



Sunday 18 March— Fifth Sunday of Lent

Holy Name Catholic Parish

DIOCESE OF BROKEN BAY

35 Billyard Avenue Wahroonga 2076

Web | www.holynamewahroonga.com.au



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. We hope you enjoy your time here at Holy Name Wahroonga. Please visit us again soon.

Sacramental Program - Preparation Sessions

At our Saturday 5pm Mass we are joined by our children preparing for the Sacrament of Reconciliation! Their final Preparation session is held Saturday afternoon and following our 5.00pm Mass, we will enjoy a sausage sizzle to mark the completion of the program! The children will celebrate their Reconciliation this Tuesday and Wednesday evenings.



This weekend, we welcome Jo Karaolis who will continue to open up for us the very good works of St Vincent de Paul in our parish and how we can help. Perhaps the work of our own St Vincent de Paul Conference might be one way you can volunteer?

For those who may be interested in assisting the work of our parish St Vincent de Paul ministry, an Information Evening will be held in our Parish Sunroom
This Tuesday 20 March at 7.30pm
All welcome!

This Sunday, - 4.15pm in the Sunroom

"Catholicism, The Pivotal Players Vol 1", - Bishop Barron's follow up series to "Catholicism", where he journeys to unlock the truth behind the Catholic Church's most influential people. More details - page 4.

This Thursday, 22nd March

Senior Ladies meeting - 2.00 pm in the Sunroom.
All welcome!



**This Monday Evening at 7.30pm
Join us for our Second Rite of Reconciliation**

Our Liturgy is comprised of a celebration of the Word of God and a communal examen of conscience with individual absolution.

A wonderful way to prepare for Easter.

**On Tuesday and Wednesday evening
as part of their preparation for the Reception of the Eucharist for the first time in June our children will enter the experience of the Sacrament**

Each Friday evening in Lent we will participate in the Diocesan "The Light is ON" initiative
At 7.00pm on Friday evenings we pray the Stations of the Cross.

This year we are using an adapted version for teenagers.

Would you like to sing the joyful music of Easter?
Would you like to try your hand at singing in one of the parish choirs?
See Page 4 for details....

Can you assist in our many liturgical ministers over the celebration of Easter? Please sign the sheet at the entrance to the church!

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

Parish Masses This Week

Monday	19 March	9.15am Mass	ST JOSEPH, SPOUSE OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY
Tuesday	20 March	9.15am Mass	Tuesday of the 5th week of Lent
Wednesday	21 March	9.15am Mass	Wednesday of the 5th week of Lent
Thursday	22 March	9.15am Mass	Thursday of the 5th week of Lent
Friday	23 March	9.15am Mass	Friday of the 5th week of Lent
Saturday	24 March	9.15am Mass	Vigil of Palm Sunday
Sunday	25 March	9.15am, 5.30pm Mass	PALM SUNDAY of the PASSION of the LORD

CHILDRENS LITURGY

This Week : Jesus foretells of his death and resurrection **(Erica Bayldon)**
 Next Week : Palm Sunday



Please Remember in your Prayers

RECENTLY DECEASED

Pauline Hensley (died 7 March), Fr Peter McGrath CP (died 3 March aged 78), Lily Sharda (grandmother of the Joshua Family - 1st anniversary), Fr Anthony (Tony) Smith (former Principal of St Aloysius College and past Parish Priest of North Sydney parish, died 18 February, aged 70), Reg Kirkwood (brother of Patrick, died 14 February), Christopher Roche (Lillas' son, died 12 February), Rose Paton (friend of Pam Gallagher), died 5 February), Joan McCarthy (Sri Wijetunga's son-in-law's mother), Eugene O'Carrigan (brother in law of Patrick Kirkwood), Margaret Comensoli Bishop Peter's mother), Ricki Hayes, (friend of Cecilia Kean, 7 January).

