



# Holy Name Catholic Parish

DIOCESE OF BROKEN BAY

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](http://www.holynamewahroonga.com.au).

## Sunday 31st May — PENTECOST SUNDAY



### Please Join us for Mass

For our Sunday Masses we are limited to but 50 people, not including the priest and other ministers.

To provide as many people as possible to attend weekly

Sunday Mass from the weekend of 6/7 June we will offer 6 Masses each weekend:

Saturday: 5.00pm and 6.30pm

Sunday: 8.00am, 9.30am, 11.00am and 5.30pm

We will continue to make available Our Sunday Mass online.

### We invite you to register for one Sunday Mass

This will then be your allocated Mass each weekend for the time ahead.

**Remember: In order to comply with the requirement of no more than 50 people at a religious gathering, we ask that only those who have first registered through the Parish Office attend a Sunday Mass.**

We are also obliged to record the names of those who attend each Mass so that we can assist in the Government's strategy of testing, tracing and isolating.

### Mass will also be available Tuesday - Friday at 9.15am

It is not necessary to register for these weekday Masses, but we will need you to sign in with your contact details. People may attend one or more of the weekday Masses.

### Please email the Parish Office at

[secretary@holynamewahroonga.com.au](mailto:secretary@holynamewahroonga.com.au)

or ring on 9489 3221 and register for a Sunday Mass!

Please note that common areas such as the church kitchenette and Parish Sunroom need to remain closed for the time being.

### *Come Holy Spirit*



*Fill the hearts  
of your faithful  
and kindle them in  
the fire of your love.  
Send forth your spirit  
and they shall be created  
and you shall renew  
The face of the  
Earth.*

*O God, who by the light of  
the Holy Spirit did instruct the hearts of the  
faithful, grant that by the same Holy Spirit, we  
may be truly wise and ever enjoy His  
consolations. Through Christ Our Lord,  
Amen.*

**WHAT IS PENTECOST?**

Pentecost (from the Greek word "Pentecoste" meaning "50th day") is the one of the most prominent feast days in the Christian calendar. It is often referred to as the "birthday of the Church."

It marks the day, nearly 2,000 years ago, when the Holy Spirit descended upon the Apostles, who had been living in fear for fifty days following the resurrection of Jesus Christ on Easter Sunday.

Emboldened by the Holy Spirit, the apostles set forth to tell all people in Jerusalem of the Resurrection. As they spoke in tongues given to them by the Holy Spirit, all nationalities present could understand them in their own mother tongue.

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

## Parish Masses This Week—Limited to 50 people at each Mass

Monday	1 June	No Mass				The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church
Tuesday	2 June	Mass	9.15am			Weekday, Ordinary Time 9
Wednesday	3 June	Mass	9.15am			Charles Lwanga & companions, martyrs
Thursday	4 June	Mass	9.15am			Weekday, Ordinary Time 9
Friday	5 June	Mass	9.15am			St Boniface, bishop, martyr
Saturday	6 June	Mass		5.00pm	6.30pm	Vigil of the Most Holy TRINITY
Sunday	7 June	Mass	8am; 9.30am; 11am; 5.30pm			The Most Holy TRINITY

### Please Remember in your Prayers

#### RECENTLY DECEASED:

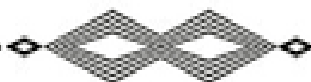
Peter Reidy (husband of Carolyn and father to Patrick, Elizabeth, Stephen, Katherine and Christopher, died 23 May aged 73) Bernadette Jackson (friend of Trisha Lawrence, died 17 May), Constance (Connie) Boland (died 13 May), Donna Carbone (sister of Frances, died 24 April, aged 65 years), Bob Hayward (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 Albornoza Gonzalez (sister in law of Sacha Simone Duplat and Veronica Acevedo), John Blumke (friend of Dan Candotti).

#### ANNIVERSARIES:

Maria Ruth Gomes (Linette Sardinha's Mum, 7th anniversary 26th May), Alex Koroknay (husband of Pam, 2nd anniversary on 26 May), Hanna Zibara (brother-in-law of John Kassis, 2nd anniversary on 27 May), Maria Maiolo (Tony's mum, 6th anniversary on 20 May), Hagop Guvlekjian (father of Francis Guvlekjian, 2nd anniversary, 19 May), Mary Salter (18 May), Andy Couch (son of Gemma & Paul, brother to Greg and Jessica, 3rd anniversary 8th May), Eileen Shannon (mother of Christine Shannon—7th anniversary on 11th May), Enid Phillips (mother of Megan Khannah, 12th anniversary on 15th May), Carol Miller (mother of Jackie, 8th anniversary on 14 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), 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).

