

Dementia Carers Support Group If you care for a relative, neighbour or friend with memory loss and need support or information join us every 2nd Thursday of the month.

2.30pm Thursday 13 August 2009

Facilitator: Jenny Bergersen Social Worker, Aged Care Assessment Team Hornsby Ku-ring-gai Health Service

Cost: Free. Afternoon tea will be provided

RSVP: Monday 10 August 2009 9456 3344

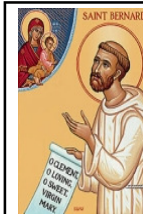
MEETINGS DATES 2009: Thursday 10 September

Thursday 8 October Thursday 12 November



250 CLUB WEEK 6

Drawn Tuesday 4 August
Number 576 Michelle Stevens
Alan Road Berowra Heights
Congratulations!
Your cheque will be posted to you.

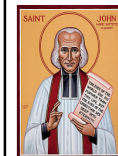


KU-RING-GAI CHASE CATHOLIC PARISH

Parish Churches of St Bernard Berowra and St Patrick Asquith

NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR B

9 August 2009



A Year for Priests

TASTE AND SEE THE GOODNESS OF THE LORD

Readings Next Week: Prov 9:1-6 Eph 5:15-20 Jn 6:52-58

ROSTERS FOR 15/16 AUGUST

Ministry	St Bernard's Church		St Patrick's Church (Sacristy Phone 9476 6904)			
	5.30pm	9am	6.30pm	8am	10am	6pm
Acolyte/Snr Server	Garry Cornius	Gus Davis	Malcolm Cross	Teresa Ashton	Karen Leavy	Keith Fone
Server	Alec Arnold Jessica O'Neill Elizabeth Maher	Daniel Trott Jessica Funk Giaan Wilson	Ambrose Wong Daniel Cronin	Volunteers please	Isabelle Arzoumalion Alisha Eveleens Thomas Messina Erica Messina Thomas Peregrina	Katie Hunter
Reader	Ruth Doran Paul Maher	Julia Healey Barbara McMullen	Patricia Longworth Jerome Gomez	Marcel Reemst John Creenaune	Maggie Soares Jo Quinlan	Don Low Ethleen Low
Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion	Cecilia Waite Kathryn Webster Isabel Henson Christine Cornius	Margaret Griffin Margaret Collins Joan Tunny Rose Formby				
Extraordinary Ministers	Michael O'Neill, Vince Hughes		Malcolm Cross, Sue Host, Joe Da Silva, Sylvia Rego			
Children's Liturgy	23 August 8.50am in the Pastoral Centre		16 August 9.50am Father Patrick McMaugh Hall Karen Peregrina, Gabe Donlevy			
Altar Society	Sacristy: Eulalie Hailstone Roger Okell, Glen & Annette Shapter, Cornel Arnold, Carol Barlow, Mary Tutill (f)		Group 4 (Saturday) Jo Barton, Else Burke, Maria Yardley, Janice Cooper, Cathy Stevens, Chris Hayman, Kim Fitzgerald			
Maintenance	22 August 2009 Team A		August 2009 David Hartman, Matthew Tancred			
Morning Tea	30 August St Bernard's School		23 August Class Mass Parents			
Counters	Barbara McMullen, Lyn Beacom		Margaret Acref, Chris Newnham, Jan Bennett, Henry Sylvester			
Rosary	Monday 10 August Gwen Wood 7 Boundary Street Monday 17 August Ann Hard 10/22-24 Goodwyn Rd Berowra Please phone co-ordinator Bill McDonagh on 9456 3883 if you wish to be on the Rosary Roster.		Tuesday 11 August Group 1 Maureen Coves 12 Telopia Street Mt Colah Group 2 Apollo & Elizabeth Fernandes 7A Galston Road Hornsby Group 3 Edwina & Mani Subramany 23 Landra Avenue Mt Colah Please phone co-ordinator Cheri Mangrai on 9476 3610 if you wish to be on the Rosary Roster.			