RECENT ANNIVERSARIES

Brian Fraser (husband of Devona, 2nd anniversary on 10th March), Roger Thrum (7th anniversary, 13 March), Terry Gallagher (9 year anniversary on 14 March), Noreen McGarry (14 year anniversary on 18 March), Ottaviano Praturlon, Jonas Buzinskas (Peter's father, 26th anniversary 9 March), Ina Alsaka (mother of Suzanne Cooke, 4th anniversary on 9 March), Elsa Praturlon's husband (22nd anniversary, 6 March), Eleanora Poletto (mother of Giordana Praturlon, 1st anniversary 26 February), Una Brennan (Peter's mother - 1st anniversary), Rosemary Bosch (mother of Michael - 3rd anniversary), Tom Anderson (father of Margaret MacMillan) anniversary 22 February), Maree Blanchard (3rd anniversary), Michael Comensoli (father of Bishop Peter, 3rd anniversary on 16th February), Maria McNally (4th anniversary), Margaret Bizannes (6th anniversary on 7 February), Biagio and Jelsomina Abignano (22nd anniversary), Onofrio Cerrato (anniversary on 2nd February), Damion (Sri Wijetunga's brother, 48th anniversary, 31st January), Vivian (Sri Wijetunga's grandmother, 44th anniversary), Patricia (Pat) Lynch, 1st anniversary, 23 January), Cheble El-Daher (father of Denise Kassis - 31st anniversary on 23 January), Joseph El-Daher (Denise Kassis' brother, 57th anniversary on 21 January), Lucy Machado (mother of Tony, 17th anniversary), Joan Clarke (1st anniversary, 22 January), Muriel Molnar (2nd anniversary on 21 January), Tod Walker (Lillas Roche's brother, 2nd anniversary on 20 January), Norma Robson, Vincent Tighe (father of Mike Tighe), Leo Tighe, (Uncle of Mike), Jacqui Hunter (birthday on 16 January), Elisa Restrepo Azos and Soila Restrepo, Tim O'Brien (8 January), Emila Nassa (7th anniversary, 6 January), Muemile Nassar (anniversary 6 January), Elisha Foti (4 January).

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Ellen Crehan (past parishioner, now living Tasmania), Surjadi Widjaja, Paul Esterhazy, Joan Dell, David Coombes, Mary Salter, Liz Rodgers (friend of the Waldron's in Melbourne), Steve Ralph, Doris Buzinskas, Christopher Anderson, Vera Priestley (mother of Candy Cosgriff), Pat MacMillan, Alex Koroknay (Pam's husband), Lucy Chee (David's mother), Jim Clayton (Fran's father-in-law), Gus Almgren, Madeleine Ryan, Gabrielle Flood, Mary Greco (friend of Eleanor Cooray), Grant Jepson, Noeline Mannix, Madeleine Reicher (granddaughter of Patricia Cox), Philip Stanley, Thomas Nash, Raymond McGarry (brother of John), Catherine McManamey, Donna Lucas, Andrew Watson, Ross Truda, Frances Hall, Anne Sutcliffe (Walter's wife), Brian Macmillan (Pat's brother in NZ), Jack Graham (son of Peter and Ali Graham), Khanh Nguyen (brother of Judy Bohlsen, in the US), Helen Gait (wife of Tom), Matthew Ho (father of Caroline Ho), Kevin Madden (brother of Chris), Priya Amernath, Ferdie Moraza (nephew of Rose Planas), Fay Partridge, Sandra Perera and Wilma Arndt (friends of Sri Wijetunga), Gamini Beneregama (Eleanor Cooray's brother in law in Melbourne), 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, Sue Roche.



Congratulations
to the Gorman and Praturlon Families

Arabella Alexandria
 will be baptised this Sunday at 11.30am



Do be sure to take a copy home of "Our Sunday Celebration" available at the entrances to our church.
 Inside there is much wonderful reading for our spiritual nourishment.

Would you like to receive our Parish Bulletin by email? Please contact our Parish Secretary secretary@holynamewahroonga.com.au

Do you need a lift to Mass? Be sure to let our Parish Office know and we will seek to assist you.

