

# *Saint Mary of the Cross MacKillop*

Themes,  
Lesson Ideas  
and  
Resources  
for  
Primary  
and  
Junior Secondary  
Teachers

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# St Mary of the Cross MacKillop - Themes and Resources for Primary Teachers

	Theme	Resources		Planning notes
1	MARY'S FAMILY AND BACKGROUND	Teacher background: <b><i>The Black Dress: Mary MacKillop's Early Years</i></b> – Pamela Freeman Black Dog Books, 2005	<i>The Black Dress</i> : Recommended reading: a well-researched novel (easy reading!), which provides excellent insights into Mary's early life: both childhood and young adulthood (1842-1861).	
		Teacher background: <b>SOSJ website -</b> <a href="http://www.sosj.org.au/our-foundress-mary-mackillop/marys-story/mary-story-beginnings/">http://www.sosj.org.au/our-foundress-mary-mackillop/marys-story/mary-story-beginnings/</a>	'Beginnings' section: as far as 'Work in Melbourne'	
		<i>Letters from Mary: the Story of the Life of Mary MacKillop</i> - Joan Goodwin rsj; St Paul's Publications 2010	Pages 3-9 [Suitable for Years 4 - 6]	
		<b><i>St Mary MacKillop: Friend of Jesus</i></b> – Judith Steer rsj; St Paul's Publications 2010	Pages 5-17 [Suitable for Years 4 - 6]	
		<b><i>The Story of Mary MacKillop: Australia's First Saint</i></b> - Bernadette Doyle, Lila El-Hage and Anne Walsh; John Garratt Publishing, reprinted 2010	Teacher's book, pages 14-15; Extension activities, pages 40-41 Student's book, pages 4-9 [Suitable for Years 5 & 6]	
		<b><i>Light and Shadow: Stories about Mary MacKillop</i></b> – Anne Marie Power rsj Story: 'Who would have guessed it?'	Story, pages 3-7 Activity Sheet related to story in <i>Light and Shadow: Stories about Mary MacKillop</i> – Activity Kit #2	
2	MARY MACKILLOP GROWS UP	Teacher background: <b>SOSJ website -</b> <a href="http://www.sosj.org.au/our-foundress-mary-mackillop/marys-story/mary-story-beginnings/">http://www.sosj.org.au/our-foundress-mary-mackillop/marys-story/mary-story-beginnings/</a>	'BEGINNINGS' section: from 'Moving to Penola' to 'Dreams and Desires'	
		<b><i>St Mary MacKillop: Friend of Jesus</i></b> – Judith Steer rsj	Pages 18-19 [Suitable for Years 4 - 6]	

		<b>Letters from Mary: the Story of the Life of Mary MacKillop</b> - Joan Goodwin rsj	Pages 10-11
		<b>The Story of Mary MacKillop: Australia's First Saint</b> - Bernadette Doyle, Lila El-Hage and Anne Walsh	Teacher's book, pages 16-17; Extension activities, page 44 Student's book, pages 10-15 [Suitable for Years 5 & 6]
		<b>Light and Shadow: Stories about Mary MacKillop</b> – Anne Marie Power rsj Story: 'Tale for Horse Lovers' Story: 'Snubbed'	Pages 9-20 Activity Sheets related to stories in <i>Light and Shadow: Stories about Mary MacKillop</i> – Activity Kit #2
3	MARY MACKILLOP BECOMES 'SISTER MARY'	Teacher background: <b>SOSJ website</b> - <a href="http://www.sosj.org.au/our-foundress-mary-mackillop/marys-story/mary-story-beginnings/">http://www.sosj.org.au/our-foundress-mary-mackillop/marys-story/mary-story-beginnings/</a>	'BEGINNINGS' section: from 'Education in Penola' to 'Commitment to God'.
		<b>St Mary MacKillop: Friend of Jesus</b> – Judith Steer rsj	Pages 20-23 [Suitable for Years 4 - 6]
		<b>Light and Shadow - Stories about Mary MacKillop</b> – Anne Marie Power rsj Story: 'Spring Days'	Pages 27-33 Activity Sheets related to story in <i>Light and Shadow: Stories about Mary MacKillop</i> – Activity Kit #2
		<b>Letters from Mary: the Story of the Life of Mary MacKillop</b> - Joan Goodwin rsj	Pages 14-15 [Suitable for Year 4]
		<b>The Story of Mary MacKillop: Australia's First Saint</b> - Bernadette Doyle, Lila El-Hage and Anne Walsh	Teacher's book, pages 18-19; Extension activities, pages 45-46 Student's book, pages 17-21 [Suitable for Years 5 & 6]
4	THE SISTERS OF ST JOSEPH BEGIN & GROW	Teacher background: <b>SOSJ website</b> - <a href="http://www.sosj.org.au/our-foundress-mary-mackillop/marys-story/mary-story-beginnings/">http://www.sosj.org.au/our-foundress-mary-mackillop/marys-story/mary-story-beginnings/</a>	'GROWTH' section: from beginning to 'Mary of the Cross'; 'LEGACY' section: <i>Following Mary's death</i>
		<b>Letters from Mary: the Story of the Life of Mary MacKillop</b> - Joan Goodwin rsj	Pages 18-20 [Suitable for Year 4]
		<b>St Mary MacKillop: Friend of Jesus</b> – Judith Steer rsj	Pages 25-27 [Suitable for Years 4 - 6]

