# HORNSBY CATHEDRAL PARISH

Parish Newsletter

20 February 2022



# SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**Bishop Anthony Randazzo Thanks** Supporters of Pastoral Works Broken Bay Pastoral Works Broken Bay is the pastoral charity of the Catholic community in the Diocese of Broken Bay. Every gift to our Pastoral Works makes a real difference to someone in hospital, a school for students with special needs, the deaf community or our catechists sharing the gospel with State school students. Bishop Randazzo sincerely thanks all who support our Pastoral Works as we endeavour to reach further and wider in helping our community.

Vox Episcopi – The Voice of the Bishop My dear brothers and sisters in Christ, Greetings and blessings from Rome! The streets and cafes are a lot quieter from my previous visits here as some health restrictions are still in place. Although I have studied in Rome and lived and worked in the Vatican for a number of years, there is always something very special about returning here, visiting and praying in the Papal Basilica of St Peter in the Vatican which holds such a unique position in the Christian world.



(To read the full message go to our website or facebook page)

<b>First Reading</b>	<b>Responsorial Psalm</b>	Second Reading	Gospel Acclamation	<b>Gospel</b>
1Sam 26:2,7-9,12-13,22-23	Ps 1102:1-4,8,10,12-13 R.v.8	1 Cor 15:45-49	Jn13:34	Lk 6:27-38
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MASS SCHEDULE		2021 NATIONAL CHURCH LIFE SURVEY					
Weekday Mass Schedule         OLOR Cathedral:       QOP Church:         Mon to Sat 7:00 am       Tue, Thu , Fri 8:45 am         Sat 7:30 am       Sat 7:30 am         Korean Mass         Tue, Thu 7:30 pm         Weekend Mass Schedule		Due to the pandemic the 2021 National Church Life Survey is held a little later between December 2021 and February 2022. This weekend we invite our parishioners to participate and complete their Attender Survey either on a paper survey form (during Mass) or online at <b>attendersurvey.ncls.org.au</b>					
		The Survey is a chance to review our church's qualities as we look to the future. Afterwards we will receive our own church results. The Survey is voluntary, anonymous and confidential and most people complete it within 15-20 minutes.					
OLOR Cathedral: Saturday 5:00 pm Vigil Sunday 9:30 am, 6:00 pm	<b>QOP Church:</b> Saturday 5:30 pm Vigil Sunday 8:00 am	<ul> <li>Paper: On the paper survey please fill in our NCLS Church Code at the top right corner.</li> <li>Online: Go to attendersurvey.ncls.org.au and enter our NCLS Church Code.</li> </ul>					
Filipino Mass 3:30 pm (Every 2nd Sunday of each month	Korean Mass Sat 7:30 pm	OLOR Cathedral code is: TA228701 Queen of Peace Church code is: TA228702 For more information about the National Church Life Survey and the					
Sun 11:00 am & 5:00 pm THANK YOU to those who stay after Mass to clean the pews. Sacrament of Penance / Reconciliation OLOR Cathedral Saturdays from 9 am to 9:30 am Queen of Peace Church Saturdays 4:30pm-5:15 pm Exposition every First Friday of the month from 10am– 10pm Cenacle prayer group meets every Thursday after 8.45am Mass at QOP church Private Prayer Our Cathedral <i>Chapel</i> is open for private prayer from 8am-8pm. It is necessary for everyone who enters the chapel to check in using QR Code, hand sanitise and to wear a face mask. Failure to do so will mean we need to close the chapel. If a Priest is needed in a matter of emergency, after hours or on the weekend, please call 0458 351 843.		research team, go to 2021ncls.org.au Thank you for taking part in the 2021 National Church Life, your participation is much appreciated!					
		<ul> <li>SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM 2022</li> <li>Calling All Parents of Students in Year 3, 4 &amp; 5</li> <li>This year we have Confirmation for Year 3 students and First Communion for Year 5 and 4 students. The parents' meeting which will be held on</li> <li>Thursday 24th February in OLOR at 7pm (Please be there by 6.50pm to start at 7pm).</li> <li>The final day for registration forms to be submitted to the office for all sacraments will be Monday 28th February.</li> <li>(You will find the registration forms on the website or there will be copies at the meeting and also at the back of the church). Once all forms are submitted, we will know the numbers we expect and can then advise you of the program dates.</li> <li>The date for Confirmation will be Saturday June 4<sup>th</sup>, the eve of Pentecost. The Feast of Christ the King is the usual day for First Holy Communion, but we need to know numbers before deciding the date/s for the celebration in 2022.</li> </ul>					
					8379 1700		Cathedral@bbcatholic.org.au Private Bag 3000





# ADORATION FOR VOCATION

Every Friday 7pm-8pm OLOR Cathedral

# ALTAR SERVERS CAN YOU HELP PLEASE:

We have vacancies for various Masses for Senior and Junior Altar Servers, your generosity is much appreciated. If interested please contact the Parish Office on 8379 1700. Training will be provided.



