

## Holy Name Catholic Parish

DIOCESE OF BROKEN BAY

35 Billyard Avenue Wahroonga 2076

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### Welcome!

A very warm welcome to anyone visiting our parish. It is good to have you with us. If you have any questions or would like to know more about our community at Holy Name please visit our parish website at [www.holynamewahroonga.com.au](http://www.holynamewahroonga.com.au).

### *Sunday 16 February—6th Sunday in Ordinary Time*

#### **We thank God**

**for the wonderful rain we are receiving over these days.**

**We give thanks for the hope and freshness it brings.**

**We continue to pray for those in parts of the country where much more rain is needed.**



**This Sunday at 2.00pm in the Sunroom, there is a Vinnies (St Vincent de Paul) information afternoon.**

Anyone interested in our work is invited to join the team for afternoon tea. This will be a chance to celebrate the activities of our volunteers and to learn about how you might become involved. Everyone is warmly invited.

#### **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Enrolments are now open— See Page 4 for full details.

#### **You are invited to consider**

#### **becoming a Special Minister of Communion to the Sick**

Each week on a Tuesday, Friday and Saturday or Sunday, a wonderful group of parishioners take the Eucharist to those who are sick at home, at the San Hospital, UPA Aged Care, Hammond Care, Neringah and Lady Davidson Hospital.

In so doing they are a reminder to those who are sick or aged that they still belong to our community of faith, as they bear the sustenance of the Food of Life, the Body of the Lord.

This weekend, Chris Madden and John Boswell who coordinate this remarkable ministry in our parish will speak to us of this possibility.

It takes but an hour or so each week and all the resources and support will be provided you.

Might you consider yourself to be a Special Ministry of Communion to the Sick

Called to *Serve*  
*Eucharistic Ministers*

**Next week Cecilia Kean will speak to us about the Ministry of Catechists to our many Catholic children in our State Schools.**

*Would you like to make our Parish even more hospitable by wearing a name tag to make it easier to introduce yourself and for others to get to know you?  
Please contact our Parish Office to arrange your own personal name tag.*

## Parish Masses This Week

Monday	17 February	No Mass	Weekday, Ordinary Time Week 6
Tuesday	18 February	9.15am Mass	Weekday, Ordinary Time Week 6
Wednesday	19 February	9.15am Mass	Weekday, Ordinary Time Week 6
Thursday	20 February	9.15am Mass	Weekday, Ordinary Time Week 6
Friday	21 February	9.15am Mass	Weekday, Ordinary Time Week 6
Saturday	22 February	5.00pm Mass	Vigil Mass for 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday	23 February	9.15am and 5.30pm	7th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

This week: When you say yes, you must mean yes (Sharon Johnson/Sally Oong)

Next week: Turn the other cheek (Anne Nicol)



## Please Remember in your Prayers

### RECENTLY DECEASED:

Fr Denis Callahan (died 31 January aged 91), Toufic Kassis (brother of John, passed away in Lebanon on 20 January), Elizabeth (Bette) Hammond a former parishioner who died on January 2nd, Anne Walker (Lillas Roche and Bishop David Walker's sister in law), Sylvia Arnett (mother of Max, aged 108, died 6 January), Geoffrey Ranson (Fr David's father, died 15 December aged 88 years), Helen McKeon (Fr Jim McKeon's mother, died 10 December, aged 86), Colin Randazzo, (the father of Bishop Anthony died Saturday 7 December).

