



OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY

CATHOLIC PARISH OF WYOMING

Being Witnesses of Christ in our Neighbourhoods
in 2025, The Holy Year of the Jubilee



Pastoral Team

Administrator:	Fr. Alex Selvaraj MSFS
Priest-in-Residence:	Fr Vincent Lourduswamy MSFS
Parish Secretary:	Mrs Cecilia Cornejo
Bookkeeper:	Mr Geoff Marland
Catechist coordinator:	Mrs Norah Marland
Office hours:	9am – 3pm, Tues, Wed, Fri
Weekend Masses:	Saturday Vigil 5pm Sunday 8am, 9:30am, 5pm
Syro-Malabar Rite Holy Mass:	2nd and 4th Sunday at 7pm
Weekday Masses:	Tuesday 8:30am, Wednesday 8:30am Thursday 9am, Friday 9am
Anointing Mass:	First Friday of the Month 9am
Adoration:	Every Friday 9:30am
Reconciliation:	Fri 8:15 am, 9:30 -10am, Sat 4:30 - 5pm
Rosary:	Tue, Wed 9am - Thu, Fri 9:30am

Sunday Liturgy Rosters

	<i>Servers</i>	<i>Readers</i>
9, 10 August		
5 pm Sat	Meigo Nocedo	June Napier, C Nocedo
8:00 am	M Andrews	Irene Alyanak, Jim Power
9:30 am	George Osteni	S Alphons, V Roberts
5:00 pm	Florence Nicolas	Kathy Kennedy, L Reynen
Children's Liturgy 9:30 AM: Cecilia Cornejo		
23, 24 August		
5 pm Sat	Eugene Poblete	Bernard Edwards, K Kennedy
8:00 am	Keith Andrews	Clare Karibika, G Clydesdale
9:30 am	Sergio Baez	Cecilia Cornejo, Jack Moss
5:00 pm	Alain Corne	
Children's Liturgy 9:30 AM: Ceal Hawkins		

Today's Readings & Responses

Entrance Antiphon	Turn your eyes, O God, our shield; and look on the face of your anointed one; one day within your courts is better than a thousand elsewhere.
First Reading	Jeremiah 38:4-6. 8-10 <i>You bore me to be a man of strife for the whole world.</i>
Responsorial Psalm	(R.) Lord, come to my aid!
Second Reading	Hebrews 12:1-4 <i>Let us bear patiently the struggle placed upon us.</i>
Gospel Acclamation	Alleluia, alleluia! My sheep listen to my voice, says the Lord; I know them, and they follow me. Alleluia!
Gospel	Luke 12:49-53 <i>I have come not to give peace, but discord.</i>
Communion Antiphon	With the Lord there is mercy; in him is plentiful redemption.

Pope's Monthly Prayer Intentions for August

For Mutual Coexistence

Let us pray that societies where coexistence seems more difficult might not succumb to the temptation of confrontation for ethnic, political, religious, or ideological reasons.



Church Cleaning: 3rd week 18-23 Aug: Joe Borg

4th week 25-30 Aug: TBA

Flower arranging: M Staite, M Andrews

Important Dates

- 23 August** Sacrament of Confirmation
- 30 August** Parish Pilgrimage to Diocesan Cathedral—Waitara
- 27 September** Parish Pilgrimage to the Shrine of Hope for Priests & Vocations – Manly

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 please visit our [website](#).

Welcome back and Thanks!

Welcome back, Fr Alex! We hope you had a refreshing and enjoyable holiday. Our heartfelt thanks to Fr Vince and Fr Sam for their care and service to our Parish over the past few weeks.

Sacramental Program 2025

Our sacramental program is now well underway. We invite you to keep all candidates, their families, and the sacramental team in your prayers. May this be a time filled with grace, joy, and spiritual growth for everyone involved.

100 Club – Week 6 Winner

Congratulations to Jan Farell the winner of our sixth weekly draw with ticket number 63!

