

Parish Contact Information and Mass Times

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		Volunteer needed please.
Weekend Ministries Co-ordinator :		Mr Anthony Weaver (President) 0423 842 823
St Vincent de Paul (Wahroonga Conference):		Mr Ken Laing (Treasurer) Vacant—(Secretary)

Mass on Tuesday to Friday: 9.15am (8:45am Morning Prayer)
Rosary after Mass Tuesday—Friday and after 1st Saturday Mass
Special Intercessions/intentions remembered at Friday Mass.

Friday evening during Lent: Stations of the Cross 6:30pm

Weekend Masses:

FIRST Saturday of the month Mass at 9:15am

Saturday 5.00pm

Sunday 8.00am, 9.30am and 5.30pm

Mass is also celebrated :

Our Lady of the Rosary Cathedral, Waitara— Monday 7.00am

St Leo's College, Wahroonga - Friday 1:15pm during school terms

Baptism: Preparation - by appointment with Fr Kelvin
Baptisms - 11.00am—2nd and 3rd Sunday of the month
Bookings essential through the Parish Office.

Marriage:

By appointment, at least six months in advance.

Sick Calls:

Any time day or night.

Please call 0484 581 647 out of office hours.

Confessions: Saturday 11.30am or by appointment.

The list of times in surrounding parishes is on our parish website. We recommend you call the parish in advance to confirm times.

Parish Pastoral and Missionary Council: Rosalie Belsey (Chair), Anne-Louise Deakin (Co-Chair), Sajanee Senn (Secretary), Chrissie Goldrick, Sally Oong, Nick Chapman, Bernadette Holland-Lopez, Patrick Kirkwood, Samantha Vieira, with Genevieve Smith (Prouille), Vanessa Dillon (St Edmunds) and a representative from St Lucy's.

Parish Finance Committee: Tony Monardo, Robyn Elizondo, Tim Quilty, Paul O'Brien.

Parish Fundraising Committee: Noel Kean (Chair), Meredith Baume, Anthony Weaver, Lyn Saul.

The Parish Bank Account Number: BSB: 062-784 ACC: 100010626 (Wahroonga Parish EFT Account)

SO WHAT DOES THIS MEAN? If you would like to deposit directly to the parish account (on a regular or ad hoc basis), please use the above account number. We invite you to help our Parish by joining a Planned Giving scheme. Please contact the Parish Office for the way you can participate in this. Your gift of any size will help our parish continue our good works & outreach. Alternatively see the "Make A Payment" tab on www.holynamewahroonga.com.au

Thank you for your financial contribution to the support of our Parish Community and its priests. It is greatly appreciated.

The **1st Collection** taken up at Mass goes to the Clergy Remuneration Fund for the financial support of the priests of the Diocese of Broken Bay.

The **2nd Collection** taken up at Mass is for the running, maintenance and upkeep of the Parish.

IN CASE OF A MEDICAL EMERGENCY:

Our Church is equipped with a defibrillator in the event of a cardiac arrest.

It is located on the right hand side as you enter the Church next to the notice board behind the last pew.

It is designed to be used by everyone. Please familiarise yourself with the use of this device at [AED Plus Step-by-Step Demo - YouTube](#) in case of an emergency.

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15th June 2025 — The Most Holy Trinity

Dear friends,

This week we celebrate the Mystery of the Most Holy Trinity. We know that the Trinity: Father, Son and Holy Spirit, is not a puzzle to be solved, but rather an experience to be lived out in our daily lives as Christians have done for centuries.

One of the greatest examples of the Trinity comes from St. Cyril the teacher of the Slavs. He tried to explain the Mystery of the Trinity by using the sun as an example. He said, "God the Father is that blazing sun. God the Son is its light and God the Holy Spirit is its heat- but there is only one sun. So there are three Persons in the Holy Trinity but God is one and undivided."

I think this is a good example for us as the Scriptures this weekend from the Book of Proverbs, St. Paul to the Romans and the Gospel of John, all speak about God as being poured out. Using St. Cyril's example, God pours out his love in us like the heat and rays of the sun. Enlightening us and transforming us as members of His Kingdom. While the Trinity pours itself out toward us, we equally pour ourselves out in loving service to one another.

We are created in love to be a community of persons in love with one another, just as the Trinity is the essence of divine love for the world.

In Baptism we are called into loving union with God the Creator, God the Redeemer and God the Sanctifier.

