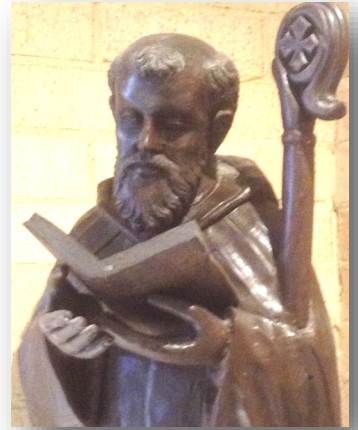


St Benedict's Parish

Arcadia

*First of all, love the Lord God with your whole heart,
your whole soul and all your strength, and love your neighbour as yourself*
Rule of St Benedict, Chapter 4



Pentecost

8 & 9 June 2019

First Reading

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles 2:1-11
*They were all filled with the Holy Spirit,
and began to speak different languages.*

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 103:1, 24, 29-31, 34
**Lord, send out your Spirit
and renew the face of the earth.**

Second Reading

**A reading from the first letter of St Paul
to the Corinthians 12:3-7, 12-13**
In the one Spirit we were all baptised, making one body.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!
**Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful
and kindle in them the fire of your love.**
Alleluia!

Gospel

**A reading from the holy Gospel
according to John 20:19-23**
*As the Father sent me, so I send you:
Receive the Holy Spirit.*

Weekend Mass

Saturday at Parish Church 7:00pm
Sunday at Monastery Chapel 7:00am
Sunday at Parish Church 9:00am
Sunday Latin Mass at Church 4.30pm

Weekday Mass

Daily at Monastery Chapel 7:00am
Wednesday at Parish Church 9:30am

Special Masses at the Parish

Monthly Mass

1st Friday of the month 7:00pm

Children's Mass

1st Sunday of each month 9:00am

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Every Friday 7:00pm

Liturgy of the Word invites all children to attend during 9:00am Mass.

Baptisms are celebrated at 11.00am on the 2nd & 4th Sunday of the month. Please see Father Bernard.

Reconciliation is on every Friday evening at the Parish Church from 7.00pm to 7.45pm and available by appointment.

For the sick who require a priest, please call Father Bernard.

Marriages by appointment, please see Father Bernard.

Funerals to be arranged through Father Bernard.

Liturgy of the Hours

The liturgy of the hours is recited in the Monastery Chapel at the following times:

5.45am	Office of Readings
6.30am	Morning prayer
12.45pm	Midday prayer
6pm	Evening prayer
8pm	Night prayer

Plenary Council 2020 - Year of Discernment



The Year of Discernment phase of our journey towards Plenary Council 2020 continues in earnest at Pentecost, beginning with 5pm Pentecost Vigil Mass celebrated by Fr David Ranson, Diocesan Administrator, at Our Lady of the Rosary Cathedral, Waitara.

In the weeks following, resources will become available to support small group listening and discernment encounters related to the themes.

Keep up to date with the latest information and resources by subscribing to the Plenary Council Newsletter at:
<http://plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au/> and by clicking on 'News'.

CATHOLIC MISSION AMBASSADOR EVENING

Catholic Mission invites all those who have a heart for mission and want to celebrate and support the work of missionaries in Australia and overseas to consider becoming a Catholic Mission Ambassador. An information evening will be held with keynote speaker, Sr Therese Mumumi, the founding director of the Nazareth Home for God's Children in Ghana who will speak about her work with orphaned and abandoned children.

Date **Friday, 28 June** Time 7-9 pm
 Venue Catholic Mission National Office, Lavender Bay

Seed, Scattered and Sown

Dan Feiten

Seed, scattered and sown,
 wheat, gathered and grown,
 bread, broken and shared as one,
 the Living Bread of God.

Vine, fruit of the land,
 wine, work of our hands,
 one cup that is shared by all;
 the Living Cup,
 the Living Bread of God.

Is not the bread we break a sharing in our Lord?
 Is not the cup we bless the blood of Christ
 outpoured?

As wheat upon the hills was gathered and was grown,
 So may the church of God be gathered into one.

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PUBLIC FORUM WITH COPTIC ORTHODOX ARCHBISHOP OF LONDON

A public forum on "Living Respectfully in a Pluralistic Society" will be held in conjunction with the launch of the book *The 21: A Journey into the Land of Coptic Martyrs*.

Launching the book will be special guest, Coptic Orthodox Archbishop of London, Archbishop Angaelos, who is also the President of the British Bible Society.

Date **Tuesday, 25 June**
 Time 10am–12.30pm
 Venue Pitt St Uniting Church

In Our Parish

We remember in our prayers ~ all our dearly beloved who have died.

We welcome into God's family ~ Kaitlen Henry who was recently baptised.

We pray for the sick of our Parish ~ Terri Butler, David Todd, John Poole, Maria Jasser, Annabelle Twyford, Freya Sunderland & Carol Aviani.

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM

FIRST EUCHARIST

Presentation at **9am Mass on Sunday, 16 June**

Session 4 **17 June**

First Eucharist will take place during the **9am Mass on Sunday, 23 June.**

Please pray for all children and their families as they continue their journey.

Enrolment forms for the next sacramental program are now available from the office arcadia.parish@bigpond.com or 9653 2312.