### ANNIVERSARIES:

Margaret Bizannes (8th anniversary on 7 February), Chris Roche (Lillas' son, 2nd anniversary on 12 February), Reg Kirkwood (brother of Patrick, 2nd anniversary on 14 February), Eileen Goldstein (mother of Pam Gallagher, 31st anniversary on 28 January), Vincent Tighe and Leo Tighe (father and uncle of Mike Tighe), Bettina Luca (10th anniversary on 7 January) and Amedeo (Laurie) Luca (25th anniversary on 8 January - parents of Greg Luca, Daniela McGrath and Julian Luca), Damion (Sri Wijetunga's brother, 50th anniversary, 31st January, Tod Walker (Lillas Roche's brother, 4th anniversary 20 January), Muriel Molnar (4th anniversary, 21 January), Joan Clarke (3rd anniversary, 22 January), Patricia (Pat) Lynch, 3rd anniversary, 23 January), Joseph El-Daher (Denise Kassis' brother, 59th anniversary on 21 January, Cheble El-Daher (father of Denise Kassis - 33rd anniversary on 23 January), Lucy Machado (mother of Tony, 19th anniversary), Lucy Machado (mother of Tony - anniversary 13 January), Norma Robson (wife of Dennis, 5th anniversary on 24 December), Margaret Couch (Paul's mother 2nd anniversary on 25 December) Mario Severino (14th anniversary, 26 December), Joseph Sydney McElhenny (1st anniversary 3 January), Elisha Foti (7th anniversary on 4 January), Emile Nassar (9th anniversary on 6 January), Ricki Hayes, (friend of Cecilia Kean, 2nd anniversary on 7 January), Tim O'Brien (son of Paul and Jenny, 4th anniversary on 8 January), Charlie Deguara (husband of Sue and father to Brendan, Ben, Sam and Jared, 1st anniversary 20 December), Doreen Mary Fox, (mother of Julie McElhenny 4th anniversary on 20 December), Joe DeGuara, (father of Damian, 2nd anniversary on 19 December), Hilda May Cutler (Grandmother of Jennifer Gregory, 50th anniversary on 24 December), George Thornton (2nd anniversary on 15 December), Tony Coutinho (husband of Lucinda, 6th anniversary on 16 December), Terry Goldrick (Chris' father, 5th anniversary on 7 December), Paul Limbers (father of parishioners Jane Watson, Julia Burfitt, Peter and John Limbers, 1st anniversary on 30 November).

### FOR THE SICK:

Mark Brookes (friend of Barry Clibborn), Conor McCreton, Norma Higgins, Davin and Sharon Ho, Leanne (Sharon's sister), David Waldron (son of Jo and Frank), Mike Tighe, Cyril Littrich, Chris Le Gras, Judith Hodson, Isla Bishop (Grand-daughter of Irene Bishop), James Madden (son of Julie and Chris), Dennis Morgan, Matthew Murney (son in law of Burt Schaafsma), Molly Sheppard, Susie Dunning (sister of Leila McCreton), Gloria Boswell, Mel Vince (Cecilia Kean's Mum), Baby Thomas Joseph Elley, Peter Reidy, John McGarry, Freya Carney, Peter Brassil (great friend of Helen and Bill Tysoe), Mary Peachy (Brigid Wright's sister), Fr Michael Fallon msc (friend of Patrick Kirkwood), Fran Cuddy (St James Turramurra, KCEA), Steve Ralph, Margaret Woodlands, Helen McGrath (friend of Jo and Frank Waldron), Hildegard McLaughlin, Barbara Dunning, David Coombes, Liz Rodgers (friend of the Waldrons in Melbourne), Doris Buzinskas, Christopher Anderson, Jim Clayton (Fran's father-in-law), Madeleine Ryan, Gabrielle Flood, Mary Greco (friend of Eleanor Cooray), Grant Jepson, Noeline Mannix, Madeleine Reicher (granddaughter of Patricia Cox), Philip Stanley, Thomas Nash, Donna Lucas, Ross Truda, Frances Hall, Anne Sutcliffe (Walter's wife), Helen Gait (wife of Tom), Lillian Whitty, Mary Gibbs, Chad Walkaden, Noelene Burke, Eunice Spangaro, Maureen Ritchard, Martin McCreton (brother and brother in law of Conor and Leila McCreton), Margaret Hayes, baby Kendal, Reginald Broderick, Denise Waudby (Patrice Buzinskas' sister), Michael Walsh, Caoimhe Browne, Murray Howe, George Dunne.



**Congratulations  
to  
Veronica**

She made her cantor debut last Sunday and did really well!

**Congratulations  
to  
Ves McGrath**

who celebrated his 95th birthday on 13th February!



## From Fr David

Dear friends,

Fr Anselam contacted me during the week to say that he had arrived safely to his mother's home in India! We continue to pray that he will enjoy a wonderful time with his family and have a great holiday.

Last Tuesday, 11 February was the feast-day of Our Lady of Lourdes. It is the day marked also as the 28th World Day of the Sick 2020. Pope Francis gives us a timely message for this occasion: "Jesus does not make demands of those who endure situations of frailty, suffering and weakness, but offers his mercy and his comforting presence. He looks upon wounded humanity with eyes that gaze into the heart of each person. That gaze is not one of indifference; rather it embraces people in their entirety, each person in his or her health condition, discarding no one, but rather inviting everyone to share in his life and to experience his tender love. . . [And so] what is needed is a personalised approach to the sick, not just of curing but also of caring, in view of an integral human healing . . . In a word, love." This is what motivates our own parish ministry to the sick. Do give some thought to this weekend's invitation to become a part of this grace-filled outreach.

