



# OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY

## CATHOLIC PARISH OF WYOMING

Being Witnesses of Christ in our Neighbourhoods  
in 2024, The Year of Prayer



A family that prays together,  
stays together.

### Pastoral Team

<b>Administrator:</b>	Fr Anthony Peter De Souza
<b>Parish Secretary:</b>	Ms Cecilia Cornejo
<b>Bookkeeper:</b>	Mr Geoff Marland
<b>Catechist coordinator:</b>	Mrs Norah Marland
<b>Office hours:</b>	9am – 3pm, Tues, Wed, Fri
<b>Weekend Masses:</b>	Saturday Vigil 5pm Sunday 8am, 9:30am, 5pm
<b>Syro-Malabar Rite Holy Mass:</b>	2nd and 4th Sunday at 7 pm
<b>Weekday Masses:</b>	Tuesday 8:30am, Wednesday 8:30am Thursday 9am, Friday 9am
<b>Anointing Mass:</b>	First Friday of the month 9am
<b>Adoration:</b>	Every Friday 9:30am
<b>Reconciliation:</b>	Fri 9:30 -10am, Sat 4:30 - 5pm
<b>Rosary:</b>	Tue, Wed 9am - Thu, Fri 9:30am

### Sunday Liturgy Rosters

	<i>Servers</i>	<i>Readers</i>
<b>9, 10 March</b>		
5 pm Sat	Alain Corne	B Edwards
8:00 am	Maureen Andrews	Glenda Clydesdale, Clare K
9:30 am	Sergio Baez	Felisha Biju, Jack Moss
5:00 pm	Crystal Reynen	Lydia Reynen, Rebecca Mercado
Children's Liturgy 9:30 AM:		Maritess Hurrell, Marcus Hurrell
<b>16, 17 March</b>		
5 pm Sat	Meigo Nocado	June Napier, B Edwards
8:00 am	Robert Harveyson	Irene Alyanak, Jim Power
9:30 am	Sergio Baez	Helen Shiju, Michael Carter
5:00 pm		?
Children's Liturgy 9:30 AM:		Cecilia Cornejo, Lucy Cartner

### Today's Readings & Responses

Entrance Antiphon	Rejoice, Jerusalem, and all who love her. Be joyful, all who were in mourning; exult and be satisfied at her consoling breast.
First Reading	<a href="#">2 Chronicles 36:14-16. 19-23</a> <i>The wrath and the mercy of the Lord are revealed in the exile and liberation of his people.</i>
Responsorial Psalm	(R.) Let my tongue be silenced, if ever I forget you!
Second Reading	<a href="#">Ephesians 2:4-10</a> <i>When we were dead through sins, he brought us to life.</i>
Gospel Acclamation	Glory and praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ! God loved the world so much, he gave us his only Son, that all who believe in him might have eternal life. Glory and praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ!
Gospel	<a href="#">John 3:14-21</a> <i>God sent his Son into the world that we might be saved through him.</i>
Communion Antiphon	Jerusalem is built as a city bonded as one together. It is there that the tribes go up, the tribes of the Lord, to praise the name of the Lord.

### Pope's Prayer Intentions for March in this Year of Prayer

#### For New Martyrs

Let us pray that those who risk their lives for the Gospel in various parts of the world might imbue the Church with their courage and missionary drive.



Church Cleaning:	2 <sup>nd</sup> Week 11–16 Mar: Mary Mathes 3 <sup>rd</sup> Week 18 –23 Mar: Joe Borg
Flower arranging:	M Staite, M Andrews, M Koroï

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## Important Dates

<i>All Lent</i>	Confessions before Mass (Except Sundays)
<i>23 March</i>	Pre-Easter Working Bee
<i>24 March</i>	<b>Palm Sunday</b> Morning tea after 9:30 Mass
<i>26 March</i>	Chrism Mass 7:30 PM
<i>27 March</i>	Passover Meal - Ecumenical gathering.
<i>28 March</i>	<b>Holy Thursday</b>
<i>29 March</i>	<b>Good Friday</b>
<i>31 March</i>	<b>Easter Sunday</b>
<i>13 April</i>	Training course for Extraordinary Ministers of Communion and Communion Services Presiders. <b>Note change of date.</b>

## Our Safeguarding Commitment

The Catholic Diocese of Broken Bay (Our Lady of the Rosary – Wyoming Parish) is committed to the care, wellbeing and protection of children, young people, and vulnerable adults. If you wish to learn more about our safeguarding commitment you can do so by visiting our [website](#).