		<b><i>The Story of Mary MacKillop: Australia's First Saint</i></b> - Bernadette Doyle, Lila El-Hage and Anne Walsh	Teacher's book, pages 20-21; Extension activities, pages 47-50; 53-54 Student's book, pages 22-27 [Suitable for Years 5 & 6]
5	MARY IS MISUNDERSTOOD BY THE BISHOPS (including THE EXCOMMUNICATION)	Teacher background: <b>SOSJ website</b> - <a href="http://www.sosj.org.au/our-foundress-mary-mackillop/marys-story/mary-story-beginnings/">http://www.sosj.org.au/our-foundress-mary-mackillop/marys-story/mary-story-beginnings/</a>	'GROWTH' section: from 'Woman of Strength' to end 'CHALLENGES' section: from beginning to 'The Cross becomes the Tree of life' [Suitable for Years 5 & 6]
		<b><i>St Mary MacKillop: Friend of Jesus</i></b> – Judith Steer rsj	Pages 28-29 [Suitable for Years 4 - 6]
		<b><i>The Story of Mary MacKillop: Australia's First Saint</i></b> - Bernadette Doyle, Lila El-Hage and Anne Walsh	Teacher's book, pages 22-26 Extension activities, page 51 Student's book, pages 28-37 [Suitable for Years 5 & 6]
6	MARY MACKILLOP VISITS THE POPE IN ROME	Teacher background: <b>SOSJ website</b> - <a href="http://www.sosj.org.au/our-foundress-mary-mackillop/marys-story/mary-story-beginnings/">http://www.sosj.org.au/our-foundress-mary-mackillop/marys-story/mary-story-beginnings/</a>	'CHALLENGE' section: <i>Leaving all for a great cause</i>
		<b><i>St Mary MacKillop: Friend of Jesus</i></b> – Judith Steer rsj	Pages 30-31 [Suitable for Years 4 - 6]
		<b><i>Letters from Mary: the Story of the Life of Mary MacKillop</i></b> - Joan Goodwin rsj	Pages 21-24 [Suitable for Year 4]
		<b><i>The Story of Mary MacKillop: Australia's First Saint</i></b> - Bernadette Doyle, Lila El-Hage and Anne Walsh	Teacher's book, pages 27-28 Student's book, pages 38-43 [Suitable for Years 5 & 6]
7	MARY THE TRAVELLER	Teacher background: <b>SOSJ website</b> - <a href="http://www.sosj.org.au/our-foundress-mary-mackillop/marys-story/mary-story-beginnings/">http://www.sosj.org.au/our-foundress-mary-mackillop/marys-story/mary-story-beginnings/</a>	'CHALLENGE' section: <i>Pilgrimage</i>
		<b><i>Letters from Mary: the Story of the Life of Mary MacKillop</i></b> : Joan Goodwin rsj	Pages 25-28 [Suitable for Year 4]
		<b><i>St Mary MacKillop: Friend of Jesus</i></b> – Judith Steer rsj	Pages 34-35; 36-39 [Suitable for Years 4 - 6]



8	MARY'S LOVE FOR CHILDREN	<b>St Mary MacKillop: Friend of Jesus</b> – Judith Steer rsj	Pages 32-33 [Suitable for Years 4 - 6]
		<b>Letters from Mary: the Story of the Life of Mary MacKillop</b> - Joan Goodwin rsj	Pages 30-31 [Suitable for Year 4]
		<b>Memories of Mary by those who knew her</b> – Sisters of St Joseph 2010	Page 12, paragraph 2 only
9	SUMMING UP MARY'S LIFE	<i>Long have I loved You: the Story of Mary MacKillop (Video)</i> – Trustees, Sisters of St Joseph, North Sydney.	Conversation about Mary MacKillop: an old man and his grand-daughter
		<i>The Mary MacKillop Prayer Book for Children – by the children of Australia</i>	Pages 6-17: Summary of Mary's Story.  <i>This book also contains prayers written by Australian children around the following Mary MacKillop themes:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Finding courage</i></li> <li>• <i>Forgiving our enemies</i></li> <li>• <i>Giving thanks</i></li> <li>• <i>Caring for everyone</i></li> <li>• <i>Believing in goodness</i></li> <li>• <i>Meeting challenge</i></li> <li>• <i>Trusting in God</i></li> <li>• <i>Welcoming all people</i></li> <li>• <i>Praying together</i></li> </ul>
		<b>The Story of Mary MacKillop: Australia's First Saint</b> – Bernadette Doyle, Lila El-Hage and Anne Walsh	Pages 3-8: Summary of Mary's Story.  <i>This book also contains many worksheets, puzzles and activities for both junior and senior students. These could be both enjoyable and helpful for revision around all of the eight introductory themes.</i>  Teacher's book, Extension activities, pages 55-56 [Suitable for Years 5 & 6]

		DVD: <i>Mary MacKillop: Australia's First Saint (filmed in South Australia)</i> Salt and Light Television, Canada 2009	Suggestion: Teacher previews and selects sections relevant to children; Pause at times for discussion. Some possible themes: – <i>Excommunication</i> – implications, Mary's response (forgiveness, peace) – <i>How Mary responded to the needs of her time</i> e.g. education, care of the poor (orphans, women, prisoners) – <i>Mary inspired others</i> : the growth of the Josephites – <i>Young people's comments</i> about Mary: What do YOU think of her?
		DVD: <i>Long have I loved you</i> Trustees: Sisters of St Joseph	Conversation about Mary MacKillop: an old man and his grand-daughter
		SONGS: • 'A Cross of Stars' – Andrew Chin ( <i>St Mary MacKillop: Beneath a Cross of Stars</i> – CD and music book) • 'Never See a Need' – M.A.C. ( <i>Josephite Dreaming</i> – CD only) • 'In Mary's Hands' – Mike Brady (CD only) • 'Woman for Today' – Michael Herry fms (in 'From Penola's' Plains) • 'If I Could tell the love of God' (CD and music book– 8 songs)	
	IMPORTANT DATES IN THE LIFE OF MARY MACKILLOP	<b><i>Never see a need without doing something about it</i></b> - Joan Goodwin rsj	Page 39
		<b><i>The Story of Mary MacKillop: Australia's First Saint</i></b> – Bernadette Doyle, Lila El-Hage and Anne Walsh	Timeline – pages 9-12



