



Holy Name Catholic Parish

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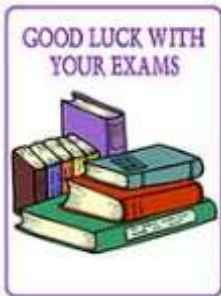


Sunday 18 October —29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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.



Good Luck Year 12!

Our Year 12 students commence their HSC exams this week. 2020 has been a particularly difficult year for them and we wish them every success.

Please keep them in your prayers over the next few weeks

A Parish HSC Prayer

Heavenly Father, we pray for our HSC students.

Give them the gifts of wisdom, right judgement, knowledge and courage.

Bless them with calm hearts and clarity of mind as they sit for their exams.

May they be acknowledged in their efforts and may they know that you are there with them.

We pray that they will stay calm under pressure and work to the best of their ability.

May they feel your loving presence in their lives, now and always, and may they be strengthened by the prayerful support of us, their parish community.

We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, now and forever.

Amen



Congratulations to these 13 children who will receiving the Sacrament of First Eucharist this Sunday

<i>Kingston Boyaji</i>	<i>Frederick Gosling</i>
<i>Liam Branley</i>	<i>Blake Hagarty</i>
<i>Matilda Byrne</i>	<i>Raphael Sahn</i>
<i>Zara Campbell</i>	<i>Harley Webb</i>
<i>Luca Chiarella</i>	<i>Samuel Williams</i>
<i>Bryce Davis</i>	<i>Violet Williams</i>
<i>Christopher Doyle</i>	



This is the first of four groups of children who will celebrate this sacrament over the next few weeks. A huge thank you to our Parents and Carers, who, under the guidance of our Sacramental Co-ordinator, Mrs Sally Oong, have taken on the task of instructing their children in the Sacramental Program at home. You have all done a wonderful job. We are very appreciative of this and happy to have been able to assist you in celebrating this journey with your children.



Fr David will be taking his well deserved and long overdue leave from 18 October to 20 November.

Enjoy your holiday Fr D
We will miss you!



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 October	No Mass				Weekday, Ordinary Time 29
Tuesday	20 October	Mass	9.15am			Weekday, Ordinary Time 29
Wednesday	21 October	Mass	9.15am			Weekday, Ordinary Time 29
Thursday	22 October	Mass	9.15am			Weekday, Ordinary Time 29
Friday	23 October	Mass	9.15am			Weekday, Ordinary Time 29
Saturday	24 October	Mass			5.00pm	Vigil of the 30th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME
Sunday	25 October	Mass	8.00am	9.30am	5.30pm	30th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

Please Remember in your Prayers

RECENTLY DECEASED:

Róisín Brosnan (mother of Louise Smith, died in Ireland 21 September) Dan Gibbons (brother of Reg Gibbons, husband of Maria and father of Annette and Diane, died 1 October aged 92), Bill Byrne, Maria Pullin (wife of Gordon, died 16 September), Rondalea Anne Perkins (died 12 September), John Delaney (friend of John McGarry, died 11 September), Manh Phan (Melvin's father, died 14 August), Rose Leong (aunt of Caroline Ho, died 18 August), Maureen Helsloot (friend of Mike Tighe, died 19 August).

ANNIVERSARIES:

