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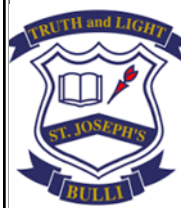


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MASS TIMES AT ST COLUMBKILLE'S CORRIMAL

WED	12 AUG	ANGELUS 12MD MASS
THUR	13 AUG	5PM ADORATION/CONFESSION 6PM MASS
FRI	14 AUG	ANGELUS MIDDAY MASS
SAT	15 AUG	10AM MASS 5:30PM RECONCILIATION 6PM VIGIL MASS

ACOLYTE: S PITT | READERS: SR MAUREEN, L BROOKHOUSE

INTERCESSIONS: P WILSON | EMHC: L BATES | PPT: K THOMPSON

SUN 16 AUG - 20TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9:30AM MASS ACOLYTES: P HYLAND, T PHILLIPS

READERS: L COSTABILE, M HIRA | INTERCESSIONS: L COSATBILE

PPT: M ONGARATO | COUNTERS: M & L BROOKHOUSE, J BERTACCO

“Immaculate Mary, assumed into heaven, teach us to trust in God’s plan the way you did. Do not let us fear obstacles or uncertainties. Inspire us and pray for us today, as we celebrate your Assumption. Amen.” (from hallow.com)



MASS TIMES AT ST JOSEPH'S BULLI

WED	12 AUG	4:30PM ROSARY & EXPOSITION 5PM MASS
THUR	13 AUG	ANGELUS 12MD MASS
FRI	14 AUG	8AM EXPOSITION / ADORATION 9AM ROSARY 9:30AM MASS 10AM CONFESSION 11:30AM SCHOOL MASS 7:30PM MASS OF VIGIL OF ASSUMPTION OF BLESSED VIRGIN MARY FOLLOWED BY TAIZE CHANT <u>OVERNIGHT VIGIL</u>
SAT	15 AUG	7:30AM MASS FEAST OF ASSUMPTION OF BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

SUN 16 AUG - 20TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:30AM MASS

ACOLYTE: P LOCKHART | READERS: C FERNANDES, O PULIS | GREETER: C FERNANDES | PPOINT: M HESLIN

5PM: RECONCILIATION | 5:30PM MASS

ACOLYTE: C GILES | READERS: M LIEW, I NWALI SNR | GREETER: J PEREZ | PPOINT: A CHETCUTI



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To prepare for the International Congress 2028, we come together to Adore & Pray before Jesus, truly present in the Blessed Sacrament at **ST JOSEPH'S BULLI**.

NEXT FRIDAY, 14th AUGUST

7:30PM MASS of the **Vigil of Assumption Blessed Virgin Mary**
TAIZE CHANT following Mass (with Gabriella)

ALL NIGHT PRAYER VIGIL/ JESUS YOUTH

with the Blessed Sacrament with Rosary, Reconciliation,
Stations of the Cross and quiet prayer & silence.

(Supper will be available in our hall. You are welcome to bring a plate to share.)

NEXT SATURDAY, 15th AUGUST

7:30AM MASS of the **Assumption of Blessed Virgin Mary**

N.B. OUR CHURCH IS HEATED



ST JOSEPH'S & ST COLUMBKILLE'S **PARISH COMMUNITY MONTHLY DINNER** **SATURDAY 29TH AUGUST**

WE INVITE ALL MEMBERS OF OUR COMMUNITY TO COME TOGETHER IN AN ONGOING MONTHLY DINNER HELD AT **WOONONA/BULLI RSL CLUB** ON THE LAST SATURDAY OF EVERY MONTH. MEETING AT 6PM FOR A 6:30PM START IN THE MAIN DINING AREA. ALL WELCOME.

