

HOLY TRINITY
Year C
26th May 2013

PRAYER TO THE HOLY TRINITY

Glory be to the Father,
Who by His almighty power and love created me,
making me in the image and likeness of God.
Glory be to the Son,
Who by His [Precious Blood](#) delivered me from
hell,
and opened for me the gates of heaven.
Glory be to the Holy Spirit,
Who has sanctified me in the sacrament of
Baptism,
and continues to sanctify me
by the graces I receive daily from His bounty.
Glory be to the Three adorable Persons of the
Holy Trinity, now and forever.

Amen.

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

"St Thomas More Parish, Ruse, is a Christ-centred Catholic Community that is committed to living Gospel Values, united by faith as we bring God's Kingdom to life. Our Mission is to welcome all, and respect and support each other in our spiritual journey. We encourage the gifts of people in building our community"

PARISHES WORKING TOGETHER – BISHOP'S RESPONSE.

Last Sunday, Bishop Peter offered his Pastoral Letter in response to the Parishes Working Together Consultation Process. In June and July a full summary and complete report will be made available. The report is also available on our diocesan website: www.dow.org.au

PARISH SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMME 2013
(Enrolment for all Sacraments require the Presentation of a Baptism Certificate)

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Please remember and keep in your prayers the children who will be making their First Holy Communion either next Saturday (1st June) at the 6.00pm Vigil Mass or at the special First Holy Communion Mass on Sunday (2nd June) at 11.00am.

CONFIRMATION

(Children who are in Year 6 and above, who have been Baptised and have made the Sacraments of Reconciliation and First Holy Communion).

Parents/Carers Information evening is Wednesday 12th June at 7.30pm in the Parish Church
Confirmation classes will begin week commencing Sunday 23rd June 2013

The Sacrament of Confirmation will be on Saturday 10th August 2013 at 4.00pm

Parish Birthdays for this week:

26th: Zachary Vossen
27th: Karen Mahanay
28th: Jack Nolan
29th: Patrick Berbari
30th: Karin Daley

PRAY FOR THE SICK:

Please pray for the many sick in our parish community:
Candice Walker, Ellen Healy, Tina Boyd,
Colum Brennan, Len Donoghue, Kelly Berthaly,
Mary Fredericks, Jean Nicholson, Mary Pace,
Ken Smith, Zanaba Liban, Lorraine Evans,
Sitani Nasio, Kevin Hardinge, Gino Stephen,
Iris Stephen, Beryl Purcell, Gloria Eggert,
Barbara DeVille, Jill Lovell, Salesi Kaufusi,
Rita Bingham, Sam Sheather, John McCann,
Ken Churchill and Giovanna Cancellieri.

PRAY FOR THE DECEASED:

Michelle McAndrew, Bishop William Edward Murray (Emeritus Bishop of Wollongong), Mary Writer, Joseph Rodrigues, Limita Rodrigues, Nypha Vaz, Carlos Carvalho, Cecil Moylan,
Emily Wauchop, Michael Seufatu, Caroline D'Mello, Ladislav Feher, Stephen Vaz, Sioeli Salas, Robin Platt, Maurya Hutton, Jim McKenzie, Ronald Dawson, Anthony Jabbour, Dominic Pereira, Peter Pereira, Bernard Hoffman, Deborah Rix, Pat Purcell, Alice Harris, Genie Lynch, Frank McKay, Frank Keevers, Laurie Keevers, John DeVille, Keith Gomes and Maria Cabonara and for anyone else who's Anniversary occurs at this time.

Diary Dates:

- **St Vincent de Paul Society** meeting Tuesday 28th May at 7.45pm in the Parish Centre **new members are most welcome**
- **Baptism Preparation Class** on Monday 3rd June at 7.00pm in the Parish Centre
- **Parish Ladies Group** meeting on Monday 3rd June at 7.30pm in the Parish Centre, **new members are most welcome (come and share a laugh and a cuppa with us)**
- **Parish Pastoral Councils Regional Gathering** on Wednesday 5th June at 7.30pm at St Johns Parish Hall, Campbelltown (all members of our Parish Pastoral Council are encouraged to attend)
- **Retiree's Social group** gathering in the parish hall on Thursday 6th June after the 9.00am Mass

DIVINE MERCY: Every Sunday the Samoan Divine Mercy prayer group begins at 1.00pm in our Parish Church. All parishioners are most welcome. For more information please phone Maria on 9603 5106 or 0404929498.

THIS WEEKS CATHOLIC WEEKLY: Is now printed in colour. Don't forget to take your copy home, great value for **only \$2.00. Some articles of interest are:** Why Faith matters: Cardinal's Pentecost message, Pope Paul VI guided Vatican 11 to successful outcome' – Great Grace Conference. etc

PARISH PIETY STALL: Is available after the 9.00am Mass for any Religious goods eg: First Holy Communion gifts, various different Rosary Beads etc.