Like the Father we are called to build up and create a peaceful and loving world. Like the Son we are called to be models of service in helping to reconcile the world and the Church as One. God, the Holy Spirit is our advocate who helps us discover the truth about the continuing work amongst us of the saving love of Jesus.

Let us pray for an outpouring of the Trinity into our hearts so that we may become a community of Love.

Blessings,

Fr. Kelvin



“ Together, we must look for ways to be a **missionary Church**, a Church that builds **bridges** and encourages **dialogue**, a Church ever open to **welcoming** like this Square with its **open arms** ”

Leo P.P. XIV

PETER'S PENCE - 29TH OF JUNE

On Sunday 29th of June we join with other parishes across the world in taking up the Vatican's annual **Peter's Pence Collection**. The Peter's Pence Collection provides for the charitable works of mercy identified by His Holiness, Pope Leo XIV, including emergency assistance to those in need due to natural disaster, war, oppression and disease.

Your generosity allows the Holy Father to respond to those suffering with love and compassion.



Parish Masses This Week

Monday	16 June	No Mass				Weekday, Ordinary Time 11
Tuesday	17 June	No Mass	9.15am			Weekday, Ordinary Time 11
Wednesday	18 June	No Mass	9.15am			Weekday, Ordinary Time 11
Thursday	19 June	No Mass	9.15am			Weekday, Ordinary Time 11
Friday	20 June	No Mass	9.15am			Weekday, Ordinary Time 11
Saturday	21 June	Mass	5.00pm			St Iovisius Gonzaga, religious
Sunday	22 June	Mass	8.00am	9.30am	5:30pm	The Most Holy BODY and BLOOD of CHRIST (Corpus Christi)

Please Remember in your Prayers

RECENTLY DECEASED:

Elaine McCarthy (aunt of Kate Sutherland, died 10 June aged 99 years), Joy George (died 26 May aged 89 yrs), Sr Helen Ryan (died 20 May), Christine Pereira D'Andrade (cousin of Linette Sardinha, died 14 May).

ANNIVERSARIES: Maurice Woodfine (Michael's father), Joan Crawford (aunt of Jenny Southam, 7th anniversary on 15 June), Richard Doran (husband of Frankie, 14th anniversary on 16 June), John Fisher (husband of Yvonne, 3rd anniversary 13 June), Kevin Madden (brother of Chris, 6th anniversary 14 June), Fr Kevin Liam Condon OP (4th anniversary 14 June), Joe Tulinsky (brother in law of Cyril Littrich, 6th anniversary 17 June), Felicity Gallagher (54th anniversary on 20 June), Thomas Allan Wah (father of Noreen Pang, 21 June), David MacMillan (Pat's brother, 9th anniversary 9th June), Mario Joseph Severino (birthday 9 June), Estelle Smith (mother of Dot Brink, 31st anniversary on 11 June), Joseph Burke (Brother in law to Patrick Kirkwood, 4th anniversary 11 June), Jason Booker (nephew of Trish and Tony Maiolo, 3rd anniversary 5 June), Sam Severino (Betty's husband, 4th anniversary on 31 May), Brendan Thomas Stubbs (11th anniversary on 30 May), Harley John Cutler (uncle of Jennifer Gregory, 20th anniversary on 27 May), Annis Zouki (brother in law of John Kassis, 3rd anniversary, 29 May), Peter Reidy (5th anniversary on 23 May), Maria Maiolo (Tony's mum, 11th anniversary on 20 May), Ruth Gomes (mother of Linette Sardinha, 12th anniversary, 26 May), Peter Anderson (nephew of Frank and Jo Waldron, 11th anniversary on 19th May), Salvatore Salerno (2nd anniversary, 18 May), Eileen Shannon (mother of Christine Shannon—12th anniversary on 11th May), Kevin Brown (husband of Christine Shannon, father of Francesca and Fiona, grandfather to Mia, Olivia, Caiitlin, Reuben and Kieran, 1st anniversary 12 May), Greg Ward (brother of Deidre Alessi, 7th anniversary 14 May), Carol Miller (mother of Jackie Thornton, 13th anniversary on 14th May), Antonio Mollace (Theresa Vumbaca's dad - 8th anniversary on 14 May), Enid Phillips (mother of Megan Khannah, 17th anniversary on 15th May), Ursula Mary O'Carrigan (Patrick Kirkwood's sister, 33rd anniversary 17 May), Janaka Perera (brother of Marian Widesundera, 6th anniversary 17 May), Mary Salter (mother of Jane Crouch, 6th anniversary 18 May),

