



Holy Name Catholic Parish DIOCESE OF BROKEN BAY

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17 November - 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dear friends,

Our Holy Father Pope Francis has just completed a consultation process with members of the Church in Rome. The members included laity, Priests, Bishops, Cardinals and of course the Holy Father. There were 200 delegates gathered to discern the ways in which the Holy Spirit was calling us forward to renew and sustain the Catholic Church into the 21st Century. Bishop Anthony Randazzo and Mrs Kelly Paget (Chancellor of the Diocese of Broken Bay) were delegates to the consultation process.

Bishop Anthony in the September issue of the Broken Bay News said: 'As we journey together in faith within our Diocese of Broken Bay, it is important to reflect on the vision and characteristics of a Synodal Church - a Church that walks together, listens and discerns in communion.'

Bishop Randazzo is inviting all communities in the Diocese of Broken Bay to participate in a synodal and discerning way to examine the needs of our parish of Holy Name Wahroonga and other parishes. We will discern how in conversation with one another we can listen and respond to how the Spirit is speaking to us.

I invite each one of you from the parish community to a Parish Consultation Forum on Tuesday 19th November from 6.00pm -8.30 p.m. to be held in the Sunroom. We will begin with drinks and nibbles to begin the evening, so it is important to register with the Parish Office either by calling 9489 3221 (please leave a message if unattended) OR email your attendance to holynome@bbcatholic.org.au

The input received from the night will be collated and processed into a document from the parishes of this Deanery of the Lower North Shore which will present a particular demographic and respond to emerging issues, so that we can discern how to move forward. The key to this discernment process is to involve all the faithful so that by listening to one another, we may more faithfully reflect our calling to be the Body of Christ.

Bishop Anthony Randazzo concludes his message by saying: 'A Synodal Church is a community that is faithful to Scripture and Tradition and that listens, participates, discerns and includes, and serves together.'

Blessings,

Fr. Kelvin

Feast of Christ the King



Next Sunday—24 November 2024

Procession on the Feast of Christ the King.

The procession will leave from the front of the Church at 9:20am.

Everyone is welcome to join in.

Our **Parish St Vincent de Paul Conference** will again be asking parishioners to prepare **Christmas Hampers** for local families and individuals who have received help from Vinnies this year. In addition we will be providing hampers to families in need living in the Whalan and Emerton areas of western Sydney and also a local Women's shelter. The appeal will be launched at the vigil and Sunday Masses on **23 and 24 November**. Hampers will need to be back at Holy Name by 9.30AM Mass on 8 December.

We will also be asking for details of volunteer driver's to deliver hampers to the Holy Family Centre at Emerton.

Parish Masses This Week

Monday	18 November	No Mass				Weekday, Ordinary Time 33
Tuesday	19 November	Mass	9.15am			Weekday, Ordinary Time 33
Wednesday	20 November	Mass	9.15am			Weekday, Ordinary Time 33
Thursday	21 November	Mass	9:15am			The Presentation of Blessed Virgin Mary
Friday	22 November	Mass	9:15am			St Cecilia, virgin, martyr
Saturday	23 November	Mass	5:00pm			Weekday, Ordinary Time 33
Sunday	24 November	Mass	8.00am	9.30am	5:30pm	Our Lord JESUS CHRIST, KING of the UNIVERSE

Please Remember in your Prayers

RECENTLY DECEASED:

Hubert Engel (father of Veronica Engel), Ana del Valle Rodriguez (aunt of Roselena Miro—died 18 October), Euglides Velasquez (the uncle of a dear friend of Roselena Miro's (Eva Yordi,) died 6 October), Leon D'Apice (husband of Cathy, father of Marc and Jason, died 28 September aged 68), Chris Wilkinson (cousin of Pam Gallagher), John Barnes (husband of Carol Barnes, died 19 September),.

ANNIVERSARIES:

Peter McDermott (son of Julie, & stepson of Brian McGarry, 2nd anniversary 17 November), Bill McPhillips (brother & brother-in-law of Jennifer and Barry Clibborn, 3rd anniversary 17 November), Brian O'Brien (husband of Denese and father of Marianne, Paul, and Jenny, 5th anniversary 16 November), Jim Dibben (father and father-in-law to Kerri & Mark Donovan and grandfather to Justin, Christian and Matthew, 3rd anniversary 9 November), Brian Priestley (Candy Cosgriff's father, 6th anniversary 10 November), John Fleming (friend of Patrick Kirkwood, 3rd anniversary 11 November), Jean Carroll (mother of Irene Jenkins, anniversary 12 November), Marianne & Marceli Pochyl (parents of Cecylia Ramsden), Joyce & Jim Williamson (aunt and uncle of Cecylia Ramsden), Arie van der Plaat (Sandi Candotti's Dad, 9th anniversary on 13 November), Swarna Perera (Lucian Wijetunga's sister, 7th anniversary on 14 November), Barbara Woodfine (mother of Michael, 2nd anniversary 15 November), Toufic Kassis (father of John Kassis, 57th anniversary on 16 November), Agnes & Anthony Pochyl (Grandparents of Cecylia Ramsden), Joe Couch (Paul's Dad, 15th anniversary on 25 October, Dennis Vincent McCarthy (Kathy Sutherland's Dad, 21st anniversary on 19 October), Sylvia Hebblewhite (mother of Janet Fitzpatrick, 6th anniversary on 21 October), Melba Cincotta (Trish Maiolo's mother, 11th anniversary 23rd October), John Hamilton Cutler (Jennifer Gregory's grandfather, 45th anniversary 19 October), Marianne Pochyl (Cecylia Ramsden's Mum, 13th anniversary, 19 October), Mel Vince (Cecilia Kean's Mum, 3rd anniversary, 15 October), John Vince (Cecilia Kean's father, 39th anniversary on the 9 October), Josephine Wallington (Joanne Dummer's Mum, 19th anniversary on 12 October), Caesar Bruno (father of Terri Vernier, 6th anniversary on 18 October), Dr Anthony Lopes (brother/brother-in-law of Quinnie & Tony Machado - 10th anniversary on 19 October), Dr Martin Flood (father of Gemma and Martin, 7th anniversary on 20 October), Genevieve Mangos (Granddaughter of Pam Gallagher, 13th anniversary on 20 October), Monica Foote (Patrice Buzinskas' Mum, 15th Anniversary on 9 October).

