



# WELCOME TO THE PARISHES OF ST COLUMBKILLE'S AND ST JOSEPH'S



St Columbkille's  
Catholic Parish  
CORRIMAL

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8<sup>TH</sup> February 2026

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5<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

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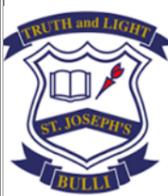
## St Columbkille's Catholic Primary School

119 Princes Hwy, Corrimal NSW 2518  
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School Principal: Ms Kathy Uroda



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School Principal: Mrs. Kaylene Duffin



## MASS TIMES AT ST COLUMBKILLE'S CORRIMAL

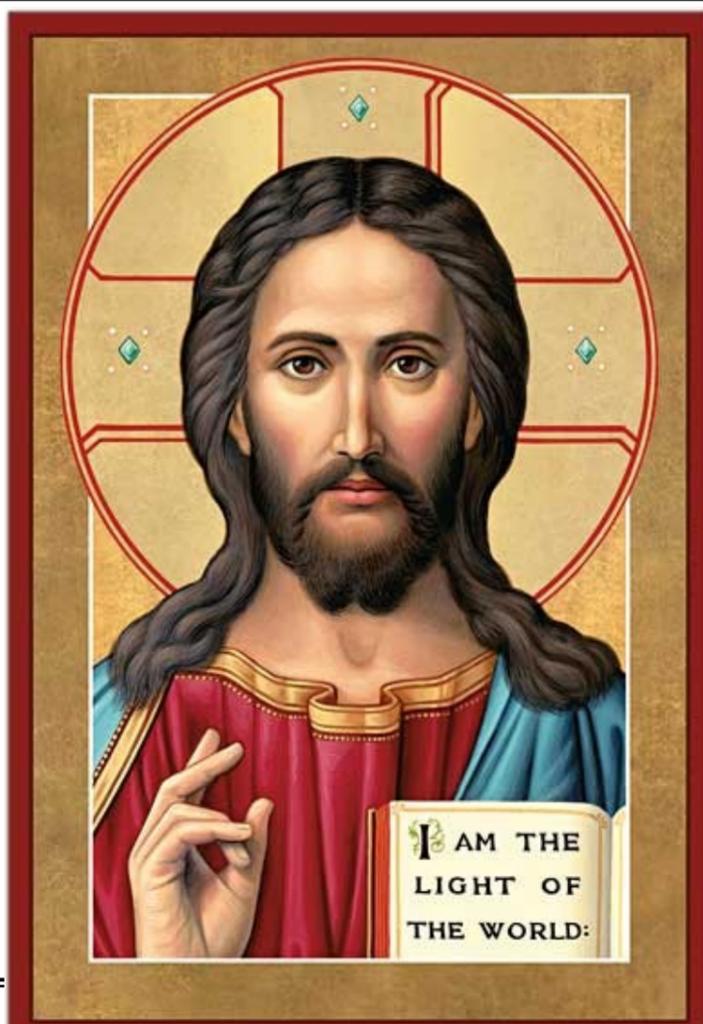
WED 11 FEB ANGELUS | 12PM MASS  
THUR 12 FEB 5PM ADORATION | CONFESSION  
6PM MASS  
FRI 13 FEB ANGELUS | MIDDAY MASS  
SAT 14 FEB 5:30PM RECONCILIATION  
6PM VIGIL MASS

READERS: M BOGOVIC, J BOGOVIC | INTERCESSIONS: L BROOKHOUSE

ACOLYTE: A D'ACUNTO | EMHC: L BATES | P.P: M ONGARATO

## SUN 15<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY - 6<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9:30AM MASS READERS: C BRIAND-JAMES, M SPARGO  
INTER: P WILSON | ACOLYTES: P. HYLAND | EMHC: T PHILLIPS |  
P.P: J EDWARDS | COUNTERS: S & K BROWN, S PITT



## MASS TIMES AT ST JOSEPH'S BULLI

WED 11FEB 4.30pm ROSARY & EXPOSITION | 5pm MASS  
THUR 12 FEB 9:30AM SCHOOL MASS  
ANGELUS | MIDDAY MASS  
FRI 13 FEB 8am EXPOSITION & ADORATION  
9AM ROSARY | 9.30am MASS  
10am RECONCILIATION(FOLLOWED BY MORNING TEA)