FOR THE SICK: Megan Khannah, Patrick MacMillan, Jenny Southam, Alison Robinson (daughter of Vince and Bev), Alice Thompson and Tammy Ilda (friends of Dominic McGrath, Peter Vince (Cecilia Kean's brother), Ray Kassis (brother of John Kassis), Nadia Waring (sister of Denise Kassis), Bernard Tighe (brother of Mike Tighe), Yvonne Malouf (mother of Joanne Klostermann), Noeline Mannix, Tina Northcott, Mike Tighe, Mark Vinson Vallarta, Margaret Du Moulin (Edwina Potiris' mum, friend of Dominic McGrath), Conor and Leila McCreton, Margaret MacMillan, Jonathan Tighe (nephew of Caroline Montouro), baby Joseph Akkary (great great nephew of Denise Kassis), Henry Alan Field (grandchild of dear friend of Cecilia Kean), Judy Ford (sister in law of Irene King), Pam Gallagher, Geoff Deacon (brother-in-law of Irene King), Margaret Anderson (sister-in-law of Frank and Jo Waldron), Norma Higgins, Davin and Sharon Ho, Leanne (Sharon's sister).

Memorial Mass for Joy George

Joy's Family have arranged a Memorial Mass to be celebrated for Joy at Holy Name on Friday, 20th June at 1:00pm. Following Mass, there will be afternoon tea in the Parish Sunroom.



Save These Dates!

Music @ Holy Name

We have lots of professional musical events coming up here in Holy Name Church in 2025. Please add these dates to your diary now so you don't miss out.

Free Organ Recital by Titus Grenyer Saturday 12 July 2025 2pm—3pm



Titus Grenyer is an acclaimed Australian organist, conductor, and composer. A graduate of the Sydney Conservatorium, he holds roles including City Organist at Sydney Town Hall and Director of Music at Chatswood's Our Lady of Dolours.

He founded Pep Organ, Australia's largest organ YouTube channel, promoting classical and contemporary works.

Titus also fosters new talent through an annual composition competition, blending tradition with innovation to make organ music more accessible to modern audiences.

Note: Donations encouraged on leaving the concert.

Music @ Holy Name

Concert - HANDEL'S MESSIAH! Thursday 11 December 2025 (Time TBC)

Each December, the Hornsby Ku-ring-gai Ecumenical Choir presents Handel's Messiah. This inclusive, audition-free choir unites over 100 voices from diverse faiths, performing alongside professional soloists and musicians.



Since 2009, the annual concert has raised more than \$73,700 for local charities, including the Hornsby Ku-ring-gai Women's Shelter. Rehearsals are minimal and welcoming, embodying the spirit of community music-making during the festive season.

In 2025 the concert will be presented at Holy Name Parish Church. Please see the invitation below.

Calling All Choristers

We welcome everyone who enjoys singing Handel's Messiah, or has always wanted to sing it.

Please join us for this year's performance on Thursday 11 December in Holy Name Catholic Church Wairoonga. No audition required.

Rehearsals:

St Swythun's Anglican Church (Cor. Murrumbidgee Road & Telegraph Road, Pymble) 7:30pm Wednesdays 5, 12, 19, 26 November and 3 December.

Final rehearsal at Holy Name Catholic Church Wairoonga Wednesday 10 December.

Musical Director, Phillip Linguist, organist Heather Boyd and the choir will be joined by an ensemble of musicians and young professional soloists singing favourite arias.

Interested Choristers, single or groups, please contact Sharon at hcmessiah@gmail.com

More news about tickets later in the year.



Don't Miss Out

on these wonderful musical events here at Holy Name!

Mark Your Calendar Now

***Saturday 12 July**

***Thursday 11 December**

***Monday 15 December**

Concert - NOEL NOEL! Australian Brandenburg Orchestra
SAVE THE DATE - Monday 15 December 2025 (Time & Ticket Sales TBC)

Noël! Noël! is the ABO's beloved annual Christmas concert series, blending Baroque elegance with festive warmth.



Led by Artistic Director Paul Dyer, the program features timeless carols, rarely heard sacred works, and contemporary surprises, performed by the Brandenburg Choir and period instruments.

Audiences enjoy a joyful mix of Monteverdi, Vivaldi, and sing-along favourites like *O Come All Ye Faithful*, all wrapped in an uplifting, uniquely Australian celebration of the season.



Save the Date—22 June— Annual Corpus Christi Procession

We will have our Annual Corpus Christi Procession on **Sunday, 22 June 2025** ahead of the 9.30am Mass.

