# Third Sunday of



Sunday 24 March - Third Sunday of Lent

# Holy Name Catholic Parish DIOCESE OF BROKEN BAY

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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.

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

This weekend we continue to hold in our hearts and prayer All those who have lost their lives in the dreadful event of terrorism in Christchurch.

Marinela Mendes has given us a beautiful Rosemary plant that has been placed before the lectern.

In his role as Diocesan Administrator, Fr David has written a letter to the Mufti of Australia. This is reprinted on page five



As part of our Lenten practice of almsgiving by which we become more conscious of the needs of others, volunteers from Cana Communities are with us this weekend seeking our help. Cana Communities provides family-type support for people from the streets and is one of the largest providers of crisis beds in the inner city.

All donations over \$2 are tax deductible. Cana Communities was started 44 years ago by Dominican Brother Mark Brereton.

At our Saturday evening Mass, we welcome our Reconciliation candidates and their families. Everyone is invited to stay for the sausage sizzle following 5.00pm Mass.

We extend a huge thanks to Ray and Rebecca Hanly from Beak &Sons for their generosity of our sausages!

Monday 25 March is the Feast of the Annunciation and Fr David will celebrate Mass at 9.15am

Senior Ladies - this Thursday at 2.00pm in the Sunroom Maria Littrich will speak to the group about her recent trip to Portugal. Everyone is welcome.







#### The Light is ON For You

How are your Lenten commitments going? Are you looking for a way to kick start your Lent? This week we continue The *Light is ON* and we are open on Friday between 7.00pm-8.00pm. Come along to make a space to renew your relationship with God through prayer. The Sacrament of Reconciliation will also be available during this time.

On Friday evenings we pray the Stations of the Cross commencing at 7.00pm

Would you like to join one of our parish dinners during Lent?
We have dinner at Prouille on the next
3 Thursday evenings from 7-9pm

The evenings begin with sharing a meal together, then reading the Gospel for the following Sunday (based on the Lectio Divina booklets) and concluding with small group discussion. Please indicate your interest on the Sign Up Sheet at the entrance to the church. Or just come on in! Everyone is welcome!



Parish Masses This Week					
Monday	25 March	9.15am Mass	The ANNUNCIATION of the LORD		
Tuesday	26 March	9.15am Mass	Tuesday of the 3rd week of Lent		
Wednesday	27 March	9.15am Mass	Wednesday of the 3rd week of Lent		
Thursday	28 March	9.15am Mass	Thursday of the 3rd week of Lent		
Friday	29 March	9.15am Mass	Friday of the 3rd week of Lent		
Saturday	30 March	5.00pm Mass	Vigil of the Fourth Sunday of Lent		
Sunday	31 March	9.15am and 5.30pm	FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT		



This Week: The parable of the fig tree (Rose Raward)

Next Week: Year 1 Family Mass - No Children's Liturgy today.

# Please Remember in your Prayers

#### RECENTLY DECEASED:

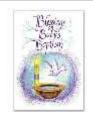
Byrant and Yvonne McGrath (brother and sister-in-law of Ves McGrath), Guiseppina Zappia (sister of Elizabeth "Betty" Severino, died 6 March, aged 93), Eileen McGovern (died 28 February), Sue Roche (died 22 February, aged 70 years), Joan Allen (ex parishioner, died 22 February aged 88 years), Margaret Armstrong - Sr Helena IBVM (Loreto nun, friend of Pam Gallagher, died 6 February), Margaret Thomson (mother of Phil Thomson) Juliette Rose Perrottet (infant daughter of Gabriel and Elizabeth died 20 January), Dionne Lua-Vizcaino (wife of Bernardo and mother to Ben and Lucas), Tony Andrews, Mary Porter, (friend of Marg MacMillan, New Zealand), Stephen Tamone (husband of Louise, teacher at Prouille), Joseph Mcelhenny (father of Kevin Mcelhenny, died 3 January), Ingrid Thompson (teacher at Brigidine, died 1 January).

