

Parish Bulletin

St Carthage's Cathedral Parish, Lismore



SERVING THE COMMUNITIES OF:

- St Carthage's Cathedral, Lismore
Mass Times
Tues -Thurs 8.00am, Fri 12.05pm.
Sat Vigil 5.30pm, Sun 9am & 11am
Reconciliation-Fri 11.30am-11.50am
Sat 4.45pm-5.15pm
- Carmelite Monastery Chapel,
Goonellabah
Mon-Fri 7am, Sat 8am, Sun 7am
- St Dymphna's Church, Dunoon
Sunday - 8.30am
- St Vincent's Hospital Chapel
Wednesday - 12 noon

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Administrator
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Assistant Priest
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Deacon

27 October 2024, 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year B

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL NEWS

The Pastoral Council has been developing a Mission and Vision Statement for the parish to use in developing our Parish Pastoral Plan to guide present and future activities. We have considered Pope Francis' teachings on Parish life, the Synod reports and our Parish Vitality Survey results to inform this work. Today we share our Mission Statement

Mission Statement

***St Carthage's Cathedral Parish's mission is to
"act justly, love tenderly and walk humbly with our God"
as we grow together in faith, hope and charity.***

Parish Morning Tea will be held in Doyle House on Sunday, 2nd November, after 9.00am Mass. Everyone welcome.

Please bring a plate to share.

Parish Christmas Celebration: Parishioners are invited to a Christmas Morning tea celebration on Sunday 1st December after the 9am Mass. We invite everyone to bring along a plate of food from their family and/or cultural tradition. This will be held in the Cathedral grounds. More details in coming weeks.



WELCOME BACK FR JIM CARTY

A huge welcome to Fr Jim Carty who has come back to us for the next few weeks. Make sure to say hello when you see him around.

NOVEMBER MASS INTENTIONS

If you would like to submit names for the November Mass Intentions, you can collect envelopes for your intention from the back of the churches and place them in with the collections. Please ensure all names are printed CLEARLY. The list of names will be placed on the notice boards and distributed via email with the Parish Bulletin throughout November.

ALL SAINTS AND ALL SOULS DAY

On Friday 1st November we celebrate the solemnity of All Saints Day followed by All Souls Day on Saturday 2nd November.

Mass times for All Saints Day, Friday 1st November:

Carmelite Monastery 7.00am.

South Lismore 9.00am.

St Carthage's Cathedral 12.05pm.

Mass times for All Souls Day, Saturday 2nd November:

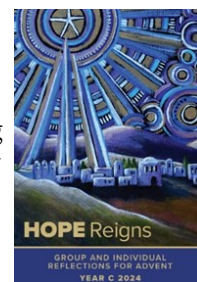
Carmelite Monastery 8.00am.

St Carthage's Cathedral 9.00am and 12noon.

South Lismore 12noon.

PARISH ADVENT PROGRAM – HOPE REIGNS

Parishioners are invited to prepare for Christmas by taking part in "Hope Reigns", a prayer and reflection opportunity in the weeks leading up to Christmas. The books cost \$5.50 and we need to order these as soon as possible. If you would like to take part, please put your name on the sheet on the back table or call Margaret Condon (0428408304) before Monday 28 October.



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Head office: 10 Orion St, Lismore,
1800 802 516.

LITURGY ROSTER

October 26/27 - 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday 5.30pm

Reader 1 Jennifer Juleff
Reader 2 Janette McFadden
Offertory Irene Sheard & Margaret Kennedy

Sunday 9.00am

Reader 1 Robert Ireland
Reader 2 Alison Cleaver
Offertory Ngasha Kashiri & Pretty Londhe

Sunday 11.00am

Reader 1 Ryan Graham
Reader 2 Cameron Delaney
Offertory Glen & Margaret Amos

November 2/3 - 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday 5.30pm

Reader 1 John Maloney
Reader 2 Gemma Basio
Offertory Gale and Jim Munce

Sunday 9.00am

Reader 1 Maria Whitney
Reader 2 Alison Cleaver
Offertory John and Nella Devoy

Sunday 11.00am

Reader 1 Oliver Rixon
Reader 2 May Hall
Offertory Thomas Francis and Sneha Varghese

Holy Rosary

St Carthage's Cathedral Sunday 10.15am.

