



Holy Name Catholic Parish

DIOCESE OF BROKEN BAY

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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.

Sunday 3 May —Fourth Sunday of Easter

The Charitable Works Fund - Thank you for your continued connection.

This week we are holding our May CWF Appeal—This is the final appeal for 2019-2020 Financial Year

Giving is an act of joy – sharing what we have with our Parish community and people in our Diocese is one way to ensure that the love of Jesus Christ is available to us all. For many in our hospitals, particularly with the restriction on hospital visitors, this can be a time of anxiety and loneliness. While our CatholicCare Pastoral Care Practitioners are not able to sit at the bedsides as they would normally do, they are on the phone to patients, praying with them and providing the support of our faith. Our health care workers in the hospitals are also calling our Pastoral Care Practitioners, as they are on the front line dealing with the consequences of the pandemic on a daily basis. We are so grateful to our community who demonstrate their love for their neighbours by generously supporting the Charitable Works Fund.

The CWF is still working by providing the funds to ensure our trained CatholicCare Pastoral Care Practitioners are available by mobile phone for those in hospitals in our Diocese. With restrictions on visitors, Pastoral Care Practitioners are needed more than ever for the patients, their families and the staff in the hospitals in our Diocese.

The CWF is still working by providing the funds to create online resources for students in public schools in our Diocese to receive Catholic Special Religious Education Classes. This vital ministry will assist parents at home continue the valuable faith formation to Catholic students in the public schools in our Diocese.

The CWF is still working by assisting St Lucy's School and St Edmund's College care for students with special needs who are still attending providing additional funds to two schools with students with special needs.

The CWF works every day by providing funds to those who are deaf or hard of hearing through the Ephpheta Centre.

When you give to the CWF, you can be assured that your donation is working for the faith and the people of the Diocese of Broken Bay. Donations \$2 and over are tax-deductible.

Our quota for this final appeal for 2019/2020 Financial Year is \$11, 848.00 and any shortfall must be met by Parish funds, so please give generously if you can.



If you have an automatic credit card donation in place through the parish office, this has been processed and we thank you for your continued generosity.

Donations may be made through the Parish Office either by cash, cheque or credit card.

Parish Masses This Week

Monday	4 May	No Mass	Monday of the 4th week of Easter
Tuesday	5 May	No Mass	Tuesday of the 4th week of Easter
Wednesday	6 May	No Mass	Wednesday of the 4th week of Easter
Thursday	7 May	No Mass	Thursday of the 4th week of Easter
Friday	8 May	No Mass	Friday of the 4th week of Easter
Saturday	9 May	No Mass	Saturday of the 4th week of Easter
Sunday	10 May	No Mass	FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Please Remember in your Prayers

RECENTLY DECEASED:

Donna Carbone (sister of Frances, died 24 April, aged 65 years), Bob Hayward (uncle of Will Hayward, died 21st April, aged 91 years), Westina Marzouki (sister of John Kassis, died in Lebanon on 13 April), Father of Daphne Chung (in Taiwan), Dora Ballarin (Antonella Foti's mother) died 5 April, Lizeth Albornoz Gonzalez (sister in law of Sacha Simone Duplat and Veronica Acevedo), John Blumke (friend of Dan Candotti).

ANNIVERSARIES:

Andy Couch (son of Gemma & Paul, brother to Greg and Jessica, 3rd anniversary 8th May), Fred Burke (husband of Betty and father of Virginia, 4th anniversary on 6 May), Marina Byrne (Lauren Montgomery's mother, 3rd anniversary 7th May), Eileen Shannon (mother of Christine Shannon—7th anniversary on 11th May), Sr. Teresita (Joan Sexton - friend of Pam Gallagher 1st anniversary, 26 April), Joan Northcott (wife of Bill and mother of Tina, 10th anniversary on 27 April), Margaret Tighe and Gladys Price (Mike Tighe's mother and aunty), Monica Gibbons (wife of Reg, 4th anniversary on 21 April), Giovanni (Jack) Cincotta (father of Trish Maiolo, 45th anniversary on 16 April), Keith Walmsley (Rachel Mitchell's Dad, 1st anniversary 17 April), Agnes Tiong (friend of Caroline Ho and family, 1st anniversary on 16 April), Terry Blanchard (former Principal of St Leo's Catholic College), 1st anniversary on 10 April, Kristine Illingworth (Fr David's sister, 4th anniversary on 11 April), Caetano Maria Lopez (father of Quinnie Machado, 16th anniversary on 12 April), Andy Watson (son of Maurice and Jane) 1st anniversary on 13 April, Raymond McGarry (brother of John, 2nd anniversary on 1 April), Brian MacMillan (brother of Pat, 2nd anniversary on 1 April), Athol Higgins (husband of Norma, 1st anniversary 30 March), Gus Almgren (1st anniversary 23 March), Byrant and Yvonne McGrath (brother and sister-in-law of Ves McGrath), Josephine Kassis (John Kassis mother, 27th anniversary on 12th April), Helen Nader (sister of John Kassis, 10th anniversary on 1 April), Sarah McCreton (sister in law of Conor and Leila McCreton, 3rd anniversary 6 April), Noreen McGarry (16th anniversary on 18 March), Guiseppina Zappia (sister of Elizabeth "Betty" Severino, 1st anniversary on 6 March), Roger Thrum (Daphne's husband, 9th anniversary, 13 March), Terry Gallagher (husband of Pam - 11 year anniversary on 14th March), Ina Alsaker (mother of Suzanne Cooke, 6th anniversary on 9 March), Jonas Buzinskas (father of Peter, anniversary on 9 March), Brian Fraser (husband of Devona, 4th anniversary on 10th March), Ottaviano Praturlon (husband of Elsa, 24th anniversary on 6 March).

