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**14
JULY
2024**
YEAR B

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Catholic Diocese of Broken Bay

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15TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus summoned the Twelve and began to send them out two by two and gave them authority over unclean spirits. - Mk 6:7

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1ST READING

Amos 7:12-15

Amaziah questions Amos.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 84:9-14. R. v.8

*Lord, show us your mercy and love,
and grant us your salvation.*

2ND READING

Ephesians 1:3-14

God chose us in Christ.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

See Ephesians 1:17-18

Alleluia, alleluia!

*May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ
enlighten the eyes of our hearts
that we might see how great is the hope
to which we are called.*

Alleluia!

GOSPEL

Mark 6:7-13

Jesus send the Twelve out in pairs.

MASS & LITURGY TIMES

CHURCH OF ST. CECILIA

Wanganella St and White St, Balgowlah 2093

MASS:

Wednesday, 9am

Sunday, 9am

BAPTISM:

Sunday, 10.30am

1st Sundays of the month (within the 9am Mass)

*Baptism Preparation is required for first baptisms.
Contact Parish Office for more details. Thank you.*

RECONCILIATION:

Saturday, 5.00 to 5.45pm

Church of St. Kieran

YOUTH MASS:

2nd Sundays of the month
during the school term.

WEDDING:

Require six months notice and
include Pre-Marriage Course as
part of the preparation.

CHURCH OF ST. KIERAN

2 King Street, Manly Vale 2093

MASS:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday*, Saturday,
8.30am

Saturday (Vigil), 5.30pm

Sunday, 7.30am, 9.30am, 5pm

** Adoration to the Blessed Sacrament after Mass
on Fridays.*

BAPTISM:

Sunday, 11.30am

1st Sundays of the month (within the 9.30am Mass)

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In the spirit of reconciliation the Catholic Community of North Harbour acknowledges the Traditional Custodians of these lands on which we gather. We recognise their continuing connection to the lands and waterways and pay our respect to their elders past and present and extend that respect to all First Nations people in our community.



WELCOME TO NORTH HARBOUR

- YOU ARE INVITED
- JOIN US IN OUR VARIED CELEBRATIONS & ACTIVITIES
- CONSIDER SHARING YOUR GIFTS TO US

GET IN TOUCH



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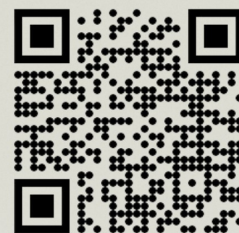


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WHY DO WE DO THAT? Catholic Life Explained

Question:

Our Catholic grade school is doing a penance service this Lent. Do young children really need to go to Confession? How much sin can they really have?

Answer:

Ask any mom about her children, and see how many would say she has a brood of perfect angels! Parents know that kids do things that are wrong... and they often know they're doing it! Even toddlers have a sense of right and wrong. The Church recognizes that their minds and consciences are not yet fully developed, however, and typically waits until age seven to offer the sacrament of Confession. Around that age and beyond, most young people, when asked, can easily explain why something is wrong.

Confession for children is an excellent way to help them reflect on their actions and accept responsibility for their behaviour. It helps them to grow in their understanding of sin and how it affects others. This helps them to form their consciences and make better choices in the future. Most importantly, they learn the value of forgiveness, both given and received. Rather than singling out what's wrong, Confession offers hope and a new start! Children can grow in understanding God's unconditional love and develop a sense of inner dignity that transcends their failings. Not bad for five minutes and an "Our Father" or two! ©LPi

BRINGING HOME THE GOSPEL

Jesus sends his apostles out on a practice run. They are to preach as he preached. They will be anointing the sick and driving out demons. He deliberately sends them out in pairs because he knows they will need each other for support and discernment.

Parenting, too, is a job best done in pairs. It is an exhausting, frustrating, uncertain, business that can lead a single person to doubt his capability and sometimes even his sanity. If you are a single parent, get help! Find a couple of friends or relatives who will listen and help out. Connect with other parents who will listen, support (advise if needed) and champion you.

