



Mary MacKillop's Feast Day 8th August

"MEETING NEEDS TODAY"

In 1866 Mary MacKillop said, "WE ARE IN HIS (God's) HANDS."

Mary MacKillop was always busy helping
poor and homeless people,
children,
teenagers,
elderly
and Indigenous people.

She felt a need to assist people with
education,
housing and shelter,
food and clothing.

Mary was there for people as a friend and for support. She was also known for carrying sweets in her pocket to give out to children. Mary said,



"NEVER SEE A NEED
WITHOUT
DOING SOMETHING ABOUT IT".

Today, we have needs to meet too!
People throughout Australia and the world
are struggling at the moment and they all need
a helping hand or someone to put a smile on their face.

HERE'S A THOUGHT

*WHY DON'T YOU DO YOUR PART,
JUST LIKE MARY MACKILLOP,
BY HELPING THEM WITH SOMETHING
OR PUTTING A
SMILE ON THEIR FACE.*

SOME IDEAS FOR YOU (TRY TO DO THIS FOR SOMEONE YOU WOULDN'T NORMALLY DO IT FOR WHO NEEDS CHEERING UP.

[MAKE A FRIENDSHIP BRACELET](https://babble-dabble-do.com/design-for-kids-crepe-paper-bracelets/) (https://babble-dabble-do.com/design-for-kids-crepe-paper-bracelets/)

MAKE A 'FRIENDSHIP' CARD



You will need:

- * Cardboard
- * Paint, textas or crayons
- * Felt or a thick fabric
- * Glue
- * Black felt pen

1. Cut out a coloured square-shaped piece of cardboard. It can be one piece and write a message on the back, or use a rectangular piece and fold it in half for a proper gift card.
2. Cut out a large heart for the face and two (2) small hearts for the ears. If you don't have felt, they can be cut out of cardboard.
3. Draw and colour in the nose and whiskers.
4. If you don't have any of the black and white craft eyes, draw your own.
5. Write your own message at the top or inside the card.

BE A 'GOOD MATE' OR A FRIEND TO SOMEONE IN NEED.

REMEMBER: "WE ARE IN HIS (God's) HANDS."

