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Our Lady  
of Dolours

We acknowledge the traditional owners of the land on which we gather, the Cammeraygal people,  
and pay respect to their Elders, past, present and emerging.  
We extend that respect to all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people  
as we continue the journey of Reconciliation.



14th Sunday in Ordinary Time - 3 July 2022



**This Sunday is Aboriginal  
and Torres Strait Islander Sunday**  
(See page 7 for further details)

**We also welcome representative from our St Vincent de  
Paul Conference, this year celebrating 110 years of  
service, to speak to us, inviting us to consider becoming  
a part of the Conference and its mission**  
(See page 6 for further details)

### **Peter's Pence Collection this Sunday**

On 3 July 2022, we join with many Parishes across the world in taking up the annual Peter's Pence Collection. The Peter's Pence Collection provides for the charitable works and structures of mercy identified by His Holiness, Pope Francis.

Your donations express solidarity with those most in need. With your support, the whole Church can continue – in the words of Pope Francis – “to walk, to search for, visit, meet, listen to, share with and stop at those most in need”.

Funds assist projects including emergency help to those in need due to natural disasters, communities impacted by COVID, war, oppression and disease. Our generosity allows the Holy Father to respond to those suffering with love and compassion. Thank you for your generosity.



**7.30am Morning Tea**  
**Please join us on the forecourt after 7.30am Mass this Sunday**  
**for a cuppa and a chat.**



## Parish Masses This Week

Monday	4 July	12.30pm Mass	Monday of the 14th Week of Ordinary Time
Tuesday	5 July	9.00am and 12.30pm Mass	Tuesday of the 14th Week of Ordinary Time
Wednesday	6 July	9.00am and 12.30pm Mass	Wednesday of the 14th Week of Ordinary Time
Thursday	7 July	9.00am and 12.30pm Mass	Thursday of the 14th Week of Ordinary Time
Friday	8 July	9.00am and 12.30pm Mass	Friday of the 14th Week of Ordinary Time
Saturday	9 July	9am Mass	Saturday of the 14th Week of Ordinary Time
Sunday	10 July		15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

## Please Remember in your Prayers

**RECENTLY DECEASED:** Jenny Sayer

**SICK:** Gordon Thomas, Maria Chan, Susan Lee, Mrs Elizabeth Martin, Maria La Greca

**ANNIVERSARY OF DECEASED:** Members of the Oakes family, Guillermo Bolingot, Joselito Castaneda



## Congratulations and Welcome

Juan Crisostomo Ibarra

## Reflection on the Gospel this Sunday

Luke's Gospel is striking in that it is the only Gospel that contains two accounts of Jesus's sending the disciples on mission (see 9:2 and 10:1). Jesus is very clear in what the disciples should take with them on mission: "Carry no purse, no bag, no sandals" (10:4). Travel during Jesus's time was dangerous, especially because of robbers on the road. If the disciples carry nothing of value, they won't attract the attention of robbers and will thus have safer travels. Upon arriving in a town or village, the disciples look for local people who will extend hospitality to them. Jesus instructs the disciples to depend on the hospitality of the first person who offers it and to stay in that person's home. Hospitality is most likely extended by the village or town elder. In addition to giving the stranger a place to sleep and food to eat, the person extending hospitality also provides protection for the stranger. Once the stranger has gained the approval of the town elder, then all in the village or town welcome and respect him or her. That is the context for Jesus's statement, "I am sending you out like lambs into the midst of wolves" (10:3). Jesus also advises his disciples to shake the dust from their feet if they come to a town or village where they are not welcome. This gesture publicly acknowledges the denial of hospitality to the disciples. However, Jesus goes on to encourage the disciples to use even an occasion of being rejected and denied hospitality to proclaim the Good News that the Kingdom of God is coming—in fact, is very near.

When the disciples return, there is great rejoicing for what they accomplished. Jesus reminds the disciples that he has given them authority over destructive forces and that nothing will hurt them. Then Jesus closes with these great words of wisdom: "Do not rejoice at this, that the spirits submit to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven" (10:20). Jesus is reminding the disciples that the prize is not human glory consisting of recognition and honor but rather heavenly glory obtained by following Jesus through his death and Resurrection—following Jesus to Jerusalem and Calvary. This is what true freedom is about—trusting wholly in Jesus both in the good times and in the challenging times.

要远避世俗的虚谈

Avoid godless chatter.

## From Fr David

Dear friends,

This Sunday, the Second General Assembly of the Fifth Plenary Council of Australia commences. It will be an historic week for the Church in Australia and the culmination of four years of discernment throughout our country. Please keep this event in your prayer that the Spirit may guide the members of the Plenary Council in their discussions and deliberations. For my part, it will be a very busy week in my role as Secretary to the Council. So do please spare a thought and prayer for me too! I will have a few days break after the Council and return to our parish on the weekend of 16/17 July.