### Our Parish enjoys two special resources each weekend

Each weekend Patrick Kirkwood delights us by filling the internal pages of "Our Sunday Celebration" with thoughtful articles and reflections on the season of the year.

Recently we have also made available the "Kids Bulletin" each week to help our children enter our celebrations.



We didn't lose power in the storms last Sunday, but we did lose this rather large conifer which fell across the lower driveway in the wet weather.

Luckily we were able to have it removed on Tuesday.

## Public Lecture



**DR PAUL COLLINS**  
on the Plenary Council—  
Monday, 10th February

Dr Paul Collins discussed the upcoming Plenary Council (the first in Australia since 1937) taking into account Pope Francis' emphasis on a 'synodal' type of governance used in the New Testament and the early church.

As the year progresses we, at Holy Name Wahroonga Parish, will be examining the main themes for the Plenary Council and ask, "What might these mean for us a parish community?"



## Parish Diary in the Coming Week

Sunday	16 February	2.00pm	St Vincent de Paul Information Afternoon—Sunroom
Monday	17 February	9.00-11.00am	St Dominic's Playgroup—Sunroom
Tuesday	18 February	7.30pm—9.00pm	Parish Finance Committee Meeting
Wednesday	19 February	7.15pm	Schola Rehearsal—Church
Thursday	20 February	10.00am	Come As You Are Discussion and Reflection Group—Sunroom
Friday	21 February	7.00pm—8.00pm	Holy Hour in Church
Sunday	23 February	12.30pm—4.30pm	Parish Pastoral and Missionary Council Retreat Day

## Parish Events



**Invitation to learn more about Vinnies**  
**Sunday 16 February 2:00pm in the Sunroom**  
Holy Name has a wonderful team of people who under the auspices of St Vincent de Paul, visit struggling families in Whalan and our local area, collect bread and organise the annual hamper appeal.

On Sunday 16 February anyone interested in our work is invited to join the team for afternoon tea in the sunroom at 2pm.

This will be a chance to celebrate the activities of our volunteers and to learn about how you might become involved. Everyone is warmly invited. For more information contact Candy Cosgriff on [cosg@optusnet.com.au](mailto:cosg@optusnet.com.au)

### 50's And Over Singles Group

The first outing for the Group for 2020 is on **Wednesday 26 February** to see the movie '1917.'

We will meet at Hornsby station at 9.00 am and go to the Event Cinema at Hornsby to see the film. After the movie we can have lunch at Westfield at one of the food outlets.

Enquiries please phone Susan Robson on 0404 005 267 or Reg Gibbons 9481 0334 or mob; 0409 599 440

### Piety Store



2020 Columban Calendars - **NOW ONLY \$5.00!**  
Looking for a special gift? We have a selection of Sacramental cards and gifts.



**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION  
ENROLMENTS NOW OPEN**  
<https://www.trybooking.com/BIJLG>

**Eligibility:** Candidates must be in at least Year 3. In our Diocese, the sacrament of Reconciliation is celebrated before First Eucharist and **after Confirmation**.

### Parents' Welcome and Information Evening

**Attendance is compulsory.**

Tuesday 3 March 7pm-9pm in the Veritas Hall at Prouille School, 5 Water St, Wahroonga. This is an information evening for parents/ carers, which includes refreshments.

### Group Leader Training:

Tuesday 10 March, 7.00pm, Prouille School

### Sacramental Preparation Groups:

These are held at Prouille School on:

**Saturday, 14 March at 3.45pm,**

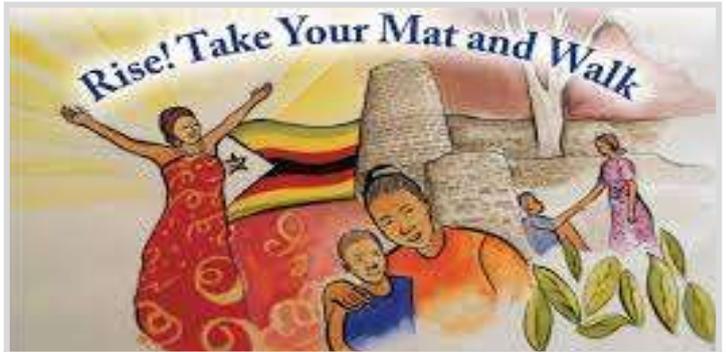
**Saturday, 21 March at 3.45pm,**

**Saturday, 28 March at 3.45pm,**

each followed by 5pm Mass at church.