YOU'RE INVITED TO COMMUNITY MASS **SUNDAY, 30TH AUGUST | 8:30AM**

ST JOSEPH'S BULLI

FOLLOWED BY MORNING TEA AFTER THE 8:30AM MASS. THE COMMUNITY MASS / MORNING TEA IS HELD ON THE LAST SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH. CONTACT ROSIE AH-TONG ON 0402 113232

PARISH RENEWAL SUMMIT 2026 | 1 -3 OCTOBER RENEWED & SEND GATHERS CATHOLICS FROM ACROSS AUSTRALIA TO PRAY, LEARN AND DISCERN PRACTICAL PATHWAYS FOR PARISH RENEWAL IN THEIR OWN COMMUNITIES. **BISHOP BRIAN** WARMLY ENCOURAGE US TO BE A PART OF THIS GATHERING AS WE SEEK TOGETHER THE RENEWAL OF OUR PARISHES AND THE MISSION OF THE CHURCH. THE SUMMIT INCLUDES KEYNOTE TEACHING, PRACTICAL WORKSHOPS, HOLY MASS, EUCHARIST ADORATION, AND CONVERSATION WITH PARISH LEADERS COMMITTED TO MISSION AND RENEWAL. **TO FIND OUT MORE AND REGISTER** [RENEWEDANDSENT.COM.AU](https://renewedandsent.com.au)

CCD LEVEL 1 CATECHIST COURSE (TERM 3) VIA ZOOM | 9:30AM-1:30PM

Starts on Monday 3 August for 5 Mondays. Dates: Mondays, 3,10, 17, 24, 31 August (9:30am - 1:30pm) Beginning and experienced SRE Catechists are invited to register: <https://web.thankqportal.com/cdowa/ccd-level-1-course-on-zoom-aug-26/#/stepper?pageld=17716>. Please note the first day of the training includes Safeguarding & Classroom Management training updates that must be revisited by SRE Catechists every 3 years. Click here for Safeguarding update: <https://web.thankqportal.com/cdowa/ccd-safeguarding-on-zoom-aug-26/#/stepper?pageld=17718>. Enquiries: Sue Clark at support@ccdwoollongong.com

ST JOSEPH'S COLUMBARIUM & PEACE GARDEN

WE STILL HAVE A FEW NICHES AVAILABLE TO PURCHASE. PLEASE VISIT THE PARISH OFFICE OR CALL ON 4284 3000 TO GET YOUR INFORMATION PACK.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED | BULLI

If you are interested in being a part of the cleaning roster, please contact Parish office 4284 3000 or email bulli@dow.org.au.

NATIONAL VOCATIONS AWARENESS WEEK - AND VOCARIS FOR YOUNG ADULTS Visit: dow.sh/Vocaristestimony for more information and to register. If you would like to discuss your vocation, contact **Fr Duane Fernandez** vocations@dow.org.au

ARE YOU NEW TO OUR PARISHES & WANT TO CONNECT?

GO TO OUR FACEBOOK PAGE OR
SPEAK TO FATHER PATRICK OR FR ANTHONY.

SAT AUG 15 | FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION LUNCHEON:

WE INVITE YOU TO JOIN AND CELEBRATE THE FEAST OF ASSUMPTION AS A COMMUNITY. LUNCH AT THE RSL CLUB WOONONA AT 12:30PM. FOR THOSE INTERESTED TO JOIN THE LUNCHEON, PLEASE CALL MAY LAMBRIDGE ON 4284 3758 TO BOOK.



ST COLUMBKILLE’S | ANOINTING MASS & LUNCH | 19TH AUG | ALL WELCOME

On the 3rd Wed of each month, at the 12pm 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.

FRI AUG 21 | MEN’S PRAYER B/FAST 6:30AM –8AM | XAVIER CONFERENCE

JOIN OTHER NEB FIR THE MORNING BREAKFAST, PRAYER ANS INSPIRING INPUT FROM OUR GUEST SPEAKER, PETER GILMORE “THE POWER OF VISION” . To BOOK: [DOW.SH/MPB26](https://dow.sh/MPB26) BY TUESDAY, 18TH AUGUST.