A very big thank you to all those who have been able to contribute recently to our Pastoral Works Fund Appeal. As you know we  
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## Upcoming Events

<b>Sunday 3 July— Saturday 9 July</b>	Fifth Plenary Council of the Church in Australia—Fr David present as a member and Secretary to the Council
<b>Wednesday 20 July 7.30pm</b>	60th Anniversary of Ordination celebration for Bishop David Walker
<b>Sunday 24 July</b>	Grandparents & Elderly Sunday
<b>Sunday 28 August</b>	Social Justice Sunday
<b>Sunday 4 Sept</b>	Father's Day
<b>Sunday 25 Sept</b>	Bach Akademie Performance



## This Week in our Parish

Sunday	3 July	10am-12noon	Youth Groups (Magnificat & St Paul Rooms)
		12noon	Filipino Mass
Monday	4 July	11.30am-12noon	Divine Mercy Chaplet and then 11.45 am Rosary (MMP Cenacle)
		5.30pm-6.30pm	Rosary for Mr Lupo Guerrero
		7.00pm-9.00pm	Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible (Magnificat Room)
Tuesday	5 July	9.45am-12.15pm	Bible Discussion Group (St Paul Room)
		10.30am	Funeral for Mr Lupo Guerrero
		7.00pm-8.30pm	Indonesian Legion of Mary (St Paul Room)
		7.00pm-8.00pm	Filipino Choir practice (St Peter Room)
Wednesday	6 July	6.30pm-8.00pm	Indonesian Music practice (Church)
Thursday	7 July	9.30am-12noon	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Adoration.
		10.00am-11.30am	Seniors' Coffee Morning (Magnificat Room)
		5.30pm-7.30pm	Legion of Mary (English) (Magnificat Room)
		7pm-8pm	Holy Hour with <b>Reconciliation available</b>
Friday	8 July	10.00am-11.30am	Meditation (St Paul Room)
		7.30pm-9.30pm	Indonesian Choir practice (St Paul Room)
Saturday	9 July	9.30am-11.00am	Rosary and Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help with Benediction/ <b>Reconciliation available</b>
		10.45am-12noon	MCAG meeting (St Peter Room)
		7.00pm-9.00pm	Korean Reading & Discussing Bible Class (St Paul Room)



## *From Fr David cont'd*

have a significant obligation of \$57,000 annually for this appeal. Because of your generosity, we have almost been able to meet our target .**THANK YOU!**

Due to the remarkable generosity of one of our parishioners we are able to begin the new financial year with some much needed refurbishment work in our church and in our parish office. In the coming weeks, the bathroom in the church sacristy, along with the work sinks and benches, will be completely renewed. The sacristy area will then be repainted. And the downstairs bathroom in our parish office will be completely refurbished too. In so doing, we are seeking to make our parish office more inviting. We will continue to refurbish our parish office little by little with the intention of installing a new kitchen in the coming month as well. We are profoundly grateful to the parishioner who has made this possible for us.

**A very special thank you to all those who recently completed a Parish Census Card. Remember its never too late to complete one! We are also very grateful to all those who expressed an interest in become more engaged in one of our many parish activities and ministries. We are now working through all the responses and our Parish Pastoral and Missionary Council has developed a strategy to make contact with you! In early August, with Term 3 begun, we will be sure to follow through on your interest! So many have expressed such an interest! We look forward to contacting you and benefiting from your involvement.**

### **A special date claimer: Wednesday 20 July at 7.30pm!**

Bishop David Walker celebrates the 60th anniversary of his Ordination to Priesthood. This is a most significant milestone and we are delighted that Bishop David will celebrate this occasion with us.

We are all welcome to Mass at 7.30pm on Wednesday 20 July and to the refreshments following in Harrington Hall.

## *From our Parish Pastoral and Missionary Council*

The Parish Pastoral and Missionary Council met on Tuesday 28th June in the Magnificat Meeting Room. We continue to study and follow the guidance from the Synod of bishops on For a Synodal Church: Communion, Participation, and Mission. (Vademecum for the Synod on Synodality, 07.09.2021). Specifically, on Attitudes for Participating in the Synodal Process (section 2.3). This includes making time for sharing, listening, dialogue, openness, being inclusive, having an open mind, and journeying together. Following an inspired suggestion from one of our parishioners, we have updated the name of our parish renewal programme to 'Being Church in the City, **We** Journey Together', which shifts our attention to the action of journeying.