### Celebration of Reconciliation: (2 options)

**Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> March 2020** 5.15pm or 6.15pm at Church



### World Day of Prayer

As part of the Turramurra Wahroonga Interchurch Fellowship, it is our turn to host the Word Day of Prayer 2020 at Holy Name on **Friday, 6th March at 11:00am** This year the service has been written by the people of Zimbabwe. The theme is "Rise, Take your Mat and Walk."

To help make this a special and meaningful service, we would be delighted if any members of our parish would have experiences of knowledge of life in Zimbabwe and could perhaps give a short talk on the day. Please contact either Sandi, Tess or Annette 0439 649 906 or the Parish Office 9489 3221 if you can help.

The WDP 2020 program is based on Jesus' encounter with a person who, although positioned for healing, had not acted upon the opportunities given. Jesus asked – "Do you want to be made well?" You are faced with this life-changing question. What are you going to do? "Rise! Take Your Mat and Walk," said Jesus. Our sisters from Zimbabwe are taking Jesus' encounter to be a call to act in love for peace and reconciliation. "The action verbs suggest that we should not be afraid to act on the word of God. God is offering us the steps for personal and social transformation." We are empowered to take up our mats. No more waiting powerlessly on the mat. As expressed in the WDP 2020 painting by Nonhlanhla Mathe, let us give a healing hand to the needy, let us embrace children with love as their future is ahead, and let us open our arms in joy as the time to rise up has come. This is the time for change!

The World Day of Prayer is a global ecumenical movement led by Christian women who welcome you to join in prayer and action for peace and justice. It is run under the motto "Informed Prayer and Prayerful Action," and is celebrated annually in over 170 countries on the first Friday in March. The movement aims to bring together people of various races, cultures and traditions in a yearly common Day of Prayer, as well as in closer fellowship, understanding and action throughout the year.

Our '**Come as You Are**' reflection and discussion group meets on Thursday morning after Mass about 10.00am. We will be looking at the Lenten program "Grace" commencing from Thursday 27th February to 2nd April for anyone who would like to join in. All welcome.

Patrick Kirkwood and Annette Stuart-Robertson 0439 649 906

## Parish Events

### Our Parish Participation in the journey towards the Plenary Council of 2020-2021

Through the "Listening Phase" of the journey towards the Plenary Council which opens in October 2019, six themes emerged for consideration in the current "Discernment Phase." The six themes are about a Christ-centred Church which is

- Missionary and evangelising
- Inclusive, participatory and synodal
- Prayerful and Eucharistic
- Humble, healing and merciful
- A joyful, hope filled and servant community
- Open to conversion, renewal and reform
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You will see posters reflecting these themes on the wall of our church.

**This year, we will take these themes and ask,  
"What might these mean for us a parish community?"**

We propose to do this in several ways:

- **During Lent** we will invite our community to **pray** these themes. On each of the six Thursdays of Lent we will invite our parishioners to come together for a meal at Prouille followed by a guided prayer and faith reflection on each theme;
- **In the second half of the year** we will stage a facilitated process of six parish forums, each on a theme, discussing how the theme might be realised in our own context. The outcomes of the forums will be at the service of developing a 3 year strategic pastoral plan for our community.



### Here are just some of the exciting events planned for our parish in 2020:

- ◆ Lenten Dinners with a focus on the forthcoming Plenary Commencing 27 February for the 6 weeks of Lent
  - ◆ World Day of Prayer hosted by Holy Name Friday 6 March
- Tuesday 24 March Concert:  
Tenebrae with Thomas Wilson and Anna Fraser
- ◆ Post Easter: In response to the summer ecological crisis, a Parish Study Group on Pope Francis' letter on our responsibility for the environment, *Laudato Si*
  - ◆ From the end of June though to October: Parish Forums on the Plenary Council at the service of developing a parish pastoral plan for the coming years
  - ◆ Bach Akademie Concerts: 5 April, 7 June, 23 August, 15 November
  - ◆ Parish International Food Fair: 31 May— Pentecost Sunday.