Dr Anthony Lopes (brother/brother-in-law of Quinnie & Tony Machado - 6th anniversary on 19 October), Dr Martin Flood (father of Gemma and Martin, 3rd anniversary on 20 October), Genevieve Mangos (Granddaughter of Pam Gallagher, 9th anniversary on 20 October), Sylvia Hebblewhite (mother of Janet Fitzpatrick, 2nd anniversary on 21 October). Melba Cincotta (Trish Maiolo's mother, 7th anniversary 23rd October), Sarah Royle (ex Prouille student, daughter of Jill and Peter, sister of Leah, 20th anniversary), John Vince (Cecilia Kean's father, 35th anniversary on the 9 October), Monica Foote (Patrice Buzinskas' Mum, 11th Anniversary on 9 October), John Crow (Hayley Edmund's father, 1st anniversary 25 September), Dr John Duggan (father of Christopher, grandfather of Terence, Dominic and Isabelle and dear friend of Pam Gallagher, 2nd anniversary on 25 September), Ted George (Joy's husband, 29th anniversary on 21 September), Vincenzo Monardo (Tony's Dad, 2nd anniversary), Margaret Denham (Tess Denham-Fabry's mother, 4th anniversary 13 September), Shirley Ranson (Fr David's Mum - 6th anniversary on 18 September), Hend El-Daher (mother of Denise Kassis - 12th anniversary on 11 September), Faye Amodeo (Alan Amodeo's mother, 3rd anniversary, 6 September), Patricia Darwell (Greg's mother, 4th anniversary 6 September), Mick O'Conner (father of Louise Limbers, 3rd anniversary, 3 September), Claire McGrath (wife of Ves, 14th anniversary on 1 September), Patricia Loneragan (sister of Fred, 3rd anniversary on 26 August), Jean Goldrick (Mum of Chris, 5th anniversary on 27 August), Fred Smith (Dot Brink's father, 9th anniversary on 27 August), Barry Price (husband of Marie-Claire, 5th anniversary on 28th August), Louis Planas (14th anniversary on 19 August), Betty Laing (Ken's Mum, 2nd anniversary, 22nd August), Melissa Lopes (sister in law of Quinnie Machado, 10th anniversary on 17 August), Alexandra Lopes (mother of Quinnie Machado, anniversary on 20 August), Takehisa Koyanagi (brother in law of Michael Calvi, 7th anniversary on 13 August), Peggy Smyth (Chrissie Goldrick's mum—1st anniversary), Patricia Smyth (sister of Chrissie Goldrick - 9th anniversary on 5 August), Don Dell (husband of Joan, 12th anniversary on 13 August), Mary Bourke (Grandmother of Rosalie Belsey, 4th anniversary on 10 August), Patrick Madden (brother of Chris, 4th anniversary on 10 August), Catherine Bourke (daughter of John and Penny Bourke, 5th anniversary, 11 August).

FOR THE SICK:

Maurice Aliprandi (father of Erica Bayldon), Conor McCreton, Sr. Karen Stafford smsm, Margaret Anderson (sister-in-law of Frank and Jo Waldron), Nonoy Tad-y (cousin of Rose Raward), Colin Higgins, Candy Cosgriff, Anne Carney, Diane Poirrier, Richard Connolly (friend of Patrick Kirkwood), Nancy Den Hertog, Walter Sutcliffe, Karen Tighe (daughter of Mike), Isla Fisher, Mark Brookes (friend of Barry Clibborn), , 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, Dennis Morgan, Susie Dunning (sister of Leila McCreton), Gloria Boswell, Mel Vince (Cecilia Kean's Mum), Baby Thomas Joseph Elley, John McGarry, Freya Carney, Peter Brassil (great friend of Helen and Bill Tysoe), Fr Michael Fallon msc (friend of Patrick Kirkwood), Steve Ralph, Margaret Woodlands, Hildegard McLaughlin, David Coombes, 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, Michael Walsh, Caoimhe Browne, Murray Howe, George Dunne.

Give the ones you
love wings to fly,
roots to come back,
and reasons to stay.
Doris Lanna



Congratulations
to the Boyaji Family
Harvey James
will be baptised on Sunday at 1:00pm

From Fr David

Dear friends,

I am now on my annual leave. I am taking a slightly extended holiday from 18 October to 20 November—a period of 5 weeks. I am very much looking forward to exploring far west NSW! As I have shared with you through our online parish newsletter, it is now most likely that my time with you at Holy Name is drawing its conclusion after 10 years. It is now more certain that Bishop Anthony will provide me with a new assignment at the beginning of 2021. I am hopeful that soon after my return from leave I will have something more clear to share with you. However, it may be that the time leading to Christmas will be one, sadly, of farewell. There will be lots more to say at that time. However, I have wanted to prepare you for this eventuality with plenty of time .

