



We acknowledge the Dharawal people, traditional owners and custodians of this place.
They are part of the oldest living human culture, deserving of our deepest respect. May we walk gently on this land.

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MARRIAGES and BAPTISMS by appointment :
MASS every Sunday at 9am;
And on 1st Sunday of every month at Menangle at 6pm;
On 3rd Sunday of every month young people and families Mass
at 5pm - St. Mary's Towers.
Mondays: Mass at 5.15pm in the Jenkin's Chapel
Tue to Sat : MASS: 7.15am in the Jenkins Chapel
PRAYERS: 7am and 5.30pm in the Jenkins Chapel

THIRTY THIRD SUNDAY - NOVEMBER 15TH , 2009

COLLECTIONS LAST SUNDAY:

1st: \$173.30; 2nd: \$130.55
Thank you for your generosity.

FEASTDAYS THIS WEEK

Tuesday Nov. 17th - Elizabeth of Hungary
Saturday 21st - Presentation of Blessed Virgin Mary

Next Sunday is the Solemnity of Christ the King.

CATHOLIC MISSION APPEAL. Catholic Mission Office Wollongong
have sent a letter thanking us for the 2009 appeal. \$990.00 was
collected from our small community.

WE REMEMBER THE SICK... Todd McRae, Sue Gay,
Christine Sullivan Trish Coleman, Peter Naughton,
Daphne O'Brien, Kerrie Berger (Pat Cagney's sister)
Hazel Wood (Jude Flippence's mother - battling cancer);
Doug Moseley (Heather's brother in law); Lois Martin -
recovering in hospital from a bad fall and operation.
Bill Penn who home and still reuperating.
Fr. Leo Hill msc - still in a stable but critical condition in
London U.K., but there has been some improvement.
Fr. Frank Dineen will have open heart surgery December 15.

Lectio Divina - Praying the Scriptures in Advent -

by Bishop David Walker is available free of charge at the back
of the church. Families are encouraged to take one and use it
for prayer during advent season.

Bishop Peter wrote: "Changes to the State Government's
Adoption Act are being considered to allow homosexual
couples to adopt children. This threatens the right of adopted
children in NSW to be raised by a father and mother."
A petition is at the back of the Church if you would like to sign
it. It will be forwarded to local MPs.

Congratulations: to Oscar Henry Lillyman, son of Paul &
Jennifer from Picton; and Isabel Anne Fitzsimmons, daughter
of Russell & Amy from Bargo. Both will be baptised this
morning. We warmly welcome them and their families

**TODAY - SUNDAY NOVEMBER 15th - PARISH PICNIC AT
MOWBRAY PARK HOMESTAY, Barkers Lodge Rd, Picton**
(kids can feed the animals, go for rides etc.) Gather at 12
noon, Lunch at 1pm and concludes with our Young People's
Mass at 5pm (at Mowbray Park). **ALL WELCOME.**