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Email: office@kccp.org.au

Homepage www.kccp.org.au

Clergy: (Rev) Robert Borg, Parish Priest (Rev) John Mutuku, Assistant Priest Deacon David Huntley

LITURGY TIMETABLE

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

Vigil 4pm Peace Chapel Brooklyn
21 Karoola Street
Vigil 5.30pm St Bernard's
Vigil 6.30pm St Patrick's
8am St Patrick's
9am St Bernard's
10am St Patrick's
6pm St Patrick's

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

St Patrick's 8am Wednesday & Friday
9am Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday
St Bernard's 8am Monday, Tuesday, Thursday
9am Wednesday & Friday

RECONCILIATION

Before Vigil Mass at St Bernard's
After 9am Morning Mass at St Patrick's

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

First Saturday of month at St Patrick's
after Holy Communion at 9am Mass

BAPTISM See Brochure in Church Foyer

WEDDINGS Contact the Pastoral Centre

FOR CHILDREN: Liturgy of the Word
August 16 at 9.50am Father Patrick McMaugh Hall
August 23 at 8.50am Pastoral Centre

NEW PARISHIONERS Welcome! Please fill in the Parish Census Form at the back of the Church



CHARITABLE WORKS FUND APPEAL TODAY!

Please give generously to this Appeal. Our Parish quota for this weekend's Appeal, set by the Diocese of Broken Bay, is \$11,605.

FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION Saturday 15 August

This feast is a Holy Day of Obligation and there will be a 7.30pm Vigil Mass on Friday 14 August at St Bernard's Church and 9am Mass on Saturday 15 August at St Patrick's Church.



LET'S ENCOURAGE OUR YOUTH

'This week on 12 August we celebrate the United Nations International Youth Day. This gives the world an opportunity to recognise the potential of youth, to celebrate their achievements, and plan for ways to better engage young people to successfully take action in the development of their societies. It presents a unique opportunity for all stakeholders to rally together to ensure that young people are included in decision-making at all levels. In your parish, your family and at work or school give a word of encouragement to the young people around you.' From the Catholic Enquiry Centre <http://www.catholicenquiry.com>

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMME CONFIRMATION

Parent Workshops will take place in the Father Denis Callahan Hall at St Bernard's on Sunday 9 August from 8-9am OR in the Father Patrick McMaugh Hall at St Patrick's from 8-9pm on Tuesday 11 August.



READINGS THIS WEEK

Monday 10 Lawrence, deacon, martyr
2 Cor 9:6-10; Jn 12:24-26
Tuesday Clare, virgin
Deut 31:1-8; Mt 18:2-5, 10, 12-14
Wednesday Jane Frances de Chantal, religious
Deut 34:1-12; Mt 18:15-20
Thursday Pontian, pope, martyr and Hippolytus, Priest, martyr
Joshua 3:7-11; Mt 18:21-19:1
Friday Maximilian Kolbe, priest, martyr
Joshua 24:1-13; Mt 19:3-12
Saturday Assumption of the Virgin Mary
Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16, 16:1-2; 1 Cor 15:54-57; Lk 11:27-28
Day: Apoc 11:19, 12:1-6, 10; 1 Cor 15:20-26; Lk 1:39-56

We pray for those who have died in the hope of the Resurrection
RECENTLY DECEASED: Joe Parrington (husband of Clare), Ray Perriam (father of Kerrin Enright)
ANNIVERSARIES: Amelia Carroll, Fred Sassin, Margaret Townsend, Clem Conroy
OTHER: Janja Turkovic

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK: Billie Sumners, Christopher Spalding, John Macy, Brian Black, Sam Vella, Pat McGoulrick, Sam Biberian, Karen Aiken, Spiro Borg, Neil Mickelson, Father John Wakeling, Andrew Reid, Kathy Goodwin, Michael McCarthy, Louie Simpson, Laurie Smith, Jane Kohlwes, Kel Hutcheson, Gina Wicks, Jim Hale, Kenneth Gomez, May & Ray Bailey, Kevin Carmody, Felicity Fone, Peter McBride, Georgina Hughes, Michael Hibbard, Rev Ted Shepherd, Jean Bill, Julia Healy, Sosefo Ali, Margaret Williams





'Never see a need without trying to do something about it. (Blessed Mary MacKillop (1842-1909))

Saturday 8 August the Church in Australia celebrates 100 years since the death of its first beatified Australian, Blessed Mary MacKillop. Her innate goodness and her down-to-earth approach to life, together with her ability to bring hope in the midst of suffering, make her a saint of the ordinary. Her life has touched the heart and soul of all Australians.

