



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



St Columbkille's
Catholic Parish
CORRIMAL

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11th October, 2026

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28TH SUNDAY IN ORD TIME YR A  www.corrimalparish.org.au

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MASS TIMES AT ST COLUMBKILLE'S CORRIMAL

WED	14 OCT	ANGELUS 12MD MASS
THUR	15 OCT	5PM ADORATION/CONFESSION 6PM MASS
FRI	16 OCT	ANGELUS 12MD LITURGY
SAT	17 OCT	3PM FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTION (ST THERESE) 5:30PM RECONCILIATION 6PM VIGIL MASS

ACOLYTE: S PITT | READERS: S MULCAHY, L BROOKHOUSE

INTER: L BATES | EMHC: L BATES | PPT: G KORMANICKI

SUN 18 OCT - 29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YR A

9:30AM MASS Acolyte: P HYLAND, T PHILLIPS | READERS: C GRAY,
C BRIAND-JAMES | INTERCESSIONS: C BRIAND-JAMES | PPT: M ONGARATO
COUNTERS: S & K BROWN, S PITT



"Countless families all over the world invite Mary into their homes through the family Rosary where Mary is present, there is Christ, her Divine Son."

MASS TIMES AT ST JOSEPH'S BULLI

WED	14 Oct	5PM MASS
THUR	15 OCT	ANGELUS 12MD LITURGY
FRI	16 OCT	8AM EXPOSITION / ADORATION 9AM ROSARY 9:30AM MASS

SUN 18 OCT - 29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YR A

8:30AM MASS | CHILDREN'S LITURGY EMILY & TASH

ACOLYTE: P ABELA | READERS: M HESLIN, G KEOGH | GREETER: C FERNANDES | PPOINT: S PULIS

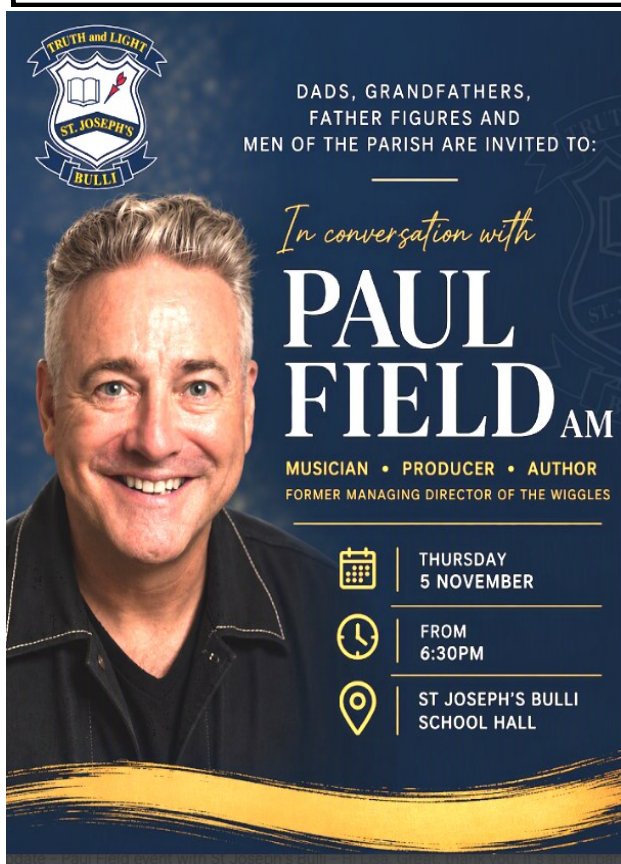
5PM: RECONCILIATION | 5:30PM MASS

ACOLYTE: D BARCLAY | READERS: A CHETCUTI, I NWALI JNR | GREETER: J PEREZ | PPOINT: M HALL

October - The Month of Mary A time traditionally dedicated to Our Lady, we are invited to renew our devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary. An opportunity to deepen our relationship with her through prayer, particularly the *Rosary, which holds a central place in the Church either individually or with family. Reflect on Mary's role in our lives as a model of faith, obedience, and love for Christ. Let us seek Mary's intercession for Peace in our hearts, our families, and the world (especially the Holy Land). Mary leads us closer to her Son, Jesus.

REFLECTION The key theme this week is “GOD’S INVITATION TO JOY”. The focus is “FAITH and READINESS”. God welcomes everyone to His feast. He provides comfort, strength, and hope. We must accept His invitation with ready hearts. The challenge is to trust God in both plenty and need. Respond to His call with faith. Live in a way that shows you are ready. This week: Welcome someone who feels left out. Remember “Invite to the feast whomever you find” (Matthew 22: 9) (The Young Catholics, www.young-catholics.com)

THE PARISH LEADERSHIP TEAM WILL BE CONDUCTING A CENSUS ON SUN 18 OCT, ST JOSEPH’S BULLI A church parish conducts a census to maintain accurate, up to date records of its community. This information helps Fr Patrick and the parish leadership to provide better pastoral care, administer the sacraments (like Baptisms and Weddings), and plan and organise our initiatives including outreach programs based on the specific needs of our congregation. We will also welcome any ideas from you about how to create a vibrant Catholic community that is warm, welcoming and inclusive for all. Thank you.