FOR THE SICK:

Walter Sutcliffe, Peter Reidy, Karen Tighe (daughter of Mike), Isla Fisher, 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, Dennis Morgan, Matthew Murney (son in law of Burt Schaafsma), 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), Mary Peachy (Brigid Wright's sister), Fr Michael Fallon msc (friend of Patrick Kirkwood), Steve Ralph, Margaret Woodlands, Helen McGrath (friend of Jo and Frank Waldron), Hildegard McLaughlin, 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,



To everyone in our Parish Community

We have been overwhelmed by the number of kind offers to help those who can't and shouldn't be out and about at the moment.

So if you need help with:

- ◆ Picking up shopping or any other supplies
- ◆ A friendly phone call to have a chat
- ◆ Posting mail
- ◆ Dog walking
- ◆ Or anything else



All you need to do is call the Parish Office 9489 3221 and let us know what you need—we will gladly arrange someone to help

In Fr David's Absence.....

The Candle in Isolation

A pilgrimage of prayers—Michael McGirr

Easter has been different this year. We missed that wonderful moment when the Easter Candle is lit from a new fire and brought into a darkened church. Slowly the flame spreads from taper to taper, from young to old, from tall to short, from the foolish to the wise — and vice versa. The Church becomes a cradle of light. This is our faith.

This year, I decided that if we could not come to the candle, the candle might come out and meet us where we were. Here are images and prayers from recent days. Each one is a reminder to me that Jesus is alive among us wherever we happen to be, whoever we happen to be. They have all been moments of prayer for me.

THE LOCAL SHOPS



Loving God, the streets are quiet, even in the middle of the day. May we think about what we truly need in life. May we desire love, not things. May we think of those who are struggling because they have too little work, and those, especially health workers, who are struggling because they have too much work.

THE KITCHEN

Loving God, we thank you for the ways you make your home with us. You are alive in our daily routine. Even when we spend a great deal of time at home, your presence always enlarges our vision. May we be grateful for places of safety in our lives.



FOR THOSE IN NEED



Loving God, we count our blessings. We hold in our hearts all who suffer, especially the sick and those whose businesses have taken a bruising. May we move beyond the idea of 'everyone for themselves'. May the world become more like what you imagined when you spoke of the kingdom of God. May we feel the pain of others.

An Opportunity to Give

Seven years ago Fr. Kevin Dillon seven years ago established "LIFEBOAT GEELONG". The website of the Foundation can be located at <https://www.lifeboatgeelong.com.au/>

The Foundation provides practical, pastoral, and emotional support to established victims of church-related sexual abuse. Its work reaches out to people all over Australia.

Lifeboat is taking part in the Catholic Parishes Raffle of three cars with the proceeds from all the tickets Lifeboat sells going towards our important work with survivors.

This year the prizes are:

Major prizes -- 3 x Suzuki Baleno automatic sedans
each valued at \$20,682.

11 minor prizes of \$1,000 and \$500 Coles-Myer Gift Cards.

A total prize pool of nearly \$70,000.

Tickets are \$2.00 each and are available in books of ten.

Please email cath@lifeboatgeelong.com.au with your order and postal address for tickets.

The Raffle was to be drawn on 6 June but now has been delayed until September due to the Coronavirus.



Spirit of St Lucy's

Commemorating ANZAC Day



The staff and students commemorated this special day upon our return to school on Tuesday. An ANZAC Day liturgy and associated resources were provided to each class, so that they could facilitate their own focus and prayer session in their classroom. As always, the St Lucy's children demonstrated the incredible awareness they have regarding solemn and spiritual occasions. There was some beautiful reverence and participation experienced by all involved! Lest We Forget.

Parish Contact Information and Mass Times

Parish Priest	Fr David Ranson VG	david.ranson@bbcatholic.org.au Twitter: @FrDavidRanson Blogsite: davidranson.com.au (homilies posted)
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Parish Secretary	Mrs Jackie Thornton	secretary@holynamewahroonga.com.au
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Office Hours	Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 8.30am—5pm	
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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: (Suspended until further notice)

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 (Suspended)

Rosary after Mass on Tuesday (Suspended until further notice)

Morning Tea after Mass on Wednesday (Suspended)

Special Intercessions/intentions remembered at Friday Mass.

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

Mass is also celebrated: (Suspended until further notice)

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 (Suspended until further notice)

Baptism: (Suspended until further notice)

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 (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—All monies are for the support of our Parish