21 April 2024



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		Sunday Liturgy Rosters		
Administrator:	Fr Anthony Peter De Souza		Servers	Readers
Parish Secretary:	Ms Cecilia Cornejo	20, 21 April		
Bookkeeper:	Mr Geoff Marland	5 pm Sat	Meigo Nocedo	M O'Neill, Kathy Kennedy
Catechist coordinator:	Mrs Norah Marland	8:00 am	Robert Harveyson	Jim Power, Clare Karibika
Office hours:	9am – 3pm, Tues, Wed, Fri	9:30 am	George Osteni	Samantha Alphons, M Carter
Weekend Masses:	Saturday Vigil 5pm	5:00 pm	Crystal Reynen	Lydia Reynen, Rebecca Mercado
	Sunday 8am, 9:30am, 5pm	Children's Liturgy 9:30 AM: School holidays		
Syro-Malabar Rite Holy Mass:	2nd and 4th Sunday at 7 pm	27, 28 April		
Weekday Masses:	Tuesday 8:30am, Wednesday 8:30am	5 pm Sat	Eugene Poblete	B Edwards, Kathy Kennedy
	Thursday 9am, Friday 9am	-	-	
Anointing Mass:	First Friday of the month 9am	8:00 am	Maureen Andrews	Clare Karibika, Jim Power
Adoration:	Every Friday 9:30am	9:30 am	George Osteni	Cecilia Cornejo, M Carter
Reconciliation:	Fri 9:30 -10am, Sat 4:30 - 5pm	5:00 pm	Alain Corne	
Rosary:	Tue, Wed 9am - Thu, Fri 9:30am	Children's Liturgy 9:30 AM: School holidays		

Today's Readings & Responses

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Entrance Antiphon	The merciful love of the Lord fills the earth; by the word of the Lord the heavens were made, alleluia.	
First Reading	<u>Acts of the Apostles 4:8-12</u> This is the only name by which we can be saved.	
Responsorial Psalm	(R.) The stone rejected by the builders has become the cornerstone.	
Second Reading	<u>1 John 3:1-2</u> We shall see God as he is.	
Gospel Acclamation	Alleluia, alleluia! I am the good shepherd, says the Lord; I know my sheep, and mine know me. Alleluia!	
Gospel	John 10:11-18 The good shepherd lays down his life for his sheep.	
Communion Antiphon	The Good Shepherd has risen, who laid down his life for his sheep and willingly died for his flock, alleluia.	

Pope's Prayer Intentions for April in this Year of Prayer

For The Role Of Women



4th Week 22 – 27 Apr: K Dale Church Cleaning: 1st Week 29 Apr - 4 May: Music

M Staite, M Andrews, M Koroi Flower arranging:

Would you like to receive our weekly Parish Bulletin in your inbox? Let us know by email.

Let us pray that the dignity and worth of women be recognized in every culture, and for an end to the discrimination they face in various parts of the world.



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Important Dates

25 April

Anzac Day Mass 9:00 AM followed by tea and coffee.

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 <u>website</u>.

Anzac Day Mass

You are welcome to join Fr Peter for Mass on Anzac Day –Thursday 25th April- at 9:00 AM Stay for a cuppa and Anzac biscuits afterwards. Lest We Forget



Good Shepherd (Vocations) Sunday

Pope Francis released his message for Vocations Sunday in which he focuses on the theme: "Called to sow seeds of hope and to build peace". In his message, Pope Francis calls on everyone to: "Let Jesus draw you to himself; bring him your important questions; let him challenge you by his presence; More than anyone else, Jesus respects our freedom." This Day, is dedicated in a particular way to imploring from the Father the gift of holy vocations for the building up of his Kingdom: "Ask the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest" (Lk 10:2).

Dignitas Infinita – human dignity

Last week the Vatican's released the Declaration *Dignitas Infinita* or Infinite Dignity.



The Declaration states that "every human person possesses an infinite dignity, inalienably grounded in his or her very being – "which prevails in and beyond every circumstance, state, or situation the person may ever encounter". There are passages and quotes not only from Pope Francis, but also his predecessors Popes John Paul II and Benedict XVI.