## SUN 8<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY - 5<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:30AM MASS  
READERS: C FERNANDES, O PULIS | GREETER: D & J NIELSEN | ACOLYTE: S PULIS | PPOINT: M HESLIN  
5PM: RECONCILIATION | 5:30PM MASS  
READERS : K HOPE, R GALLAGHER | GREETER: E MCALPINE | ACOLYTE: M HALL | PPOINT: M LIEW

**ASH WEDNESDAY**  
Please note that there will be  
**NO Anointing at Mass or  
Senior's Luncheon on  
Wednesday, 18<sup>th</sup> February**  
due to combined school  
Mass & distribution of ashes.  
(Next Senior's Lunch will be  
on Wed, 18<sup>th</sup> March)

**ARE YOU NEW TO OUR PARISHES AND WANT TO CONNECT? GO ONLINE TO REGISTER:**

CORRIMAL: <https://corrimalparish.org.au/parish-information-form/>

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



## OUR LADY OF LOURDES FEAST DAY | THIS WED 11<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY

### ST JOSEPH'S BULLI

**4:30PM** ROSARY & EXPOSITION | **5PM** MASS OF THE ANOINTING

**“WATER OF THE LOURDES GROTTA - FOR US TO USE”**

OUR LADY OF  
*Lourdes*

**LAST YEAR'S PALMS** If you have palms from last or previous years, please return them for the making of this year's ashes. Pls return by Sunday, 15 Feb. A labelled basket will be available in the Narthex.

### **“COMPASSIO” LENTEN PROGRAMME BOOK**

**NOW AVAILABLE | COST \$5**

This beautifully printed book takes us through all of Lent to Easter Sunday with Readings & Reflections.



World Day of Prayer 2026  
Focus on **Nigeria**

## **WORLD DAY OF PRAYER 2026 - FOCUS ON NIGERIA**

**'I WILL GIVE YOU REST: COME'** *(Matthew 11: 28-30)*

COME & PRAY TOGETHER WITH OTHER CHRISTIAN CHURCHES

ST JOSEPH'S BULLI | FRIDAY, 6th MARCH 2026 | 10AM

FOLLOWED BY A SHARED LUNCHEON

(Image taken from [World Day Of Prayer 2026 Focus On Nigeria Poster - World Day Of Prayer Australia](#))



## **SAVE THE DATE: ST JOSEPH'S CELEBRATION & EVENING GATHERING AT BULLI**

A SPECIAL “THANK YOU” SUPPER FOR OUR VOLUNTEERS ON SUNDAY 15 MARCH 2026.

**5:30PM MASS | 6:30PM SUPPER**

**5 WEEK COURSE, CATECHIST LEVEL 1 COURSE (WOLLONGONG):** The Level 1 course is essential for all new volunteers to the catechist ministry and is also helpful as a refresher for experienced SRE Catechists. On the first day of the course, Safeguarding and Classroom Management training will occur, which will be revisited by SRE Catechists every three years to remain active in the ministry. The course will run from **9:30am - 1:30pm** on Mondays, 9, 16, 23 February and 2, 9 March. REGISTER: [dow.sh/ccd\\_one](http://dow.sh/ccd_one). Alternatively, REGISTER for the Safeguarding and Classroom Management update only: [dow.sh/ccd\\_sg](http://dow.sh/ccd_sg). Morning tea provided. Please contact Peter Crowe 0407 913696 (SRE Coordinator Corrimal & Bulli Parishes)

## **EDMUND RICE COLLEGE CENTENARY MASS (1926 – 2026) | 10AM FRI, 13TH FEBRUARY**

As we launch our Centenary Year, you are invited to join us for the celebration of our Opening College Mass. We will celebrate our heritage as a Catholic school in the Edmund Rice tradition. A moment for students, alumni, staff, and families to gather as one community and **celebrate 100 years in the Illawarra under the theme “Honouring Our Past, Inspiring Our Future”.** Celebrated by Bishop Brian Mascord with several priests from the Diocese. Join us for light refreshments in the Br Pelin Hall. You can book here: <https://events.humanitix/edmund-rice-college-centenary-mass>

**ORDINATION TO THE DIACONATE** Bishop Brian Mascord warmly invites you to attend the upcoming ordination to the permanent diaconate of **John Mortimer (Albion Park), Stuart Lake (Varoville) and Ryan Soares (Rosemeadow).** All are welcome to share in this joyful celebration, praying for and supporting these three men and their families as they are ordained to serve our diocesan community. **Parking will be available at the Fraternity Club (11 Bourke St, Fairy Meadow).**

WHEN: 10:00am, **Saturday 28 February 2026**

WHERE: St John Vianney Co-Cathedral (1 Cabbage Tree Lane, Fairy Meadow)

RSVP by 20 February at [rsvp.dow.org.au](http://rsvp.dow.org.au) or via the QR code.