## Inspirational Qualities shown by Mary through her life ...

	Theme	Resources		Mary's Words – Taken from her letters
1	FORGIVENESS	<b>Memories of Mary by those who knew her</b> – Sisters of St Joseph 2010	Page 64: Paragraph commencing <i>Mother was very forgiving .... to forget as well as to forgive.</i>	I forgive him. I forgive all who had any part in these matters (1871) I bear them no ill-will (1871) Forgiveness is love (1871)
		<b>Memories of Mary by those who knew her</b> – Sisters of St Joseph 2010	Page 27 : Final paragraph of story	Help one another, and forgive and forget anything painful in the past (1882) Try to excuse what you cannot understand, and be blind to the faults around you (1887)
		<b>Mary MacKillop: A window of Hope</b> – Monica Cavanagh rsj ( <i>'Forgiveness of those who hurt her'</i> - pages 51-52)	Reflection on Mary's life-long commitment to forgiveness of others – no matter how great the hurt or injustice inflicted on her.	Let us show this love in our acts, bearing with one another, forgiving and forgetting (1890)
2	TRUST IN GOD	<b>St Mary MacKillop: Friend of Jesus</b> – Judith Steer rsj Story: Mary MacKillop helps a dying child (pages 34-35)	<i>Mary's whole life – her whole dream was an act of trust in God ... 'God will provide'</i> In spite of the danger, Mary trusted that God would get her to the dying boy	Lean on God (1871) God will take care of us (1871) Trust in the goodness of God (1873) God kept my heart full of trust (1874) When I could not see my way, God kept my heart full of trust (1874) God knows what is best for us all (1898) Have courage, trust in God and you need have no fear (1905) Do not be afraid (1909)
		<b>Mary MacKillop: A window of Hope</b> – Monica Cavanagh rsj ( <i>'Trust in God'</i> - pages 67-68)	Reflection on Mary's trust in a good and loving God	
3	COURAGE/LEADERSHIP	<b>Memories of Mary by those who knew her</b> – Sisters of St Joseph 2010	Pages 6-7 : Story in paragraph commencing: <i>A Sister was dying ... last moments of the dying Sister</i>	Never lose courage under your sufferings (1873) I am not afraid of any of the difficulties. They rather make my courage rise (1873) Have courage and patience and God will help you in all things

		<b><i>Never see a need without doing something about it: Inspirational stories from the life of Mary MacKillop</i></b> - Joan Goodwin rsj	<i>I was sick and you visited me</i> – Pages 31-34 Story, discussion, worksheet and action response	Courage, courage, trust in God who helps you in all things (1874) May God bless and keep you and give you courage (1875)
		<b><i>Memories of Mary by those who knew her</i></b> – Sisters of St Joseph 2010	Page 42: Story related by Sr Lawrence Cunningham	We can all work quietly, doing our best for God (1883) Keep up your courage forever.(1890) Have courage, no matter what your crosses are (1891) God loves courageous souls. (1890) Courage, dear child, and do not yield to sadness (1898)
4	SENSE OF GOD'S PRESENCE	<b><i>Mary MacKillop: A window of Hope</i></b> – Monica Cavanagh rsj (‘The presence of God’ - pages 66-67)	From an early age, Mary had a deep sense of God working in her life	Believe in the whisperings of God to your own heart (1868) God's presence seems to follow me everywhere and makes everything I do or wish to do a prayer (1870) I cannot forget that there is a dear, good God watching over us (1871)
		<b><i>Mary MacKillop: A window of Hope</i></b> – Monica Cavanagh rsj (‘The presence of God’ - pages 66-67)	Reflection on Mary's on-going sense of God's presence in her life	God gave me such a sense of his watchful presence (1873) There where you are you will find God (1871) All depends on prayer. Begin with it and end with it. (1890)
		<b><i>Memories of Mary by those who knew her</i></b> – Sisters of St Joseph 2010	Page 3: ‘She saw God in everything ... beauty of God’	When storms rage, when dangers threaten, I quietly creep into the deep abyss of God's heart, and, securely sheltered there, my soul is at peace (1907) Look back a little and see what our good God has done for us
5	KINDNESS & COMPASSION	<b><i>Never see a need without doing something about it: Inspirational stories from the life of Mary MacKillop</i></b> - Joan Goodwin rsj	<i>Behind bars</i> – Pages 35-37: Story, discussion, worksheet and action response	Be kind to the poor foreigners. Remember I was a foreigner once, and as such, was never laughed at not unkindly treated (1875) Try at least to excuse what you cannot understand (1877) Find happiness in making others happy (1899) Be a gift of love and compassion for one another (1909)

		<b>Memories of Mary by those who knew her</b> – Sisters of St Joseph 2010	Page12 : Story in paragraph commencing: <i>She came to visit us once ... these are children I love</i>	
		<b>Never see a need without doing something about it: Inspirational stories from the life of Mary MacKillop</b> - Joan Goodwin rsj	Pages 27-30: <i>The toss of a dice</i> Story, discussion, worksheet and action response	
		<b>Memories of Mary by those who knew her</b> – Sisters of St Joseph 2010	Page 6: Story in paragraph commencing: <i>Mother Mary was devotedly attached to the orphans ... steal another.</i>	
		<b>Memories of Mary by those who knew her</b> – Sisters of St Joseph 2010	Pages 20-21 : Story from beginning to: <i>Mother was especially kind and good to me (Page 21)</i>	
		<b>Memories of Mary by those who knew her</b> – Sisters of St Joseph 2010	Page 22 : Story in 2 <sup>nd</sup> paragraph only: <i>After Mother's death ... since he knew Mother</i>	
		<b>Mary MacKillop: A window of Hope</b> – Monica Cavanagh rsj (‘Kindness and support to the suffering’: pages 49-50)	Reflection on Mary’s extraordinary kindness	
6	RESPECT FOR EVERY PERSON / LOVE FOR THE POOR	<b>Teacher background: SOSJ website -</b> <a href="https://www.sosj.org.au/our-foundress-mary-mackillop/marys-story/mary-story-beginnings/">https://www.sosj.org.au/our-foundress-mary-mackillop/marys-story/mary-story-beginnings/</a>	<b>INFLUENCES</b> section: ‘ <i>Respecting the dignity of all</i> ’	Reject no-one. You never know what grace can do (1871) We must teach more by example than by word (1867) Never be ashamed of work done for God and God's poor (1874)
		<b>Never see a need without doing something about it: Inspirational stories from the life of Mary MacKillop</b> - Joan Goodwin rsj	<i>When I was hungry</i> - Pages 12-14 Story, discussion, worksheet and action response	Remember on this earth no one is perfect (1889) Let us really love one another (1890) Seek first the poorest and most neglected parts of God's vineyard (1900) God loves us all (1906)
		<b>Memories of Mary by those who knew her</b> – Sisters of St Joseph 2010	Page 45: Paragraph commencing: <i>I have heard from a Sister .... I love to get the blessing of these poor people.</i>	If we cannot speak well of others, let us be silent (1909)