#### **RECENT ANNIVERSARIES:**

Noreen McGarry (15 year anniversary on 18 March), Vincent and Leo Tighe (father and uncle of Mike Tighe), Roger Thrum (Daphne's husband, 8th anniversary, 13 March), Terry Gallagher (husband of Pam - 10 year anniversary on 14th March), Ina Alsaka (mother of Suzanne Cooke, 5th anniversary on 9 March), Jonas Buzinskas (father of Peter, anniversary on 9 March), Brian Fraser (husband of Devona, 3rd anniversary on 10th March), Ottaviano Praturlon (husband of Elsa, 23rd anniversary on 6 March), Eleanora Poletto (mother of Giordana Praturlon, 2nd anniversary 26 February), Tom Anderson (father of Margaret MacMillan) anniversary 22 February), Chris Roche (Lillas' son, 1st anniversary on 12 February) Reg Kirkwood (brother of Patrick, 1st anniversary on 14 February), Michael Comensoli (Archbishop Peter's father, 4<sup>th</sup> anniversary 16 February) Kay Elizabeth Ann Baguley (mother of Jo Toomey, 20th anniversary on 2nd February), Margaret Bizannes (7th anniversary on 7 February), Biagio and Jelsomina Abignano (23rd anniversary), Damian (Sri Wijetunga's brother, 49th anniversary, 31st January), Cheble El-Daher (father of Denise Kassis - 32nd anniversary on 23 January), Patricia (Pat) Lynch, 2nd anniversary, 23 January). Joseph El-Daher (Denise Kassis' brother, 58th anniversary on 21 January, Joan Clarke (2nd anniversary, 22 January), Muriel Molnar (3rd anniversary, 21 January), Tod Walker (Lillas Roche's brother, 3rd anniversary) and Alexander Ryan (nephew of Liz Webster - 1st anniversary), Elisha Foti - 6th anniversary on 4 January Emile Nassar - 8th anniversary on 6 January), Ricki Hayes, (friend of Cecilia Kean, 1st anniversary on 7 January), Tim O'Brien (son of Paul and Jenny, 3rd anniversary on 8 January), Bettina Luca (7th anniversary on 7 January), and Amedeo (Laurie) Luca 22nd anniversary on 8 January and (parents of Greg Luca and Daniela McGrath).

#### PRAYERS FOR THE SICK:

Gus Almgren, Peter Brassil (great friend of Helen and Bill Tysoe), Belinda Nisbett (Prouille staff member), Mary Peachy (Brigid Wright's sister), Fr Michael Fallon msc (friend of Patrick Kirkwood), Fran Cuddy (St James Turramurra, KCEA), Helen Tysoe, Margaret Woodlands, Julia Farrell, Helen McGrath (friend of Jo and Frank Waldron), Ron Phillips (Lynne Attard's Dad), Charlie Attard (Ray's brother), Nancy Portelli (Ray Attard's sister), Athol Higgins, Hildegard McLaughlin, Barbara Dunning, Joan Dell, David Coombes, Mary Salter, Liz Rodgers (friend of the Waldrons in Melbourne), Steve Ralph, Doris Buzinskas, Christopher Anderson, 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, Donna Lucas, Andrew Watson, Ross Truda, Frances Hall, Anne Sutcliffe (Walter's wife), Helen Gait (wife of Tom), Kevin Madden (brother of Chris), 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 the Lee, McDowell and Sutherland Families

Matilda, Tahlia, Benjamin, Amelia and Hugo

will be baptised this Sunday at 11:00am



#### From Fr David

Dear friends,

At time of such darkness as in the event of terrorism in Christchurch last Friday afternoon, we draw hope from the many moments of grace that also fill our lives. The light of these moments dispel the shadows of our world and our hearts. There were many moments of grace in the mosques of Christchurch last Friday as we learn off the stories of heroism and forgiveness. These moments are indicators to us that love is stronger than fear, hope more enduring than despair.

During this week I enjoyed a wonderful moment of grace when I joined the Year 6 leaders of all the schools in our Diocese. They came together for a morning of reflection at the Light of Christ Centre in Waitara followed by Mass in the Cathedral. I shared with them six lessons that I had learnt about leadership. Then I asked them, "What can you teach ME, about leadership? What have you learnt about what a leader is?" Their responses were simply astounding, and showed the most remarkable depth of reflection and maturity. We chatted together for nearly an hour, and the students were so engaged we could have kept talking with one another for a further hour! It is such a credit to our schools that our young people are being formed with such perspectives. As I shared with them, because of their wonderful example, I do not feel as alone in my own leadership. We are leaders together! Such a moment of blessing was, for me, a sure sign of the power of goodness that the shadows of inhumanity can never overcome.

Then, on Thursday evening, a number of our community came together to share a meal and friendship, listen to the Word of God, and break open that Word in discussion and sharing with one another. This, too, demonstrates the beauty of the Spirit of God that inbreaks into the darkness of our world. Do think of joining us on a Thursday evening during the remaining weeks of Lent. We start at 7pm at Prouille. Dinner is provided and we are home by 9pm, yet greatly enriched.