**ST VINCENT DE PAUL CORRIMAL & BULLI:** For the month of February, we are asking for tins of soup, baked beans, tins of spaghetti, small packets of normal tea. Baskets are available in both Parishes where you can leave your donations. Thank you for your generosity.

## MEETINGS FOR OUR PARISHES

11 FEBRUARY (WEDNESDAY) 7:15PM FINANCE COMMITTEE OF BULLI  
 25 FEBRUARY (WEDNESDAY) 7:15PM PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL OF BULLI  
 4 MARCH (WEDNESDAY) 6:30PM CORRIMAL PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL  
 ST COLUMBKILLE'S PARISH CENTRE,  
 (NEW MEMBERS WELCOME)



**From Fr Anthony...**



### **BLESSINGS DURING MASS FOR SPECIAL WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES**

I am happy to start a practice whereby we celebrate special wedding anniversaries with a blessing towards the end of the Mass. **However**, this will only be for 1st, 5th, 10th, 15th 20th anniversaries, etc. Notice will need to be given to the Parish Office **two weeks in advance**.

**ST COLUMBKILLE'S BOOK CLUB** I am looking for a few people who would be interested in starting a book club within the Parish. I think this might be a good outreach to the school community, as well as something worthwhile for the Parish, **please email:** [anthony.crook@dow.org.au](mailto:anthony.crook@dow.org.au) or **call the Parish office 4284 3000.**

**PLAYGROUP (BULLI/CORRIMAL)** WILL BE TAKING A BREAK FOR A LITTLE WHILE. PLS KEEP YOUR EYE ON THE PARISH BULLETIN FOR FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS.

**PALMS - VOLUNTEER WITH IMPACT** Join International Volunteering in this special **online session** where you'll learn about our diverse assignments suited to your qualifications. **Thursday, 19 February, 7-8:30pm.** Visit ([palms.org.au/events](http://palms.org.au/events)) [palms.org.au/encounters](http://palms.org.au/encounters)

### **MENS PRAYER BREAKFAST FRIDAY 13th MARCH, 6:30-8AM**

Enjoy a breakfast buffet, prayer and inspiring guest speaker input. Be supported and inspired by other men, seeking to be an authentic disciples on mission. **Cost is \$20. To book visit:** [dow.sh/MPB26](http://dow.sh/MPB26) **by Tuesday, 10 March.** *(The Men's Breakfast Series is organised by the Office of Renewal and Evangelisation & menALIVE inf the Diocese of Wollongong)*

**VOCATION VIEW** 'I resolved to know nothing except Jesus Christ, and him crucified.' In the Cross is our salvation, proclaim that salvation in all you do! (1 Cor 2:2) If you want to talk about your vocation, **please contact the diocesan vocations director, Fr Duane Fernandez** at [vocations@dow.org.au](mailto:vocations@dow.org.au)

### **CATHOLIC CARE COUNSELLING CAN HELP**

CatholicCare offers professional counselling rooted in compassion and guided by values of faith and hope. Whether you are facing family challenges, relationship struggles, grief or personal concerns, they have counsellors who can walk with you on the path to healing and renewal. **Call (02)4254 9395** or visit <http://www.catholiccare.dow.org.au>

### **HEAR FROM POPE LEO XIV:**

<https://www.dow.org.au/media-resources/faith-circles/>

### **BAPTISMAL PREPARATION MEETINGS FOR**

**BULLI & CORRIMAL:** BAPTISMAL PREPARATIONS ARE HELD ON **SATURDAYS, 11AM AT ST JOSEPH'S BULLI**. PLEASE NOTE THAT WE LIMIT EACH SESSION TO 5 FAMILIES ONLY. **VISIT THE WEBSITE TO BOOK.**