AN INVITATION TO ST JOSEPH & ST COLUMBKILLE’S PARISHIONERS | THURSDAY, 5 NOVEMBER, 6:30PM, VENUE: ST JOSEPH’S BULLI SCHOOL HALL

In conversation with Paul Field AM: A social evening for the MEN of our parish and school communities. Our school dads and men of our parishes are warmly invited to an evening with renowned Australian musician, producer, author and former managing director of The Wiggles, Paul Field. Paul will reflect on his faith, career and achievements and how the tragic loss of his infant daughter 38 years ago deeply influenced his life and outlook. We will also have a section of pizzas and drinks to enjoy together. Feel free to BYO beer or wine.

BOOK NOW: stjosephsbulli.eventbrite.com or contact Jonathon James 0419 906 328 / jonathonjames@live.com.au

ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI JUBILEE - TWO MORE PRESENTATIONS - OCT 2026

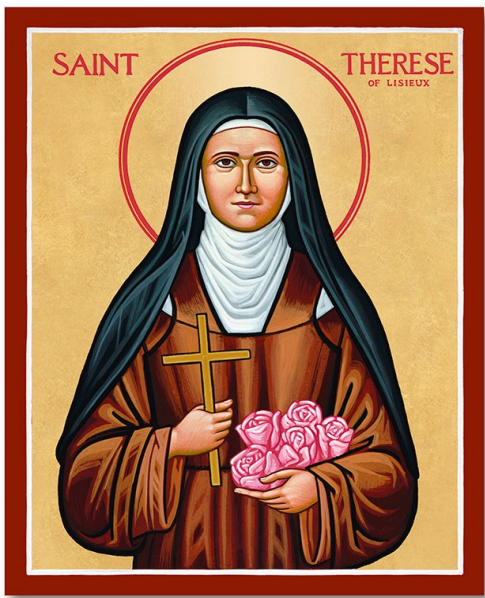
As part of the Jubilee Year of St Francis of Assisi, the Parish of St Michael Thirroul is hosting three presentations exploring the life, spirituality and legacy of Saint Francis Oct 15 & 22, 7:30 -9pm. **Presented by Paul Rout OFM and Ken Café OFM.** The evenings will offer an opportunity to reflect more deeply on the Franciscan tradition and its relevance for our lives today. **The presentations will be held live at St Michael’s Parish Hall, Thirroul, but you can also participate via Zoom.** For full details, including presentation topics, dates and zoom information, please go to DOW.SH/SFJFORM

WORLD MISSION DAY | NEXT SUNDAY - 18 OCTOBER

“Together, we have the power to create change and build a more just world for people everywhere. By supporting missionaries in their work, we can create life-changing opportunities for countless children, families, and communities worldwide”. The **2026 theme** is “*One Christ, United in Mission*”. This year we support the Church in **Malawi** . With your support they can build a new school close to home, provide nutritious meals for students and purchase essential items to help the children learn with confidence. Thank you for your generous donation, *Catholic Mission* (excerpt from Catholic Mission official website)

NOVEMBER MASSES - BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE

The November Masses Book is now **open** for intentions for the Holy Souls. Throughout November ,we remember & pray in a special way for our deceased family members, friends and loved ones, entrusting them to the loving mercy of God. **November Masses envelopes are available from our churches.** Please write the names clearly & return the envelope on collection plate and or at the parish office during business hours.



FIRST SATURDAY RETREAT | NEXT SAT - 17TH OCT 2026
ST COLUMBKILLE'S PARISH CORRIMAL | ALL WELCOME

- 3pm Video of "St Therese"
- 4pm Afternoon Tea (*Please bring a plate to share*)
- 4:30pm Benediction, Rosary, Anointing of the Sick
- 5:30pm Confession
- 6pm HOLY MASS

*"Holiness consists simply in doing God's will,
and being just what God wants us to be".
Therese of Lisieux*

CROSS + GEN TECHNOLOY PROGRAM
HOLY SPIRIT COLLEGE, BELLAMBI

Cross + Gen brings students and seniors together to build confidence and connection through practical technology support. Delivered in partnership with CatholicCare and Catholic Education Diocese of Wollongong to promote community engagement and wellbeing. **Bring your mobile phone, tablet or laptop** and get help wit downloading and using apps, send-ing messages and emails, using Google Maps, general technology questions. Grandparents, parishioners and older members of the wider school community are in-vited to attend.