When there are two of you raising a child, learn to rely on each other. It doesn't matter if both parents work outside the home or one parent is the primary wage-earner, both partners should share equally in the job of parenting. Consult with each other often, making sure you provide an undivided front. If you disagree about a decision or position, discuss it in private.

Jesus tells his disciples that where two or three are gathered in his name, he is with them (Matthew 18:20). This is the distinct advantage of Christian parenting; we know we are not alone. Just as the apostles knew Jesus walked with them in their ministry, we know Christ is also with us.

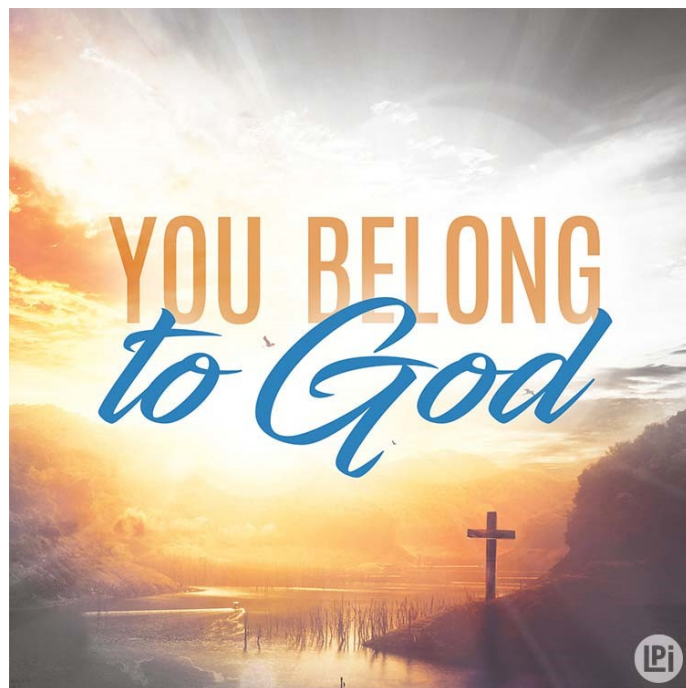
FAMILY RESPONSE:

Ask each family member to talk about the last time they needed help from someone. What did they do?

PERSONAL RESPONSE:

What part of parenting do you most need help with? Where and how can you get that help?

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WEEKLY SOCIAL JUSTICE CHALLENGES

July 14th is the feast day of Blessed Kateri Tekakwitha, the patron of the environment and ecology. She was from an Algonquin tribe that had been hit with a small pox epidemic which took the lives of her family. As a teenager, she was introduced to Scripture by missionaries and she was baptised. She led a very prayerful life devoted to the Eucharist and to serving others. Some in her tribe ridiculed her and she endured great suffering for her faith. Yet she never wavered in her beliefs. Your justice challenge this week is to take a step out in faith like Kateri, talk with a friend or someone in your family about your faith. Share what is important to you about it and then encourage those you talk with to do the same. You may be laughed at or ridiculed, or even surprised by a warm reception. Whatever the response, thank God in prayer for the opportunities you have to bring the good news to others and continue to be a living witness of your faith.



PASTORAL CARE FOR THE HOMEBOUND

Our clergy and pastoral care ministers bring the sacraments of Eucharist, reconciliation, and anointing of the sick to parishioners who are unable to participate because of illness or aging. For more information and to arrange receiving the sacraments, contact Parish Office.

CARE FOR CREATION TIPS

"He ordered them to take nothing for their journey except a staff; no bread, no bag, no money in their belts." – Mark 6:8.

In today's Gospel, Jesus commands his disciples to live simply as they spread the Good News. Just like the first disciples, we are asked to live simply too. This week, challenge yourself to live with fewer disposable items, cut down on your waste, and choose reusable items. Instead of using plastic wrap, use beeswax wraps or other reusable substitutes. Use cloth grocery bags and mesh vegetable bags instead of the single use plastic ones at the store. If you haven't already, commit to using a reusable coffee cup and metal straws.