Fr David updated us on news from around the parish:

- Conversation Circles in May were well received, and allowed a chance to discuss ideas that arise from this renewal programme. Further conversations will be scheduled again in October.
- Developments within and surrounding the precinct - including Chase Quarter and potential opportunities for our parish.
- Creation of the Giving Committee remit. This will be a subcommittee of the Parish Finance Committee, to imbue a culture of stewardship and giving as part of discipleship, and provide strategies to maximise participation and funding.

Brendan provided an update on Church in the City: We Journey Together:

- 84 Dreams have been submitted so far and are now being analysed.
- National Church Life Survey summary results from earlier this year have been received, providing us insights into the makeup of our parish.
- 384 parishioners and families completed a Census card. The census is a very important way by which we can ensure we are able to keep in contact with you. The initial results of the Census are featured in this bulletin.
- Next steps are to build a task force to start actioning and coordinating the ideas founded in the dream responses.

Many parishioners, through the Census cards, have indicated their desire to become more involved and active in the parish. In the coming months, we will get in contact with you to let you know how to get involved.

**Parish Pastoral and Missionary Council.**

## General Notices

### Confirmation 2022 Enrolments Open

Enrolment for preparation and reception of the Sacrament of Confirmation have opened via Our Lady of Dolours parish website.

In our parish, children are eligible to enrol for Confirmation once they have been baptised and have reached 8 years of age or older. Please see the 'Children's Sacraments' page on our parish website for further details.

#### To enrol your child

Go the parish website:

<https://www.bbcatholic.org.au/chatswood>

From the home page:

Click on **Sacraments**

Click on **Children's Sacraments**

Click on **Confirmation**

*This page includes information you will need to enrol including all the dates for the program.*

When you are ready to enrol, Click on **Enrol Here** button at the bottom of this page. And complete all the details as instructed.

#### Enrolments close on Friday 22 July

For queries, contact Angela or Mona in the parish office

[chatswood.sacraments@bbcatholic.org.au](mailto:chatswood.sacraments@bbcatholic.org.au)



### Seniors' Yuletide Morning Tea

Please join us on Thursday 7th July at 10.00am to celebrate Yuletide and to hear more about the Church in the City project.



Brendan Tertini for the Parish Council is coming to speak to us about the project and the next steps. If you need any more information please contact Jan Hunter

[gfiadino@bigpond.net.au](mailto:gfiadino@bigpond.net.au)



### NEW PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES

New Planned Giving envelopes for 2022/2023 are available for pick up in the Church foyer. The boxes of envelopes are in alphabetical order.



Please note that your Planned Giving Envelope no. might be different from last year. Thank you for collecting them this way as it saves a considerable amount on postage costs for the parish.

### The Second Assembly of the Fifth Plenary Council of Australia takes place from July 3-9.

Masses and sessions will be live-streamed each day and people are invited to send messages of prayer, hope and support to the Members gathering in Sydney.

Find the livestreaming schedule and the portal for sending messages at:

[www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au](http://www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au)



## Celebrating 110 years of our St Vincent de Paul Conference

Over the last few weeks we have been highlighting the St Vincent De Paul Society and its activities both statewide eg provision of refuges and sheltered workshops and locally in Chatswood e.g. responding to calls for help and the Youth Conference.

The local Conference complements the work of other Chatswood Groups.

Unless the Conference receives an influx of a few more members it will wither and there won't be too many more anniversaries. This would be a significant loss to the Parish and reflect poorly on our Christian commitment to love God and our neighbour.

We have seen what is involved in being a member of the Conference; essentially it is a commitment to be helpful.

Today Forestville Chatswood and the Youth Conferences are seeking new members. Forestville Conference is involved in a wide range of activities, some of which overlap with Chatswood, and provides additional opportunities for involvement in the Society other than helping those seeking assistance which is the focus of Chatswood. The Youth Conference is involved in more active pursuits such as helping those on the streets.

### Why join a Conference

- bear public Catholic witness
- fulfilling the commandment to "love one another" and "if anyone asks -give"
- helping others is one of the more satisfying things in life and is rewarding
- local conferences have backing from a significant organisation
- meet good people
- challenging at times and enables personal growth
- help the Parish.

The SVP is not perfect but it tries with the help of the Holy Spirit.

One Conference member joined over 50 years ago because of a desire "to have at least some runs on the board in preparation of the last judgement in respect of feeding the hungry and clothing the naked, which are basic activities of the Society, and it is easier to do these things with others than on one's own."

Interested persons are invited to take a pamphlet from one of the Society members after mass which contain details of an introductory meeting on 16 July in the Magnificat Room at 3:30 pm. Alternatively contact can be made with Bob 94192824 or John 94195838

or leave your expression of interest and details at the Parish Office.



## CHANGE LIVES VOLUNTEER NOW

Volunteering with Vinnies Shops is a chance to give back to the community, share your skills, develop new ones and make new friends.

