

St Joseph's Catholic Church Oatley

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Schedule of Masses		Baptisms	By appointment (usually first and third Sunday, 11am)
Saturday	6 pm (Vigil for Sunday)		
Sunday	8 am, 10 am		
Tuesday	8 am (Rosary 7:45)	Confessions	Saturday 5:00-5:45 pm (the confessional is in the sacristy and is completely private and anonymous)
Wednesday	8 am (Rosary 7:45)		
Thursday	12 noon (Rosary 11:45)	Exposition	Thursday, 9am to 11:45am (with benediction at 11:40am)
Friday	8 am (Rosary 7:45)		
Saturday	8 am (Rosary 7:45)		

20 June 2010: 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Masses and prayers: Please pray for Fr Carol Grew (died 10/6), Claris O'Connor (died 10/6, funeral 18/6), John Sears (recently deceased), Julie McMinn (died 15/6), Bill Marriott (died 14/6), Tony Attard (ann. 16/6), Fr Basil Jansen (ann. 26/6), Josie Murphy (ann. 22/6) and those who are sick or who have asked for or need our prayers, including, Rayma Papworth, Terry Clark, Baby Zahlee and Sebastian Peter Bourke.

The St Vincent de Paul Society's Winter Appeal 2010. The theme of the appeal is ' *No one should have to know this - help the thousands that do.* ' Vinnies asked many they know who are struggling what they do to survive on a daily basis. Their responses were very confronting and touching. Disadvantaged families know by sleeping together in one room they can save on heating. Homeless people know that to keep as warm as possible it is best to sleep on seats and benches, rather than concrete or grass. No one should have to know these things. We invite you to help us make a difference for these people. You can make a donation as you leave the church this weekend or use the envelopes provided on the pews. Tax receipts are available upon request. Your generosity will be much appreciated

Josephite Associates Gathering will be held on Thursday 24 June after midday Mass in the Marian Hall. Anyone interested in attending is most welcome.

The Parish Morning Tea will be held in the Marian Hall after the 8am Mass this Sunday June 20. **Everyone welcome.**

SILVER CIRCLE Winners Week 5:

1st prize	\$40	No 12	Nella Smith
2nd prize	\$10	No 40	Janice Scully

"Christmas in July" will be held on Thursday 8 July, commencing with Mass at midday at St Joseph's, then to Oatley RSL for luncheon. Cost \$30. To book please ring Marcia on 95792174 or Jill on 9579 5492.

A Special Invitation to the Rome Canonisation of Mary MacKillop: Sr Maria Casey RSJ, who is the Postulator for the Cause of Canonisation of Mary MacKillop is encouraging Australian Catholics to join, wherever possible, in celebrating the canonisation as recognition of the holiness of Mary MacKillop's life. It is hoped that many will seriously consider travelling to

Rome to be a part of this significant moment in history. Parishioners are encouraged to contact the Official tour operator (Harvest Pilgrimages) at www.canonisationtravel.com or 1300 467 663 to request an official tour brochure with 9 day all inclusive programs affordably priced from \$3,590 per person.

YOUNG TEENS PROGRAM!!! Every Sunday morning in the Marian Hall at 9am, age group 9-14yrs. Any feedback would be much appreciated by contacting Amanda Shad on 0421736764.

The Tree of Hope is a CatholicCare program which provides pastoral counseling support services for people living with HIV/AIDS, their families and primary carers. This service is open to people from every denomination. Tree of Hope provides an opportunity for spiritual and emotional support in a confidential safe environment by visitation, connecting in groups or by telephone support. Enquiries to Margaret on 8306 2320 or treeofhope@centacare.org. See notice board for further details. Brochures are available on the table in the Church foyer.

Prayer Morning at Mary MacKillop Place, 7 Mount St North Sydney (entry via museum reception): You are invited to a Prayer Morning with Mary MacKillop on Wednesday 30 June, 2010 from 10.30 am – 12.30 pm. Cost \$15 (Concession \$10). This month's topic: "There where you are, you will find God" – with Sue & Leo Kane. If you would like to stay on for the 1pm Mass in the Chapel, you are most welcome. Bookings and further enquiries: Sister Monica Barlow 8912 4818 or mmp.ministries@sosj.org.au.

Collections Last Week

1st: \$846	2nd: \$371	Envelopes: \$1,379
Money Counters Roster		
Sun 20 Jun	Margaret Pullen, Vince Elliott, Jenny Elliott	
Sun 27 Jun	Margaret Pullen, Lynne Ekholm, Kathryn Wojcicki	

Parish Liturgy Roster

	Acolytes and Ministers	Lectors	Altar Servers	Mass Wardens
Sat 19 Jun 6pm	Glenn McLachlan	First Communicants	Siobhan T Marie Claire T	Richard McMillan
Sun 20 Jun 8am	Tom Ryan	Bill Monaghan	Jordan W Michael A	Seb Arena
Sun 20 Jun 10am	Vince Cordi	Alex Merrick	Jasmin C Lavinia M	Brian Smith
Sat 20 Jun 6pm	Danny Clark	Carmel Bollard	Jasmin C Thomas C	Rafe Kowron
Sun 27 Jun 8am	Shirley Quinlan	Shirley Quinlan	Patrick K Thomas K	Tom Ryan
Sun 27 Jun 10am	Phillip Merrick	Gerry Mahony	Adriana B Isabella B	David Lee
Children's Liturgy		Weekday Rosary Leader	Altar Society	
Sun 20 Jun	No Liturgy - First Communions	Bill Monaghan	Margaret Rayment, Kath Richardson, Pat Doepel	
Sun 27 Jun	No Liturgy - First Communions	Brian Rayment	Marcia Smith, Joan Gilmore	