In 2025, the Solemnity of Corpus Christi is on 19 June but it is transferred to Sunday, 22 June 22 in our diocese.

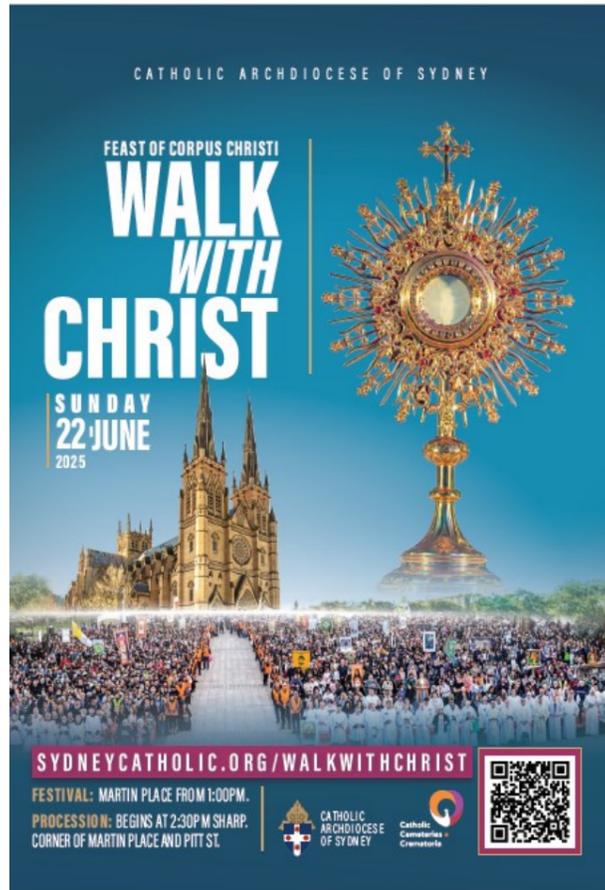
“Every year the Feast of Corpus Christi invites us to renew the wonder and joy for this wonderful gift of the Lord, which is the Eucharist.”



You're invited to join our Corpus Christi Procession on 22 June prior to 9:30am Mass

The Catholic Archdiocese of Sydney will have their Corpus Christi Procession from 2:30pm sharp.

This procession starts at the corner of Martin Place and Pitt Street, Sydney.



*What do the Readings say to us this Sunday
The Most Holy TRINITY*

First Reading: Prov 8:22-31: Wisdom was born before the earth was made.
Second Reading: Rom 5:1-5: To God through Christ in the love which is poured out through the Spirit. Alleluia, alleluia! Glory to the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit: to god who is, who was, and who is to come. Alleluia!
Gospel: Jn 16:12-15: Whatever the Father has is mine. The Spirit will receive what I give and tell you about it.

What's It All About?



*Are you a Catholic parent who's been away from the faith?
 A non-Catholic parent supporting your Catholic child or spouse?
 Or
 simply a parent who's curious to know more about the Catholic faith?
 Are you wondering what is all this "sacrament stuff"?
 And why did we change the order?*

We're excited to announce a **special evening of information and formation**, designed especially for you!

- 📅 **Date:** Tuesday, 24 June 2025
- 🕒 **Time:** 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM
- 📍 **Location:** Parish Sunroom (Down the left side of the Church)
35 Billyard Ave, Wahroonga
- 🍷 **Light refreshments provided**

This event will include a **talk and Q&A session** to help answer your questions, share insights, and explore ways to connect with the faith. With sacramental preparation in full swing and the introduction of the new Religious Education Curriculum, this is a perfect opportunity to come together and learn more about supporting your child and family on their faith journey.

To register your interest or to find out more please email jacqui.vandeveld@dbb.catholic.edu.au



Congratulations

to the Brennan, Schoenmaker and Campbell families
 Patrick (Paddy) Stuart Kent, Mila Ivy and Hugh Douglas
 will be baptised this weekend.



Happy Birthday to Fr John

who celebrates his birthday this Tuesday.
 We also wish him a safe and enjoyable holiday.
 Fr John will be on leave from Thursday 19 June, returning mid July.



**ALPHA
 AT THE
 CATHEDRAL**

**Commenced
 THURSDAY
 12 JUNE**

Contact: Tomasz Grzech
 0413 802 069 if you require more information.

