



PARISH OFFICE : 302 High St Maitland
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ST JOSEPH'S (Est 1835), Cnr King St &
New England Hwy, East Maitland
Vigil 5.00pm; Sunday 8.30am
Youth Mass 6.00pm

ST JOHN THE BAPTIST (Est 1841)
Maitland
SACRED HEART, New England Hwy,
Campbell's Hill - Vigil 6.30pm.
celebrated at St Paul's Rutherford
HOLY FAMILY, 11 John St, Largs
Sunday 8.20am.

ST COLUMBA'S, Cnr Prince & Church
Sts, Paterson - Sunday 9.30am

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION (Est 1871)
Cnr George & James Sts, Morpeth
Sunday 7.15am.

ST PATRICK'S (Est 1905), 55 New
England Hwy, Lochinvar-Sunday
9.30am.

OUR LADY OF LOURDES (Est 1947), Cnr
Anderson Dr & Delprat Ave, Beresfield
Vigil 6.00pm.

ST PAUL'S (Est 1961), 10 Young St,
Rutherford - Sunday 8.00am.

Ministers

All baptised members of the
community

Ministry Team

Parish Priest: Fr George Anthicad
Asst Priests: Fr John Vo Vien
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0428 017 273

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Fr Maurice Cahill

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We are in the country of the Worimi,
Gamilleroi, Wonnarua, Gweagul,
Darkinjung, Biripi and Awabakal
peoples. We respectfully
acknowledge their Elders, celebrate
their continuing culture and the
living memory of their ancestors.

Entrance Antiphon

He fed them with the finest wheat
and satisfied them with honey from the
rock.

Gloria

Glory to God in the highest, and on
earth peace to people of good will.

We praise you, we bless you,
we adore you, we glorify you,
we give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King,
O God, almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God,
Son of the Father, you take away the
sins of the world, have mercy on us;
you take away the sins of the world,
receive our prayer; you are seated at
the right hand of the Father, have
mercy on us.

For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord, you alone are
the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the
Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the
Father. Amen.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading Dt 8:2-3,14-16

*He gave you food which you and your ancestors
did not know.*

A reading from the Book of Deuteronomy

Moses said to the people: 'Remember
how the Lord your God led you for forty
years in the wilderness, to humble you,
to test you and know your inmost heart
– whether you would keep his
commandments or not. He humbled
you, he made you feel hunger, he fed
you with manna which neither you nor
your fathers had known, to make you
understand that man does not live on
bread alone but that man lives on
everything that comes from the mouth
of the Lord.

'Do not then forget the Lord your God
who brought you out of the land of
Egypt, out of the house of slavery: who
guided you through this vast and
dreadful wilderness, a land of fiery
serpents, scorpions, thirst; who in this
waterless place brought you water from
the hardest rock; who in this wilderness
fed you with manna that your fathers
had not known.'

The Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Responsorial Psalm

(R.) Praise the Lord, Jerusalem.

O praise the Lord, Jerusalem
Zion, praise your God!
He has strengthened the bars of your
gates, he has blessed the children within
you. **(R.)**

He has established peace on your
borders,
he feeds you with finest wheat.
He sends out his word to the earth
and swiftly runs his command. **(R.)**

He makes his word known to Jacob,
to Israel his laws and decrees.
He has not dealt thus with other nations;
he has not taught them his decrees. **(R.)**

Second Reading 1 Cor 10:16-17

*Though we are many, we form a single body because we
share this one loaf.*

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

The blessing-cup that we bless is a
communion with the blood of Christ, and
the bread that we break is a communion
with the body of Christ. The fact that
there is only one loaf means that, though
there are many of us, we form a single
body because we all have a share in this
one loaf.

The Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

I am the living bread from heaven, says
the Lord; whoever eats this bread will live
for ever.

Alleluia

Gospel Jn 6:51-58

My flesh is real food and my blood is real drink.

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John

Jesus said to the Jews:

'I am the living bread which has come
down from heaven.

Anyone who eats this bread will live for
ever;

and the bread that I shall give

is my flesh, for the life of the world.'