From Fr David

Dear friends,

This week is a very special one in the life of our Parish Family! On Sunday 18 March we celebrate the 70th anniversary of the establishment of our parish in 1948 and on Wednesday 21 March we celebrate the 64th anniversary of the opening of our church in 1954! This is a cause for much gratitude and celebration! As you know, to mark the 70th anniversary of our Parish we are to erect our Parish Bell! Peter Georgiades, our architect has been working very hard in the background to realise this project! We continue to get everything in place.



So that everything might be completed for our celebration we have now scheduled our Anniversary Celebrations in October. We are planning for a very special Parish Celebration on Sunday 21 October during which our Parish Bell will be rung and blessed! Stay tune for other ways that we will celebrate our Parish's 70th anniversary around that same time.

Last Wednesday we enjoyed our final Parish Dinner for the season of Lent. These have been very special events, following the very successful formula of Alpha. We have shared dinner together, listened to the Gospel of Lent, and discussed the meaning of the text in small groups. Our very special thanks to Prouille for the use of the school hall, to Tim Quilty and Gemma McDermott who have facilitated the evenings, to Frank Waldron for his help with the AV, and to Jackie Thornton, Sally Oong, Kerri Donovan, Lauren Montgomery who helped so marvellously in the kitchen and to our most gracious sommelier, Ken Laing, who assisted so much in the setting up and packing up for each evening.

We look forward to further such evenings later in the year!

Upcoming Events

Sun 25 Mar		Palm Sunday
Tues 27 Mar	7.30pm	Mass of the Holy Oils (Cathedral)
Sun 1 Apr		Easter Sunday
Sun 21 Oct		Celebration of our 70th Anniversary as a Parish with the Blessing of our Bell

Our Sunday Morning Mass Hospitality team has a vacancy for Week 5. This is for the dates 29 April, 29 July, 30 September and 30 December. Our Hospitality team sets up, serves and packs away Morning Tea for our Sunday 9.15am Mass. Please let the Parish Office know if can help.

We are urgently in need of some extra flower ladies to join our flower roster! Our ladies (usually 2 in a group) arrange the flowers approximately every 4-6 weeks on a Friday or Saturday. Please let the office know if you are able to help Thank you.



Thank you to the wonderful group from our parish who recently attended the World Day of Prayer at St John's Uniting Wahroonga. It was a privilege to join with the people of Suriname and hear their story of struggle and suffering but more importantly their pride and We are so blessed here in Australia. It is a great opportunity to join with our other local churches on such an occasion.

Holy Name will host in 2020first Friday in March.....early alert for the Diary!

Many thanks, Annette Stuart- Robertson

Parish Diary in the Coming Week

Monday	19 March	9.15am	Mass for the Solemnity of St Joseph
		9.00am - 11.00am	St Dominic's Playgroup - Sunroom
		11.00am- 1.00pm	Hispanito's Playgroup - Sunroom
		7.30pm	Second Rite of Reconciliation celebrated in our church
Tuesday	20 March	5.00pm & 6.30pm	First Reconciliation celebrated in church
		7.30pm	St Vincent de Paul Volunteers Information Evening in parish sunroom
Wednesday	21 March	5.00pm & 6.30pm	First Reconciliation celebrated in church
		7.15pm	Schola Rehearsal - Church
Thursday	22 March	9.50am	Sacrament of Anointing celebrated in church
		10.00am	Come As You Are Group - Sunroom
		2.00pm	Senior Ladies Meeting - Sunroom
		7.30pm	Bishop's Stational Deanery Mass celebrated at St Philip Neri, Northbridge
Friday	23 March	11.00am	College Mass at St Edmund's
		7.00pm	Stations of the Cross in the church
Saturday	24 March	9.30am - 11.00am	Easter Pop Up Choir Rehearsal in Church

Parish Events

50's And Over Singles Group

The next outing for the group is to visit the Jewish Museum at 148 Darlinghurst Road Darlinghurst on **Friday 23rd March 2018**. The Museum captures the history of the Jewish people in the 20th. century which is very well illustrated in the various displays. Entry fee is \$15.00 for adults and \$9.00 for seniors.

