

# HORNSBY CATHEDRAL PARISH

Parish Newsletter

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## THIRTY– SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### HORNSBY CATHEDRAL PARISH CLERGY

**Most Rev Anthony Randazzo**—Bishop of Broken Bay  
**Very Rev Brendan Lee** - Moderator  
**Rev Anselam Lakra** - Assistant Priest  
**Rev Roger Delmonte** - Assistant Priest  
**Rev Eliseus Shin** - Assistant Priest  
**Deacon Peter McCulloch** - Deacon  
**Mr Rosan Mathew** - Seminarian

### LITURGY OF THE WORD

**First Reading:** Wisdom 6:12-16  
**Responsorial Psalm:** My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord my God.  
**Second Reading:** Thessalonians 4:13-18  
**Gospel Acclamation:** Matthew 24:42, 44. R. v. 2  
**Gospel:** Matthew 25:1-13

### NOVEMBER MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS

For those who wish to use the November Mass Envelopes, these are available from the back of the Church. An offering may be placed in the envelope.

### MASS SCHEDULE

#### Weekend Mass Schedule

#### OLOR Cathedral:

Sat 5:00 pm (Vigil)  
 Sun 8:00 am  
 9:30 am (live-streamed)  
 11:00 am  
 6:00 pm

**Filipino Mass** 3:30 pm  
 (Every 2nd Sunday of month)

#### QOP Church:

Sat 5:30 pm (Vigil)  
 Sun 9:00 am

#### Korean Mass

Sat 7:30 pm (Vigil)  
 Sun 11:00 am  
 5:00 pm

#### Weekday Mass Schedule

#### OLOR Cathedral:

Mon 7:00 am  
 Tues 7 am & 9:30 am  
 Wed 7 am & 9:30 am  
 Thu 7 am & 9:30 am  
 Fri 7 am & 9:30 am  
 Sat 9:30 am (live-streamed)

All 7:00am Masses are live-streamed

#### QOP Church:

Tue 8:45 am  
 Wed 8:45 am  
 Thu 8:45 am  
 Fri 8:45 am  
 Sat 8:45 am

#### Korean Mass

Tue & Thu 7:30 pm  
 Weds & Fri 10am

#### Sacrament of Penance / Reconciliation

OLOR Cathedral Saturdays 9am - 9:30am  
 Queen of Peace Church Saturdays 4:30pm-5:15pm

#### Holy Hour

Every Friday 6pm-7pm OLOR Cathedral

#### Exposition—in OLOR Cathedral

Every First Friday of the month from 10am– 10pm

#### Praying the Rosary—OLOR Cathedral Chapel

weekdays after each 7am and 9:30am Mass

**Private Prayer** Our Cathedral Chapel is open for private prayer from 8am-8pm during weekdays.

**If a Priest is needed** in a matter of emergency, after hours or on the weekend, please call **0458 351 843**.



To follow us on FACEBOOK go to:  
[www.facebook.com/HornsbyCathedralParish](http://www.facebook.com/HornsbyCathedralParish)

**Parish Website:** [www.bbcatholic.org.au/hornsby](http://www.bbcatholic.org.au/hornsby)

### PASTORAL WORKS BROKEN BAY APPEAL 2023-2024

Whilst we acknowledge the difficulties many of us personally face it is often worth reflecting on how others are doing. As we move into the first of two collections for the PWBB for the 2023-2024 financial year, first one in November and second one in May 2024, I ask you to reflect on the needs of others. Your assistance with raising money for our Parish quota of \$48,904 will be assisting others who are in need.

Donations to the PWBB are distributed to five charities that directly support the people in our Diocese.

1. CatholicCare Hospital Chaplaincy and Pastoral Care Practitioner Program
2. Confraternity of Christian Doctrine (CCD)
3. St Lucy's School
4. St Edmund's College
5. The Ephpheta Centre

**Remember all donations to the PWBB Appeal are 100% tax deductible. Ways to contribute are below;**

- 1) Use the PWBB donation envelope you can collect from the church;
- 2) Pay via Online at Catholic Diocese of Broken Bay website

**Or Scan the QR Code to the right**

Select correct biller-code from the drop box menu - "1004933 PWBB". Follow the prompts entering the information. Again a receipt will be emailed.

**The PWBB appeal is your chance to make a difference to many people.**



### ONE DAY ADVENT RETREAT

Wednesday 13 December **6pm-7:30pm OLOR Cathedral** (includes talk, reflection and Adoration)

### PIETY STALL NEW COORDINATOR NEEDED

**We are looking for a new stall coordinator and volunteers.** Please contact parish office if you can help at the stall.

#### Piety stall open dates:

11 Nov Vigil Mass/ 12 Nov Sunday morning Masses  
 26 Nov Sunday First Communion Masses  
 9 Dec Vigil mass/ 10 Dec Sunday morning Masses

## PARISH NEWS

### POSITION VACANT

#### ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT PARISH OFFICE

**Hornsby Cathedral Parish** is seeking to recruit a Administrative Assistant working 5 days/35 hours per week in their Parish Office at Waitara.

The role plays an important part in the Parish team, with a wide range of responsibilities including general administrative tasks, working with the Parish team on Parish communications to profile and raise awareness of programs and ministries within the Parish, maintaining parish records including sacramental register updates, taking bookings for sacraments including baptisms and funerals, assisting with the setup of parish facilities for events and much more.

