



St Michael's Parish, Nowra – Tel: 4423 1712 E-mail: office@nowraparish.org.au

Website: nowraparish.org.au Incorporates the Church Communities of St Michael, Nowra; St Patrick, Berry Sacred Heart, Bomaderry; Mary, Help of Christians, Culburra; St Joseph, Kangaroo Valley; Holy Spirit, Vincentia.

16th Sunday on Ordinary/Year C
22 July 2007

Sunday Masses:

NOWRA 6pm Vigil; 8am, 9.30am & 6pm
BERRY.....8.00am
BOMADERRY.....9.30am
CULBURRA BEACH 6pm Vigil
VINCENTIA..... 6pm Vigil; 9.30am
KANGAROO VALLEY 11.00am

MASSES DURING THE WEEK –

Nowra: Mon 7.00am, Tues/Wed/Thurs 8.15am
 Fri. 7.00am and 11.30am; Sat. 9.00am.
Holy Hour: Friday 10.30am
Berry: Tuesday 5.30pm
Culburra: Thursday 5.30pm
Bomaderry: First Friday (only) 5.45pm
Vincentia: Mon, Thur, Fri 8.00am Tue, Wed 5.30pm.
Kangaroo Valley: Mon, Tues, Thurs, Sat 11am
 (Divine Office 10.40am) Wed. 6.20am.
Shoalhaven Heads Friday 3.30pm.

Confession/Reconciliation :

Nowra: Sat 11.30.-12.30pm. 5.00 - 5.30pm.
Culburra: Sat. 5.30pm. **Berry:** Tues. 6.00pm.
B'derry: 1st Fri. 5.15pm.; **K Valley:** Sat. 4.30 - 5pm
Vincentia: Sat. 5 - 5.30pm.

Priest of the Parish;

Nowra: Fr Pat Faherty, Parish Priest...4423 1712
 Fr Richard Healey.....4423 1712
Vincentia: Fr Leo Duck.....4441 5571
Kangaroo Valley: Fr Ronan Kilganon



We prayerfully remember: **Beryl McGuire** and **Moya McCabe** (Culburra), **Rosario Mazzaferro** (father of Teresa Cuda) who died in Argentina. Also **Elly Schutz, and Ray O'Connor** whose anniversaries occur. May they rest in eternal peace

CULBURRA FAMILY GROUP. Our next function is a progressive dinner on Sunday, 22 July, commencing at 12.00. First course is at Terry and Frank Lander's place (4 Jobejija St). For more information, please contact Marg or Paul Casey (4446 4117).

PARISH FEAST DAY OF ST MICHAEL celebrated by an inaugural Annual Parish Dinner – to be held on Sat 29 Sept commencing with the Vigil Mass and dinner to follow in the parish Hall. Dinner will be a catered sit down event of a 3 course meal with dinner music by the Morrison Family. BYO drinks; tea and coffee will be supplied. There will also be a guest speaker – **Daniel Hopper** of World Youth Day 2008. As there will only be seating for approximately 200 people you will have to purchase a ticket to participate in the Dinner (first in first served). Tickets will be available at all Mass Centres and Chemmart-Michael Temby Pharmacy, 77 Junction St., Nowra at a cost of \$25/adult and \$10 child. From the 4/5 August 2007.



WORLD YOUTH DAY 2008 –

Sat 18 August – WYD Pilgrim Reunion – past pilgrims meet at the Cathedral and share their experiences and participate in the Diocesan Youth Mass – 6pm Vigil Mass at the Cathedral.

Are you aged between 18 – 30; passionate about bringing hope to young Australians; evidence a personal relationship with God; able to relate to students as peers and role models – would you like to participate in the W'gong Youth Mission Team for WYD? If so contact **Steve Toohey** 0407 859 270 or www.ymt.com.au

Parishioners are invited to a **RETROSPECTIVE ART EXHIBITION** of paintings, drawings and prints by Crozier's Rd resident Peter Nield, to be held at St Patrick's Hall, Albert St., Berry on Sat/Sun 28/29 July from 10am to 3pm. Entry by donation; proceeds to the St Vincent de Paul Society.

YOUNG ADULTS GROUP. The next event will be a Movie and discussion night. It will commence at 8pm on Mon 6 Aug in the Parish Centre. More information to follow.

Grandparents' Mass on Thursday July 26th at 11.30am in the Hall. Feastday of Sts. Joachim and Anne parents of Mary. A cordial invitation is extended to all

PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES –

- Receipts will be available next weekend 28/29 July 2007 from all Mass Centres.

THE PARISH HALF YEARLY NEWSLETTER will be available **next weekend** – lots of interesting articles and photos to help you catch up with what has been happening in the Parish over the last 6 months.

PARISH DISABILITY CONNECTIONS – the next meeting will be on Wed 25 July in the Parish Centre with an afternoon session of 2.00- 3.30pm **OR** an evening session of 7.30 – 9.00pm.

CATECHIST NEWS: 2007 Regional Catechist In-service Day at Bellambi on 23 July from 10am – 2pm. BYO lunch & mug. Ring Lyn 4423 1009 before 13 July to register. Topics will be –

- What does the Church want Catechists to do?
 - Using music and songs for SRE by Sr Joan Goodwin?
 - There will also be a RE book & resources display
- Local Term meeting** in the Polding Room, Parish Centre on 30 July from 9.30 – 11.00am

CENTACARE – Art Show fundraiser – July 27-29 at Kembla Grange Racecourse, with hundreds of artworks by Australia's finest artists. Opening night is Fri 27 July, then open all day Sat & Sun. Café open all weekend. For more information or to volunteer call 4227 1122.

New Diocesan Website: for the Diocese of Wollongong is now online: visit www.dow.org.au