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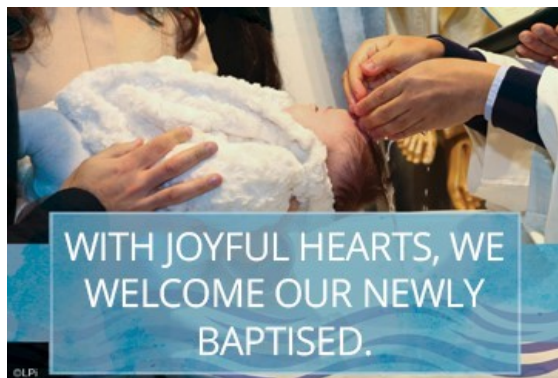


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AFTER HOURS:
(Evenings & Weekends)
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Lucy Ellen & Reuben Ross
children of Benjamin & Phoebe

PRAY FOR THOSE IN OUR COMMUNITY:

SICK:

Margaret Koorey/Moses, Greg Hyde, Yvonne Taylor

RECENTLY DECEASED:

Moira Geraghty, Ron Stenner, Christine Cairns, Helena Broadhead

ANNIVERSARIES:

Raymond Laurendet

Our community would love to pray for you.
If you have an intention you would like to be included in this bulletin please e-mail
office@nhcatholic.org.au

PASTORAL DISCERNMENT NORTHERN BEACHES

Conversation Forum

SATURDAY, JULY 27
12:30PM - 3:30PM

GATHER TO DISCUSS EMERGING
THEMES AND TO CONTINUE THE
CONVERSATION

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12:00PM



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2024/2025

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Sacrament of Confirmation
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WITH SOMETHING EVERYONE

IN THE NAME OF
JESUS CHRIST
OF NAZARETH,
RISE UP AND WALK.
ACTS 3:6-7

Broken Bay is again delighted to host the Ignite Sydney Conference, a gathering of Catholics for four days of formation, renewal of faith, and powerful worship. It is a conference for all children, high school students, and young adults, and deeper sessions for adults, specifically parishioners, priests, religious, ministry leaders, parents, and grandparents. There is something for everyone at the Ignite Conference.

Mission Broken Bay is pleased to **offer a 50% subsidy for parishioners** to attend.

Please contact Mission@bbcatholic.org.au to access the promotional code for either a "Teen" or "Adult" registration.



Youth MASS

Sun 11 August, 5pm
St Kieran's Catholic Church
2 King St., Manly Vale 2093 NSW

All welcome!

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& light refreshments



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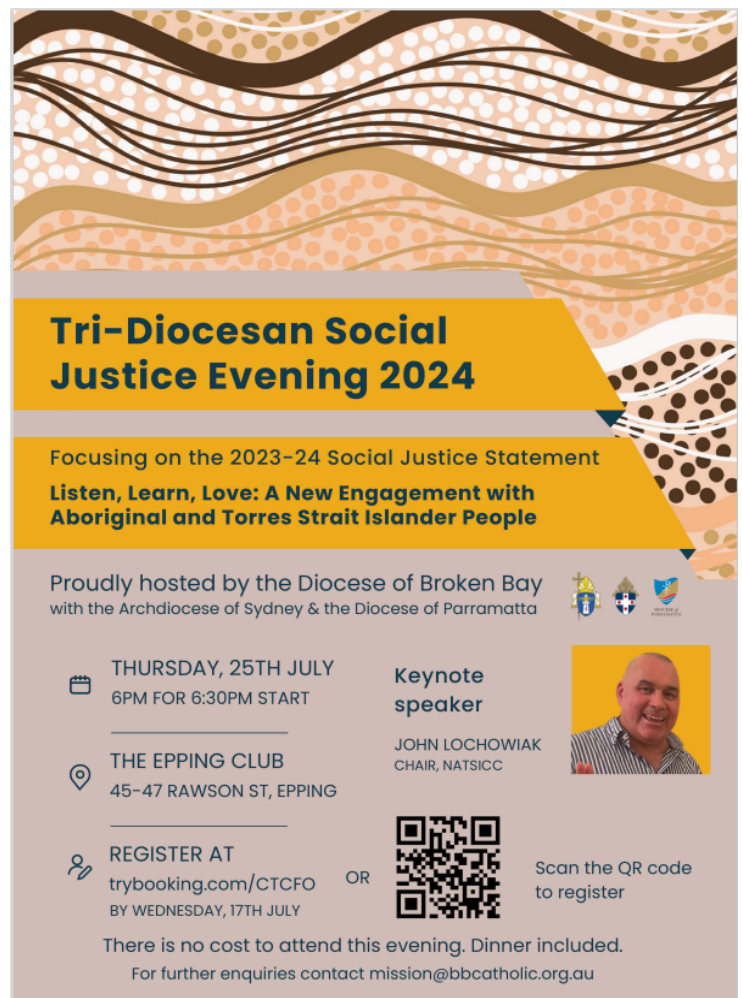
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In the words of Blessed Frederic Ozanam 'Without attention being given to nurturing Christian love, there will be no capacity for self-sacrificing love of one's neighbour and charity will become welfare'