Jubilee Pilgrimage to the Diocesan Cathedral – Waitara

Join us for a special morning of prayer, fellowship, and reflection on **Saturday 30 August**. We'll depart at 9:30 am for the Cathedral in Waitara, where we'll celebrate Mass followed by Adoration. Afterward, enjoy lunch together before our return journey. Cost: \$30 per person. Don't miss this beautiful opportunity to grow in faith and community! Book your seat on the bus now! Call the parish office or add your name to the list on the noticeboard at the back of the church.



Caritas Australia – Prayer for Gaza

Over 60,000 lives have been lost - including over 18,000 children, and the entire population is in urgent need of humanitarian aid. This is not just a crisis, it is a test of our shared humanity. If you are able to support Caritas Australia's Gaza Appeal, please donate online at www.caritas.org.au/gaza or phone 1800 024 413

Caritas Australia invites us to light a candle and pray for the people of Gaza

God of light,

You meet us in the darkest places.

Every year, when we light our Easter candle, we pray 'may the light of Christ, rising in glory, dispel the darkness of our minds and hearts.'

We pray today that all people may work with you to dispel the darkness of violence and war.

May this fragile light be a sign of our hope for the people of Gaza.

May they find healing and lasting peace. Amen.



Plant sale—Get ready for spring!

This **Sunday, 17 February**, after the morning Masses, join us for a parish plant sale. All proceeds will go towards the upkeep of our church. Thank you to everyone who has donated plants and supported this initiative, it's a great way to brighten your garden while helping our parish!



Scripture Alive

Don't forget to take your worksheet home! This week's focus: *The Letter to the Hebrews*. Dive in and let God's Word inspire your week.

Fundraising for Diocesan Homelessness Services – This Weekend

Homelessness can result from many challenges—violence, financial hardship, mental health issues, and more—but it always brings loss of dignity and hope. Through Catholic-Care, our Diocese offers practical, emotional, and financial support to those in need. Donation envelopes are available in the usual spots in the church. Thank you for supporting this important initiative. You can also [donate here](#).

Domestic Church Family Retreat in Gosford

“Journey into God's Love for the Family”

What: 2 Day retreat for families

When: 30-31 August 2025

Where: JPPII Centre

58 Victoria Street, EAST GOSFORD NSW 2250

How: RSVP by 23rd August to East Gosford parish office on

Tel: 02 4325 1042 Email: patsgos@acs.net.au or [click here](#).

Cost: \$20 Pp. Children free. All meals included

Activities for kids and meals provided.

Seminarians' Benefit Gala Dinner – Answering the Call: a celebration of faith and hope

The Diocese of Broken Bay has six young men in formation, and many more discerning. We have the opportunity to foster, encourage, and support these men, and future generations of seminarians, on their vocational journey.

Join us for a **Seminarians' Benefit Gala Dinner – Answering the Call: a celebration of faith and hope** on **Friday 22 August** at The Epping Club, Rawson Street, Epping.

With your generous support and prayers it will be a night of fun and friendship. Come as an individual, a couple, family or arrange tables of 10 from your parish for a discount!

Bookings essential. Sponsorships available.

More information events@bbcatholic.org.au

These Brothers and Sisters Need Our Prayers:

Good Health: Roy Anthony Cutrone, William Parkhouse, Betty Sorensen, Maria J Esmeralda, Marg O'Brien, Hugo Caldas, Lawrence Alejaga, Gai Schipp, Carol Adams.

Anniversaries: Rose Chay Moi Kwai, Mary Knight, Tamaralang, Eufrosina Aleaga, Denis George Watt.

Recently Deceased: David Wilkes, Pawel Kubielski, Russell Hawkins, Rita Grace, Paul Smith, David Body.

For the Repose of souls of: Gaudencio & Diosdada Narciso, Carlos & Salud Con-ui, Angelita Santillana, Mamerto Alejaga, George Vojkovic, Erich Behm, Don Hallett, Frank & Joan Coppa, Rafael & Lourdes con-ui. Jon & Rolly Perez, Grace Ragay, Frank & Cheli Kraus, Juan Cornejo, Cristina Cabestany.