fisherman's Friends on Thursday, 14th November at 6pm. Tickets cost \$25 pp which includes pizza and a drink. Call Kay Hallam 44781090 or pick up tickets from Maranatha Lodge.

MONTH OF NOVEMBER : REMEMBERING & PRAYING

November is the month during which we especially remember those who have died. During this month we continue to pray for those who have gone before us in faith, that they may be embraced by God. We invite you to remember your loved ones and all the Holy Souls by:

- * Writing the name of your loved ones with dates of birth and death on the Special Cards prepared with the school and placing them in the basket near the Memorial Booklet Shrine. The candles will be lit at every Mass & Devotion during November. New names will be added to the Memorial Book at the end of November.
- * Completing a Mass Intention Envelope and placing in the basket. Father will offer masses throughout November with these Holy Souls at the heart of our Eucharistic community.
- * Joining the Sunday Rosary at 12noon at the cemeteries listed below



3/11 BATEMANS BAY CEMETERY
10/11 MOGO CEMETERY JERAMADRA
17/11 BROULEE MEMORIAL GARDENS
24/11 OLD CATHOLIC CHURCH CEMETERY (BENT ST, BATEMANS BAY)
30/11 NELLIGEN CEMETERY (SATURDAY)

All are welcome to join in praying for our departed family members, friends and parishioners

PHASE 11 OF PLENARY COUNCIL

Thankyou for nominating for the six themes. The materials for each discernment meeting are on the tables for collection, and are labelled. There is a prayerful rhythm to this phase and the outcome requested for input to the Plenary Council is 150 words as agreed to by the group.

WHAT? Meeting of a maximum of two hours which includes prayer and discernment

WHERE? Parish Meeting Room at the Church

WHEN? Saturday 9th November 10 am—Missionary & Evangelising
Monday 18th 3.15pm—Humble Healing & Merciful (Parish Office)
Monday 18th 7 pm—Inclusive, Participatory & Synodal
Wednesday 20th at 7 pm—Prayerful & Eucharistic
Monday 25th at 7 pm—Open to Conversion, Renewal & Reform
Tuesday 26th at 3 pm—Joyful, Hope-filled & Servant Community

MEN'S BREAKFAST: To be held on November 16th with a Dickensian theme. As we approach Christmas and the Advent Season we will be exploring reminiscences of Christmas Past, plans for Christmas Present and hopes for Christmas Future. Be assured the morning will be filled with pleasant conversations and friendly discussions as well as a fine breakfast repast. 7.45 for 8 am in the Meeting Room. Cost \$5 each. All men welcome. For more information contact Terry Jackson 0488 052 147 or Tony Priest 0423 361 083

COMMUNITY STREET KITCHEN: A free community lunch will be available at the Batemans Bay Community Centre every second Saturday from 12.30—3pm, with the next street kitchen to be held on 2nd November. The open kitchen provides a free lunch for anyone in need, whether it be tough times, wanting to meet new friends or looking for support. The lunch is provided by volunteers, so if you wish to be involved contact Clare on 0447 617 619 or hel-lo@soultribestudio.com.au. Everyone is welcome to come along!!

THE CATHOLIC VOICE: The latest edition is out now and available in the church foyer!! Great read.

Banking details
1st Collection
Acc. Name:
Central
Presbytery Fund
Bank Acc: 29248
BSB: 062-786 Ref:
SUBURB/TOWN &
SURNAME.
Eg: Batebay jones

Banking details 2nd
Collection
Acc. Name:
St Bernard's Op-
erating **Account**
Bank Acc:0012939 BSB:
062-786
Ref: FAMILY NAME.
Eg: Jones

Remembering the Sick: Dennis Sheather, Mary Henderson, James Lee, George Fitzgerald, Declan Holmes, Diane Lanzon, Marion O'Grady, Victor Edith, Jan Simpson, Dawn Robinson, Margaret Harris, Patricia McLennan, Bill Giust, Allan Odium, Luke Ward, Rosemary Cooley, Andrew Morton, Judy Betts, Ken Evendon, Janet Thornberry, Anica Bautovic, Glenda Gallagher, Joan, John Dylon and those in our local Nursing Homes and Hospital.

Rest In Peace: Des Beckhaus, Bea Field, Jim Daley, Merle Hague, Guiseppe Ferrante, Anthony Clift, Marie Stewart, Vivien Doyle, Frances Doyle, Colin Doyle, June Bowditch, Nick Shannon, Peter McKeon, Joe Borg, Katima Skuzma, Desmond Lyons, Val Back, Norma Phillips, Ted Gillis, Vincenzo Biondo

Pope Francis Monthly Prayer Intention

November

Universal— Communication and Reconciliation

That a spirit of dialogue, encounter and reconciliation emerges in the Near East, where diverse religious communities share their lives together

<p>Batemans Bay, Moruya & Narooma</p> <p>District Funerals</p> <p>Mark Hewson JP Funeral Director Phone 02 4472 8886</p> <p>Moruya 02 4474 3555 Narooma 02 4476 3888</p>	<p>INDUSTRIAL REPLACEMENTS</p> <p>1 Sharon Road, Batemans Bay</p> <p>Buy fuel any time</p> <p>EFFROS VISA AMEX MASTERCARD</p>
<p>OCEAN BREEZE TAKEAWAY</p> <p>Fish & Chips, Burgers, Sandwiches & Coffee</p> <p>100% REEF RIDGED</p> <p>0478 146 837 02 4472 1802</p>	<p>ST BERNARDS PRIMARY SCHOOL</p> <p>ENROLLING NOW</p> <p>Ph 4472 4446</p> <p>Member of the Eurobodalla K-12 Catholic Schools' Community</p>
<p>CARROLL COLLEGE</p> <p>ENROLLING NOW</p> <p>Ph 4471 5600</p> <p>Member of the Eurobodalla K-12 Catholic Schools' Community</p>	<p>excell <i>ideaspeople</i> <i>— with a passion for print</i></p> <p>P 4472 1599 E batemansbay@excellprint.com.au www.excellprint.com.au</p> <p>Shop 1/25, Old Princes Hwy Batemans Bay NSW 2536</p>
<p>Ray and Anne Brown</p> <p>COASTAL CONCRETE & QUARRY</p> <p>02 4474 0320</p>	<p>Kate & Tara your vets at Surf Beach</p> <p>EUROCOAST Veterinary Centre</p> <p>4471 3400</p>

PARISH COFFEE CLUB

All are welcome to join the coffee Club on Thursdays after the 9am mass.

VENUE: Ocean Breeze, Beach Road, Batehaven



COFFEE, CONNECT & CHAT