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Prayer

Lord, give me strength to say, "Yes. I'll obey your commandments."

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Ask God to bless your family so that they will be able to obey God's commandments.

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Promoting a safer *Church*

The care and protection of children, young people and adults involved in Church activities is the responsibility of everyone who participates in the LIFE of the Church.

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COLOR

Read the Gospel of the week and color the image.





*Lord, You have saved my soul from the constraint of fear,
so that it may serve You in the freedom of love.*

Commentary on Psalm 30 (1), 8

- St. Augustine of Hippo

NEXT WEEKEND (21 JULY): 16TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR B

1ST READING

Jeremiah 23:1-6

*The Lord will appoint new
shepherds.*

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 22. R. v.2

*The Lord is my shepherd; there
is nothing I shall want.*

2ND READING

Ephesians 2:13-18

*Christ removes the barriers
between peoples.*

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

John 10:27

Alleluia, alleluia!

*My sheep listen to my voice,
says the Lord; says the Lord; I
know them, and they follow
me. Alleluia!*

GOSPEL

Mark 6:30-34

*Jesus pities the crowd, sheep
without a shepherd.*

**20 JULY, 5.30PM
ST KIERAN'S**

Senior Server
Stephen

Readers
Rick
Elizabeth-Anne

Music
Filipino Choir

Communion Min
Volunteer needed

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Volunteers needed

**21 JULY, 7.30AM
ST KIERAN'S**

Senior Server
Kevin

Readers
Andrew
Elsie

Music
None

Communion Min
Volunteer needed

Powerpoint
Volunteer needed

Welcomers
Volunteers needed

**21 JULY, 9AM
ST CECILIA'S**

Senior Server
Ian

Readers
Kerry
Sandra

Music
Conmen

Communion Min
Volunteer needed

Powerpoint
Volunteer needed

Welcomers
Hilde

**21 JULY, 9.30AM
ST KIERAN'S**

Senior Server
Adrian

Readers
Cathie
Dale

Music
TBA

Communion Min
Volunteer needed

Powerpoint
Volunteer needed

Welcomers
Volunteers needed

**21 JULY, 5PM
ST KIERAN'S**

Senior Server
Edelvine

Readers
Jo
Rodney

Music
Sam

Communion Min
Volunteer needed

Powerpoint
Volunteer needed

Welcomers
Volunteers needed

OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF 14 JULY

Mon 15 July: St Bonaventure, bishop, Doctor of the Church

Tue 16 July: Tuesday of the 15th Week in Ordinary Time, Year II

Wed 17 July: Bl Magdalene Albrici, virgin (*Augustinian*)

Thu 18 July: Thursday of the 15th Week in Ordinary Time, Year II

Fri 19 July: Friday of the 15th Week in Ordinary Time, Year II

Sat 20 July: Saturday of the 15th Week in Ordinary Time, Year II

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