



**HORNSBY
CATHEDRAL
PARISH**

OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY CATHEDRAL
23 Yardley Avenue, Waitara 2077
QUEEN OF PEACE CHURCH
18 Stuart Avenue, Normanhurst 2076

OUR CLERGY

Most Rev Anthony Randazzo DD JCL
Apostolic Administrator of Broken Bay
Very Rev Brendan Lee
Moderator
Rev Anoop Devasia MS
Assistant Priest
Rev Vitalis Oguh
Assistant Priest
Rev Mr Huy Tran
Deacon
Rev Mr Kevin McGregor
Deacon

OUR WEEKEND MASSES

OLOR CATHEDRAL

Sat 5:00pm (Vigil)
Sun 8:00am
9:30am (live-streamed)
11:00am
6:00pm
Filipino Mass 3:30pm
(Every 2nd Sunday of month)



QOP CHURCH

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

OUR WEEKDAY MASSES

OLOR CATHEDRAL

Mon 7am
Tues 7am & 9:30 am
Wed 7am & 9:30am
Thu 7am & 9:30 am
Fri 7am & 9:30 am
Sat 9:30am (livestreamed)
All 7am Masses are livestreamed

QOP CHURCH

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

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



Website Facebook YouTube



(02) 8379 1700
Monday to Friday 9:00AM to 4:20PM



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After eight days Jesus came in and stood among them.



Second Sunday of Easter Year A, 12 April 2026

LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading: Acts 2:42-47

Responsorial Psalm: Ps 117:2-4. 13-15. 22-24. R. v.1

Give thanks to the Lord for he is good, His love is everlasting.

Second Reading: 1 Peter 1:3-9

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia!

You believe in me, Thomas, because you have seen me; happy those who have not seen me but still believe! **Alleluia!**

Gospel: John 20:19-31



Peace be with you.

On this Second Sunday of Easter, the risen Jesus appears to His disciples, who are gathered in fear behind locked doors. His first words are simple yet powerful: **"Peace be with you."** In the midst of their uncertainty and doubt, Jesus brings not condemnation, but peace.

Thomas, who was not present at first, struggles to believe. Yet when Jesus meets him, He does not reject his doubt. Instead, He invites Thomas to touch His wounds and come to faith. Thomas responds with one of the most profound declarations in the Gospel: **"My Lord and my God!"**

This Sunday is also known as **Divine Mercy Sunday**, reminding us that the heart of the Risen Christ is full of mercy. Jesus comes to us in our weakness, our doubts, and even our failures, offering forgiveness, healing, and new life. You are all invited to join us at 1pm to 4pm this Sunday at the Cathedral.

As we celebrate the joy of Easter, we are called to receive this mercy and share it with others — becoming witnesses of God's love in the world.

Reflection Question: Where do I need to receive God's mercy and trust in His peace more deeply in my life?

With Grateful Hearts

We sincerely thank our clergy, volunteers, and parishioners who generously served throughout the Lenten season. From the Stations of the Cross and the working bee to the many preparations and celebrations of the Easter Triduum, your time and dedication helped our community enter more deeply into this sacred time.

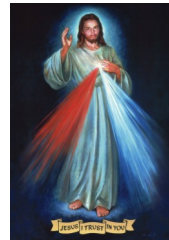
Your service is a beautiful witness of faith in action. May the Lord bless you abundantly for your generosity.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY | 12 APRIL

You are warmly invited to celebrate Divine Mercy Sunday at OLOR Cathedral on Sunday, 12 April 2026

Schedule:

1pm - Confession / Rosary
2pm - Holy Mass / Adoration
3pm - Divine Mercy Prayers
3:20pm - Benediction / Blessing of Divine Mercy Sacramentals
3:40pm - Venerating of the Divine Mercy Image



Come and experience an afternoon of prayer, reflection, and God's abundant mercy through the sacraments and devotions of the Church.