Mary MacKillop Place Museum Open Weekend 15 & 16 August 2009 10am to 4pm

Take the journey and be inspired Free admission! Discover a local secret in the heart of North Sydney and unravel the story of a Saint. Participate in and be part of the celebrations of this historical milestone in the history of Australia's first Saint - Mary MacKillop. Celebrate the Centenary Year at Mary MacKillop Place Museum. Sausage sizzle in the courtyard. Visit The School House and view an exhibition of contemporary artworks. Learn more about the Sisters' community work and special projects worldwide. *The museum complex is fully accessible and child friendly.* For further enquiries please call 02 8912 4878 or email mackillop@sosj.org.au **Mary MacKillop Place 7-11 Mount St, North Sydney**

Children's Choir

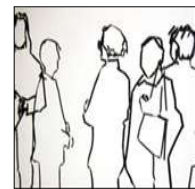
We are delighted to welcome eleven young visitors from Korea, Annie, Julie, Jenny, Daisy, Soy, Jack, Tom, James, Jun, Helen and Kevin, who will be singing with us, getting to know us, and sharing stories with us for the rest of this term. We would like to thank Michelle Hwang for enabling all the children to have this wonderful opportunity. Children's Choir sings at 10am Mass on 2nd and 4th Sundays during school terms, and practises on Fridays from 4 to 5pm. Young singers from Year 3 and up welcome at any time. Enquiries: Patricia Smith 9482 7935



Senior Choir

Although the Choir is still very active singing at parish funerals, monthly rehearsals are not taking place throughout the winter. If you have free time during the day on weekdays, and you would like to be part of this caring and uplifting ministry, contact Ruth Carlos 9987 4179 or Patricia Smith 9482 7935

Meetings:



Seniors Ministry to meet on Friday, 14th August at 10.30 am at the home of Ruth Doran, 7 Gooraway Place, Berowra Heights (9456.4764)

St Vincent de Paul meets each Tuesday at 7.30pm in the Parish Meeting Room at St Patrick's. New members welcome.

ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT TO 30 JUNE 2009

ANNUAL REPORT

INCOME:	\$245,661.00
EXPENSES:	\$273,718.00
NET SURPLUS	(\$28,057.00)

Thanks for your continued support. This year we have made a loss due to repairs. Further repairs are still required in the future.

Please refer to the website for further details and commentary. Or call Mark Hurden on 9476 2925 for further details.

THANK YOU to Coral Thaddeus who prepared the Prayers of Intercession for July for the first time. 

CATECHISTS ARE CRUCIAL

CATECHIST CORNER Dear Catechists, Welcome back to term 3! The year is progressing very quickly and soon we will be organising our next recruitment so please have your ideas ready to share. Our next meeting is next Friday 14th August 10am-12:00pm at the Pastoral Centre.

There will also be a 'Classroom Management' workshop on Wednesday 12th August 12:00pm-3:00pm. It will be held at Corpus Christi Parish hall, 263 Mona Vale Road, St Ives. Please RSVP by Tuesday 11 August to Sharon da Roza on 9847 0492

A Curriculum Review Committee has been set up on which I am a member. If you have any comments/complaints about the new program, please contact me so I can pass this on at the next meeting of the committee. Your feedback will be most important in future modifications of the program. Look forward to seeing you soon. Alicja Pieprzyk Catechist Co-ordinator 94567596

SOCIAL JUSTICE COMMENT

Would you like to acknowledge Timor's unique wartime contribution to Australia?

