



WELCOME TO THE PARISHES OF ST COLUMBKILLE'S AND ST JOSEPH'S St Mary of the Cross MacKillop- Pray for Us



BULLI

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**28 APRIL 2024
FIFTH SUNDAY OF
EASTER YEAR B
CHRIST OUR LIGHT**



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MASS STIMES AT ST COLUMBKILLE'S

TUES 30 APR 10AM ITALIAN MASS
WED 1 MAY 12 MD MASS
THU 2 MAY 11am Requiem Mass
(Josephine Dewsbury - RIP)
5:30PM RECONCILIATION
6PM MASS
FRI 3 MAY 12MD MASS
SAT 4 MAY 5:30PM RECONCILIATION
6PM VIGIL MASS

READERS: S. MULCAHY, P. SHARP | ACOLYTE: D. WHEATLEY

SUN 5 MAY - SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER YR B

9:30 AM MASS (Children's Liturgy returns)

READER: D. STEPHEN, S. PALMIERI | ACOLYTE: P. CROWE

COUNTERS: G. DAVIS, P. BYE, S. SOLIGO, L. FRANCO

11am ITALIAN MASS

MASS TIMES AT ST JOSEPH'S BULLI

WED 1 MAY 5PM LITURGY
THU 2 MAY 10.30am Funeral (Antonio Aquilina—RIP)
12 Midday LITURGY
FRI 3 MAY 8AM EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT
9AM ROSARY
9:30AM MASS | 10am RECONCILIATION | M/Tea

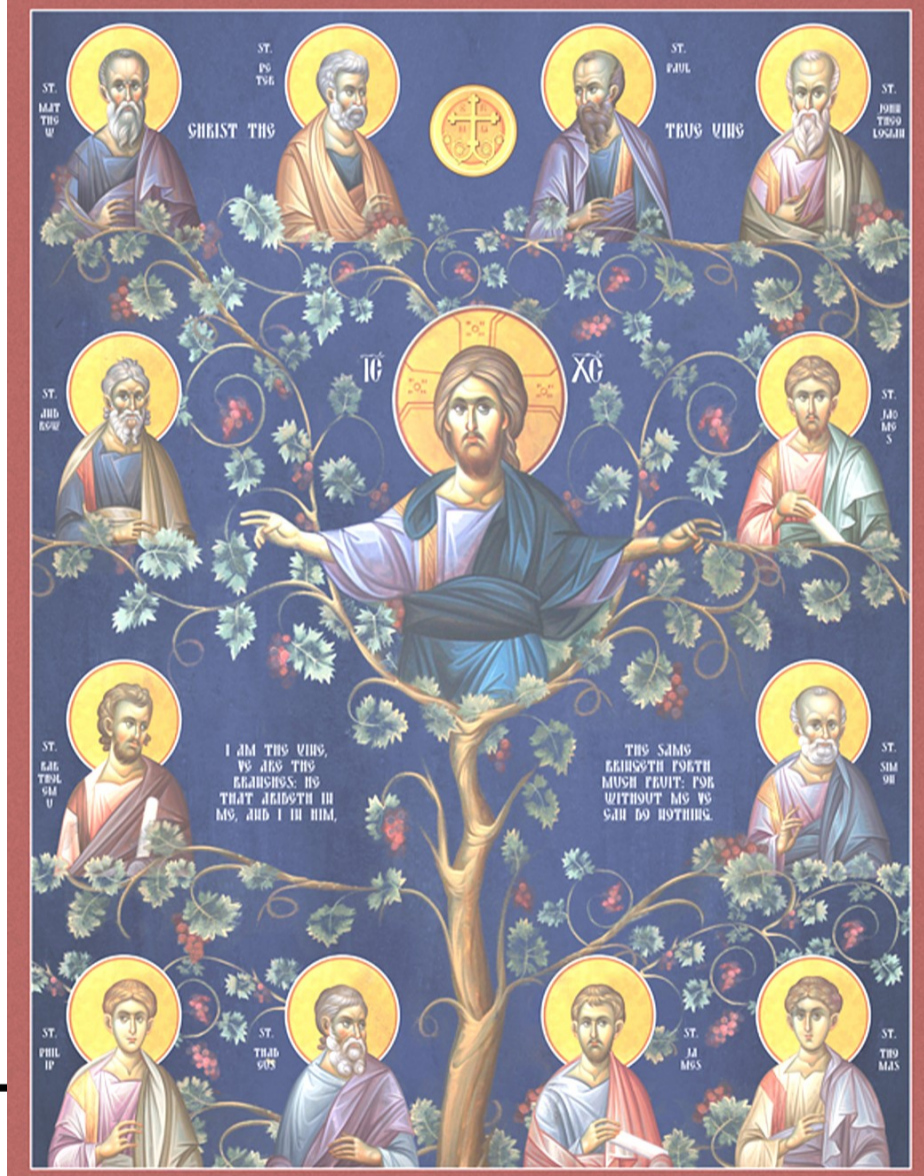
SUN 5 MAY - SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER YR B