		<b>Memories of Mary by those who knew her</b> – Sisters of St Joseph 2010	Page 49 – Introductory paragraph	
		<b>Memories of Mary by those who knew her</b> – Sisters of St Joseph 2010	Page 71 : Paragraph commencing <i>My first experience .... life-long impression on me</i>	
		<b>Never see a need without doing something about it: Inspirational stories from the life of Mary MacKillop</b> - Joan Goodwin rsj	<i>I was thirsty and you gave me a drink</i> – Pages 16-17: Story, discussion, worksheet and action response	
		<b>Never see a need without doing something about it: Inspirational stories from the life of Mary MacKillop</b> - Joan Goodwin rsj	<i>I was hungry and you gave me food</i> – Pages 8-10: Story, discussion, worksheet and action response	
		<b>Memories of Mary by those who knew her</b> – Sisters of St Joseph 2010	Pages 51-52 : Story related by Sr Borgia Healy	
7	HUMOUR / JOY	<b>Memories of Mary by those who knew her</b> – Sisters of St Joseph 2010	Page 53 : Paragraph commencing <i>On one occasion ... she only treated it as a joke.</i>	I could not go with my sad face among the Sisters (1869) I had time to be much amused (1873) Enjoy yourselves and be happy above all (1900)
		<b>Memories of Mary by those who knew her</b> – Sisters of St Joseph 2010	Pages 6-7: Story in paragraph commencing: <i>Before the Sisters ... Mother Mary's own face</i>	
8	GENEROSITY	<b>Never see a need without doing something about it: Inspirational stories from the life of Mary MacKillop</b> - Joan Goodwin rsj	<i>'When I was hungry you gave me food'</i> – Pages 8-10: Story, discussion, worksheet and action response Song: <i>Never See a Need</i> – Josephite Dreaming	Try always to be generous with God (1882) God loves generosity in us (1882) Do your best, and God will bless your efforts (1889) If you have love in your hearts, you will have God with you (1890) Help one another and bear with one another as God does with each of us."(1899) Love one another and bear with one another and let love guide you in all your life (1909)
		<b>Never see a need without doing something about it: Inspirational stories from the life of Mary MacKillop</b> - Joan Goodwin rsj	<i>I was a stranger and you welcomed me</i> – Pages 20-22: Story, discussion, worksheet and action response	
		<b>Never see a need without doing something about it: Inspirational stories from the life of Mary MacKillop</b> - Joan Goodwin rsj	<i>I was naked and you clothed me</i> Pages 24-26: Story, discussion, worksheet and action response	

