



ST MARY'S TOWERS

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MARRIAGES and BAPTISMS

by appointment

SUNDAY MASSES in the Church

9am each Sunday

6pm every 1st Sunday [at Menangle]

5pm every 3rd Sunday for

Youth/Young families

WEEKDAY MASS/PRAYER

in Jenkins Chapel

Monday: 5pm Prayer; 5.15pm Mass

Tues-Sat: 7am Prayer; 7.15am Mass

ALL WELCOME

TODAY WE CELEBRATE:

6th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY

TIME YEAR C: 14 FEBRUARY,

2010

What are your ultimate pursuits?

What would you see reversed in our present order?

'Not to enable the poor to share in our goods is to steal from them and deprive them of life'. St John Chrysostom, [CCC #2446]

What challenges does this offer to us in the developed world?

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

DID YOU KNOW?

Today's Gospel is commonly known as 'The Beatitudes', from the Latin meaning 'blessing'.

Both Matthew and Luke report this famous sermon of Jesus, but with slight differences.

The main difference is that Luke balances the 'blessings' with a series of 'woes' aimed at would-be disciples who are still bound up with the signs of success in this world.

DOUGLAS PARK PHYSICAL CULTURE CLUB

Physical Culture is a unique competitive sport combining floor and standing exercises to modern music. Based on basic ballet, physie is great for physical fitness, flexibility, coordination and posture. It builds confidence through participation in competitive events.

Fees: \$50 for Registration, \$6 per week.

Starts Wednesday 17 02 2010

Pre-Schoolers	:	4.30pm to 5.00pm
5 and 6 years	:	5.00pm to 5.45pm
7 and 8 years	:	5.45pm to 6.30pm
9 - 12 years	:	6.30pm to 7.15pm
Seniors	:	7.15pm to 8.00pm
Ladies	:	8.00pm to 9.00pm

Where? Douglas Park Catholic Community Hall, Station St, Douglas Park

Please contact: Melissa

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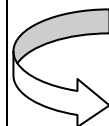
HOPE TO SEE YOU ALL THERE!

WE PRAY FOR THE SICK...

Todd McRae, Sue Gay, Christine Sullivan, Trish Coleman, Peter Naughton, Hazel Wood [Jude Flippence's mother - battling cancer] Doug Moseley [Heather's brother-in-law] Bill Penn, Frank Dineen msc, Elisa Dal Pozzo.

FEASTDAYS THIS WEEK:

Feb 16 St Onesimus
 Feb 17 ASH WEDNESDAY
 Feb 19 St Bernadette
 Feb 20 St Eucherius



REMEMBER:

**5pm MASS NEXT SUNDAY
YOUTH/YOUNG FAMILIES**

**LENT BEGINS ON ASH
WEDNESDAY – FEB 17**

**ASHES WILL BE
DISTRIBUTED AT THE
COMMUNITY MASS
IN THE JENKINS CHAPEL
7.15am WEDNESDAY
ALL WELCOME**

INFORMATION FOR LENT

from the Diocese is available in leaflet form on table at back of church. **ALSO AVAILABLE...** books for Lenten Programme, please take for private or group use. **There will be a Lenten Group run in the parish beginning next Wednesday Feb 17 in the Mitchell House parlour from 7.30-8.30**, followed by a cuppa. **ALL WELCOME.** This is to be run in conjunction with the Australian Bishops Conference. Visit the website: thereflection.vividas.com – a resource that presents reflections on the Gospel and the Creed. Visit the website now to find out more: guidelines for undertaking lectio divina; a downloadable booklet to take you through the readings for the period, and Q&A's to assist further discussion.