You have an opportunity this weekend to sign a petition at Brooklyn, Berowra and Asquith to be presented to the House of Representatives asking for East Timor to be awarded a *Companion of the Order of Australia (Honorary)*. After the Australian evacuation, the RAAF dropped leaflets over East Timor which read: "Your friends do not forget you" however there has been no official Australian recognition of the unique contribution made to us by the Timorese people in World War II. A very brief story of their involvement accompanies the petition. Please take the time to add your name.

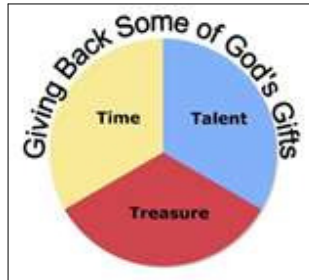


As the world heads to the final **UN climate summit** in Copenhagen in December, global talks to stop the climate crisis are stalling. The leaders of the biggest polluting countries are refusing to cut carbon emissions enough to avert catastrophe; one big reason - these **leaders are besieged daily by lobbyists from the powerful oil and coal industries**. To counter them everyone needs to be very knowledgeable on the issues involved so they can discuss this important matter, take action where possible and pray for a change of heart at the December Conference.

18 August. PRE-PARLIAMENT OF WORLD RELIGIONS EVENT: 'Many faiths one humanity: a professional development seminar on interfaith education for justice and peace'. It aims to assist networking of interfaith educators from various traditions. Leaders from the different traditions will speak and lead workshops. Cost: \$30.00. 9.00 am to 3.00 pm, Christian Brothers High School, 68 The Boulevard, Lewisham. Contact: 9810 3922 or dmulhearn@edmundrice.org.

19 August. FILM LAUNCH: 'AGE OF STUPID??' Oscar nominated Pete Postlethwaite stars as a man living alone in the devastated world of 2055, looking back at 'archive' footage from 2007 and asking: 'Why didn't we stop climate change when we had the chance?' The M rated film will premiere at Sydney Theatre and will be beamed via live satellite to all participating venues. Hoyts Cinema chain will screen 'The Age of Stupid' for an exclusive week long season at selected cinemas around Australia. To receive a reminder of when tickets go on sale, send an email to adtdolist@ageofstupid.net. (Sydney Theatre)

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION: St. Paul reminds us today of how we are to live with one another. To imitate Christ is indeed a challenge in our society today. We rely upon the great gift Jesus gives us of himself in the Eucharist as a source of strength and perseverance. In Holy Communion we receive the bread of life that sustains us in our journey to be good stewards in our culture, and to 'live in love'.

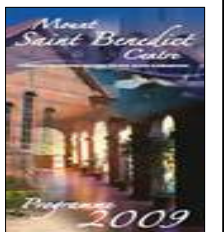


WISH (Women's Interfaith Support Group) is a new group welcoming all women of Faith and goodwill in Hornsby Shire. We meet monthly to communicate, share and celebrate what it means to be a woman of Faith in our various religious and spiritual traditions, and to support each other in that journey. The next meeting is at 7-30pm on Thursday 13th August at the CWA Rooms, Pacific Highway, Hornsby. There will be a talk on the Quaker Faith. Contact Margaret 94772172 for more details.



Mount St Benedict Centre

Printing Techniques In two twilight sessions come & explore monoprint, linoprint & collograph printing techniques. Materials provided; no previous experience necessary. **When:** Friday 7 & 14 August 6.00 - 9.00pm; Soup & rolls. **Cost:** \$40.00 per session. **Where:** Mt St Benedict Centre Pennant Hills. **Facilitator:** Judith Souter sgs **Registration:** 0408 435 782 or mtstbenedict@bigpond.com **Attitudes: Choice or Inheritance?**



Come for three Saturdays to enrich your own life & that of your family & companions by becoming more aware of the role of potential attitudes in your life. The days will include looking at the connection between feelings & attitudes, attitudes to relationships, to work & to leisure. **When:** Saturdays: August 15, 22; September 26, 9.30 - 3.00; BYO lunch. **Cost:** \$30.00. **Where:** Mt St Benedict Centre Pennant Hills. ; **Registration:** 9484 6208 or mtstbenedict@bigpond.com