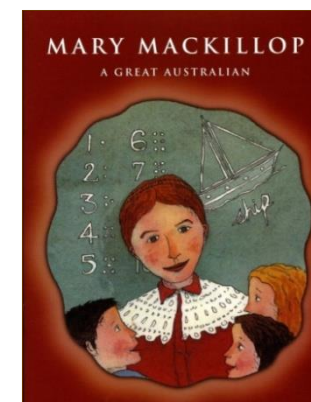
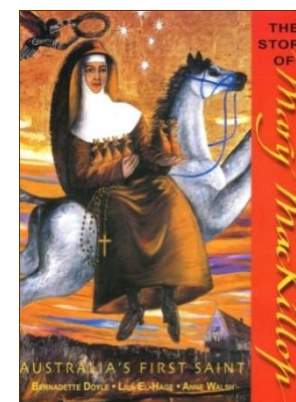
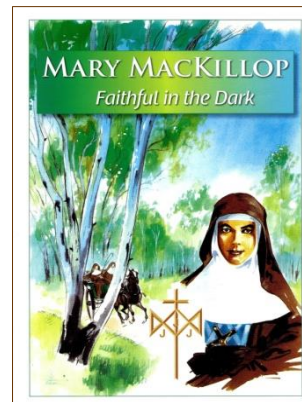
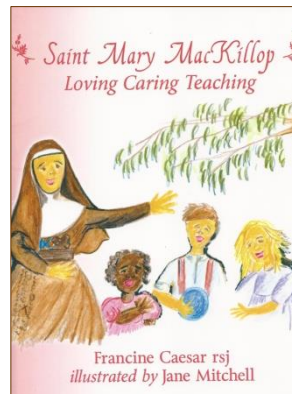
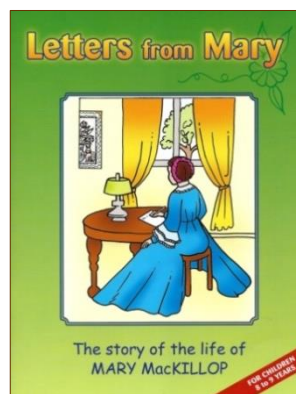
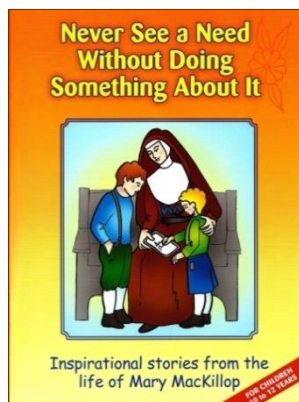
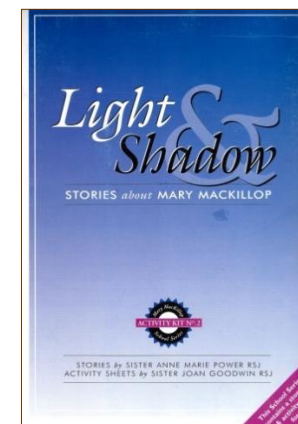
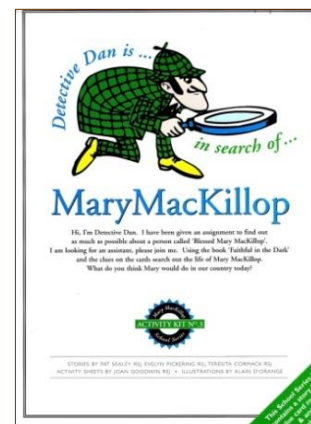
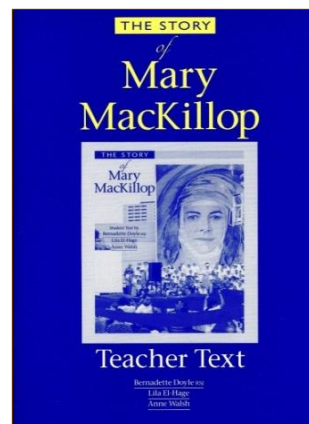
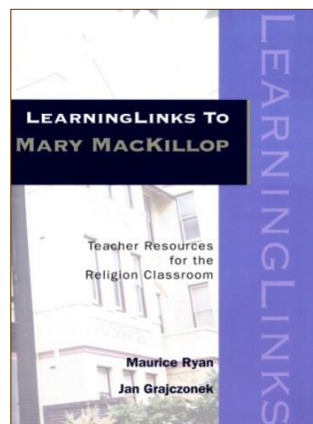
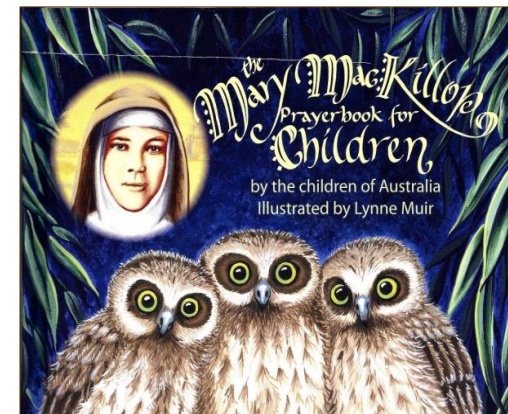
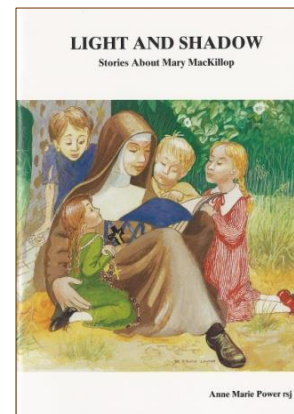
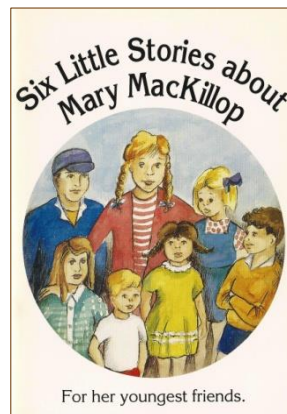
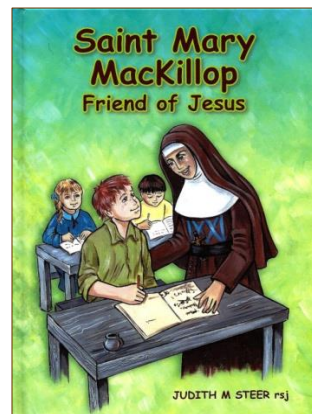
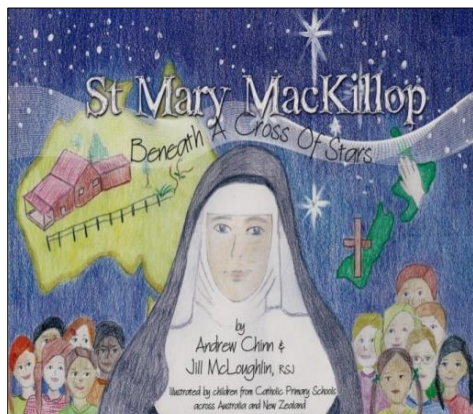
		<i>Memories of Mary by those who knew her</i> – Sisters of St Joseph 2010	Pages 13-14 : Story related by Sr Winifred O’Brien	
9	THE CROSS: ACCEPTANCE OF SUFFERING	Teacher background: <i>Mary MacKillop website</i> - <a href="https://www.sosj.org.au/our-foundress-mary-mackillop/marys-story/mary-story-beginnings/">https://www.sosj.org.au/our-foundress-mary-mackillop/marys-story/mary-story-beginnings/</a>	‘CHALLENGES’ section: from beginning to ‘ <i>The Cross becomes the Tree of life</i> ’ to end of section	God will carry you safely through every struggle (1870) The cross appears lighter when carried with Jesus (1874)
		<i>Mary MacKillop: A window of Hope</i> – Monica Cavanagh rsj ‘Perseverance in the face of adversity’ - pages 46-47	A reflection on Mary’s attitude to suffering and hardship	We feel our crosses hard at times, but our courage should rise with them (1882) The little crosses are harder to bear patiently than the thumping big ones! (1884) Have courage, no matter what your crosses are (1890)
		<i>Mary MacKillop: A window of Hope</i> – Monica Cavanagh rsj ‘The Cross’ - pages 68-72	A reflection on Mary’s life - lived beneath the shadow of the Cross	Whatever crosses may be before you - accept them cheerfully, remembering whom you are trying to follow (1890) Whatever troubles may befall you, accept them bravely (1909)
Helpful websites ...			Comments ...	
<a href="http://www.sosj.org.au">www.sosj.org.au</a>			General background: Mary’s story, spirituality and legacy	
<a href="http://www.sosj.org.au">www.sosj.org.au</a>			Sisters of St Joseph: Mary’s legacy in 2018	
<a href="http://www.mackilloppenola.org.au">www.mackilloppenola.org.au</a>			‘Where it all began’ – story of Josephite beginnings	
<a href="http://www.marymackillopadeelaide.org.au">www.marymackillopadeelaide.org.au</a>			Goldmine of resources: background reading, activities, video clips	
<a href="https://www.marymackillopplace.org.au/education/resource-library/">https://www.marymackillopplace.org.au/education/resource-library/</a>			Mary MacKillop Place resources for all school levels	
<a href="https://www.marymackillopplace.org.au/education/curriculum-links/">https://www.marymackillopplace.org.au/education/curriculum-links/</a>			Mary MacKillop Place – National Curriculum links	
<a href="http://www.marymackilloppenola.org.au/exhibitions/dsp-default.cfm?loadref=102">http://www.marymackilloppenola.org.au/exhibitions/dsp-default.cfm?loadref=102</a>			Mary MacKillop Penola Centre	
<a href="https://www.sosj.org.au/our-foundress-mary-mackillop/inspiration-from-mary/">https://www.sosj.org.au/our-foundress-mary-mackillop/inspiration-from-mary/</a>			Inspiration from Mary MacKillop: stories, articles, reflections	
Additional Background Reading / Resources ...				
<i>Mary MacKillop: Touching our Lives</i> – Judith Steer rsj Revised edition: St Paul’s Publications, 2008			A brief biography that explores the ‘human side’ of Mary MacKillop, and how she touches the lives of people today in remarkable, yet very ordinary ways.	
<i>The Little Brown Book: Mary MacKillop’s Spirituality in our everyday lives</i> – Sue and Leo Kane St Paul’s Publications, 2009			Series of two-page reflections that explore the personality and spirituality of Mary MacKillop, and what she could mean for each of us.	