8:30AM MASS (Children's Liturgy Returns) | READERS: P. MOORE, E. SKINNER

| GREETER: C. MCKIRDY | ACOLYTE: S. PULIS

5:15PM: RECONCILIATION

5:30PM MASS | READERS: C. PEREZ, I. NWALI | GREETER: E. MCALPINE | ACOLYTE: M. HALL



\$2 Baptism Boom: Sydney's new Catholics embrace their faith. Sisters of Life: Tour shows religious life at it's relatable best. Bluey's family values a hit



At St Joseph's each Friday from 8am, we have Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament for 1 hour. Please come & join us in praying for our families & the world.

BAPTISMAL PREPARATION MEETINGS: PLEASE GO TO EITHER BULLI PARISH WEBSITE ([BULLI](#)) OR CORRIMAL PARISH WEBSITE ([CORRIMAL](#)) TO BOOK A PLACE. **SPACES ARE LIMITED.** MEETINGS ARE HELD ON **SATURDAYS AT ST JOSEPH'S BULLI AT 11 AM. NEXT AVAILABLE MEETING: 20TH JULY**



MOTHERS DAY—12 MAY 2024 | Corrimal & Bulli

Our Mothers have given life, nourishment and a loving commitment to us all for many years, whether your mother is living or now rests with in peace with the Lord, you are invited to join our parishes in honouring all mothers, grandmothers, spiritual mothers and those women who have given us a mothers love by their affection, guidance and support. This year we will have an Prayer List for Mother's which will be published in the bulletin on **Mothers Day 12 May.** Envelopes will be available at both churches for parishioners send in the names of their Mother. **NB— No names will be taken after Sunday 5 May.** If you would like to bring a flower to Mass on Mother's Day there will be a basket in front of Our Lady at Corrimal and in Our Lady's Chapel at Bulli for you to present the flower for your mother.

ST COLUMBKILLE'S & ST JOSEPH'S YOUTH GROUP- FRIDAY 10TH MAY

WHERE: ST COLUMBKILLE'S PARISH CENTRE **WHO:** YR 6 TO YR 12
TIME: 6:30PM - 8PM **CONTACT:** AMY 0423 289 320



2024 SACRAMENTAL DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR, BULLI

THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION (YEAR 6) WILL BE CELEBRATED IN TERM 2 ON TUESDAY 18TH JUNE AND WEDNESDAY 19TH JUNE AT 7PM WITH BISHOP BRIAN.

ST JOSEPH'S BULLI CELEBRATION OF FIRST HOLY COMMUNION (YEAR 3) WILL BE IN TERM 3 ON SUNDAY 8TH SEPT AT 8:30AM & 5:30PM | SUNDAY 22ND SEPT 8:30AM & 5:30PM.

ONLINE BOOKING AND ENROLMENT FORMS WILL BE AVAILABLE AT THE PARENT PRAYER EVENING ON **WEDNESDAY 22ND MAY AT 6PM IN ST JOSEPH'S CHURCH BULLI, WITH FR PATRICK FOR BOTH CONFIRMATION & FIRST HOLY COMMUNION. THE SACRAMENTAL PRAYER EVENING IS FOR THE PARENTS OF STUDENTS WHO ARE MAKING THE SACRAMENTS THIS YEAR IN BULLI PARISH (NOT STUDENTS)**

* **YEAR 2 RECONCILIATION WILL BE IN TERM 4 & WILL BE COMMUNICATED ONCE DATES ARE FINALISED.**

ST JOSEPH'S COLUMBARIUM and PEACE GARDEN, BULLI

THE ST JOSEPH'S COLUMBARIUM IS SITUATED AT THE BOTTOM OF THE EASTERN CARPARK NEXT TO THE PRESBYTERY AND STILL HAS NICHES AVAILABLE TO PURCHASE. THIS HOLY PLACE IS PEACEFUL AND WELL LOOKED AFTER. IF YOU WOULD LIKE MORE INFORMATION REGARDING THE COSTING OF THE NICHES.

PLEASE CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE ON (02)4284 3000.

ARE YOU NEW TO OUR PARISHES AND WANT TO CONNECT?