ST VINCENT de PAUL SOCIETY IN OUR PARISH:

Held their Annual General Meeting in February and we would like to thank the outgoing Committee: President: Vicky Horne, and welcome the new Committee:

President: Bill George

Secretary: Lorraine Bowie and

Treasurer: Karen Mahanay

There is an active St Vincent de Paul Society in our Parish. The conference meets the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month except January, in the Parish Centre at 7.45pm. Visitors or new members would always find a warm and friendly welcome and are encouraged to try our meetings, without any obligation.

WHATS HAPPENING IN OUR PARISH CATHOLIC PRIMARY:

Please take home a copy of their School Newsletter

Date to remember: **Annual School Fete is on Sunday 4th August.** For more details of donations etc please contact the School on 4625 6561.

The parish will be supporting our Parish School in the collection of the **"WOOLWORTHS EARN & LEARN"** stickers when you shop at Woolworths. There is a container for the stickers on the table at the side entrance of the church.

FEAST OF OUR LADY HELP OF CHRISTIANS:

Was celebrated last Friday (24th May) and as Our Lady Help of Christians is the Patron Saint of Australia, prayer cards are available to every Parishioner on the tables at the back of the Church. Please say this beautiful prayer as a family.

DIOCESAN DIRECTOR OF CATHOLIC MISSION (Wollongong)

Applications are called for the above position that will be vacated by Mike Deasy at the end of June. Mike will continue with his work for Catholic Mission in the dioceses of Bathurst and Wilcannia-Forbes. A job description can be found on the diocesan website www.dow.org.au. More specific questions can be directed to Walter Dinale, Catholic Mission's National HR Manager WDinale@catholicmission.org.au or on (02) 9919 7800. **Applications close 31 May 2013.**

ADORATION IN COMMUNION WITH POPE FRANCIS

In a major event of the Year of Faith, Pope Francis will preside at an hour of Eucharistic Adoration at 5.00 pm in St Peter's Basilica, Rome, on the Solemnity of the Body and Blood of Christ – Sunday 2 June 2013. The Pope wants to make this Hour of Adoration in communion with all bishops and local communities in dioceses around the world. The universal scope of this moment is to be a gesture of spiritual sharing in communion with the successor of Peter in the prayer of Adoration to Jesus Christ "the one mediator between God and humanity." (1 Tim 2:5). Therefore, on Saturday 1 June, Bishop Peter shall offer an Hour of Adoration at St Francis Xavier Cathedral, Wollongong, from 12.00 noon. All are welcome. Across the Diocese, a number of parishes are also offering adoration, holy hours and Eucharistic processions.

CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION: Our Lady Help of Christians Parish, Rosemeadow will be holding their Annual Procession in honour of the Blessed Sacrament on Feast of Corpus Christi, next Sunday (2nd June) at 2.30pm. It will include Scripture Readings, Rosary, Procession and Benediction. This is for all Parishes in the Macarthur Region, and therefore Bishop Peter Ingham will preside and preach. Please join in this witness to our Eucharistic Lord among us.

GOD IN THE GONG – Tuesday 11 June 2013

For ages 18-35 years (Age limit does not apply to Clergy, Religious and Youth Ministers), **Venue:** Macarthur Tavern (cnr Gilchrist Drive & Kellicar Road, Campbelltown) **From 7.00pm – 9.00pm** (Dinner available at the venue from 5.30pm)
Speaker: Fr Richard Healey **Topic:** Faith and Journey: How, when and why do we go on pilgrimage?
Enquiries: youth@dow.org.au or 4222 2460

CATECHIST MORNING TEA. You are warmly invited to attend a Catechist Morning tea. This is a chance for Catechists to meet other Catechists in the Diocese in a fun way, exchange ideas and explore the Resource Centre for things that will help in your important ministry with children. No cost involved. Morning tea is provided. **Venue: CCD Resource Centre, Micah House, 35a Cordeaux Street, Campbelltown 2560. 10.30am – 12.00 midday. Tues 11 June, 2013.** Please RSVP to Mrs Cindy Oliver by Monday 3 June 2013 on: (02) 4640 8550 or email: cindy.oliver@dow.org.au

PARISH ROSARY STATUE: The Parish Rosary Statue will be in the home of Carol for two weeks, commencing **Monday 27th May until Sunday 9th June.**

The address is on the Main notice board at the side of the Church. The family will be saying the Rosary on **Mondays at 4.00pm.**

Please collect the statue from the Church on the weekend and return it the following fortnight.

READERS FOR JUNE :

Vigil Mass: Steve and Nathaniel Robinson
9.00am Mass: (2nd & 9th): Meli Mauga and Christine Foreman
(16th, 23rd & 30th) Maria Feher and Cody Benes

(Could the 2nd Reader please also read the Prayers of the Faithful)

USHER'S for next weekend:

9am Mass: Helen Rawson and Chris Reddy

FLOWER'S FOR NEXT WEEK: Julie

CHURCH CLEANER'S FOR NEXT WEEK: Group 2: Cathy Bye, Barry Daley, Eugene Wasko and Kathy Donachie