2026 SIGNIFICANT MARRIAGE ANNIVERSARIES MASS | SUN 6 SEPT, 2PM ST FRANCIS XAVIER CATHEDRAL , WOLLONGONG | RSVP: 17 AUGUST If you are celebrating 25, 30, 40, 50, 60 or over 60 years of marriage this year, you are warmly invited to the Significant Marriage Anniversaries, celebrated with Bishop Brian Mascord. Registration is essential dow.sh/ma26 .

REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN: ST JOSEPH CAMINO WALK FOR MEN

FRIDAY 5 SEPTEMBER - SATURDAY 6 SEPTEMBER Join men from around our Diocese as we come together with brothers in the Archdiocese of Sydney for an overnight pilgrimage in honour of St Joseph, praying for the needs of the Church, our families and the world. The Camino begins Friday 5 Sept with 8pm Mass at St Joseph’s Como, concluding with 7am Mass at St Aloysius on Sat Sept 6 followed by hot breakfast & drinks. The entire walk from start to finish will include 6 churches.

Email jude.hennessy@dow.org.au for more information regarding Wollongong Diocese involvement).

Full information & to register: [Camino of St Joseph 2025 - Overnight Pilgrimage for Men Tickets, St Joseph's, Como , Como | TryBooking Australia](#) .

CURSILLO DIOCESAN WOMEN’S ENCOUNTER | THURS-SUN 10– 13 SEPT CARMEL HOUSE, VARROVILLE

Cursillo is a life changing experience providing a method to support and nurture our faith journey and enable us to live vibrant Gospel oriented lives. The weekend will include talks, discussions , fostering friendship, daily Mass, spiritual direction, good music, fun and laughter. There is no pressure or expectations on attendees, other than to come with an open mind so as to hear in a new way the Good News of God’s love. Cost covers all meals, accommodation, resources and activities. Please contact Shirley Parker 0431 513 109 or email: cursillo3dayweekend@hotmail.com

ST VINCENT DE PAUL CORRIMAL & BULLI

FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST CAN WE PLEASE REQUEST IF YOU COULD BRING HARVEST OR TOM PIPER TINS, TINS OF VEGETABLES & SPAGHETTI, LONG LIFE CUSTARD, MICROWAVE RICE, PANCAKE MIX. **BASKETS** ARE AVAILABLE IN BOTH PARISHES.

PARISH EVENTS	
MONDAY (WEEKLY)	ITALIAN PRAYER GROUP (10AM) ST COLUMBKILLE’S, PARISH CENTRE
WEDNESDAY (WEEKLY)	LEGION OF MARY (STARTS 10:45AM) ST COLUMBKILLE’S, PARISH CENTRE
1 ST WED (MONTHLY)	CATHOLIC WOMEN’S LEAGUE (10AM) ST COLUMBKILLE’S, PARISH CENTRE
2 ND WED (MONTHLY)	WRAP WITH LOVE (10AM –11:45AM) ST COLUMBKILLE’S, PARISH CENTRE
3 RD WED (MONTHLY)	PARISH LUNCHEON (AFTER 12MIDDAY ANNOINTING MASS)) ST COLUMBKILLE’S, PARISH CENTRE
1ST WKEND	ST COLUMBKILLE’S PARISH (MONTHLY) COMMUNITY MASS/ CUPPA 6PM VIGIL & 9:30AM SUNDAY MASSES
LAST SAT	COMMUNITY PARISH DINNER(MONTHLY) WOONONA/BULLI RSL (6PM MAIN DINING)
LAST SUN (MONTHLY)	ST JOSEPH’S PARISH (AFT 8:30AM) COMMUNITY MASS/ CUPPA

First Reading: A reading from the first book of the Kings (1 Kings 19:9. 11-13)

When Elijah reached Horeb, the mountain of God, he went into the cave and spent the night in it. Then he was told, ‘Go out and stand on the mountain before the Lord.’ Then the Lord himself went by. There came a mighty wind, so strong it tore the mountains and shattered the rocks before the Lord. But the Lord was not in the wind. After the wind came an earthquake. But the Lord was not in the earthquake. After the earthquake came a fire. But the Lord was not in the fire. And after the fire there came the sound of a gentle breeze. And when Elijah heard this, he covered his face with his cloak and went out and stood at the entrance of the cave.