## Upcoming Parish Events

Thursday 28 March at 7pm,	Second Lenten Dinner with Discussion and Prayer	
Tuesday 2 April	Celebration of First Reconciliation	
Tuesday 9 April 7.30pm	2nd Rite of Reconciliation celebrated in our church	
Sunday 14	Palm Sunday	
Sunday 21	Easter Sunday	



The first of our four Lenten Dinners was last Thursday our dinners will continue for the next three Thursday nights Do join in! We meet in Prouille Hall from 7.00pm-9.00pm

# Parish Diary in the Coming Week

Monday	25 March	9.15am	Mass for Feast of the Annunciation
	25 March	9.00am- 11.00am	St Dominic's Playgroup - Sunroom
Tuesday	26 March	11.00am	Mass at UPA Aged Care Facility
	26 March	2.10pm	Sacrament of Reconciliation at Prouille
	26 March	7.30pm	Parish Pastoral Council Meeting - Sunroom
Wednesday	27 March	4.00pm-7.00pm	Clergy Network Meeting - Sunroom
	27 March	7.15pm	Schola Rehearsal - Church
Thursday	28 March	9.50pm	Sacrament of Anointing - Church
	28 March	10.00am	Come As You Are Reflection and Discussion Group - Sunroom
	28 March	2.00pm	Senior Ladies Meeting - Sunroom
	28 March	7.00pm	Lenten Dinner at Prouille (2nd of 4)
Friday	29 March	7.00pm	The Light is On: Stations of the Cross prayed in our church
Saturday	30 March	3.45pm	Reconciliation Preparation Final Session - Prouille School then 5.00pm Mass at Church followed by sausage sizzle

#### Parish Events



#### Senior Ladies Group

This Thursday, 28 March at 2.00pm in the Sunroom

Maria Littrich will speak about her recent visit to Portugal.

Everyone is welcome to come to this casual and friendly group for a chat and cuppa and some delicious afternoon tea.

Enquiries: Jo Waldron 0412 018 819

#### URGENT!

Catechist needed for Year 4 at Wahroonga Public School ("The Bush School") on a Thursday morning from 9.20am - 10.00am. Please contact Cecilia Kean if you can help 9489 0441

#### Wanted for St Dominic's Playgroup



Do you have a children's play kitchen you no longer need? Our playgroup would be grateful for it. Please contact the Parish Office 9489 3221 if you can assist.

#### To Young Adults: To What is the Lord Calling You?

Every Christian has a vocation, a special invitation from God to become holy and whole, to walk a unique, earthly path that leads ultimately to heaven. Samuel Group participants are encouraged to bring their unique questions, desires, strengths and weaknesses to God, and to learn to respond to His loving voice. This discernment event is for young adults, who meet together once a month in order to pray, ask questions and discover their individual vocations or lifetime call from God.

We invite you to set aside a few hours on Wednesday evening March 27 in order to learn more about God and yourself and investigate your vocation, a special call from God, to leave a mark in this world.

Dates: 27 March, 29 May, 24 July, 18 September, 20 November.

Time 5:30pm – 7:30pm

Where: Holy Name Parish - 35 Billyard Ave, Wahroonga

For more information please contact the

Vocations Office for the Diocese of Broken Bay

Vocations.ministry@bbcatholic.org.au or call

W: 02 9484 1427 M: 0418 522 449.

We are looking for parishioners who may be interested in joining the "Prayers of the Faithful" roster.



At present there are 5 of us who rotate each week to compose the prayers and we would welcome anyone interested to join the roster. You will be given resources to assist you. It is a valuable ministry in our parish. I am happy to be contacted on 0418 603 658, 9449 4998 or jodsg@tpg.com.au if you have further questions. Thank you, Jane Geier

Our Lenten Library



Located at the entrance to the Church Lent—A time to look back Reflect, Repent and be Restored The Lenten books are displayed for reading to all members of Holy Name

Church. Please pause a moment, take one and let your spiritual appetite be restored.

- 1. One book per person.
- 2. Borrowed books to be returned in a week's time.

However if you would like to read longer please return and take it later when another person has been given the chance to read.

#### 50's And Over Singles Group

The next outing for the above group is to visit the Vintage Car Exhibition, Steam Trains, food stalls and Markets at Maitland Park.

We will meet at 7.30 am at the Concourse of Hornsby Station on Sunday 14th April and take the Country Link Train to Hamilton Station and change trains and go to Maitland Station and arrive at 10.36 am. Then we will cross over the railway bridge and walk to the Maitland Park. Enquiries please phone Susan Robson on 0404 005 267 or Reg Gibbons on 9481 0334 or 0409 599 440.