St Dympna's Church, Dunoon Wednesday 5.00pm
all welcome

Gospel Sharing

Doyle House, Thursday
3.30 - 5.00pm. All welcome.



Holy Communion at Home

If you know of someone who would like Holy Communion at home please call the office on 6626 0200.



BAPTISMS

Our Parish family welcomes into the faith and life of the Catholic Church this week

Brock James Witt
Eve Aurelia Montgomery



If you are interested in coming along for a get together for a cuppa in **Support of Pro-Life and Family** please phone Beth 0426 295 013 or Jennifer 0488 335 936 for more information.

We are Hiring! Enrolled Nurse About the role:

As an Enrolled Nurse with St Carthage's Community Care, you will provide high quality nursing and care services that support our clients to remain living at home. Work independently in the community with support from our team, and embrace a work life balance without the shift work!



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We support older people, people with cognitive change, people with disabilities, children with disabilities, and carers.

Duties include:

- Assisting clients with mobility issues with personal care
- Working with registered nurses, doctors, other healthcare providers, and Support Planners to create client centered care plans
- Documenting progress notes in client files
- Providing support to the Registered Nurse as directed
- Providing guidance and support to our team of Community Care Workers
- Providing clinical support including wound and palliative care
- Attending Clinical care meetings as part of the wider Aged Care team

Working with our Aged Care Manager and Registered Nurse to develop policies and procedures to support compliance with the Aged Care Standards

Please contact HR for more information on 6620 0000 or send details to hr@stcarthages.org.au.

Please remember in your prayers;

THOSE WHO ARE RECENTLY DECEASED: Denise Robinson, Margaret Fogarty, John Quinlan, Angeles Adapon, Jimmy Robertson, Francisca Castro, Numeriano Ditan & Jill Potter.

THOSE WHO ARE SICK: Russell Watt, Lisa Ferris, Teresa Almanza, Ian-Christopher Bajo, John Rynne, Esther Todd, Michael Martin.

THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES ARE AT THIS TIME: Nonieza Mase, Cristanta and Simeon Regudo, Jaime Marquez, Leslie Clifford Conlan, Evelyn Marquez, Percy Winkler, Reginald and Jennifer Dodds, David Maloney, Vincent Chee, Michael Moss, Darcy McFadden, Adrian and Mary Todd.

SPECIAL INTENTIONS: Raby Blake, Fernando and Lorenzo Castillo, Anastacio Caldeo, Terry Sims.





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Lismore Diocesan Renewal Journey

OCTOBER 2024 - Renewal Journey Update

Inter-parish collaboration exciting progress

After months of planning and discussions the Diocesan Renewal team exploring inter-parish collaboration has set up a pilot group of three parishes, Kingscliff, Murwillumbah and Tweed. The team is led by the Chair of the Pastoral Council in Sawtell, Trevor Cooper, and includes both priests and lay people from parishes including Wauchope, Kingscliff, Port Macquarie, Macleay Valley and Murwillumbah. On Saturday 12 October, the team met with stakeholders from the pilot parishes for the second round of collaboration meetings. The meeting commenced with a special welcome from Bishop Greg to the delegates.

One of the team members, Geoff Melville from the Macleay Valley Parish, said there was wonderful evidence of the Holy Spirit being present during the meeting as the parish priests and representatives worked with the collaboration team brain storming ideas that could support each parish. The representatives of each parish provided a thorough review of their parish life vitality, financial sustainability and organisation capability, which led to a general brain storming of ideas from all participants. A representative of each parish then worked with the project team facilitators to reduce the range of ideas that can now be finalised at our next meeting together. Geoff said that the parish collaboration meetings have been generous, respectful and supportive of each parish and the willingness of each parish to support each other through common goals has been inspiring.

The team is starting preliminary meetings with a new group of parishes to encourage collaboration.