Responsorial Psalm:

Lord, show us your mercy and love, and grant us your salvation.

Second Reading: A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Romans 9: 1-5

What I want to say is no pretence; I say it in union with Christ – it is the truth – my conscience in union with the Holy Spirit assures me of it too. What I want to say is this: my sorrow is so great, my mental anguish so endless, I would willingly be condemned and be cut off from Christ if it could help my brothers of Israel, my own flesh and blood. They were adopted as sons, they were given the glory and the covenants; the Law and the ritual were drawn up for them, and the promises weremade to them. They are descended from the patriarchs and from their flesh and blood came Christ who is above all, God for ever blessed! Amen.

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia! I hope in the Lord, I trust in his word. Alleluia!

Gospel: A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew 14: 22-23

Jesus made the disciples get into the boat and go on ahead to the other side while he would send the crowds away. After sending the crowds away he went up into the hills by himself to pray. When evening came, he was there alone, while the boat, by now far out on the lake, was battling with a heavy sea, for there was a headwind. In the fourth watch of the night he went towards them, walking on the lake, and when the disciples saw him walking on the lake they were terrified. ‘It is a ghost’ they said, and cried out in fear. But at once Jesus called out to them, saying, ‘Courage! It is I! Do not be afraid.’ It was Peter who answered. ‘Lord,’ he said ‘if it is you, tell me to come to you across the water.’ ‘Come’ said Jesus. Then Peter got out of the boat and started walking towards Jesus across the water, but as soon as he felt the force of the wind, he took fright and began to sink. ‘Lord! Save me!’ he cried. Jesus put out his hand at once and held him. ‘Man of little faith,’ he said ‘why did you doubt?’ And as they got into the boat the wind dropped. The men in the boat bowed down before him and said, ‘Truly, you are the Son of God.’

Communion Antiphon:

The bread that I will give, says the Lord, is my flesh for the life of the world.

REFLECTION The key theme this week is “Trusting God in the storm”. The focus is “Faith and Trust”. God speaks in quiet ways and stays close to His people. Jesus calls His followers to trust Him, even when they are afraid, and He is ready to help when their faith is weak. **The challenge** is to listen for God’s voice in quiet moments each day. Turn to Jesus with trust instead of letting fear take over. **This week:** Spend a few quiet minutes in prayer this week. Tell Jesus about one fear and ask Him to help you trust Him. Remember “Take courage, it is I; do not be afraid.” *(Matthew 14: 27) (excerpt from The Young Catholics, www.young-catholics.com)*

DECEASED: David Lockwood, Sandro Colantoni, Denis Traynor, Fr Rick M°Cann, David Parr, Jim Murrie, Robert Bae, Clem Hanson, Glenn Van Buggenum, Frank Rusak, Paula Magill, David Potter, Bette Small, Shirley Noonan, Margaret Bartle

SICK: Jorge Montano, Josefina Roco, Jacqueline Roach, Tony Hubbard, Miranda Berzanti, Craig Loughlin-Smith, Janice Watt, Maureen Green, Michael Reilly, Joy Raines, Kara McKinnon, Manuela Manzini, Rhian Yeo, Colin Lewis, Sara Giannella, Robert Heyman, Vincent King, Frank Zompognia, Pascqualina Conte

ANNIVERSARY: Rosina Genua, Katalina Lufe, Angela Scott, John Nielsen, Paolina De Gori, Leon Bullecer, Eutropia Bullecer, Celso Luzuriaga Sr, Cepriana Casas, Magdalena Luzuriaga

MASS INTENTIONS: Sergio Dalla Pozza, Angelina Filippa