### An Update on Davin and Sharon Ho As they continue to progress in recovery from the White Island Volcano Tragedy

11 days since being readmitted into the burns unit at RNSH, Davin has again been moved out to a rehab centre at Eastwood. They have a proper rehab facility for burns victims, so hopefully it'll be good for Davin as they will put him through the relevant exercises and therapy. There is still some slight swelling in his arms and legs, which are being treated with compression bandages. His wounds continue to heal at different rates. Lower back still causing a few issues with wounds opening up and seeping occasionally. But overall, doctors are happy with the progress. Throughout all this, Davin has been getting stronger and not complained at all.

Sharon is still at Mt Wilga Rehab, but preparing to go home. As exciting as it will be to be able to go home, it is still a daunting thought to go home and start relearning how to do everything. Sharon is improving very well. Her mobility is so much better. Being able to curl her fingers quite fully. Walking around quite freely. Both her and Leanne are concentrating very hard on scar therapy. Compression gloves. Funky headwear. Lots of massaging.

Leanne has been home for 18 days now. She will be a great help to Sharon when she comes home. Having experienced all the difficulties of being out on her own.

## Around and About

### BROKEN BAY NEWS LATEST EDITION NOW AVAILABLE

Please take home a copy to read!



The February 2020 issue of Broken Bay News is now available. The magazine has undergone a major makeover and has a brand new modern look and feel thanks to our Graphic Designer Edward Baricevic. We would love your feedback if you have any.

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Featured in this issue is ACYF in Perth, Bishop Anthony Randazzo's message regarding the Plenary Council, a tribute to the late Fr Barry Nobbs, news about the Catholic Church's response to the bushfire crisis and the **Relics Tour of St Therese and her parents.**



### DEMENTIA DISCUSSION GROUP TURRAMURRA

Programme - 2020



The monthly meeting of the Dementia Discussion/Education Group is held on the 3rd Monday of each month (except December) at the Richard Geeves Centre, 8 Murrumbidgee Road, Turramurra, commencing at 7.00pm. A list of speakers is set out below: Subjects covered are recent developments in research, management or other relative topics.

**Monday 17th February**

Libby Palmer from Dementia Australia

People with dementia, carers, students and visitors are especially welcome to attend meetings. What transpires within the group is strictly confidential.

Contact: Margaret MacMillan 9489 3134  
Tom Heath 9144 5223

### SRE School Teacher Ku-ring-gai High School (Part time)

Ku-ring-gai Christian Education Association Inc (KCEA) is an ecumenical association seeking to appoint an SRE Teacher to deliver a regular SRE program to students in years 7-10, and potentially to co-ordinate seminars for years 11-12. The position commences Term 1 2020 and has an anticipated three to four day a week workload.

KCEA invites applicants who have demonstrated experience in teaching, building relationships, and an enthusiasm for working with young people and a passion for sharing the good news of Jesus Christ in a professional classroom setting. The successful applicant will be experienced using current teaching methodology including technology in the classroom.

The position includes classroom SRE teaching, co-ordinating and leading a lunchtime student group and other groups or activities as the role develops. The applicant may also have additional skills or abilities that could be useful in other school activities, by agreement with the school and committee. The role will also include preparation and editing of the KCEA quarterly newsletter, ongoing liaison with and reporting to the committee, and attendance at committee meetings and supporter breakfasts.

KCEA teaches an ecumenical SRE curriculum. The delivery focuses on inclusivity of all students no matter what their belief or cultural background, whilst sharing a Christian perspective.

The applicant will have obtained or is actively pursuing a Theological qualification from an approved institution, and a formal teaching qualification is preferred. Salary will be paid in accordance with qualifications and experience, with the NSW Dept of Education pay scales to be used as a guide of salary.

The successful applicant will need to supply their Working with Children Check Number Contact Details. Applications should be made by email (attachments in MS Word or PDF)

Jon Fowler  
Chairperson KCEA  
Email: [secretary.kcea@gmail.com](mailto:secretary.kcea@gmail.com)



### Catholic HealthCare

Catholic Healthcare is a service provider of retirement living units, residential homes and Community in-home services. The in-home services provided by Catholic Community Services assist people to live at home longer, by providing the care they need through government-funded, home care support programs. We can assist you to navigate the My Aged Care system to review your eligibility for government support. Services can provide personal care, in-home respite, social support, shopping, transport to medical appointments, domestic assistance, meals preparation and a range of health and wellness services that improve mobility and physical wellbeing, as well as pastoral care for spiritual and emotional wellbeing.