Then the Jews started arguing with one
another: 'How can this man give us his
flesh to eat?' they said. Jesus replied:

'I tell you most solemnly,
if you do not eat the flesh of the Son of Man
and drink his blood,
you will not have life in you.
Anyone who does eat my flesh and drink my blood
has eternal life,
and I shall raise him up on the last day.
For my flesh is real food
and my blood is real drink.
He who eats my flesh and drinks my blood

lives in me and I live in him.
As I, who am sent by the living Father,
myself draw life from the Father,
so whoever eats me will draw life from me.
This is the bread come down from heaven;
not like the bread our ancestors ate:
they are dead,
but anyone who eats this bread will live for ever.'

**The Gospel of the Lord
Praise to You Lord Jesus Christ**

The Nicene Creed

I believe in one God,
the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all things visible and invisible.
I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the Only Begotten Son of God,
born of the Father before all ages.
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father;
through him all things were made.
For us men and for our salvation
he came down from heaven *(All Bow)*
and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin
Mary, and became man.
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate

he suffered death and was buried,
and rose again on the third day
in accordance with the Scriptures.
He ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory
to judge the living and the dead
and his kingdom will have no end.
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son is adored and
glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.
I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.
I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins
and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

UNIVERSAL PRAYERS

Celebrant: : Almighty Father, You gave us Your Son who shed His blood and had His body broken, that we may become one, with faith in Your love. We now place our prayers on Your Eucharistic table.

Prayer Leader

For Pope Francis, Bishop Michael and the Priests, Deacons and Religious of our Diocese who continue to bring Jesus present, on the Eucharistic table and preach the Gospel of the Lord, reminding us of the love we share. . . We pray. . . Lord hear our prayer.

We pray for the Church, that many more men and women like St Columba, may offer their lives to the service of the Gospel. We pray. . . Lord hear our prayer.

For those who have received the Sacrament of Confirmation and those who are preparing for this Sacrament, be enlightened by the Holy Spirit and see the rich glories that are promised to each believer, of the love God has for us. . . We pray. . . Lord hear our prayer

We pray for the victims of the train crash in India. May our heavenly Father welcome their souls into His Kingdom and give courage and consolation to those who mourn their loss. . . We pray. . . Lord hear our prayer.

May the Sacred Heart of Jesus support all people who are finding the cost of living very difficult: give them the faith they need to believe that Jesus said: 'I will be with you always' and gain the courage and strength to care for their families. . . We pray. . . Lord hear our prayer.

We pray for all in our community who are not well, and for all those who need the healing touch of our Saviour, may they feel the presence of Jesus and bring them comfort in their times of pain and distress...We pray. . . Lord hear our prayer.

Heavenly Father welcome into Your kingdom those who have died recently especially Margaret Lawrence, Elizabeth McInerney, Peter Schiffer, John Desmond Ward and our relatives and friends who have gone before us. May they now enjoy the glorious presence of Your everlasting love. . . We pray. . . Lord hear our prayer.

Celebrant: We thank you, Father, for your Son present in the Scriptures and in the breaking of bread at Eucharist, we ask that you hear our prayers in His name - through Christ our Lord.

A PRAYER FOR SPIRITUAL COMMUNION My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love you above all things and I desire to receive you in my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive you sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace you as if you were already there and unite myself wholly to you. Never permit me to be separated from you. AMEN.

Communion Antiphon Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me and I in him, says the Lord.

We pray those who have died this week

Margaret Lawrence, Elizabeth McInerney, Peter Schiffer, John Desmond Ward

We remember those whose Anniversaries occur around this time including

Cathy Bignall, Shirley Bignall, Jill Collison, Herbert Jordan, Cyril Kealy, Clare Lane, Roland Lee (Snr), Fr Lex Levey, Camila Manatad, Pat McGilvray, Nicolasa Minoza, Michael Montgomery, Marie & Phil Punch, Pio Villaver