Parent Information Night **Monday, 29 July** at 7pm - at least one parent from each family is to attend - followed by weekly sessions on Mondays at 4.15pm.

Session 1 5 August
Session 2 12 August
Session 3 19 August
Session 4 26 August

Confirmation will take place on **Saturday, 31 August** at 3pm.



ST BENEDICT'S YOUTH GROUP

Friday 14 June, 5pm - 7.30pm

The youth of St Benedict's parish and their friends (aged 12 - 17 years) are invited to join our new St Benedict's Youth Group! For more information visit

<https://store.parousiamedia.com/chosen-faith-formation/>

Cost per student: \$16 for the *Chosen* student workbook and \$2 donation for pizzas

For more information please contact Nerida Woodbury on 0425 834 017 or nerida.woodbury@gmail.com

CATECHIST NEWS A big thanks once again to all those who were involved in organising and being involved in the Children's Mass last weekend. It is always wonderful to see the children active and involved.

CCD Ministry Induction training continues for all new Catechists on **Tuesday 11 June** at St Ives.

A Safeguarding Children training session will be held during the school holidays on **Wednesday 10 July** 9:30am- 12pm at Pennant Hills for all current Catechists needing to update their training.

God bless,
Miriam Brown 9652 0558
Parish Catechist Co-ordinator

FATIMA MEETING The next Our Lady of Fatima meeting will be held on **Tuesday 18 June at 7:00pm** in the parish meeting room.

All committee members are requested to attend and visitors are welcome.

VINNIES WINTER APPEAL The St Vincent de Paul Society will hold its Winter Appeal in the Parish over the weekend of **June 15-16**. This year's Appeal focuses on the elderly. "If you've ever felt lonely, you know the pain of Ruby's poverty." Your local Vinnies team will be speaking at each of the Masses that weekend and tax receipts can be provided if necessary. We thank you for your generosity.

KEY AUDIT We are updating our records: please contact the office to confirm you have a set of parish keys.

Parish 9653 2312 arcadia.parish@bigpond.com

NEW KITCHEN FRIDGE NEEDED Would anyone consider donating a new fridge to the parish? If so, please talk to Fr Bernard or contact the parish office on 9653 2312.

CLEANER REQUIRED - GLENORIE We are looking for a reliable cleaner for our large home in Glenorie. Required once per fortnight for floor cleaning and bathrooms. Please contact me to enquire further. Angela 0432 856 941 angelascotti1184@gmail.com

MEETINGS this week

Monday	2.30pm	Italian Rosary
Monday	6.30pm	Alpha
Tuesday	7.30pm	Parish Pastoral Council
Wednesday	10.45am	Christ Catholic Community
Wednesday	1pm	Alpha
Friday	7.30pm	Christ Catholic Community

That priests, through the modesty and humility of their lives, commit themselves actively to a solidarity with those who are the most poor.

Pope Francis' prayer intention for June

Office for Safeguarding-Broken Bay

A culture of Safeguarding values
presence

“For where two or three are gathered in my name, I am there among them .” Matthew 18:20

safeguarding@bbcatholic.org.au ph. 8379 1605

Gospel reading for Next Week The Most Holy Trinity

Year C

A reading from John 16:12-15

Whatever the Father has is mine. The Spirit will receive what I give and tell you about it.

Jesus said to his disciples:

‘I still have many things to say to you but they would be too much for you now. But when the Spirit of truth comes he will leave you to the complete truth, since he will not be speaking as from himself but will say only what he has learnt; and he will tell you of the things to come. He will glorify me since all he tells you will be taken from what is mine. Everything the Father has is mine; that is why I said: All he tells you will be taken from what is mine.’

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

ROSTER FOR NEXT WEEK - 15 & 16 June

	7pm	9am
A	Paul Camilleri	Jim Shipley
R1	Margaret Bensley	Melanie Hume
R2	Miriam Brown	Karen De Souza
P	Mary Cascun	Judy Horton
AS		
EM	Angela Scotti	Sophie Rebula
EM	Mary Camilleri	Trish Shipley
EM		Pam Galbraith
EM		Marisa Quattrocchi
M		Karina Takchi
M		Takchi family
M		
CL1		Gebran Azzi
CL2		Teresa Gambino
MT		Rosie Sakkal
CT		Lorraine & Margaret
WEL		Kath & Jessie

TRADITIONAL OWNERS

St Benedict's Parish, Arcadia, acknowledges the Darug and Guringai people, the traditional owners who have walked upon and cared for this land for thousands of years. We acknowledge the continued deep spiritual attachment and relationship of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people to this country and commit ourselves to the ongoing journey of Reconciliation.

PLAYGROUP Mondays during school term

Please contact Sandra on 0410 587 735 if you would like to join us. 10am-12noon

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING

7.30pm Tuesday, 11 June 2019

Parish Office: 9653 2312
Parish Priest: Fr. Bernard McGrath osb
After hours: 0416 032 497
Good Samaritan Sisters: 9653 1231
Facebook: stbenedictsarcadia

Office Hours: Thursday & Friday 10am to 2pm
Monastery: 9653 1159 Fax: 9653 1883
Email: arcadia.parish@bigpond.com
Website: www.bbcatholic.org.au/arcadia

For all parish Occupational Health & Safety and Safeguarding Children matters please contact Lorraine Dailey on 0416 081 882. All information will be well received.