## Stations of the Cross Devotion

During the Fridays of Lent we'll come together to pray and meditate the Stations of the Cross, retracing the steps of Jesus' Passion and the significant events that happened along the way. **Every Friday 6:30**



## Chrism Mass 2024

The Chrism Mass will be celebrated at **7.30pm on Tuesday 26 March at Our Lady of the Rosary Cathedral, Waitara**. Priests of the Diocese of Broken Bay gather for this celebration with Bishop Anthony Randazzo to renew their priestly commitments. During Mass, the Oils of Catechumens and the Sick are blessed, and the Chrism is consecrated and brought back to each parish for use in various Sacramental liturgies throughout the year. All parishioners are warmly invited to attend this sacred occasion in the life of our Diocese.



## ePetition to Restore Funding for Palliative Care

An online petition to restore \$150 million of allocated funding slashed from palliative and end of life care from the State budget will remain open until April. The petition is designed to indicate to the government how strongly citizens feel about the need to maintain support and true palliative care for those facing death. The link to the ePetition is available [here](#).

## Parish Passover Meal—Last chance to book!

**Wednesday 27 March 6:30 pm** at The Grange Hotel, Wyoming. This is an ecumenical gathering. Please book your seat at the Parish office **by 15 March**. Tickets are \$27. Bookings are essential!

## Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

The first session for Parishioners who wish to learn how to preside Holy Communion Services outside of Mass or take communion to the sick is at **9:30 on 13 April** in the church.

## RCIA—Becoming Catholic

On this Sunday, the second scrutiny in preparation for the Baptism of the catechumens is celebrated. During this special rite the Church presents the elect with the Lord's Prayer, the prayer Jesus himself taught his apostles when they asked him to "teach us to pray." Please pray for Lance, Tara & Jehan during this spiritual journey.

## National Week of Prayer for Evangelisation

Pope Francis has asked that 2024 be marked as a **Year of Prayer**, calling on the faithful "to pray more fervently to prepare ourselves to live properly the 2025 Jubilee 2025 and to experience the power of hope in God. The universal Church needs a spiritual awakening and renewal of hearts towards Jesus Christ. Join churches across Australia to pray and invite the Holy Spirit to descend upon our communities. You are invited to join a week-long Prayer for Evangelisation in the lead up to Easter. Find out how to be involved [here](#).

**Special Rosters for Holy Week** If you would like to actively participate in the Holy Week services, e.g., washing of the feet, reading, offertory procession; write your name down on the lists available on the notice board.

## Working Bee in prep for Easter:

All through Lent our hearts are getting ready for the risen Jesus, now it's time to prepare our temple! Can you spare one hour on Saturday 23 March at 9:30 to help with the physical upkeep of our church grounds? Tasks involved: Glass doors cleaning, dusting shelves, polishing, etc.



## Reconciliation Program

Our Reconciliation classes are well underway. Please keep this year's candidates and their families in your prayers.



## Light to the Nations - Easter Retreat

LTTN is an Easter Pilgrimage event held biannually for Catholics (singles and families) aged 16+. Camp under the open skies with up to 1,000+ as we celebrate the Easter Triduum. The event will be held on the grounds of Mt Carmel Retreat Centre, Varroville from 28-31 March 2024. Visit [www.lttn.org.au](http://www.lttn.org.au) for more information and registration.

## OLR Storytime Playgroup starts on 4 March 2024

All Parents, Grandparents and Carers with preschool aged children are invited to attend OLR Storytime Playgroup in our School Library. Next sessions are on 18 March, 8 April 9am – 10.30am.

## Our Love and Prayers Go Out to:

**For recovery:** Arielle Dimèche, Erich Behm, Barry Clarke, Kathy Kennedy, Fran Thompson, Vicky Leach, Susan Simmons, Frank Coppa, Cristina Cabestany, Shirley Rankin, Hanna Bücheler,

**Recently Deceased:** Mary Perrottet, Neil David, Leigh Adams, Bruno De Bortoli, Charles Farrugia, Gwen Foley, Jacob Matthew, Nancy Freeman, Peter Cox.

**For the repose of the souls of:** Rafael & Lourdes Con-ui, Jon & Rolly Perez, Rodolfo Con-ui Sr, Mamerto & Eufrosina Alejaga, Don Hallett, Joan Coppa, Juan Cornejo, Angelita Santillana.