Session Dates & Times:
Thursdays 9:10am - 10:30am
22nd October
5 November
19 November
3 December

To book your place: Call Jane Hollier 0417 018
152 or janeh@catholiccare.dow.org.au

WOLLONGONG DIOCESAN CHOIR
INVITATION

The Wollongong Diocesan choir invites people across our parish communities who love to sing and might enjoy the opportunity to share their gifts through music and worship. The choir pre-pares music for the major Diocesan Masses and cele-brations, where parishes from across the region gather in prayer and celebration. If you would like to be involved, pls email Katrina Hannaford (Diocesan Choir Director)hannafordk02@dow.catholic.edu.au

ST VINCENT DE PAUL For the month of OCTOBER we are asking for donations of :
Instant mash, packets of rice (not microwave),
tins of vegetables & fruits, tins of braised beef/
sausages and vegetables. Baskets are available
in both Parishes. Thank you!

COMPASS CATHOLIC FAMILY
CAMPING NEXT WEEKEND

16-18 OCT

A chance to connect with families across the Di-
ocese in a relaxed setting, with shared meals,
games, music, prayer and Mass. To register:
dow.sh/familycamping26 or
email jude.henessy@dow.org.au

BEACHHOUSE-A POSTSCHOOL
GETAWAY FOR YEAR 12 GRADUATES

Finishing Year 12 can bring changes. BEACHHOUSE is
a relaxed 3 days experience helping school leavers
build faith, friendship and community as they begin
life beyond school. **Only 20 places available.**
Venue: Jesuit Villa House, Gerroa
Dates: 16-18 February, 2027
For details & registration: dow.sh/beachhouse

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
1ST WED (MONTHLY)	CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE (10AM) ST COLUMBKILLE'S, PARISH CENTRE
2ND WED (MONTHLY)	WRAP WITH LOVE (10AM-11:45AM) ST COLUMBKILLE'S, PARISH CENTRE
3RD 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 prophet Isaiah (25: 6-10)

On this mountain, the Lord of hosts will prepare for all people a banquet of rich food, a banquet of fine wines, of food rich and juicy, of fine strained wines. On this mountain he will remove the mourning veil covering all peoples, and the shroud enwrapping all nations, he will destroy Death for ever. The Lord will wipe away the tears from every cheek; he will take away his people's shame everywhere on earth, for the Lord has said so. That day, it will be said: See, this is our God in whom we hoped for salvation; the Lord is the one in whom we hoped. We exult and we rejoice that he has saved us; for the hand of the Lord rests on this mountain.

Responsorial Psalm:

I shall live in the house of the Lord all the days of my life.

Second Reading:

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Philippians (4: 12-14. 19-20)

I know how to be poor and I know how to be rich too. I have been through my initiation and now I am ready for anything anywhere: full stomach or empty stomach, poverty or plenty. There is nothing I cannot master with the help of the One who gives me strength. All the same, it was good of you to share with me in my hardships. In return my God will fulfil all your needs, in Christ Jesus, as lavishly as only God can. Glory to God, our Father, for ever and ever. Amen.

Gospel Acclamation:

**Alleluia, alleluia! May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ enlighten the eyes of our heart that we might see how great is the hope to which we are called.
Alleluia!**

Gospel: A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew (22: 1-10)

Jesus said to the chief priests and elders of the people: "The kingdom of heaven may be compared to a king who gave a feast for his son's wedding. He sent his servants to call those who had been invited, but they would not come. Next he sent some more servants. "Tell those who have been invited" he said "that I have my banquet all prepared, my oxen and fattened cattle have been slaughtered, everything is ready. Come to the wedding." But they were not interested: one went off to his farm, another to his business, and the rest seized his servants, maltreated them and killed them. The king was furious. He dispatched his troops, destroyed those murderers and burnt their town. Then he said to his servants, "The wedding is ready; but as those who were invited proved to be unworthy, go to the crossroads in the town and invite everyone you can find to the wedding." So these servants went out on to the roads and collected together everyone they could find, bad and good alike; and the wedding hall was filled with guests.'

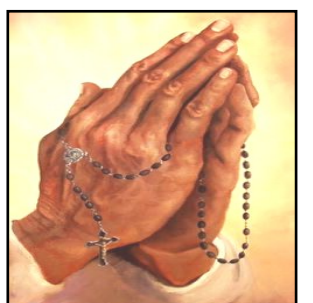
Communion Antiphon:

When the Lord appears, we shall be like him, for we shall see him as he is.

DECEASED: Aurea Consunji Santos, Maria Mogentale, June Geary, Lufe Lomano , Annie Kersten, Arnold Cannalire

SICK: Errol Hansell, Simon Mulcahy, Lourde Dagher, Jorge Montano, Daniel Caruana, 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 Zompogna, Pascqualina Conte

MASS INTENTIONS: Brian Michael Barclay, Socrates & Ida Ioannou, Soave Ganassin, Vito de Gori



HEAR FROM POPE LEO XIV: <https://www.dow.org.au/media-resources/faith-circles/>

**THE JOURNEY, CATHOLIC RADIO PROGRAM
AIRS ON SUNDAYS 11AM, PULSE 94.1FM**