#### **Next Family Masses:**

Sunday 31st March - hosted by Year 1 Sunday 12th May - **Mothers' Day** Sunday 26th May - HOPE Mass



# Sacramental Snippets

#### What we are learning this week:

The cross is the great symbol of reconciliation

For those who follow Jesus, the cross is the great symbol of reconciliation. The cross reminds us that God loves us and forgives us.

Even when we feel most distant from God and from the people in our lives, God is always loving us and calling us to return to his love and to make peace with one another. While we need to make a big effort, we recognise that reconciliation is always the initiative of God's boundless mercy and love.

Sacramental Programme Reconciliation



Sacramental Preparation Final Groups:

Held at Prouille School on: **Saturday 30 March at 3.45pm**,

followed by 5pm Mass at church and a sausage sizzle after Mass.

Celebration of Reconciliation: (2 options)

**Tuesday** 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2019 5.15pm or 6.30pm at church

# A Letter to the Mufti of Australia by Fr David as Diocesan Administrator in the wake of the Christchurch murders

21 March 2019

Your Excellency,

The events of 15 March 2019 in Christchurch are etched indelibly now in our minds and in our hearts. Through you, I extend the sympathy of the Catholic Diocese of Broken Bay to the Muslim people of New Zealand (and Australia) who have been the target of this senseless brutality which we utterly reject and condemn. We stand with you in shock and in grief in the face of the evil that has been perpetrated.

As those who have died in such a callous way are now laid to their rest, we hear the cry of the agony of those who have survived, those who have lost their loved ones, those who have lost hope and now despair in the inhumanity that we have experienced. We hear the echoes of their distress and confusion in our own hearts as we remember in prayer all those who whose lives will no longer be the same. We wish you to know that we are your brothers and sisters, and though our voice is feeble before such horrific events, we want to say to you that we stand with you in compassion and hope.

It has been my own privilege to be in personal dialogue with you on several occasions over the last years. On such occasions we have lamented together the emergence of a culture of suspicion and fear which can spawn the mindset that leads to last Friday's carnage. In no small way has this been fueled by the demonization of Islam. Again, I reiterate with you, at this sad time, the immorality and unacceptability of this. It creates ghettoes of fear. It cuts us off from each other into networks of defenses. It renders us less than the truth of ourselves about which the French writer Louis Massignon wrote, "Only in exercising hospitality towards another (instead of colonizing him), in sharing the same work, the same bread, as honorable companions can one understand the Truth that unites us socially . . One can only find truth through the practice of hospitality." (Opera Minora III, 608-9)

In the face of the terrorism we affirm the pathway of love, rather than the pathway of fear. This can present as naïvely ridiculous, yet its power is manifest in the stories of heroism and forgiveness in the mosques of last Friday that display a light stronger than the darkness. Genuine love primarily is the decision to listen to the other with the premise that I may have something to learn from them. The way of love is the commitment to see always the other precisely as 'person' and not through the lens of categorization. It is the practice of an open conversation which seeks to understand the other, to feel with the other, to listen deeply to them. We love the stranger by listening to them, by learning their names, rather than their labels, and by entering their story, often of incalculable pain and dislocation. For the eminent philosopher of 'the other,' Emmanuel Levinas, the "presence of 'the other' announces, commands, perforates, ruptures, unsettles. And that is their gift to us."

This conversation has yet to begin in Australia. If there be an invitation at the heart of our distress about last Friday, it is the imperative to commit to the critical importance of such dialogue. Our future lies in the conversion of a conversation **about** the other in our midst to one **with** the other.

I express to you on behalf of the Catholic Diocese of Broken Bay our readiness to work always with you in this endeavor. In the meantime, however, all of us in the Diocese reach out to embrace the pain you feel. May our solidarity and our shared hope for a better society represent a flicker of peace in the torment of this time.

With my sincere and personal wishes,

Very Rev Dr David Ranson Diocesan Administrator

#### You are invited to the Annual Mass of the Oils at the Cathedral in Holy Week!

Come and join together with our clergy and people across Broken Bay for the blessing and consecration of the Holy Oils for our parishes. Mass begins at 7.30pm on Tuesday 16 April 2019.

Soup and bread will be served in the courtyard from 6.00pm with tea and coffee afterwards.

If you would like to join the choir to lead the congregation in prayerful song please send an email to <a href="mailto:cathedral@bbcatholic.org.au">cathedral@bbcatholic.org.au</a>
and on the subject line type "Choir RSVP".

Rehearsal on the day in the Cathedral from 6.00pm for 7.30pm Mass start.

# Spírít of St Lucy's

#### School Swimming Carnival

Last week, the students from St Lucy's participated in their school swimming carnival. This event is a lot of fun! Mrs Murphy, our PE Teacher, has prepared the students beautifully throughout the weeks leading up to the big occasion. This preparation enabled them to be involved in the horse race, the treasure hunt, the kickboard race and volleyball! Family members and friends were able to come along and cheer for their child – there were many proud faces as they watched their children have fun, participate and achieve lots of personal goals!