We will meet on the concourse of Gordon Station at 10.15 am and take the next train to Wynyard Station and change to catch a train to Kings Cross Station from here we can walk a short distance to the Museum. After seeing the exhibition we will then have lunch nearby.

Enquiries please contact
Susan Robson on 0404 005 267 or
Reg Gibbons on 9481 0334 or 0409 599 440.



Our wonderful neighbour in Billyard Ave, Joyce James celebrated her 100th birthday last Thursday 15 March! Our warmest congratulations Joyce! Ad multos annos! Below, a scene from one of our great Wednesday Lenten dinners.

EASTER SUNDAY POP UP CHOIR 2017.

Would you like to sing the joyful music of Easter ?

Would you like to try your hand at singing in one of the parish choirs ? The Easter pop up choir is a great place to start! The choir needs singers to provide the music for 1st April, Easter Sunday morning Mass at 9.15am.

If you would like to join us, please leave your email address on the sign up sheet at the back of church or email Chrissie Goldrick on chrissiegoldrick@gmail.com

Our rehearsals are held in the church from **9.30am - 11:00am** on 24th and 31st March. All music is provided and training given. No previous experience needed. Come along and help contribute to the wonderful Holy Week services here in Holy Name Parish.

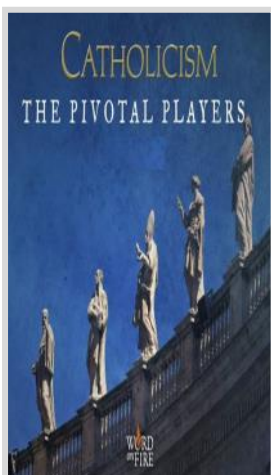


Do you have the joy and the challenge of a child with a disability?



A group of parents has come together in community to provide friendship and support to each other. The group's theme is **Hearts Open to Everyone (H.O.P.E.)** You are warmly invited to come along to our gatherings and be part of the fun. We meet in the parish sunroom on the third Tuesday of the month 10.30am to 12.30pm. Our next meeting is **Tuesday, 20 March** and everyone is welcome. Email: jokaraolis1@bigpond.com for further information.

"Catholicism, The Pivotal Players Vol I", is Bishop Barron's follow up series to "Catholicism", where he journeys to unlock the truth behind the Catholic Church's most influential people.



You'll discover the places where St. Thomas Aquinas lived, learned, and wrote. Visit the countryside where St. Francis gathered a group of friars and revived the Church. See the places where St. Catherine of Siena ministered and prayed. Trek through England to where Bl. John Henry Newman and G.K. Chesterton left their mark and sparked an English Catholic revival. And through unprecedented HD footage, marvel at the extraordinary art of Michelangelo, from his David statue in Florence, to the Pietà at St. Peter's, to the Sistine Chapel.

Our Parish Sunroom on Sunday at 4:15pm.
March 18: St. Catherine of Siena



**Senior Ladies Group
Next Meeting
THURSDAY 22 MARCH**
at 2.00pm in the Sunroom

Friendly, casual group - why not come and have a chat and enjoy a lovely afternoon tea Everyone is welcome.

**Come as You Are
Discussion/Reflection group
Thursdays after morning Mass in the Sunroom**



Coffee and cake first to start at 10am.
All very welcome.
Patrick Kirkwood and Annette Stuart-Robertson
0439 649 906

Volunteering: A Message from Mark and Louise Boffa

VOLUNTEERING - Not a new concept – familiar to many of you

We see volunteering in many aspects of church life – a few weeks ago we heard from Chris Goldrick on the various ministries that are available for those wishing to volunteer. Examples of volunteering:

Altar servers
Acolytes
Musicians and singers

What we are talking about today however is volunteering to assist those in need, or as one of the charities with whom we volunteer calls them, our Lord's the poor and the sick

The culture of volunteering was very strong in my family when I was growing up, and the same in my wife Louise's family. It was always expected of us that we would do something for others, without the expectation of anything in return. In the week before Ash Wednesday, Bishop Peter wrote about Lenten Penance. He wrote about three ways of observing this –

by prayer,
by self-denial, and
by helping others.