*We have roles to suit everyone.*

### FOR MORE INFORMATION:

EMAIL: [retailvolunteering@vinnies.org.au](mailto:retailvolunteering@vinnies.org.au)

VISIT: [vinnies.org.au/shopvolunteersw](http://vinnies.org.au/shopvolunteersw)

or SCAN the QR code →



## Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Sunday

### ABORIGINAL & TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER SUNDAY

Every year on Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Sunday, Catholics from across Australia come together to acknowledge and celebrate the gift of Australia's First Peoples. The National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Catholic Council (NATSICC) organises the availability of various resources. This year our theme challenges us to action:

***The Harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few,  
Get up! Stand up! Show up!***

It is the dream of NATSICC that Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander and non-Indigenous Catholics come together in this great Southern land as one people in Christ. We ask you to listen to us, stand with us and walk with us on our journey for change. (Further information in Sunday Extra 3 & 10 July)

#### NAIDOC Week 3- 10 July

celebrates the history, culture and achievements of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples. NAIDOC Week is a great opportunity to learn more about Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities.



#### NAIDOC WEEK IN CHATSWOOD LIBRARY

Tour Guides from the Art Gallery of NSW will share Aboriginal artworks selected from the gallery's collection. This session will introduce you to examples of traditional and contemporary Aboriginal artworks featuring colourful drawings, dot paintings, bark paintings, body paintings, sculptures and installations.

**5 July 11am to 12 noon**

**Please book 9777 7900**

為您介紹一些原住民傳統和當代藝術品——如色彩繽紛的顏料、圓點畫、樹皮畫、人體彩繪、雕塑及裝置等。

**Mandarin Session (普通話): Thursday 7 July, 10am - 11am**

### *Listening to the Ear of the Heart*

During June, our parish provided a 3-episode series in Listening to the Ear of the Heart led by Elizabeth Lee. Elizabeth has degrees in science, education and theology and currently provides pastoral care to the homeless. Prior to that, she had what she describes as 'many life-giving years' as a prison chaplain. Her course in deep listening was designed specifically for our Community Action members who aim to work with the homeless but was open to all parishioners. Between 10 and 20 people took advantage of the opportunity and learned how one's own posture and eye contact, the environment and one's personal attitude and prejudices affect how well we 'hear' another person, whether a stranger or a loved one. We practised listening without speaking for up to 5 minutes with an observer to give us feedback on the effectiveness of our listening. We learned to monitor our human rush to judge what we heard and gained a greater understanding of how different we all are and how our experiences, our perspective and our needs shape the beliefs and prejudices we all have. In the final session we also learned how to keep healthy boundaries as a deep listener and how to care for ourselves. We found the training very helpful. Fr David has kindly agreed to offer another course by Elizabeth next year during Lent. This will be on Restoring Relationships and again will be open to all.



#### **Last Monday, our Catechists had their first retreat with Fr Marek.**

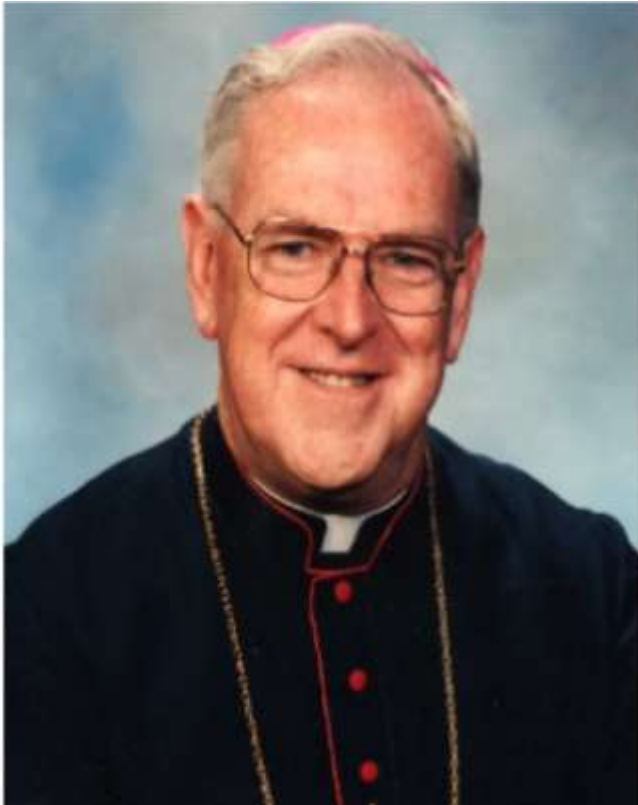
The ministry will set a date as part of the formation of our catechists here in Our Lady of Dolours.

The idea of being together as a group, having benefited with the insights that each one shared, the acknowledgement of the catechists and the work that they do spreading the word of God each week in state schools are all present in this fruitful and beautiful retreat.