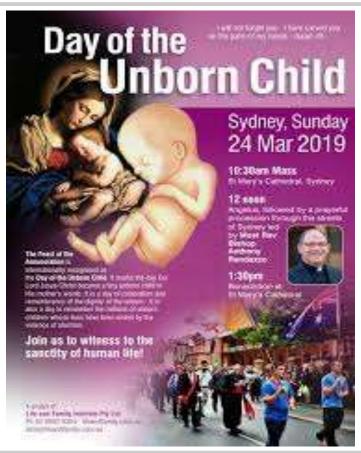








## A round and A bout



#### Day of the Unborn Child - Sunday 24 March 2019 St Marys Cathedral Sydney

The feast of the Annunciation is internationally recognised as the Day of the Unborn Child. It is a day of celebration and remembrance of the dignity of the unborn. It's also a day to remember the millions of unborn children who have lost their lives to the violence of abortion.

Date: Sunday 24 March 2019

Time: 10.30am commences with Mass

Venue: St Marys Cathedral

Enquiries: Life and Family Institute Ph: 90020354

#### Men's Lenten Retreat Day – Notre Dame Broadway

On Saturday, April 13 from 9am to 4:00pm. The day will include Mass, time for reflection and reconciliation, lunch and afternoon tea, and inspiring talks from three speakers. The retreat will take place at The University of Notre Dame Australia on Broadway campus. Event is free, registration essential: Sydney.chaplaincy@nd.edu.au or (02) 8204 4189 or Trybooking.com/475522



#### Carmelites Retreats

Ph: 02 8795 3400 retreats@carmelite.com www.carmeliteretreats.com.au

#### Praying with St John of the Cross

April 6: 10:00 am – 4:00pm Cost: \$30 (please remember to bring your lunch).

Pick-ups from Minto train station at 930am and 1000am. Presenter: Barbara Stenning OCDS

"For well I know the spring that flows and runs although all is night."

#### Finding life and joy in today's world: A retreat using worship from Taize

April 12 – April 14. Cost: \$300 (concessions apply) Facilitated by Annemarie Nichol "The light shines in the darkness and the darkness has not overcome it"

#### Holy week and Easter

April 17 – April 21 Cost: \$500 (concessions apply) Presenters: Carmelite Team

The Carmelite Community at Mount Carmel Retreat Centre, Varroville invites you to come, prepare and celebrate with us the Most Holy Triduum of the Lord's Passion, Death and Resurrection. The retreat begins with dinner on Wednesday 17 April and concludes after morning Mass on Easter Sunday, 21 April.

### Reconciliation Times in our Area

# Our Welcoming Team

#### St Bernard's

21 Warrina St

Berowra Heights NSW 2082

ph: 9456 2450

Reconciliation:

2nd to 5th Friday of the month after 9 am Mass / 1st Friday of the month 11 am or phone for an appointment.

#### St Patrick's

1 Royston Parade Asquith NSW 2077

ph: 9456 2450

Reconciliation:

Every Saturday 9.30 am (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

Sat 5pm	Week 1	Joy George
	Week 2	Louise and Mia Koopman
	Week 3	Milena Huntley
	Week 4	Dot Brink and Frankie Doran
	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 2A	Saree and Kiara Zaragoza
**	Week 2B	Jane and Maurice Watson
	Week 3	Sri Wijetunga
	Week 4	Dominique Kind
	Week 5	Dominique Kind

# 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!

# Parish Contact Information and Mass Times

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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

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 Aguinas 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

By appointment, at least six months in advance.

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 Turramurra monthly

Parish Pastoral Council in 2019

Gemma McDermott (Chair), Chrissie Goldrick (Deputy Chair), Tess Denham-Fabry, (Secretary), Tom Waugh, Lucian Wijetunga, Giovanna Flores-Clarke, Ian Edmunds, Samantha Vieira, along with Sue Bevan (Prouille) and Vanessa Dillon (St Lucy's) and Terry O'Keefe (St Edmunds)

Parish Finance Committee in 2019

Marinela Mendes, Tony Monardo, Brian McGarry, Robyn Elizondo, Tim Quilty, Lucian Wijetunga (PPC Rep)

Parish Fundraising Committee 2019

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) Electronic Transfer

Wahroonga Catholic Parish Account BSB: 062-784 Account No: 1389 8001

CBA- 48 Martin Place, Sydney

EFTPOS Available in Parish Office

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