I would like you to consider the third of these today.

In that same week, some of you may have attended the Sunday evening mass which was celebrated by Fr Sunny from Corpus Christi in St Ives. We heard the gospel story of the Lepers – who were outcasts in their society. We were challenged by Fr Sunny to consider the idea that selfishness and greed are the spiritual, cultural and social leprosy of the 21st century. As mentioned, volunteering can come in many forms and over the years:

Louise and I, like many parents, used to help out at the various schools with the P&F and sport. We volunteered at work and with professional organisations. And for some years we have been volunteering with two charitable organisations.

This lent we would like you to think about that last category and consider volunteering to assist others in need – those who are sometimes rendered outcasts in our modern society. Volunteering can encompass as much or as little as you want, however it must be sustainable – far better to do a little less on a regular basis than to have a burst of activity that cannot be sustained and then stops. It should never take you away from your family commitments and you must not expose yourself to undue risks.

Louise and I, just like our parents before us, wanted also to lead by example. Our children are now all young adults, but at various times in their teenage years, we encouraged them to help us in our volunteering role, which they took on willingly; hopefully one day they will inspire others to do the same.

Consider this appeal therefore as more than a personal one, and one that can define your family spiritually, culturally and socially.

Spirit of St Lucy's

Year 6 Leaders' Mass: Last Thursday 8th March, our three St Lucy's School Captains, Summer, Eli and Annamieke, attended the Diocese of Broken Bay's Year 6 Leaders' Mass at Hornsby Parish's Our Lady of the Rosary Cathedral.

They had a very special role during the Gospel Procession. They did this with the four student leaders from Our Lady of Dolours, Chatswood. It was a very special celebration, a beautiful Mass and Summer, Eli and Annamieke made us all very proud!



Around and About

Dementia Discussion Group North Turramurra



The monthly meeting of the Alzheimers' Discussion/Education Group is held on the 3rd Monday of each month (except December) at the Richard Geeves Centre, 10 Murrua Road, Turramurra, commencing at 7.00pm. Our next meeting is:

Monday 19th March - Fair Trading Seniors Guild

14-15 April, 2018 - Being and Becoming a WOMAN

A Retreat for Young Women on Womanhood following the example of MARY

When: Saturday 14th April 10am - Sunday 15th April 2pm

Where: Mount Schoenstatt Spirituality Centre, 230 Fairlight Road, Mulgoa 2745

Investment: \$130 - Registration and Payment by 8th April

Contact: Sr M Julie Brcar - 0408 738 334 or juliebrcar@gmail.com

Sunday 8th April is Divine Mercy Sunday

Jesus said to St Faustina: **"This is the hour of great mercy for the whole world"**. You are invited to Divine Mercy celebrations at St Agatha's, Pennant Hills, on Sunday 8th April from 1:30pm to 5:00pm, including Reconciliation (**note that reconciliation commences at 1:00pm**), **Mass at 2:00pm**, Benediction, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Veneration of the Divine Mercy image. Please bring a plate (if you can) for afternoon tea. Enquiries: Greg, 9871 2670.

Voices From The Waters is hosting its next acapella workshop on Saturday March 24th. We are delighted to have Naomi Cooper to facilitate. Naomi Cooper has had extensive experience conducting choirs of all ages from children to adults. She will bring her skills, her vibrant approach and enthusiastic love of music and people to this a cappella workshop. Come along for a great afternoon - learn some new songs with like-minded music loving, friendly people; enjoy a 'sumptuous' afternoon tea; and leave with a brain pumping with endorphins – the feel-good hormone

Where: Nulty room - **Our Lady of the Rosary Cathedral**,

23 Yardley Ave, Waitara, NSW **Time:** 1 – 4pm on Sat 24th March

Cost is \$25 (includes the 'sumptuous' afternoon tea)

For further details call Heather 9456 3473 or Karin 0414965069,

Serra Mass and Dinner



Father Robert Borg, Dean of the Cathedral and Administrator of the Parish, will be celebrating Mass for Serra at **Sacred Heart Church 2 Richard Porter Way Pymble** on **Thursday 22nd March**

2018.