### **PARISH EVENTS**

<b>WEDNESDAY</b> <i>(WEEKLY)</i>	<b>LEGION OF MARY</b> (STARTS 10:45AM ) ST COLUMBKILLE'S, PARISH CENTRE
<b>1<sup>ST</sup> WED</b> <i>(MONTHLY)</i>	<b>CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE</b> ST COLUMBKILLE'S, PARISH CENTRE 10AM
<b>2<sup>ND</sup> WED</b> <i>(MONTHLY)</i>	<b>WRAP WITH LOVE</b> ST COLUMBKILLE'S, PARISH CENTRE 10AM - 11:45AM
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>COMMUNITY MORNING TEA</b> ST JOSEPH'S BULLI (WEEKLY) AFTER 9:30AM MASS
<b>1<sup>ST</sup> WKEND</b> <i>(MONTHLY)</i>	<b>ST COLUMBKILLE'S PARISH</b> COMMUNITY MASS/ CUPPA 6PM VIGIL MASS & 9:30AM SUNDAY MASS
<b>4<sup>TH</sup> SAT</b> <i>(MONTHLY)</i>	<b>COMMUNITY PARISH DINNER</b> WOONONA/BULLI RSL (6PM MAIN DINING)
<b>4<sup>TH</sup> SUN</b> <i>(MONTHLY)</i>	<b>ST JOSEPH'S PARISH</b> COMMUNITY MASS/ CUPPA (AFTER 8:30AM MASS)

# 5<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR A

## **First Reading: A reading from the prophet Isaiah**

Thus says the Lord: Share your bread with the hungry, and shelter the homeless poor, clothe the man you see to be naked and turn not from your own kin. Then will your light shine like the dawn and your wound be quickly healed over. Your integrity will go before you and the glory of the Lord behind you. Cry, and the Lord will answer; call, and he will say, 'I am here.' If you do away with the yoke, the clenched fist, the wicked word, if you give your bread to the hungry, and relief to the oppressed, your light will rise in the darkness, and your shadows become like noon.

## **Responsorial Psalm: A light rises in the darkness for the upright.**

### **Second Reading:**

## **A reading from the first letter of St Paul to the Corinthians**

When I came to you, brothers, it was not with any show of oratory or philosophy, but simply to tell you what God had guaranteed. During my stay with you, the only knowledge I claimed to have was about Jesus, and only about him as the crucified Christ. Far from relying on any power of my own, I came among you in great 'fear and trembling' and in my speeches and the sermons that I gave, there were none of the arguments that belong to philosophy, only a demonstration of the power of the Spirit. And I did this so that your faith should not depend on human philosophy but on the power of God.

### **Gospel Acclamation:**

**Alleluia, alleluia! I am the light of the world, says the Lord; the man who follows me will have the light of life. Alleluia!**

## **Gospel: A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew**

Jesus said to his disciples: 'You are the salt of the earth. But if salt becomes tasteless, what can make it salty again? It is good for nothing, and can only be thrown out to be trampled underfoot by men. 'You are the light of the world. A city built on a hill-top cannot be hidden. No one lights a lamp to put it under a tub; they put it on the lamp-stand where it shines for everyone in the house. In the same way your light must shine in the sight of men, so that, seeing your good works, they may give the praise to your Father in heaven.'

### **Communion Antiphon:**

**Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be consoled. Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall have their fill.  
Blessed are the meek, for they shall possess the land.**

**DECEASED:** Terrance Cole, Ray Mirabito, Patrick Sanders, Judy Kuit, Mary (Marie) Gaudry, Lucila Montano, Joan King, , Michael Bernard O'Neill, Howard McGarry, Jacky Melder, Luigi Bel-sito, Michael O'Neil, Michael de Rosa, Frances de Rosa, Ettore de Rosa, Sr Martina Sarkis, Grazia (Grace) Ugonotti, David Trainor.

**SICK:** Mark Hundy, Jan Sandana, Maureen Green, Michael Reilly, Fr John Pickering OFM, Jean McKeown, Joy Raines, Kara McKinnon, Manuela Manzini, Rhian Yeo, Colin Lewis, Sara Giannella, Robert Heyman, Vincent King, Frank Zompogna, Pascqualina Conte.

**MASS INTENTIONS:** Kevin Lewis (19 yrs) , Sr Aileen Wailes, Milica Nakicen , Ray Robinson (10yrs) , Rose & Frank Trunzo (1mth),



**ST JOSEPH'S COLUMBARIUM AND PEACE GARDEN :** WE HAVE A FEW NICHES LEFT, PLEASE VISIT THE PARISH OFFICE OR CALL ON 4284 3000 TO GET YOUR INFORMATION PACK.

### **EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY**

CARITAS AUSTRALIA is seeking a passionate person for a casual role as Diocesan Director for Diocese of Wollongong. To learn more scan the QR code.



### **GARDENER NEEDED , 4HRS/WK**

Do you have a green thumb and looking for some part-time work? Please contact Lorraine Pavsic at [lpavsic@yahoo.com](mailto:lpavsic@yahoo.com)