<p><b><i>The Little Brown Book Too</i></b> – Sue and Leo Kane  St Paul's Publications, 2011  <a href="http://www.sosj.org.au/news-events/view_article.cfm?id=634&amp;loadref=7">http://www.sosj.org.au/news-events/view_article.cfm?id=634&amp;loadref=7</a></p>	<p>A second series of reflections suggesting ways to allow Mary's experiences and words to open a new door into one's own prayer experience through pondering the insights of our first Australian canonised saint.</p>
<p><b><i>Mary MacKillop: Inspiration for Today</i></b> – edited Pauline Wicks rsj  Trustees of the Sisters of St Joseph of the Sacred Heart, NSW Province, 2005</p>	<p>Series of articles inviting readers to reflect on their own lives and, inspired by Mary's living of the Gospel, to live with concern and compassion for others.</p>
<p><b><i>Learning Links to Mary MacKillop: Teacher Resources for the Religion Classroom</i></b> – Maurice Ryan and Jan Grajczonek, Lumino Press, Brisbane, 2009</p>	<p>A resource book offering resources for researching Mary MacKillop's life and work, prayer liturgies and celebrations, prayers for use with students and families, reproducible worksheets</p>
<p><b><i>St Mary MacKillop: Beneath a Cross of Stars</i></b> – Andrew Chinn &amp; Jill McLoughlin rsj  Butterfly Music, Bowral, 2010</p>	<p>Book with CD featuring two children's songs: 'A Cross of Stars' and 'In the Footsteps of Jesus'. Mary MacKillop's life story is told through song and supported by the biographical text. The book is illustrated with artwork from children in schools across Australia and Aotearoa New Zealand</p>
<p><b><i>Mary MacKillop: Faithful in the Dark</i></b> – Patricia Sealey rsj, Evelyn Pickering rsj and Teresita Cormack rsj  Revised edition: Sisters of St Joseph, North Sydney, 2007</p>	<p>Mary's life story told in cartoon format.</p>