Appointment of Renewal Journey Coordinator

Bishop Greg has announced the appointment of Dr Madeline Beveridge to the new position of Pastoral Projects Leader for the Diocesan Renewal Journey. Madeline is an experienced educator and leader, holding a PhD in education with a focus on mathematics and a Master of Religious Education. Madeline was previously Leader of Catechesis at Xavier Catholic College Ballina. Madeline was educated in Lismore at Our Lady of Lourdes, St Carthages, and Trinity Catholic College.



Dr Madeline Beveridge

Want to know more?

Please email us at renewal@lismore.catholic.org.au or visit the Renewal section on our Diocesan website via the QR code below or at: lismorediocese.org/renewal.



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COLLECTION TOTALS - 19/20 October 2024

First Collection - \$ 1226.20 Second Collection - \$ 1058.33

Bank Deposit: Please use Surname and envelope number (if applicable) as a reference e.g. Smith 23

First Collection (Support of Diocese Priests) -

St Carthage's Cathedral Parish Clergy Account BSB 062 565 Acc 10435601

Second Collection (Support of Parish and Ministries) -

St Carthage's Cathedral Parish General Account BSB 062 565 Acc 10435599



FIRST READING

Jeremiah 31:7-9

The Lord says this:

Shout with joy for Jacob!
Hail the chief of nations!
Proclaim! Praise! Shout:
The Lord has saved his people,
the remnant of Israel!
See, I will bring them back
from the land of the North
and gather them from the far ends of earth;
all of them: the blind and the lame,
women with child, women in labour:
a great company returning here.
They had left in tears,
I will comfort them as I lead them back;
I will guide them to streams of water,
by a smooth path where they will not stumble.
For I am a father to Israel,
and Ephraim is my first-born son.

The Word of the Lord.

Response: Thanks be to God.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 125. R. v.3

**(R.) The Lord has done great things for us;
we are filled with joy.**

When the Lord delivered Zion from bondage,
It seemed like a dream.
Then was our mouth filled with laughter,
on our lips there were songs. **(R.)**

The heathens themselves said: 'What marvels
the Lord worked for them!'
What marvels the Lord worked for us!
Indeed we were glad. **(R.)**

Deliver us, O Lord, from our bondage
as streams in dry land.
Those who are sowing in tears
will sing when they reap. **(R.)**

They go out, they go out, full of tears,
carrying seed for the sowing:
they come back, they come back, full of song,
carrying their sheaves. **(R.)**

SECOND READING

Hebrews 5:1-6

Every high priest has been taken out of mankind and is appointed to act for men in their relations with God, to offer gifts and sacrifices for sins; and so he can sympathise with those who are ignorant or uncertain because he too lives in the limitations of weakness. That is why he has to make sin offerings for himself as

well as for the people. No one takes this honour on himself, but each one is called by God, as Aaron was. Nor did Christ give himself the glory of becoming high priest, but he had it from the one who said to him: You are my son, today I have become your father, and in another text: You are a priest of the order of Melchizedek, and for ever.

The Word of the Lord.

Response: Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, Alleluia!

Our Saviour Jesus Christ has done away with death,
and brought us life through his gospel.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL

Mark 10:46-52

As Jesus left Jericho with his disciples and a large crowd, Bartimaeus (that is, the son of Timaeus), a blind beggar, was sitting at the side of the road. When he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to shout and to say, 'Son of David, Jesus, have pity on me.' And many of them scolded him and told him to keep quiet, but he only shouted all the louder, 'Son of David, have pity on me.' Jesus stopped and said, 'Call him here.' So they called the blind man. 'Courage,' they said 'get up; he is calling you.' So throwing off his cloak, he jumped up and went to Jesus. Then Jesus spoke, 'What do you want me to do for you?' 'Rabbuni,' the blind man said to him 'Master, let me see again.' Jesus said to him, 'Go; your faith has saved you.' And immediately his sight returned and he followed him along the road.

The Gospel of the Lord.

Response: Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.

NEXT WEEK

Deuteronomy 6:2-6

Hebrews 7:23-28

Mark 12:28-34

SAFEGUARDING IN OUR PARISH

Safeguarding in our parish is a community responsibility. If you believe someone is being harmed please speak to your priest or the Safeguarding Office (02) 6621 9444.

There are procedures in place to guide how best to help victims - whether children or adults at risk.