*Two Great Events in July*



*Join Us To Celebrate  
Bishop David Walker  
60th Ordination Anniversary*

*Wednesday, 20th July 2022*

*Mass @ 7.30pm Followed By Supper  
Harrington Hall, 94 Archer Street  
Our Lady Of Dolours Parish, Chatswood  
RSVP By Friday 15th July  
[chatswoodoffice@bbcatholic.org.au](mailto:chatswoodoffice@bbcatholic.org.au)*

ROBERT M. HADDAD

**1001**  
**REASONS**  
**WHY IT'S GREAT**  
**TO BE CATHOLIC!**



*Join Our Parish Conference  
with Apologist Dr Robert Haddad*

*Saturday, 23 July 2022*

*First Talk @ 11:00am*

*Harrington Hall, 94 Archer Street  
Our Lady of Dolours Parish, Chatswood*

*Register By 15th July On [Trybooking.com](http://Trybooking.com)*

*A plea for your musical help!*

Given a number of changes in peoples' circumstances this year, we find ourselves now short of musicians for our weekend Masses.

We are looking especially for singers and musicians for our Sunday 9am Mass on the 1st and 5th Sundays of the Mass



## Opportunities for Prayer and Reflection



### An Invitation from Bishop David

Bishop David has a new website for *lectio divina*.  
You are invited to come to the website <https://lectiodivina.org.au/> for a weekly interactive reflection on the Gospel reading of the coming Sunday.

Subscribe to a Newsletter for weekly updates  
Explore the YouTube channel  
Join the Facebook group  
Share the videos with family and friends  
Integrate the videos into your Scripture and/or your prayer groups

#### LECTIO DIVINA ZOOM MEETING

Bishop David also invites you to participate in a zoom meeting that will give you the opportunity to appreciate the process of *lectio divina* and the benefits it brings to faith life. The session will be recorded for further reflection and sharing.

**SATURDAY 23 JULY 1 - 2pm** zoom link <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83048240094>

## Unlocking the Bible Series

Our Parish's Alpha Journey ended on Monday last 30 May. To continue together we will be offering Alpha guests a Bible Study over 8 weeks commencing on 20 June. Like Alpha, we will watch a video for 30 minutes and then have a discussion about what we have seen. There are Workbooks (see below) which we can purchase which will also include the time line and a mini timeline/bookmark. We think we would finish at 8:30 or 9:00 pm – really depending what suits everyone.

20 June 2022 at 7:00 pm	Week 1	(Magnificat Room – as with Alpha)
27 June 2022 at 7:00 pm	Week 2	“
4 July 2022 at 7:00 pm	Week 3	“
11 July 2022 at 7:00 pm	Week 4	“
18 July 2022 at 7:00 pm	Week 5	“
25 July 2022 at 7:00 pm	Week 6	“
1 August 2022 at 7:00 pm	Week 7	“
8 August 2022 at 7:00 pm	Week 8	“

Coffee and tea will be available - those who are able could “bring a plate to share” (preferably with something on it). We are happy to offer an invitation to this course to anyone else who would like to join. Apologies for the late notice! If anyone is interested in joining this program and/or would like to order a Workbook please let me know and I can organise to order through Parousia – they cost \$29.99, say \$30. Please contact Gillian Hawkins (0412 373 324) or [gillian-hawkins@bigpond.com](mailto:gillian-hawkins@bigpond.com) to advise if you would like to join us/require me to order a Workbook for you.

Blessings, Gillian Hawkins



# Foundation Youth Ministry

Upcoming Events

General Information

## INTRODUCING CAPSTONE

TWO WEEKS AGO WE OFFICIALLY INAUGURATED CAPSTONE WHICH WILL SERVE AS OUR YOUNG ADULTS GROUP. ANYONE OVER THE AGE OF 18 IS WELCOME. THIS GROUP MEETS ON THE SAME SUNDAYS AS CORNERSTONE AND KEYSTONE (THE 2ND AND 4TH SUNDAYS OF THE MONTH DURING SCHOOL TERM) FROM 12PM TO 2PM. THE GROUP AIMS TO SUPPORT ADULTS IN THEIR FORMATION WHILST PROVIDING A COMMUNITY OF SUPPORT!

### YOUTH LEADERS

CAILIN, JOSEPH, RIYA AND SEAN

FOUNDATION YOUTH MINISTRY IS MADE UP OF:



**CORNERSTONE**  
FOR YEAR 6 TO 9



**KEYSTONE**  
FOR YEAR 10 TO 12

WE MEET AFTER THE 9AM FAMILY MASS IN THE MEETING ROOMS

## Updates

We have set up an Instagram page which is aimed to be a source of contact for our youth group attendees. We will post youth group reflections, reminders and information about key Feast Days.