Please see brochures placed at the back of the Church for contact information and details of the services, or contact us directly on 1300 319 011 or 1800 225 474 and we will be happy to assist you.

### Loosely Woven Concert - 'On the road 2020' Friday 28 February, 7.00pm

#### St Andrews Uniting Church South Turramurra

A light-hearted, folksy, acoustic concert. Entry by Donation. The concert will feature 25 singers and instrumentalists. The program includes some songs addressing social justice issues including:

- \* a fabulous song by Australian singer/songwriter Khristian Mizzi called 'We ain't all equal',
- \* Eric Bogle's powerful song 'Shelter' and
- \* Simon & Garfunkel parody addressing Climate Change.

Instruments this time will include violins, cello, flute, harp, saxophone, trumpet, melodicas, glockenspiel, harmonium, accordion, concertina, guitars, ukuleles, keyboard & percussion.



## Our Welcoming Team

Sat 5pm	Week 1	Joy George
	Week 2	Louise and Mia Koopman
	Week 3	Milena Huntley
	Week 4	Dot Brink, Frankie Doran and Mary Stanley.
	Week 5	Emma Spinks
Sun 9.15am	Week 1	Amanda and Nathan Woo
	Week 2	Fiona Tubb
	Week 3	Ina Evans
	Week 4	Natalie Djurovic
	Week 5	Halina and David Brett
Sun 5.30pm	Week 1	Marie and Simon Board
	Week 2	Jane and Maurice Watson
	Week 3	Sri Wijetunga
	Week 4	Helen & Bill Tysoe
	Week 5	Helen & Bill Tysoe

## Keeping our Parish Site Safe

**Throughout our church and its environs are a number of aids for our safety:**

At all the entrances to the church please observe the **Evacuation Signs** on the walls.

We have two **Assembly Points** outside the church:  
In front of the church  
In the Car Park behind the church

We have a **Defibrillator** near the noticeboards at the rear of the church to the right of the entrance.

We have **First Aid Kits** in  
the Morning Tea Facility in the Church Foyer  
The Parish Sunroom  
The Sacristy

We have **Dangerous Chemical Registers**  
Under the sink in  
Our Parish Sunroom  
The Sacristy

**And many Doctors in the House!**

## Keeping our Community Safe

**Safeguarding is the term we use today to express our commitment to ensure that our community is a place of safety and care for all those in our parish, especially children and those who are vulnerable.**

**These are the ways by which as a community we seek to do this.**

- Our Parish seeks to fulfil the 10 Child Safety Standards introduced by the recent Royal Commission and not enshrine in the NSW Office of the Child Guardian
- With Diocesan support we comply with all legislation in respect to child safety
- All those who are in a child-related activity in the Parish require a validated NSW Working with Children Clearance
- Those who are visiting the elderly in their homes and those with financial responsibility in our Parish require a National Criminal History Check
- Our Clergy must attend a compulsory seminar in Safeguarding annually each year
- Any visiting clergy in our church must be identified in an audited Register and be cleared by the Diocese to do so
- Our Parish Staff must be inducted in Safeguarding and attend regular Safeguarding update seminars
- From 2020 we will be trained in Self-Assessment of Catholic Professional Standards Ltd Child Safety Standards, Criteria and Indicators;
- Our Parish Catechists are trained in Safeguarding
- We have literature on Safeguarding freely available at the entrance to our church
- We include Safeguarding material in induction packs for our volunteers
- We include Safeguarding material in our Baptismal Preparation packs and available for our parents enrolling their children at Prouille.
- Detailed information on Safeguarding exists on our Parish Website.
- We conduct the Sacrament of Reconciliation for Children in an open space, in line of sight of other adults
- We welcome parents to be in the Sacristy with their children who might be acting as Altar Servers.
- Before and after Masses, the sacristy doors should be completely open allowing total visibility from the "crying room" foyer;
- Parents are welcome also to accompany their children to Sunday morning Children's Liturgy
- We have refurbished our Confessionals to bring them into compliance with current standards and expectations
- We are to install security cameras in the Parish Sunroom so that the areas of our church are visible at all times
- For Parish functions using our beautiful garden space, we allocate two identifiable "Safeguarding Officers" to patrol the whole parish site to ensure the safety of our children at all times