We pray for those who are sick at this time

Mari Shivanthi Abeykeon, Ian-Christopher Bajo, Lorraine Bartlett, Judy Mary Carmody, Olga Charlton, Nickolee Dennis, Nicholas Dilley, Oneli Disaaynayake, John Fielding, Yvonne Mary Fielding, Dianne Fryer, Rev Fr Joseph Selvan Fifarado, Leanne Hardy, Colin Harmes, Mavis Hoadley, Gregory Hurney, Randy Janzen, Jolanta Jenkinson, Raymond Kelana, Karen Kenyon, Michael Lockyer, Judy Massey, Mharielle Munoz, Rita O'Brien, Collin Perera, Anthony Y Poblador (USA), Mary Pullin, Rohini Rajakaruna, Casey Rippon, Ella Rusak, Olga Rusak, Biyatrise Samaratunga, Susan Schneider, Steven Small, Laurel Stanford (Breiner), Bill Temperley, Nilda Walker, Robert Wild, Gary Wills, Jo Winkler

We pray for those Baptised this week

Audrey Emelia Lee, Cruz Stephen Fairbairn, Ever Margaretta Trend, Hunter William Nicholas Trend, Indianna Daphne Trend

We pray for those who will be Confirmed this week

Rutherford—13 June:

James Banister, Audrey Bartlett, Willow Bartlett, Declan Belcher, Evie Brooker, Lockie Brooker, Mia Caveny, Billy Dean, Sophie Fairbaun, Jermimah Franks, Josie Garigan, Logan Gruber, Lachlan Howlett, Zayn Kaslik, Arie Lambert, Sienna Lambert, Archie Letham, Ebony Marchant, Malia Marchant, Jace McInnes, Jackson Mitchell, Patrick Monk, Maya Paris, Elliot Parker, Oliver Preston, Curtis Rollason, Liam Seaton, Penelope Stanwell, Sara Stefanish-Smith, Edison Tully Walker, Jayden Wiggins

Campbell's Hill—14 June:

Daniel Bristowe, Alexandra Cox, Chloe Davis, Madeline Finucane, Simon Lloyd, Amelia Noronha, Sophia Noronha, Evelyn Sanson, Airlie Thompson

East Maitland—15 June:

William Archibald, Braxton Bartolo, Ethan Berman, Tallulah Brownlee, Jamie Chapman, Sienna Compton, Isabelle Eagar, Maeve Eckhold, Keeley Egan, Kensi Fillipuzzi, Mia Fillipuzzi, Charlie Gordan, Mackenzie Heard, Aengus Horgan, Gabrielle Jay, Zachery Jay, Asher Jedovnick, Darcy Laverick, Harrison Lawler, Samantha Lawler, Siobhan Martin, Ethan McCarthy, Maddalyn Morgan, Theodor Payton, Darcy Ribaux, Oliver Salem, Lucy Shanahan, Lucas Smith, Sebastian Stace, Harrison Steel, Kingsley Stevenson, Emily Thomlinson

East Maitland—16 June:

Elijah Alfaro, Eleanor Barry, Ellen Booth, Allegra Butler, Isabella Chinel, Ned Cunningham, Nicholas de la Riva, Nicholas Dox, Harrison Elbourne, Chelsea Fisher, Kayley Flynn, Jim Gibbs, Morgan Goodchild, Logan Gould, Amelia Haines, Lauren Heffernan, Patrick Holz, Jesse Jackson, Angelique Kloefer, Berargere Kloefer, Isabella Legaspi, Caitlyn MacQueen, William Malsem, Samara McLetchie, Eva Moroney, Ezekiel Moroney, Jaxon Morris, Grace Piefke, Mia Prioste, Emma Ramage, Axel Rindfleisch, Reuben Speek, Sebastian Speek, Gracie Spiteri, Rose Spiteri, Harriette Stace, Levi Uren, Robbie Uren, Kyana Walmsley, Benjamin Weston

We pray for our communities who are celebrating their Feast days

St Columba's - 9th June
Sacred Heart - 16th June


Regional Anointing Mass

St Joseph's, East Maitland Church (not Therry Centre)
This Friday 16th November at 10am. All welcome.
Disabled access available from the King St side entrance.

✠PIETY STALL AT ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH

Open only after Sunday Masses during winter.
New stock has arrived.

Confirmation Liturgies

St Paul's Rutherford Tues 13 June 
Campbell's Hill at St Paul's Rutherford Wed 14 June
St Joseph's East Maitland Thurs 15 & Fri 16 June at 6pm
You are welcome to celebrate with our children and their families.