INSTAGRAM PAGE:  
[foundation\\_youth\\_ministry](https://www.instagram.com/foundation_youth_ministry)

Our Facebook Page

FOLLOW US TO STAY UPDATED



PLEASE CONTACT US VIA EMAIL

FOUNDATION.CORNERSTONEYOUTH@GMAIL.COM

FOUNDATION.KEYSTONEYOUTH@GMAIL.COM

## Social Event Coming up in our Parish



### STATE OF ORIGIN—THE DECIDE

You are warmly invited to join the parish men's group, Menalive, in watching the 3rd & final deciding game of the Series.

#### Details as follows:

- ⇒ Date : Wednesday the 13th July
- ⇒ Time : Gather from 7.00pm for a 7.50pm kickoff
- ⇒ Place : Parish meeting rooms cnr Kirk & Archer Sts, Chatswood
- ⇒ Catering: Appropriate beverages & snacks provided
- ⇒ Prizes: Closest & worst pick the score & man of the match
- ⇒ Commentary: An overseas expert supplying In depth background analysis of strategy & tactics will be on hand



Enquiries/ RSVP by Monday 11th July to Peter Woo 0433 030 016 or Rick Doran 0408 674 623.

## A round and A bout



CatholicCare is here to help and offers a range of services for people in need including emergency relief, financial supports, homelessness and housing assistance, domestic violence support, counselling supports including financial counselling, disability and seniors supports and more.

We have a flyer specifically for parishes here

<https://tinyurl.com/bd54c5mb>.

Call us today on 1800 324 924 or visit [www.catholiccaredbb.org.au](http://www.catholiccaredbb.org.au) for more information.

## A round and A bout



Young Adults

# BUSH WALK

Part of the Crosslands to Berowra Waters Track

**SAVE THE DATE!**

- ▶ SUNDAY, JULY 17
- ▶ FOLLOWING 10AM MASS AT ASQUITH
- ▶ MORE DETAILS TO COME

Young Adults are invited to join the Catholic Youth Broken Bay team for a bush walk on Sunday, 17<sup>th</sup> July. We will be walking part of the Crosslands to Berowra Waters track, following 10:00am Mass at St Patrick's Church, Asquith.

This return walk starts from the Crosslands Reserve and follows the Great North Walk along Berowra creek, a beautiful place of natural flora and fauna. The walk is relatively flat, with the final part of the hike leading to Naa Badu Lookout, offering magnificent views over Berowra Creek, as well as Sams and Calna Creeks.

Bring your own snacks/lunch and water for the hike, as well as a water bottle, hat and sunscreen. Contact Jen for more information: [jen.healey@bbcatholic.org.au](mailto:jen.healey@bbcatholic.org.au)

### PraiseFest: Welcome to Mercy

Catholic Youth Broken Bay together with Glorious, a group of enthusiastic and creative young adults, invite young people across the diocese to

**'Praisefest:  
Welcome to Mercy.'**

**Date: Friday, 19<sup>th</sup> August from 7:00pm – 9:00pm  
at Our Lady of the Rosary Parish at The Entrance.**

The theme, 'Welcome to Mercy', invites each young person to delve into Christ's fountain of life regardless of past, failures, or current relationship with Christ. It also aims to connect the merciful and social justice work which students currently participate in through their schools, to the mercy that flows from Christ.

The evening will include outdoor games, live music, Q&A panel, testimony and of course, a Praise Party! More information will be announced over the coming weeks.



—Social Justice Statement 2021-22—

**Putting Rungs on the Ladder  
Tri-Diocesan Social Justice Reflection Evening**

The Annual Tri-Diocesan Social Justice Reflection Evening will this year be hosted by the Diocese of Parramatta on 20 July 2022, in partnership with the Diocese of Broken Bay and the Archdiocese of Sydney.


All Social Justice teams of the Diocese, as well as interested parishioners are warmly invited.

Date: Wednesday 20 July 2022, 6:00pm – 9:00pm (includes dinner)

Venue: Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Hall, 7 Grantham Rd, Seven Hills

Register at <https://parracatholic.org/tri-diocesan/>

Enquiries: Pina Bernard [pina.bernard@bbcatholic.org.au](mailto:pina.bernard@bbcatholic.org.au)  
0432 682 239



## Free Seminar


# Wills, Enduring Guardianship and Powers of Attorney

A seminar for the Catholic community of Broken Bay featuring an expert legal advisor to answer your questions.