**Remember: Our Children's Safety Belongs to All of Us!**



## Parish Contact Information and Mass Times

Parish Priest	Fr David Ranson VG	david.ranson@bbcatholic.org.au <b>Twitter: @FrDavidRanson</b> <b>Blogsite: davidranson.com.au</b> (homilies posted)
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Deacon	Rev Peter McCulloch	peter.mcculloch@bbcatholic.org.au
Parish Secretary	Mrs Jackie Thornton	secretary@holynamewahroonga.com.au
Sacramental Coordinator	Mrs Sally Oong	sacrament@holynamewahroonga.com.au
Office Hours	Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 8.30am—5pm	
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Postal Address	P O Box 385 Wahroonga NSW 2076	
Prouille School	5 Water Street Wahroonga NSW 2076	
School Principal	Mrs Susan Bevan	
Phone	(02) 9489 3233	
School Website	www.prouilledbb.catholic.edu.au	
Sacristan and Co-ordinator Altar Society	Mrs. Rosalie Talty	
CCD Coordinator	Mrs. Cecilia Kean	
Eucharist Ministry to the Sick Coordinators	Mr. John Boswell; Mr. Chris Madden; Mr. Paul Sutherland (Housebound)	
Weekend Ministries Co-ordinator	Mr Chris Goldrick cgoldrick@optusnet.com.au 0450 963 596	
St Vincent de Paul (Wahroonga Conference)	Mr Anthony Weaver (President) 0423 842 823, Mr Ken Laing (Treasurer), Mrs Candy Cosgriff (Secretary)	

### Weekend Masses:

Saturday 5.00pm  
Sunday 9.15am and 5.30pm  
and 7.30pm at Loreto College Normanhurst during school terms

**Mass on Tuesday to Friday:** 9.15am

Rosary after Mass on Tuesday

Morning Tea after Mass on Wednesday

Special Intercessions/intentions remembered at Friday Mass.

**Friday evening:** Holy Hour from 7.00pm (not in January)

**Mass is also celebrated:**

Our Lady of the Rosary Cathedral, Waitara: Monday 9.30am

St Leo's College: Friday 12.55pm during school terms

**Eucharistic Adoration is available in the Aquinas Chapel:**

Tuesdays and Fridays from 10.00am – 6.00pm

### Baptism:

Every second and fourth Sunday of the month at 11.00am.  
Please make an appointment through the Parish Office

### Marriage:

By appointment, at least six months in advance.

### Sick Calls:

Any time day or night.

Please call 0408 350 885 out of office hours

### Confessions:

Saturday 11.30am or by appointment. The list of times in surrounding parishes is on our parish website

### Sacrament of Anointing:

Last Thursday of the month following the 9.15am Mass

### Parish Pastoral and Missionary Council for 2020

Gemma McDermott, Chrissie Goldrick, Tess Denham-Fabry, Tom Waugh,  
Giovanna Flores-Clarke, Ian Edmunds, Samantha Vieira, Sally Oong, Ed Scully, Roger Bohlsen, along with Sue Bevan (Prouille) and  
Vanessa Dillon (St Lucy's) and Terry O'Keefe (St Edmunds)

### Parish Finance Committee

Marinela Mendes, Tony Monardo, Robyn Elizondo, Tim Quilty

### Parish Fundraising Committee

Noel Kean (Chair), Meredith Baume, Anthony Weaver, Lyn Saul, James Toomey

**Thank you for your financial contribution to the support of our Parish Community and its priests—it is very much appreciated.**

- The 1st Collection taken up at Mass goes to the Clergy Remuneration Fund for the financial support of the priests.
- The 2nd Collection taken up at Mass is for the upkeep of the Parish.

We invite you to help our Parish by committing to a Planned Giving scheme. Please see the parish office for the way you can participate in this. Another way to assist our parish is to consider a gift in your will. Your gift of any size will help our parish continue our good works & outreach. Please contact the parish office for a confidential discussion or more information.

(Alternatively see the "giving" pages at [www.dbb.org.au](http://www.dbb.org.au)) **EFTPOS Available in Parish Office**

EFT: Wahroonga Catholic Parish Account BSB: 062-784 Account No: 1389 8001 CBA- 48 Martin Place, Sydney

**Our Parish has Tap n Go Facilities at the entrance to our church. The money donated at these terminals contributes to our Parish Planned Giving—All monies are for the support of our Parish**

*We seek to grow as a Welcoming and Inclusive Community, supporting  
Life's Journey, through God's Grace and Mercy*