# YOUTH GROUP

Hornsby Cathedral Parish is recommencing their Youth group for Young people aged 12-17. Please join us at 6pm Mass on 20 February. For inquiries please contact Isabelle(0431 883 321)

"GLORIOUS" LAUNCH

If you are 18-35 and passionate about the arts expressing the beauty of God, come to the "Glorious" launch on Wednesday, 16 February 2022 at the light of Christ Centre, Waitara from 7-9pm.

Entry is free, bring a friend and enjoy a free meal. For more information contact the CYBB team (*Alex Leach* via alex.leach@bbcatholic.org.au/ *Rachel Vala* via Rachel.vala@bbcatholic.org.au)

# CHILDREN'S LITURGY

Hornsby Cathedral is exploring recommencing Children's Liturgy on Sunday mornings in coming weeks!

If you would like to be a parent helper, or have children in

years K-6 who might like to be involved,

please contact Fionnuala Armstrong

. 0444 59 59 59

armstrongfionnuala@hotmail.com.



#### WELCOME TO OUR NEW MEMBERS TO OUR PARISH

This weekend we welcome our 8 newest members to the Cathedral Parish as they receive the sacrament of Baptism. Please pray for:

Noah, William, Alissa, Zane, Robin, Bradley, Adelaide and Emilia.

Remember their parents in prayer as they commit themselves to teaching their children to love God and his people. *Marie Gately—Sacramental Coordinator* 

#### HOMILIES FROM DEACON PETER

Deacon Peter publishes his homilies each week on his website. The address is: <u>www.deaconpeter.org</u>

**May we ask you to pray for** those who are sick, those who are struck with the virus, those tested positive, those in isolation, and those vaccinated for COVID-19.

We remember those who died recently: Peter Wild • Sheila Margaret Barnett • Elizabeth Anderson • Fr Manoj Manuel• Br Norman Hart fms • Trudy Bruins • Albert Leung

Anniversaries: Tim Dalton ● Guido Linssen ● John Salvador Gonsalves ● Jane Misquitta ● Noel Christensen ● Darren Egelhoff

We pray for the sick: Michelle Manjon ● Allan Ivers ● Lisa Kaye Willatt ● Martin Palisi ● Lisa Hogarth

# CATECHIST RECRUITMENT — TRAINING NOW FOR 2022

Catechist or Assistant needed for the following public schools:

**Tuesdays at Hornsby South PS** – Yrs 1 and 2 at 1:45 - 2:15 pm. Yr 6 at 2:20 – 2:50pm.

Wednesdays at Normanhurst PS – Yrs 5 and 6 at 10:30 – 11:00am.

Wednesdays at Thornleigh West PS -Kindergarten at 2:15 – 2:45pm.

Wednesdays at Waitara PS -Yr 3 at 2:30 – 3:10pm.

Thursdays at Normanhurst West PS – Yr 3 at 10:30 - 11:00am.

Thursdays at Thornleigh West PS -Yr 6 at 2:15 - 2:45pm.

To become a Catechist or an Assistant, contact via email: louise.spencer@bbcatholic.org.au

#### **Curious about Catholicism?**

Are you, or someone you know, interested in finding out more about what Catholics believe and practice, and why? Do you think you might like to become a Catholic?

Free information and discussion sessions start very soon. Come and see with no obligation.

Contact Peter, Parish Christian Initiation team leader On Mobile 0411 389 300 or via email rcia.hornsby@gmail.com

# FREE SEMINAR ON WILLS & ESTATES

The seminar is for those who need to prepare or update their Will, and to encourage supporting the future of our Catholic faith through a charitable gift in Will. Cecilia Castle, a regular speaker and writer on legal topics, will present and answer questions from her legal expertise of over 30 years. All welcome across the Diocese.

#### **Event Details**

Date: Tuesday 15 March 2022 Time: 11.00am - 12.30pm Venue: Our Lady of the Rosary Catholic Parish, 239-243 The Entrance Road, The Entrance 2261 Catering: Light refreshments provided

For registrations go to <u>www.bbcatholic.org.au/willsday</u> or contact David Armstrong at <u>david.armstrong@bbcatholic.org.au</u> for more

information.

For more information about Bequest please visit Diocese website.

# 2022 CCD ANNUAL MASS

Catechists of the diocese, their family, and friends are invited to attend the postponed 2021 Annual CCD Mass & Presentation of Awards.

It will now be held on Saturday 26 February 2022, commencing at 11:30am at Our Lady of the Rosary Cathedral, Waitara.

Please RSVP to Sharon da Roza on <u>02 8379 1638</u> or email <u>ccdadmin@bbcatholic.org.au</u>.