FOR THE SICK:

Yvonne Malouf (mother of Joanne Klostermann), Gabrielle Flood (Gemma Couch's Mum), Philip Clump, Sienna McGrath (Dominic McGrath's niece and Reg Gibbons great-niece), Noeline Mannix, Gemma McDermott, Rosalie Talty, 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), Will Green (aged 11yrs, friend of the Madden family), baby Joseph Akkary (great great nephew of Denise Kassis), Henry Alan Field (4yrs—grandchild of dear friend of Cecilia Kean), Judy Ford (sister in law of Irene King), Rosalie Bertaglia (friend of Megan Khannah), Pam Gallagher, Geoff Deacon (brother-in-law of Irene King), Greg McNally, John Clark, Emma Vassallo (Granddaughter of Will Hayward), Alyssa Kent, Ted Hook (Antonina's husband), Joe Pulis, Margaret Anderson (sister-in-law of Frank and Jo Waldron), Norma Higgins, Davin and Sharon Ho, Leanne (Sharon's sister).



Congratulations

to the Tran, Graham and Theo Families

Edmund Vincent, William Dalton and Alexander Peter
will be baptised this Sunday.

What do the Readings say to us this Sunday - 33rd SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

First Reading:	Dan 12:1-3:	When that time comes your own people will be spared.
Second Reading:	Heb 10:11-14, 18:	By a single offering he has achieved the eternal perfection of those who are sanctified. Alleluia, alleluia! Be watchful and pray constantly, that you may be worthy to stand before the Son of Man.. Alleluia!
Gospel:	Mk 13:24-32:	He shall gather his elect from the four winds.

Parish Events



Senior Ladies Christmas Lunch

THURSDAY 5 DECEMBER
12:30pm for 1:00pm start
in the Parish Sunroom

RSVP is ESSENTIAL:

Please let Jo Waldron know if you will be attending.
0412 018 819

Join a choir this
Christmas



Thought you might like to join a choir but are daunted by the thought?

Take your first step with the Holy Name Pop Up Choir.

It's a fun, friendly and supportive environment in which to start singing in a group.

You never know where it might lead.

Please join us for Christmas Day 9.30am mass.

We will have three rehearsals on Saturday mornings.

Saturday 7 Dec 9.30-11am
Saturday 14 Dec 9.30-11am
Saturday 21 Dec 9.30-11am

Contact the office, fill in the sheet or email or call
chrissiegoldrick@gmail.com 0438 625 056



November Mass Counts At the request of the Diocese of Broken Bay, we are conducting November Mass Counts at each of the weekend Masses during November. We require volunteers at each Mass to be in charge of counting. Please let Father know if you are able to assist with this. Counting sheets are available in the sacristy.

Carols band and singers Rehearsals:

Saturday 23 November

Musicians only
12:30-2:30pm

Saturday 30 November

Musicians and Singers
12:30-2:30pm



PWBB—Pastoral Works Broken Bay:

The Pastoral Works November Appeal is the last one for the 2024 calendar year, and **all donations over \$2 are tax deductible.**

Every gift or donation brings comfort, friendship, or security and often opens the doorway to a faith-filled life. Donation envelopes are available in the Church. Thank you if you have an automatic deduction in place—this has been processed.

Parish Contact Information and Mass Times

Parish Priest :	Fr Kelvin Lovegrove	kelvin.lovegrove@bbcatholic.org.au
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School Principal:	Ms Genevieve Smith	
Phone :	(02) 7256 2146 School Website: www.prouilledbb.catholic.edu.au	
CCD Coordinator :	Mrs Hayley Edmunds	
Eucharist Ministry to the Sick Coordinators:	Mrs Judy Dalton (SAN— Tues): Mr Barry Clibborn (SAN—Fri) (Housebound) Mr Paul Sutherland	
Weekend Ministries Co-ordinator:	Volunteer needed please.	
St Vincent de Paul (Wahroonga Conference):	Mr Anthony Weaver (President) 0423 842 823, Mr Ken Laing (Treasurer), Vacant—(Secretary)	

Weekend Masses:

Saturday 5.00pm

(and **FIRST Saturday of the month** Mass at 9:15am)

Sunday 8.00am, 9.30am and 5.30pm

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

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 - 2nd and 3rd Sunday of the month at 11.00am.

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, Nick Chapman, Anne-Louise Deakin, Chrissie Goldrick, Bernadette Holland-Lopez, Patrick Kirkwood, Sally Oong, Libby Ringrose, Sajanee Senn, 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, James Toomey

The Parish Bank Account Number: The Catholic Development Fund (CDF) with whom the parish banks, has changed some of its processes. This means we have a new account number. In the past, we would provide the details here, however, in late 2020, the Diocese of Broken Bay advised we were no longer to advertise our bank account details in the parish bulletin or on our website. **SO WHAT DOES THIS MEAN?** If you would like to deposit directly to the parish account (on a regular or ad hoc basis), we need to provide you with the account number. There is no change to regular credit card contributors.

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

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

IN CASE OF A MEDICAL EMERGENCY: Our Church is equipped with a defibrillator in the event of a cardiac arrest. It is located near the entrance to the church, next to the notice board. 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.