**Date:** Thursday 14 July 2022  
**Time:** 11.00am – 12.30pm  
**Venue:** The Lakes Parish Hall, St Joseph's Catholic Church  
21 Lagoon St, Narrabeen NSW 2101  
**Catering:** Light refreshments provided  
**Register:** [www.bbcatholic.org.au/willsday](http://www.bbcatholic.org.au/willsday) or contact David on 02 8379 1664 / [david.armstrong@bbcatholic.org.au](mailto:david.armstrong@bbcatholic.org.au)

**Presenter**  
**Cecilia Castle**, principal of Castle Lawyers, will present and answer questions from her legal expertise of over 30 years. Cecilia is a regular speaker and writer on legal topics, Catholic and parishioner in the Diocese of Broken Bay.

*"An authentic faith always involves a deep desire to leave this earth a better place than we found it."*  
POPE FRANCIS



## *For our Group Leaders and People using our Meeting Rooms*

Our meeting rooms are provided for Parishioners to enjoy and have their meetings. The rooms have remained in good condition for a few years now due to everyone's cooperation.



- ◆ All windows should be locked before leaving.
- ◆ All Air Conditioners and Hot Water Heaters should be turned off before leaving.
- ◆ If window blinds have been shut, please reopen before leaving.
- ◆ As you leave please make sure you lock the door behind you.
- ◆ Keys are provided in each room for the toilets. Please ensure that if you use the toilet, please lock it up when finished and return the keys to the room.
- ◆ All rooms are set up with coffee making facilities for your use. The two bigger rooms are also set up to have some form of catering with cutlery and crockery provided. Catering is certainly welcome. However we do ask that some protocols be followed:
  - a. If there is a spillage, please clean it up.
  - b. Fridges are provided in two rooms for us to keep food fresh whilst our meeting is on. At the end, please take home any excess food as it is not good to have food left in the fridges.
  - c. Please do not leave anything on the benches.
  - d. Dishwashers are provided in these two rooms. If full of clean dishes, please remove before placing the dishes we have used in the dishwasher and turn on before we leave.

If there are any issues with the rooms, please email Michael on [Michael.mercer@bbcatholic.org.au](mailto:Michael.mercer@bbcatholic.org.au)