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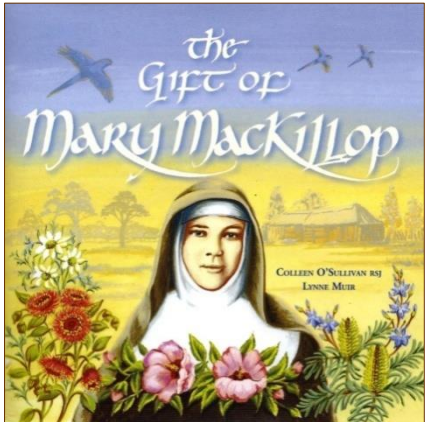
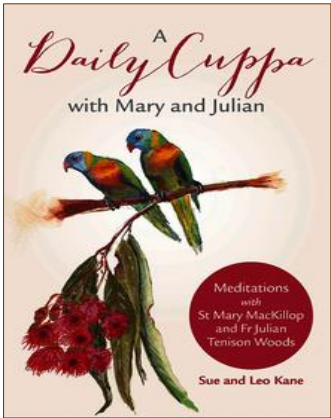
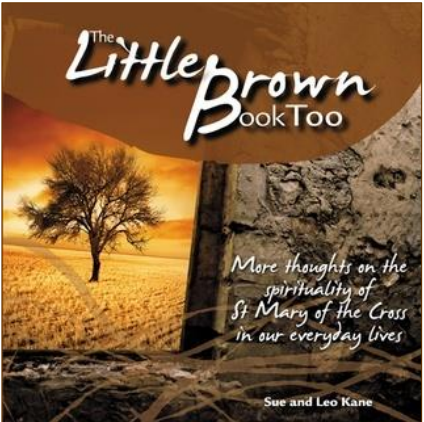
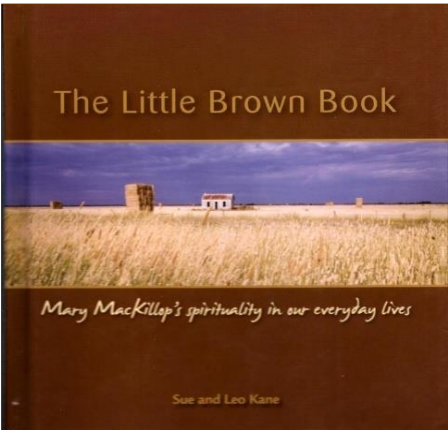
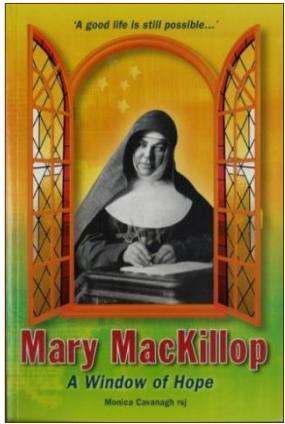
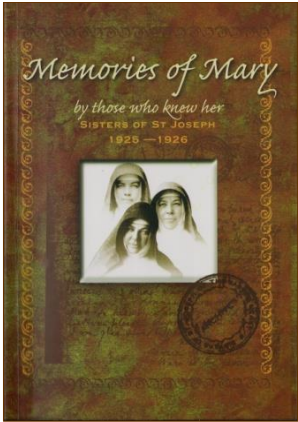
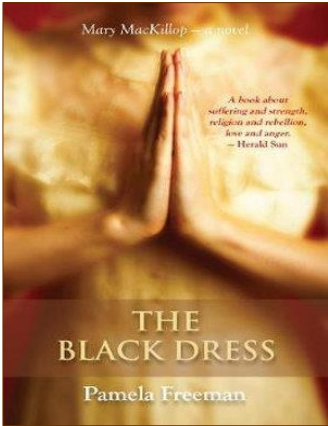
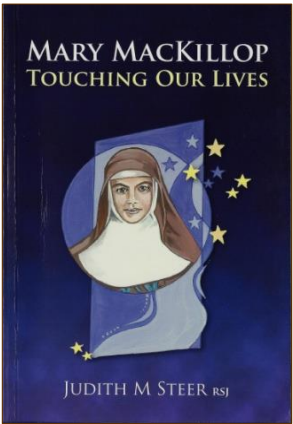
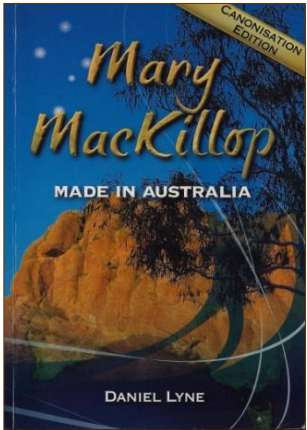
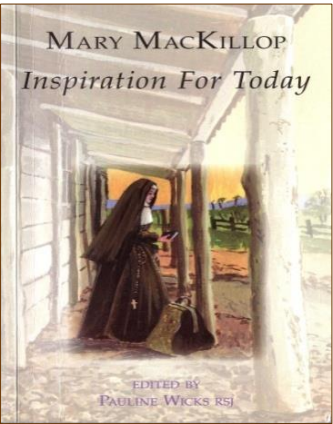


# Resources available from Mary MacKillop Centres/Bookshops: Teacher/Child ...



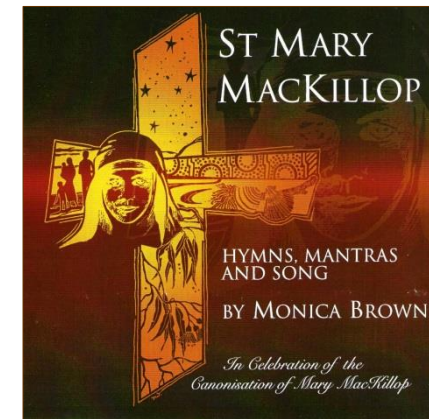
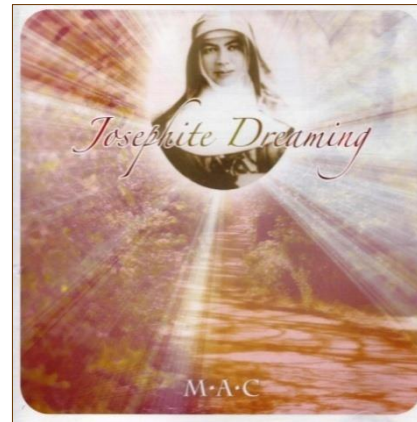
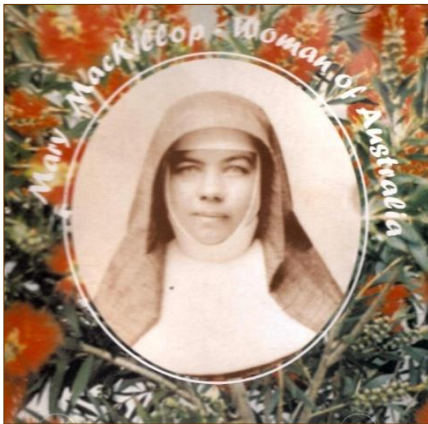


Resources: Teacher Background Reading - Individual, Staff and Parent Reflection ...