FILL OUT THE INFORMATION BELOW AND WE WILL CONTACT YOU AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

NAME:

BEST CONTACT NUMBER:

EMAIL:

WOULD YOU LIKE THE WEEKEND BULLETIN EMAILED: YES NO

PLEASE CUT OUT AND LEAVE IN THE COLLECTION PLATES AT THE PARISH YOU ATTEND OR THERE IS AN ONLINE FORM AVAILABLE AT <https://corrimalparish.org.au/parish-information-form/>

OR BULLI: <https://saintjosephsbulli.com/2024/04/10/new-parishioner-information-form/>

NAME TAG SUNDAY | 9:30AM MASS

5TH MAY | ST COLUMBKILLE'S

NAME TAG SUNDAY IS AN EVENT WHERE WE CAN GET TO KNOW ONE ANOTHER AND INTRODUCE OURSELVES TO OUR COMMUNITY. PLS WEAR YOUR NAME TAGS, IF YOU DON'T HAVE ONE, PLS CONTACT SUE SAINTY 04117 49467.

Legion of Mary—Corrimal Praesidium:

The Corrimal Chapter of the Legion of Mary meet every **Thursday afternoon at 4:45pm** to pray the Rosary in the Parish Centre. If you would like to pray with like minded people and help care for our parishioners, we would love to welcome you, there is also the option to follow on to the **6pm MASS**. Phone Susan on **0449 807 814**.



ST COLUMBKILLE'S | ANOINTING MASS & LUNCH | 15TH MAY | ALL WELCOME

On the 3rd Wed of each month, at the **12 noon Mass**, there is an opportunity to receive the sacrament of anointing. After Mass a light lunch is served in Parish Centre. This provides an opportunity for those who do not get out much to attend Mass and enjoy company over lunch with other parishioners.

MONTHLY RETREAT DAY FOR MAY | SATURDAY 18TH MAY 2024

ST COLLUMBILLE'S PARISH CORRIMAL, ALL WELCOME

3pm Video of St Clare
4pm Afternoon Tea (*Please bring a plate to share*)
4:30pm International Rosary | Exposition & Benediction, Anointing of the Sick
5:30pm Confession | **6pm** Holy Mass



2024 SACRAMENTAL DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR— Corrimal



YEAR 6, YEAR 3 AND YEAR 2 SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION EVENING WILL BE HELD IN ST COLUMBKILLE'S SCHOOL HALL WITH FR ANTHONY AND THE SACRAMENTAL TEAM ON **THURSDAY, 9TH MAY**. THIS INFORMATION EVENING IS FOR THE PARENTS/ GUARDIANS OF STUDENTS WHO ARE MAKING THE SACRAMENTS THIS YEAR IN ST COLUMBKILLE'S PARISH

TERM 2: THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION (YEAR 6) WILL BE CELEBRATED OVER TWO NIGHTS ON **TUESDAY 2ND JULY | WEDNESDAY 3RD JULY**.

TERM 3: THE SACRAMENT OF FIRST HOLY COMMUNION (YEAR 3) WILL BE HELD OVER **3 SUNDAY, 9:30AM MASSES** ON **SUNDAY 8TH SEPTEMBER | SUNDAY 15TH SEPTEMBER | SUNDAY 22ND SEPTEMBER**

TERM 4: THE SACRAMENT OF FIRST RECONCILIATION (YEAR 2) WILL BE HELD ON **THURS, 5TH DEC**

ASSISTING WITH READING AT ST COLUMBKILLE'S PRIMARY SCHOOL : In Term 2 we are hoping to start a programme where parishioners will go into St Columbkille's to help students with their reading.

This is as simple as just sitting with a student and listening to them read. **Interested?** Contact Fr Anthony at anthony.crook@dow.org.au.

CORRIMAL PARISH LIBRARY: You can access the library anytime you are at the Parish Centre and every first weekend of the month. It will be an honour system. There will be a log book where you can record the date you borrow, title of book, your name & contact number. There are some beautiful non-fiction books to enjoy. Happy Reading. (**Enquiries:** Paula.russo2519@gmail.com)

MOTHER'S DAY RAFFLE! **Corrimal** Catholic Women's League will be running a Mother's day raffle again this year. We have to beautiful handmade Quilts donated by the Illawarra Quilters. **Tickets are \$1 each** and will be available until **Sunday 5 May** when we will draw the raffle at morning tea. All proceeds will go to the St Vincent de Paul Conference Corrimal.



WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE A READER AT MASS? If you feel you are being drawn to this ministry, please contact me and we can talk about what's involved. Contact Peter Riordan (0403 315 035 | pariordan@optusnet.com.au)



ST VINCENT DE PAUL CORRIMAL CONFERENCE: Thank you all for the continuing to support our request for items of non-perishable food. **For the month of APRIL** we are asking for **baked beans, pasta sauce & tins of chunky soups**. We would be most grateful if you could bring in one item each week and placed it in the marked

baskets. **Thank you, Peter Riordan, President.**

We acknowledge the Dharawal people, their country and their Elders, past, present and emerging.