This week we commence a series of Sunday Masses for our children receiving the Eucharist for the first time. Given our COVID restrictions these will be celebrated at 11am over the next four weeks. It is a great joy to welcome them to the Table of the Lord and thus to bring to a conclusion their initiation into our Catholic community. We pray that this moment be one of unique and special encounter with Jesus who is given to them as the Bread of Life. A special thank you to their families who have prepared them for this moment in difficult circumstances and to Mrs Sally Oong for her coordination of the program and the special Masses that are to follow.

This week, our annual Parish Finance Report is available both on our website and through our parish email newsletter. My special thanks to our Parish Finance Committee and our Book-keeper, Mrs Ilona Dudek for their great assistance in ensuring that we have kept afloat!

Please keep our Year 12 in your prayers as they commence their HSC exams this week.

Intercession -

An opportunity to learn more about intercession.

Presenter: Anne Marie Gatenby ,
Intercession coordinator for the
Catholic Charismatic Renewal Australia

Dates: Thursdays - 22 October and 29 October
Time: 7pm-8.30pm

Join Zoom Meeting:

[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89498078378?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89498078378?pwd=dXprQ01zRmErdkplc1dVTnpCM2VsZz09)
[pwd=dXprQ01zRmErdkplc1dVTnpCM2VsZz09](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89498078378?pwd=dXprQ01zRmErdkplc1dVTnpCM2VsZz09)

or

Meeting ID: 894 9807 8378 Passcode: 954108



Spirit of St Lucy's

Supporting our farmers and rural communities

Over the last couple of years, the St Lucy's Community has proudly supported the 'Fiver For A Farmer' initiative that started in response to the severe impact the drought was having on our farming communities. Once again this year, we directed our end of Term Three fundraiser to our farming communities by sending the money raised to RuralAid. As with many areas and industries impacted by COVID-19, our farming communities have also suffered. Whilst the drought has somewhat 'broken', many crops have been unable to be properly harvested due to a lack of human resources; financial hardships have hit our farming communities due to a drop in demand for agricultural exports; and the increased need for counselling support due to the impact of COVID -19 has become a major focus in rural communities. RuralAid assists our rural and farming communities in supporting them through any major crisis that heavily impacts them. The students (and staff) came dressed as farmers and brought in money as well. We raised over \$300 for this very worthy cause!



Congratulations!

Last Wednesday evening, 14 October, Bishop Anthony Randazzo ordained Aldrin Valdehueza to the Order of Deacons at Our Lady of Dolours Parish, Chatswood.



Pictured L-R: Fr David, Aldrin Valdehueza, Bishop Anthony and Fr Danny Meagher (Rector of the Seminary of the Good Shepherd)

The month of October each year is dedicated to the Most Holy Rosary.

Noreen Pang has started a ZOOM Rosary for all of October in honour of Our Lady of the Rosary. every evening at 9pm until 31 October 2020. Join the Zoom meeting on

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87033751918?pwd=VXFTcTY3N3hLTURkN2Zkcm5VTXJKQT09>



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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 8.00am, 9.30am 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 (Suspended)

Special Intercessions/intentions remembered at Friday Mass.

Friday evening: Holy Hour from 7.00pm (Suspended)

Mass is also celebrated :

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

St Leo's College, Wahroonga Friday 12.55pm during school terms

Eucharistic Adoration is available in the Aquinas Chapel:

Tuesdays and Fridays from 10.00am – 6.00pm

(Suspended until further notice)

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. We recommend you call the parish in advance to confirm times.

Sacrament of Anointing:

Last Thursday of the month following the 9.15am Mass

Parish Pastoral and Missionary Council for 2020

Gemma McDermott (Chair), Tess Denham-Fabry (Deputy Chair), Ed Scully (Secretary), Chrissie Goldrick, Tom Waugh, Giovanna Flores-Clarke, Ian Edmunds, Samantha Vieira, Sally Oong and 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, Paul O'Brien

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) **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—These monies are for the support of our Parish and Clergy.