The evening commences with Mass at **6.30PM** followed by a light meal and a short meeting. After dinner Father Robert will be our guest speaker. His topic will be the Easter Triduum.

Everyone is welcome to join us for what will be a very interesting evening.

Please remember to pray every day for vocations to the priesthood, diaconate, the consecrated life, ecclesial women, all seminarians and novices and for the perseverance of existing vocations.

Please telephone: Terry Scanlan on **0438 887 295** or email terry_scanlan@bigpond.com if you would like to attend.

World Youth Day 2018 on Palm Sunday!

Every year since 1983, the Pope has called local bishops to gather with their own young people on Palm Sunday to Celebrate World Youth Day and 2018 is no exception. Bishop Peter invites the young and wise of the Diocese to join him to celebrate World Youth Day 2018 at Our Lady of the Rosary Cathedral. If you would like to assist in some way at the Mass or concelebrate, please contact the CYBB team.

Where: Hornsby Cathedral, 23 Yardley Ave, Waitara

When: 6pm Mass on Sunday 25 March

Young people are encouraged to join us for some food and fun from 4:30pm

RSVP: youth@dbb.org.au

Oakhill College Art and Craft Show Saturday 24th & Sunday 25th March 10am-4.00pm

Everyone's welcome at ART IN THE HILLS at Oakhill College next weekend. The show features 450 artworks from top Australian artists, along with a terrific range of craft including ceramics, homewares, clothing and jewellery. There will also be a café and live music to enjoy!

Address: Oakhill College, 423-513 Old Northern Rd, Castle Hill

Website: www.artoakhill.com.au



Have you thought about where to send your child to school?



The Personalised Tutorial System, pioneered in Australia by PARED (Parents for Education Foundation), ensures that each child has the guidance of a personal mentor, the Tutor. They meet one-on-one throughout the year to work on goals for academic and character development, in close partnership with the parents.

PARED has two Independent Schools in the Hills area:

Tangara School on Franklin Road, Cherrybrook

(boys and girls from Reception to Year 1. All girls from Years 2-12)

Redfield College on Old Northern Road, Dural

(all boys from Years 2-12)

*Academic excellence *Character formation *Strong co-curricular program • Caring environment • Community service and leadership • Solid religious education program on the teachings of the Catholic Church

Term 1 Open Day - Wednesday 21 March 2018 10.00am to 12.30pm (Tangara) 12.00pm to 2.30pm (Redfield)

www.tangara.nsw.edu.au • 9680 4844 | www.redfield.nsw.edu.au • 9651 4066



Reconciliation Times in our Area

St Bernard's

21 Warrina St
Berowra Heights NSW 2082
ph: 9456 2450

Reconciliation:

Every Saturday before 5.30pm Vigil Mass

St Patrick's

1 Royston Parade
Asquith NSW 2077
ph: 9456 2450

Reconciliation:

Every Saturday after 9.00am Mass

Our Lady of the Rosary Cathedral

23 Yardley Avenue
Waitara NSW 2077
ph: 9483 2300

Reconciliation

Saturdays 10.00am-10.30am

Queen of Peace Church

18 Stuart Ave
Normanhurst NSW 2076

Reconciliation

Saturday 4.45pm - 5.15pm

Our Lady of Perpetual Succour

64 Kendall St
West Pymble NSW 2073

Reconciliation

Saturdays 9.30am

Sacred Heart

2 Richard Porter Way
Pymble NSW 2073
ph: 9144 2702

Reconciliation

5.00pm Saturday; 5.30pm Sunday; 8.30am Friday

Corpus Christi

263 Mona Vale Road
St Ives NSW 2075
ph: 9144 6998

Reconciliation

9.30am until 10.00am Saturdays

St Agatha's

20 Boundary Road
Pennant Hills NSW 2120
ph: 9484 1427

Reconciliation

Saturdays 8.30am-9.30am

Holy Family

Cnr Pacific Hwy and Highfield Rd
Lindfield NSW 2070
ph: 9416 3702

Reconciliation

Saturdays from 5.00 - 5.30pm

Immaculate Heart of Mary

76 Fiddens Wharf Rd
Killara NSW 2070
ph: 9416 3702

Reconciliation

15 minutes after the Vigil Mass (which is Saturday at 5.30pm)