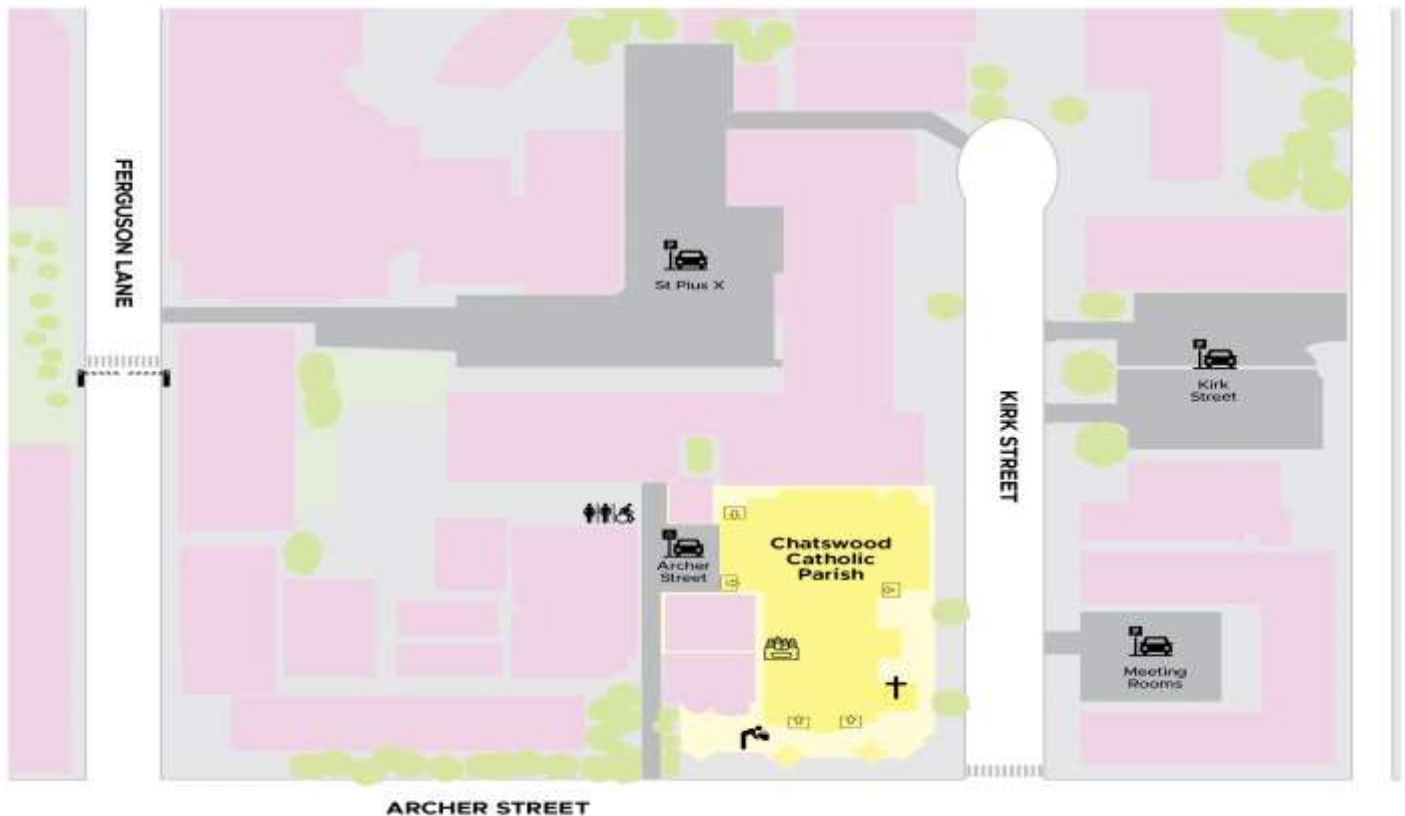


## **POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER INTENTION FOR JUNE**

### **FAMILIES**

We pray for Christian families around the world; may they embody and experience unconditional love and advance in holiness in their daily lives.

## *Parking at Our Lady of Dolours*



### *Requests for Mass Intentions*

It is a privilege for one of our priests to be able to offer Mass for a special intention, especially at the time someone has died or on the occasion of their anniversary. We welcome such requests. It is important to note, however, that a priest can only receive one intention per Mass. Therefore, it may not be possible to have a Mass offered on a specific day and at a particular time, given that the priest may already have allocated an intention for the Mass. Do be assured that if a Mass cannot be offered on a specific occasion it will be offered by a priest at the first available opportunity. Notwithstanding, if you would like a Mass for a specific purpose at a particular time, please contact a priest directly to seek to arrange this. All emails are on the back page of this bulletin.

### *Altar Flower Signup 2022*

If you would like to reserve a date for Altar flowers, please contact Nicole in the Parish Office on 9410 9020 or [nicole.gorman@bbcatholic.org.au](mailto:nicole.gorman@bbcatholic.org.au). Altar flower arrangements can be in memory of a loved one, or in honor of a special occasion; birthdays, anniversaries, baptisms, marriages, etc.. The suggested donation for flower memorials is \$100. Volunteers will then beautifully and simply arrange the flowers for Sunday.

Please submit your donation at least one week prior to the date you would like to dedicate the flowers. This will give the parish office time to ensure your dedication is in the weekly bulletin.

### *Supporting our Parish Financially*

Donation for	Description	BSB	Account Number
First collection <b>(support for Clergy)</b>	<b>Chatswood Parish Pastoral Revenue A/C</b>	<b>062-784</b>	<b>100001606</b>
Second collection, Planned Giving by EFT & general donation to Parish <b>(support for Parish operation)</b>	<b>Chatswood Parish Working A/C</b>	<b>062-784</b>	<b>100001609</b>

# Parish Contact Information and Mass Times

## 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 Our Lady of Dolours please visit our parish website at <https://www.bbcatholic.org.au/chatswood>

**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 : [chatswoodoffice@bbcatholic.org.au](mailto:chatswoodoffice@bbcatholic.org.au)

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## Sunday Masses

**5.30pm** Saturday evening Vigil Mass

**7.30am** (followed by Morning Tea on 1st Sunday of the month)

**9.00am** (Includes Children's Liturgy of the Word on 1st, 2nd & 4th Sundays, except on long weekends).

**10.30am**

**11.00am at St Peter's Green Aged Care Facility, North Lane Cove (note this is for residents only)**

**5.30pm**

### Filipino Culture Mass

12noon, 1st Sunday of the month

### Spanish Culture Mass

12noon, 3rd Sunday of the month

### Indonesian Culture Mass

7.00pm, 3rd Sunday of the month

## Weekday Masses and Devotions

Monday: 12.30pm

Tuesday: 9.00am and 12.30pm

Wednesday: 9.00am and 12.30pm

**(Sacrament of Anointing is celebrated after Mass on the 3rd Wednesday of the month)**

Thursday: 9.00am and 12.30pm

Friday: 9.00am and 12.30pm

Saturday: 9.00am

**Morning Prayer:** Tuesday to Saturday: 8.45am

### Rosary

Monday: 11.45am (preceded by Divine Mercy Chaplet at 11.30am); Tuesday to Saturday 9.30am

**Thursday Adoration** After 9am Mass. Ends with Divine Mercy Chaplet at midday followed by Benediction.

**Thursday Holy Hour** with Exposition and Reconciliation 7.00pm

**First Friday of the month:** 6.30pm Divine Retreat Centre Healing Mass and Prayer