SAFEGUARDING

Ten of the recommendations raised in the Royal Commission have strongly influenced this standard. In addition, the requirements of the *Aged Care Act 1997*, *Disability Discrimination Act 1992 (CTH)* and *National Disability Insurance Scheme Act (2013) (CTH)* have been incorporated. Criteria 5.5 - 5.8 are specific to church authorities and related entities with seminarians, clergy, lay ministers and those in formation with, or member of, religious institutes.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL WINTER APPEAL

The St Vincent de Paul Winter Appeal will be conducted throughout our Masses on the weekends of **18th / 25th June**. This is an opportunity to think of others who are struggling in our community. **Your donation can help rebuild lives.** Your support is greatly appreciated. Donations can also be made at vinnies.org.au or by phone 131812.

STANDARD FIVE

ROBUST HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

Competency: People working with children and adults are suitable and supported to reflect safeguarding values in practice

Comment: This is a pragmatic standard dealing with all matters regarding selection, training and management of individuals involved in a Catholic entity.

This week we provide information on Criteria 5.1 to 5.3 and next week we will continue with Criteria 5.4 to 5.8

Criteria 5.1 A strong commitment to safeguarding underpins an entity's recruitment.

Comment: Requires that any recruitment statements/ advertisements clearly and explicitly state a zero-tolerance for abuse. This zero-tolerance is to be evident in all steps of an appointments and that each position is assessed for the expected level of contact with at risk persons.

Criteria 5.2 Personnel have current clearances (for example working with children checks) and/or equivalent background checks relevant to their role.

Comment: The legislation guides what clearances are required and there is a requirement to maintain accurate records.

Criteria 5.3 Personnel complete appropriate induction and are aware of their safeguarding responsibilities, including reporting obligations.

Comment: Requires personnel to complete the safeguarding induction and leadership program.

SOUP AND BREAD SUPPER IN AID OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL at HOLY FAMILY LARGS HALL

FRIDAY 23 JUNE

Open for guests 5.30pm with a Guest Speaker at 6pm
Soup and bread supper to follow, tea and coffee provided. MINIMUM Donation \$10
RSVP mickdaffy@bigpond.com

PARISH EMPLOYEE & VOLUNTEER SAFEGUARDING TRAINING

Saturday 17 June 2023, at the Therry Centre
9.30am – 1.30pm

The Office of Safeguarding is providing training Course 2: Safeguarding in our Region. All volunteers must attend this course. The training is specifically designed to support volunteers in parishes.

ITS NOT TOO LATE TO REGISTER To register email chisholm@mn.catholic.org.au or complete the registration form which is in church porches and return to the Chisholm parish office or just call us 49338918.

St Brigid's Branxton **Pilgrimage to MacKillop Place** Friday 21st July 2023 Bus leaves Branxton at 6.15am picking up Greta, Lochinvar, Rutherford and East Maitland. Cost \$60. All welcome. Names to Mercia 0447 819 889 or Rose Arthur 4933 6284 by 6th July.

WEEKDAY MASS ROSTER

Tues 13th June (St Anthony of Padua, priest, doctor)
5.30pm Mass, St Joseph's, East Maitland

Wed 14th June
7.00pm Mass, Holy Family, Largs

Thurs 15th June
7.00am Mass, St Joseph's, East Maitland

Fri 16th June (The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus)
10.00am Anointing Mass, St Joseph's, East Maitland

Sat 17th June (The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary)
8.00am Mass/Reconciliation, St Joseph's, East Maitland

Sun 18th June
9.00am Mass—Polish, St Mary's Chapel (Victoria St Maitland)

PRIVATE PRAYER / ADORATION

Mon 12th June
9.30am-11.00am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
11.00am-12pm Adoration/Holy Hour, St Joseph's, East Maitland

Tues 13th June
9.30am-10.30am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, St Joseph's, East Maitland, Funeral

Wed 14th June
9.30am-10.30am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament St Joseph's, East Maitland

Thurs 15th June
9.30-10.30am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Marian Movement of Priests Rosary
7.00pm Both at St Joseph's, East Maitland, prayer room

Fri 16th June
7.30am Adoration, St Joseph's, EM
9.30am Prayer of the Church, OLOL, Beresfield