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER YEAR B

First Reading: A reading from the Acts of the Apostles

When Saul got to Jerusalem he tried to join the disciples, but they were all afraid of him: they could not believe he was really a disciple. Barnabas, however, took charge of him, introduced him to the apostles, and explained how the Lord had appeared to Saul and spoken to him on his journey, and how he had preached boldly at Damascus in the name of Jesus. Saul now started to go round with them in Jerusalem, preaching fearlessly in the name of the Lord. But after he had spoken to the Hellenists, and argued with them, they became determined to kill him. When the brothers knew, they took him to Caesarea, and sent him off from there to Tarsus. The churches throughout Judaea, Galilee and Samaria were now left in peace, building themselves up, living in the fear of the Lord, and filled with the consolation of the Holy Spirit.

Responsorial Psalm: I will praise you, Lord, in the assembly of your people.

Second Reading: A reading from the first letter of St John.

My children, our love is not to be just words or mere talk, but something real and active; only by this can we be certain that we are the children of the truth and be able to quieten our conscience in his presence, whatever accusations it may raise against us, because God is greater than our conscience and he knows everything. My dear people, if we cannot be condemned by our own conscience, we need not be afraid in God's presence, and whatever we ask him, we shall receive, because we keep his commandments and live the kind of life that he wants. His commandments are these: that we believe in the name of his Son Jesus Christ and that we love one another as he told us to. Whoever keeps his commandments lives in God and God lives in him. We know that he lives in us by the Spirit that he has given us.

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia! Live in me and let me live in you, says the Lord; my branches bear much fruit. Alleluia!

Gospel: A reading from the holy Gospel according to John.

Jesus said to his disciples: 'I am the true vine, and my Father is the vinedresser. Every branch in me that bears no fruit he cuts away, and every branch that does bear fruit he prunes to make it bear even more. You are pruned already, by means of the word that I have spoken to you. Make your home in me, as I make mine in you. As a branch cannot bear fruit all by itself, but must remain part of the vine, neither can you unless you remain in me. I am the vine, you are the branches. Whoever remains in me, with me in him, bears fruit in plenty; for cut off from me you can do nothing. Anyone who does not remain in me is like a branch that has been thrown away – he withers; these branches are collected and thrown on the fire, and they are burnt. If you remain in me and my words remain in you, you may ask what you will and you shall get it. It is to the glory of my Father that you should bear much fruit, and then you will be my disciples.'

Communion Antiphon:

**I am the true vine and you are the branches, says the Lord.
Whoever remains in me, and I in him, bears fruit in plenty, alleluia.**



CATHOLICCARE'S AGEING WITH CONFIDENCE FORUM

WED 5 JUNE | 9:30am-1pm at The Fraternity Club, Fairy Meadow

A HALF-DAY INFORMATION SESSION PROVIDING SENIORS WITH PRACTICAL INFORMATION ON THE AGED CARE SYSTEM & HEALTHY AGEING. CATHOLICCARE STAFF TOGETHER WITH THE SENIOR RIGHTS SERVICES NSW & THE NSW FIRE & RESCUE SERVICE TO DISCUSS TOPICS SUCH AS ACCESSING SUPPORT SERVICES, KEEPING YOUR MIND AND BODY FIT, AND ADVOCATING & SUPPORTING OLDER PEOPLE. TO REGISTER **PHONE: 4227 1122**

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Recently Deceased: Frederick Frank Zickar, Antonio Aquilina, Josephine Dewsbury, Eileen McGoldrick, Theresa McKinnon, Bob Bower, Patricia Jourdain, Marie Williams, Helen Pham, Teresa Agostino, Angelina Filippi, Archbishop Carroll, David Mathews, Fr Kevin Bates, Edward Clark- Zickar, Romano Fraccaro, Paul Mouawad



Sick: Bishop Peter Ingham, Rita Joseph, John Ryan, Manuela Manzini, Guy Tichner-Bloom, Shelia Lewis, Eric Beh, Jan Eager, Russell Green, Pat Delbridge, Elle Wright-Moore, Trent Fisk, Lisa Middleton, Sue, Renee & Matthew Collins, Barbara Stanley, Cathy Halls, Helen Tran, Les Lugowski, Bernadine Hagan, Rose Good, Gail Brown, Cathy Halls & Stefan Mazurkiewicz

Anniversary: Paddy Ginnane, Josip Budiselic, Fr Adrian Joseph Horgan, Elena Castro, Siro Rostirolla, Marina Mascellani, Gianni & Giuseppe Martellozzo, Vanda Maruca, Magdalena Blum, Walter Scott, Marie Chapman, Howard K Leng