The ideal candidate will have a good understanding of, and commitment to, Catholic values and teachings, experience in an office administrative role, well-developed communication and interpersonal skills and time management skills and proficiency with Microsoft Office Suite.

The role requires a physical presence in the office, with a schedule to be Monday-Friday 9am-4.30pm.

If this role interests you, please email a brief cover letter and CV to Fr Brendan Lee via email:

[Brendan.lee@bbcatholic.org.au](mailto:Brendan.lee@bbcatholic.org.au)

Applications close **Sunday 19 November 2023**.

### BAPTISM PROGRAM 2023

Visit our website for information and baptism enrolment form.



### BAPTISM THIS WEEKEND

This weekend we welcome our newest members to OLOR Cathedral as they receive the sacrament of Baptism. Please pray for Cayden, Ziya, Alice and Lexi. Remember their parents in prayer as they commit themselves to teaching their child to love God and his people.

### HOMILIES FROM DEACON PETER

Deacon Peter publishes his homilies each week on his website. The address is: [www.deaconpeter.org](http://www.deaconpeter.org)

**We ask you to pray for** those who are affected by war, natural disasters, and those who are sick.

**We pray for the sick:** Sosefo Ali • Con Woodbury • Frank Bradley • Anthony Webster • Chang Lee Tsu-Sheng • Frances Blatchford • Rodney Blatchford • Maureen Garland • Marc Manjon • Yana Mercado • Carmen Blanco • Cecilia Aniban • Cecilia Ciubal

**We remember and pray for those who have died recently:** Reginald Jones • Judith Cura • Leopoldo Petraglia

**Anniversary:** Kath Toshack • Walter Pinto

### KIDS CHRISTMAS CRAFT AT QOP CHURCH HALL

Children are welcome to Christmas Craft Activities.

Date & Time: Saturday 2nd December 2023, 1pm-2:30pm

Cost: \$5 per child/ Venue: QOP Church Hall, Normanhurst

Register: [angela.rudolf@mail.com](mailto:angela.rudolf@mail.com)

### MUSIC AT HORNSBY CATHEDRAL PARISH

This weekend: 32nd Sunday Ordinary Time.

#### OLOR Cathedral

9:30am Mass: The Collingridge Duo with Christian Catsanos.

3pm Mass: Filipino Faith Community.

6:00pm Mass: Contemporary ensemble (Jacqueline Mooney). Rehearsal 5 pm in the Cathedral.

#### Queen Of Peace Church

5:30pm Vigil Mass: Joe Baynie

9:30am Mass: Susan and Brian Cornish

### CHRISTMAS CHOIRS — Christmas is Coming

We have just about organised choirs for Christmas Masses at the Cathedral. Choristers and musicians are encouraged to join the music at whichever Mass suits them. If you would like to join in, please contact the Music Leader named for the Mass that you would like to be at. There will be rehearsal dates published in the coming weeks.

So far no one has come forward to provide music for Queen of Peace at the Christmas Morning 9am Mass.

### FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2023

#### Remaining Parent & Child sessions:

Wed 15 Nov 7pm-8pm Session 4 TLOCC OLOR end

#### First Holy Communion Ceremony Practice

Wed 22 November 7pm-8pm OLOR Cathedral

#### First Holy Communion Mass

Sunday 26 November 9:30am & 11am Mass OLOR Cathedral



### ST VINCENT DE PAUL CONFERENCE

Columban calendars will be available in a few weeks' time. If you wish to order one, please contact Treasurer John Courtney on 0417 223 426.

The conference would like to provide hampers again this year to the families whom we care for in the Hornsby & Waitara area. Any donations of tinned food would also be appreciated. Enquiries: Shirley Kelynack 0401 041 443

### HANDEL'S MESSIAH 2023

Thursday December 7 at 8.00pm (doors open 7.30pm)

OLOR Cathedral, 23 Yardley Avenue, Waitara

Musical Director, Phillip Linquist, organist Heather Boyd and the choir will be joined by an ensemble of musicians and young professional soloists singing favourite arias.

Tickets available on Trybooking <https://www.trybooking.com/CMQTD> or via QR code.

Tickets will also be available at the door prior to performance.

Ticket prices: Adult \$30, Concession/Senior \$20, Student \$10, free under 10

This year's performance will again support the Hornsby Kuring-gai Women's Shelter



## GIVING

**Clergy Giving (1<sup>st</sup> Collection)** is used for the support of the Bishop and priests of the Diocese.

**Parish Giving (2<sup>nd</sup> Collection)** is used to meet Parish running costs, maintenance of Church, Presbytery, offices, other buildings and grounds. It is also used to pay for all our Ministries' expenses and staff salaries and superannuation.

Click on QR code for Giving and select Biller code.



## YOUTH CORNER

### YOUTH GROUP

1st, 3rd and 5th Sundays of the month during school term.  
November 19th; December 3rd & 17th.

Where: Fr Nulty Room 6pm - 8:30pm

Open to ages 12 to 17.



### YOUNG ADULTS

2nd Friday of the month at OLOR Cathedral 6pm - 9pm.

For more info, contact Izzy at 0431 883 321.