Our Church leaders recommend the Declaration for study and reflection – not just dipping into headlines and short reports but going to the primary source which can be found on the

Declaration of the Dicastery for the Doctrine of the Faith "Dignitas Infinita" on Human Dignity (vatican.va)

Engaging Your Faith

A series of short, online presentations that invite participants to reflect on what it means to be people of faith in the contemporary world. Experienced lecturers from Catholic Theological College present on a variety of topics such as Religion and Ethics, Philosophy, Gospel of Luke, Interculturality, Meditation, Science and Religion, Incarnation, AI, Art and Theology.

Cost: \$25 per session: General audience. Enquirires and online bookings at <u>Engaging Your Faith – Catholic Theological College (ctc.edu.au)</u>

Children's Liturgy Ministry

Our little group is growing each week, and the children love to listen to the Gospel! We are looking for new team members in our ministry to lead of help with the 9:30 AM service once a month. No experience needed. All training, materials and support are provided.

Talk to Cecilia anytime or contact the Parish office.

Pilgrimage: On the Trail of Polish Saints

Take a pilgrimage to Poland with Fr. Bogdan Skupien (Holy Cross Kincumber Parish). Date: 4



- 25 September 2024. Visiting the holy sites of St. Pope John XXIII and St Faustina along with other historic places including Warsaw and surrounds, Krakow, Lutz, Auschwitz and many more. The trip has been designed by Fr. Bogdan for all ages and interests. For further information and the itinerary please ring the Holy Cross parish office 4369 1211 or email <u>kincum-</u> <u>ber.parish@bbcatholic.org.au</u>. Registrations close 29 April.

A Catholic Response to Domestic Violence

This week the Diocese released a video with Bishop Anthony addressing the serious and increasing issue of domestic family violence. The video can be viewed on the Diocese website at <u>A Catholic Response to Domestic Violence -</u> <u>Catholic Diocese of Broken Bay (bbcatholic.org.au)</u> where other resources, including a booklet, are also available. While a number of help lines are identified in the video and booklet, below are some of the key ones:

- 1800 RESPECT (1800 737 732) 24-hour 7 day a week service for advice and support
- 131 450 for non-English speakers and ask them to ring RESPECT
- Catholiccare Central Coast: 1800 324 924

Pastoral Works Broken Bay-May appeal:

PWBB supports two key charitable works in the Diocese – the Confraternity of Christian Doctrine or CCD and our Hospital Chaplaincy and Pastoral Care Program. Our Pastoral Works appeal connects everyone to the mission of Jesus Christ in our Diocese. Every gift or donation brings comfort, friendship, or security, and often opens the doorway to a faith-filled life.

The PWBB May appeal is the last one for the financial year 2023/2024 and we are \$6, 730 short of our yearly target. All donations over \$2 are tax deductible.

Anointing Pentecost Eve

Join the Catholic Charismatic Renewal NSW in celebrating Pentecost Eve "Anointing" on Saturday 18th May at **Servants of Jesus Centre** 15 Park Road, Seven Hills, for an afternoon of Praise & Worship, Testimonies and Prayer Ministry from 4-7pm hosted by youth from different streams. Booking is essential, register with link. <u>https://</u> www.trybooking.com/CPMXQ?qr=true.

Our Love and Prayers Go Out to:

For recovery: Tanya, Pam Bourne, Marie Batterbury, Erich Behm, Barry Clarke, Fran Thompson, Vicky Leach, Susan Simmons, Frank Coppa, Hanna Buecheler, Carmela Cornejo.

Anniversaries: Sr Thecla Sullivan, David Martin, Andrew Peacock, Fr Bob Maguire, Kaylin Taylor, Noel Dear. Recently Deceased: Marek Then, Fr Marty Larsen (Archdiocese of Brisbane), Helen Adajar, Jason Wilson. For the repose of the souls of: Mabs Thompson, Joan Doherty, Eutiquio Diaz, Dominga Diaz, Nestor Reyson, Froilan Cameros, Rafael & Lourdes Con-ui, Jon & Rolly Perez, Rodolfo Con-ui Sr, Mamerto & Eufrosina Alejaga, Don Hallett, Joan Coppa, Juan Cornejo, Angelita Santillana, Grace Regay.