ALPHA - AT THE CATHEDRAL

Join Hornsby Cathedral on another journey of faith exploration with Alpha. Let's discuss life's deepest questions in a welcoming and inclusive environment. Alpha starts at 6 pm on Thursday, June 12th. Register for details using the QR code.



Parish Events



Men's Rosary & Bible Study

The men of HNW meet every fortnight on a Tuesday night to pray the rosary and read the Gospel. All men welcome.

Program—next meeting 17 June

7:00pm Silent prayer in the church

7:10pm Rosary

7:45pm Gospel reflection & discussion

Contact: Tomasz Grzech 0413 802 069 for more information

2025 Family Masses

We welcome everyone to come along and join in our Family Masses which involve our Parish students and student musicians and enjoy our special sausage sizzle and dessert afterwards.

Our Family Masses are on the following Saturdays at 5pm:

28 June (Year 4)

9 August (Years 5 & 1)

20 September (Years 6 & K)



Senior Ladies Group

Meets on the **First Thursday of the month**
at 2:00pm in the Parish Sunroom.

Next Meeting - 3 July

For further details: Jo Waldron 0412 018 819

HOLY HOUR

Friday evenings 6:30pm

Everyone is Welcome



CAYA

Come As You Are Discussion and Reflection Group

Thursdays in the Parish Sunroom following morning Mass.
Everyone is welcome.

Children's Liturgy is held in the Parish Sunroom every Sunday at 9:30am Mass during school terms, with pre-school to school age children welcome to attend.

A dedicated group of volunteers assist with Children's Liturgy, with a commitment of only one Sunday each school term.

We are currently looking for new volunteers who would like to assist with this wonderful Holy Name Parish ministry as either a leader or assistant. Training and all materials are provided.

If you are interested in finding out what is involved in helping with Children's Liturgy, please feel welcome to join us. No obligation to 'sign up' to be a leader once per school term. (There are safeguarding requirements (WWCC) if you wish to join our team). Contact Sally Oong at the Parish office for more details 9489 3221.



Sacramental Program - First Holy Eucharist (First Communion)

Eligibility:

Candidates must be in at least Year 4 and must celebrate the Sacraments of Confirmation and Reconciliation before the Sacrament of First Eucharist.

Sacramental Preparation Groups: Meet at the Prouille School Hall.

These are held at Prouille School, 5 Water St, Wahroonga, on:

(All lessons and Masses are compulsory to attend)

NO LESSON ON THE LONG WEEKEND SATURDAY (7 June)

Lesson 4: THIS Saturday, 14 June at 3.45pm (FINAL)

followed by 5.00pm Mass at Church and then a sausage sizzle.

Practice:

Wednesday 18 June at 6.00pm at the Church.

The Piety Store will be open if you wish to purchase a gift.

Celebration of the Sacrament of First Holy Eucharist at the Church: Sunday 22 June at 11.00am



Sacramental Program - Confirmation



Enrolment for Confirmation is OPEN
<https://www.trybooking.com/CYAMC>

Eligibility: Candidates must be Baptised, aged 8 or older and be in at least **Year 3** at school. In our Diocese of Broken Bay, the Sacrament of Confirmation is celebrated **before** Reconciliation and First Eucharist.

Parents and Carers - Welcome and Information Evening:

Attendance is compulsory for one Parent/Carer on either

Thursday 7th August OR Tuesday 12th August

7.00-8.00pm in the Veritas Hall at Prouille School, 5 Water Street, Wahroonga.

This is an information evening for parents/carers, which includes refreshments. Children usually do not attend, but let Sally know if that is necessary.

Group Leader Training: (Leaders only)

Tuesday 19th August, 7.00pm, Sunroom at the Church

Sacramental Preparation Groups:

Meet in a large group at Prouille School Hall on:

Lesson 1: Saturday, 23rd August at 3.30pm

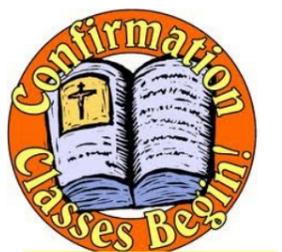
Lesson 2: Saturday, 30th August at 3.45pm

Lesson 3: Saturday, 6th September at 3.45pm

Lesson 4: Saturday, 13th September at 3.45pm, with each lesson followed by 5.00pm Mass at Church (compulsory**) and a sausage sizzle for the whole family.**

Practice: Tuesday, 16th September, 6pm at the Church.

Celebration of the Sacrament of Confirmation at the Church: Thursday 18th September at 6.00pm



SATURDAY 23 AUGUST