#### FOR THE SICK:

Walter Sutcliffe, 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, Michael Walsh, Caoimhe Browne, Murray Howe, George Dunne.



*Congratulations  
to the McNevin Family*

*Kowalski Emry*

**will be baptised this Sunday at 11:00am**

## From Fr David

Dear friends,

It is indeed such welcome news that the situation in Australia with our response to the pandemic has been such that restrictions are now being eased, and that we can begin to come back together as a community. And we do at that very time that we celebrate Pentecost, the birth of the Church. The Church is being birthed again as we take forward many lessons from this last several months and begin to imagine the future anew.

'Of course we will come back together slowly, with a full sense of responsibility for ensuring the safety of everyone. For the time being, until we are a little clearer on the direction of things, we will limit our gatherings to the celebration of Masses. We will wait longer before we introduce other devotions and parish activities. These activities need be compliant with ongoing restrictions around hygiene, social distancing and recording of names. Regretfully, our Sunroom is small and, in accord with the social distancing requirements, would admit of only several people at the moment. Let us hope soon the situation will change positively again.

Our warmest congratulations to Fiona Tubb and Tony Vierboom who were married in our church last Saturday. Though they could have but 10 guests present it was a beautiful ceremony and wonderful that such a faith filled couple have found one another. We wish God's richest blessings upon their married life.



This week we farewell our much loved Peter Reidy. Thankfully with the easing of restrictions on 1 June, more will be able to be present at Peter's funeral than may have been the case earlier. However, the number is still restricted to 50 people. Therefore, attendance will need to be by invitation only. Carol and the family thank you for our understanding. As I have shared, when it is possible for us to gather in larger

numbers we will celebrate a memorial Mass for Peter at which we can all be present. We commend Peter to God, grateful for the wonderful gift of his presence in our parish family.

## Spirit of St Lucy's

**Thank You to our Many Wonderful Volunteers!**



Last week was National Volunteers Week. Whilst life at St Lucy's has been a little different of late with only a few of our volunteers coming along to assist in classes, we continue to hold in our thoughts and prayers the MANY wonderful people who usually volunteer their time so readily in many areas and aspects of our school!

We very much look forward to the day when we will be blessed with their presence once again, as we truly value all they do and provide for our students on a daily basis! This year, we expressed our gratitude in ways that were a little different to last year as we sent out a virtual 'wave of heartfelt thanks' over our Facebook page and website and newsletter. We are indeed blessed to have such selfless, generous people with us as it greatly enhances the spirit of our school community!

## Do you know someone who has a child with a Disability?

St Lucy's School is a Catholic school dedicated to students with disabilities. We are a community enriched by difference, inspiring learning for a life of purpose. We provide intensive instruction in: literacy, numeracy, social and emotional learning and independence skills in a dynamic and creative environment across Primary and now High School.



## ST LUCY'S SCHOOL ENROLLING NOW FOR 2021



Please contact the School Registrar for a tour at [enrolment@stlucys.nsw.edu.au](mailto:enrolment@stlucys.nsw.edu.au) or 02 8355 3157

JOY | COMMUNITY | COURAGE | TRUTH

"Go out into the world today and love the people you meet. Let your presence light new light in the hearts of people."

~ Mother Teresa

## Parish Contact Information and Mass Times

Parish Priest	Fr David Ranson VG	david.ranson@bbcatholic.org.au <b>Twitter: @FrDavidRanson</b> <b>Blogsite: davidranson.com.au</b> (homilies posted)
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Deacon	Rev Peter McCulloch	peter.mcculloch@bbcatholic.org.au <b>Blogsite: deaconpeter.org.au</b>
Parish Secretary	Mrs Jackie Thornton	secretary@holynamewahroonga.com.au
Sacramental Coordinator	Mrs Sally Oong	sacrament@holynamewahroonga.com.au
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	
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](http://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**