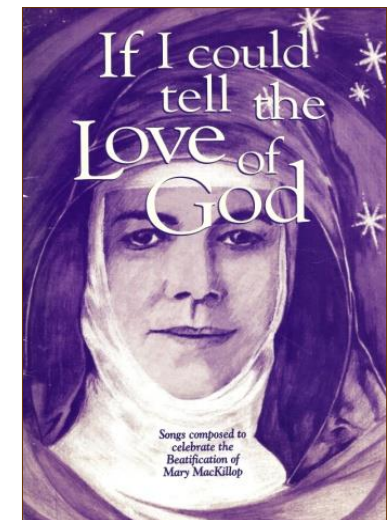
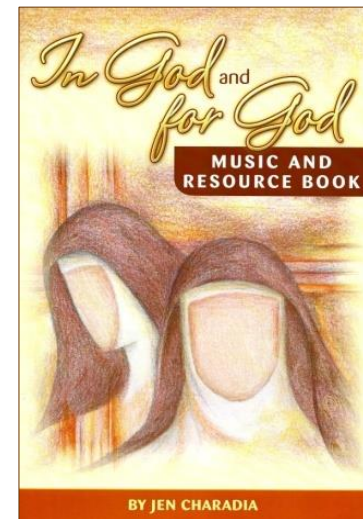
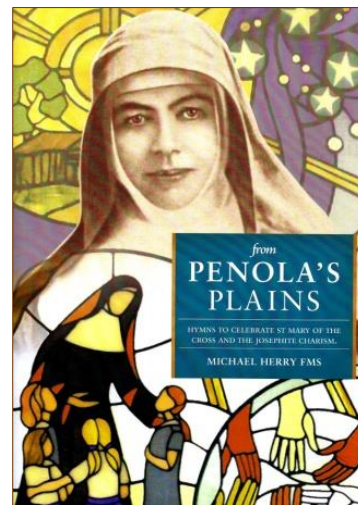
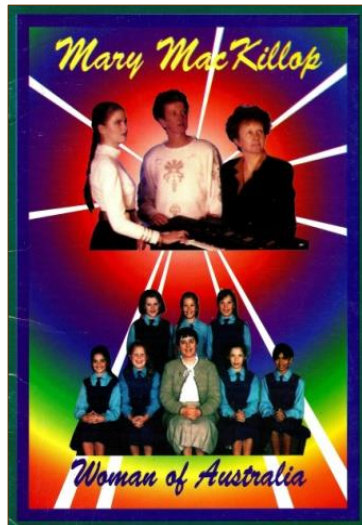




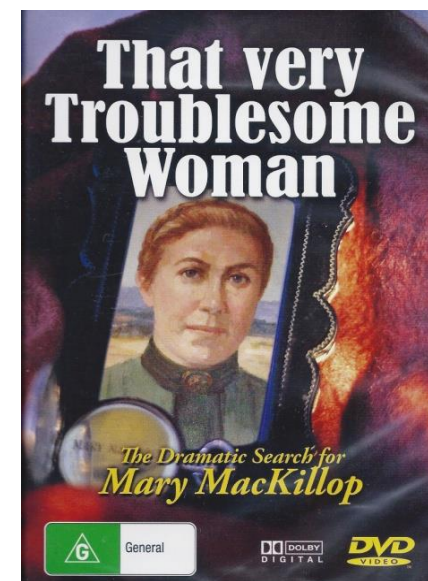
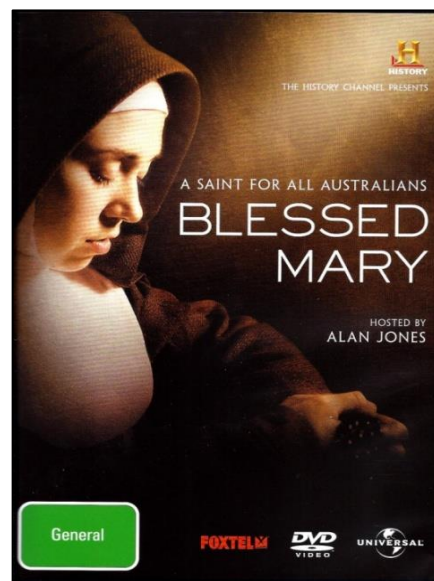
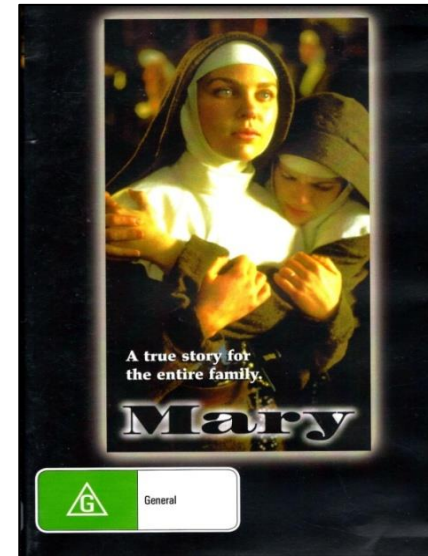
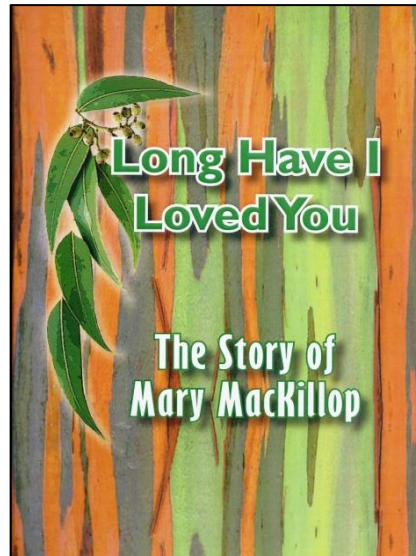
## Resources: Music - CD only



## CD and Music Book



## Resources: DVD's





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