St Gerard Majella's Parish Church

543 North Rocks Road
Carlingford, NSW 2118

Sacrament of Reconciliation

5:00 - 5:30pm Saturdays

Our Welcoming Team

Sat 5pm	Week 1	Joan Dell & Joy George
	Week 2	Milena Huntley Louise and Mia Koopman
	Week 3	Milena Huntley Lyn & Ray Attard
	Week 4	Mary Stanley, Dot Brink, Frankie Doran
	Week 5	Milena Huntley
Sun 9.15am	Week 1	Joanna Vella Giovanna Flores
	Week 2	Giovanna Flores
	Week 3	Ina Evans Giovanna Flores
	Week 4	Giovanna Flores
	Week 5	Halina and David Brett
Sun 5.30pm	Week 1	The Board Family
	Week 2	The Watson Family
	Week 3	Sri Wijetunga
	Week 4	Dominique Kind
	Week 5	Dominique Kind

THE JOURNEY CATHOLIC RADIO PROGRAM – AIRS 18 March 2018

This week on the Journey, we continue to use the Gospel reflection from Wollongong Diocese Lenten program, Sr Hilda From the Abbey speaks softly to us, Pete Gilmore in his Living The Gospel segment, reminds of the story of The Lion of Judah, Francene Pirolas gives some advice on How To Save A Marriage in Trouble in her segment, Smart Loving. We are so lucky to have amazingly talented music artists to help pull our show together to create a show about faith, hope, love and life. Tune into Rhema CC 94.9 Sunday 1pm or go to www.jcr.org.au or www.itunes.jcr.org.au where you can listen anytime and subscribe to weekly shows by email.

Men's Lenten Retreat Day – Notre Dame Broadway

On Saturday, March 24 from 10am to 4:30pm.

The day will include Mass, time for reflection and reconciliation, lunch, afternoon tea, and inspiring talks from three fantastic speakers who will present the sessions: • Fr James Baxter, OP • Fr Lewi Barakat • Fr Ed Travers, MSC. The retreat will take place at The University of Notre Dame Australia on Broadway campus.

Parish Contact Information and Mass Times

Parish Priest	Fr David Ranson PP, VG	david.ranson@dbb.org.au
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Office Hours	Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 8.30am—5pm	
Phone	(02) 9489 3221	
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 Coordinator	Mr. Chris Goldrick	goldrick@bigpond.net.au/ 0450 963 596

Weekend Masses:

Saturday 5.00pm

Sunday 9.15am and 5.30pm.

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

(Vespers with Dominican Lay Chapter 3.00pm on 2nd Sunday)

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

Sacrament of Anointing:

Last Thursday of the month following the 9.15am Mass
At Hammond Care, North Turrumurra monthly

Parish Pastoral Council in 2018

Ken Laing (Chair), Gemma McDermott (Deputy Chair) Kerri Donovan (Secretary), Rachel Mitchell, Lauren Montgomery, Tim Quilty, Janet Walker, Tom Waugh, Lucian Wijetunga, Giovanna Flores-Clarke, along with Sue Bevan (Prouille) and Vanessa Dillon (St Lucy's)

Parish Finance Committee in 2018

Marinela Mendes, Tony Monardo, Brian McGarry, Robyn Elizondo, Tim Quilty (PPC Representative in 2018)

Parish Fundraising Committee

Noel Kean (Chair), Alan Amodeo, Meredith Baume, Kevin Figueiredo, Jo Karaolis

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)

Donation by Electronic Transfer

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

EFTPOS Available in Parish Office

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