THE SECRET OF THE HOLY FACE

The Secret of The Holy Face

AUSTRALIAN TOUR

"JOIN THE RANKS OF SAINT TERESE AND OTHER SAINTS IN THE ARCHCONFRATERNITY OF THE HOLY FACE AND CONTEMPLATE HIS FACE TO HELP RESTORE CHRISTENDOM"



Join us as we get to know more about devotion to The Holy Face presented by international speaker Father Lawrence Carney. Details:

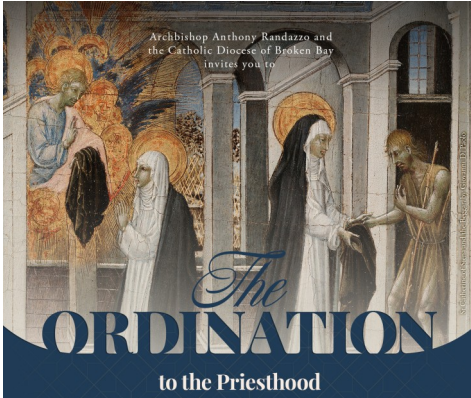
18 April 2026 at 7:30pm at OLOR Cathedral.

REGISTER NOW



TO ALL OUR VISITORS AND NEW PARISHIONERS A VERY WARM WELCOME

If you are joining us for the first time today, or have joined us at our churches recently, we are very happy to have you with us. Please reach out to one of our clergy or volunteers for any assistance. Or contact the parish office on 8379 1700 to register.
Thank you for building your spiritual home with us.



On the Memorial of St Catherine of Siena, Archbishop Anthony Randazzo will ordain Deacons Shayne D'Cunha, Tân Nguyen, and Huy Tran to the priesthood.

Wednesday, 29 April 2026 at 7:00pm
Our Lady of the Rosary Cathedral, Waitara
Please keep them in your prayers as they prepare for this joyful occasion.

THANKSGIVING MASS | 30 APRIL '26



A day after the ordination, Deacon Huy will celebrate his **First Mass of Thanksgiving on Thursday, 30 April at 7:00pm at OLR Cathedral.** Please keep him in your prayers.

St Anthony's Novena (online)



Join in prayer online for St Anthony's Novena. Every Tuesday at 8pm. Contact Christina Crasto on 0408610411

Go to: <https://app.zoom.us/jc/2338530192>
Meeting ID: 233 853 0192
Passcode: 359272

CONTRIBUTIONS

Clergy Giving (1st Collection) supports the Bishop and priests of the Diocese.

Parish Giving (2nd Collection) supports the Parish ministries, maintenance and staff salaries.

Pastoral Works Broken Bay (PWBB) supports Diocesan Charitable Communities. Donations over \$2 are tax deductible.

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WE ASK YOU TO PRAY FOR those who are affected by war, natural disasters, and those who are sick.

We pray for the sick: Carl D'Silva • Daniel Ip • Lynne Cusack • Philip Nolan • Jenny Francis • Val Bromley • Barbara Cunneen • Maryann Dela Cruz • Warly Clemente • Catherine Underwood • Sosefo Ali • Anthony Webster • Chang Lee Tsu-Sheng

We remember and pray for those who have died recently: Liane Rominque • Giovanni Tornatola • Ivan Kral • Scholastica Lakra (mother of Fr Anselam Lakra) • Leo Gilfedder • Kevin Swiggs • Judy Faddy • Bridget Donnelly • Peter Meury

Anniversary: Sjeng Linssen • Maureen Carmel Garland • Les Oakman • Livia Giuffre • Emmanuel Giuffre

PARISH DIARY DATES

APRIL

- 12 Divine Mercy Sunday (OLOR 1-4pm)
- 18 Profession of Faith Mass (OLOR 5pm)
Talk on the Holy Face (OLOR 7:30pm)
- 22 Sacrament Program (TLOCC, 7pm)
- 25 ANZAC Day Mass (OLOR, 9:30am)
- 29 Diocesan Ordination (OLOR, 7pm)
- 30 Thanksgiving Mass (OLOR, 7pm)

MAY

- 1 First Friday Eucharistic Adoration
- 24 Pentecost Sunday / Adult Confirmation

BAPTISM THIS WEEKEND

This weekend we welcome our newest members to OLR Cathedral as they receive the sacrament of Baptism. Please pray for *Josie and Hugo*.

Remember their parents in prayer as they commit themselves to teaching their child to love God and His people.

SUNDAY MORNING TEAS

OLOR CATHEDRAL:
Sunday morning tea following 9:30am Mass.

QOP CHURCH:

Sunday morning tea following 9:00am Mass 4th Sunday of the month.



CRAFT & FRIENDSHIP GROUP We meet most Thursdays from 10am to 2pm in the hall under Queen of Peace Church at Normanhurst.

HAVE YOU CHANGED ADDRESS, EMAIL ADDRESS OR CREDIT CARD DETAILS? Please contact the Parish office so we can update your information.



YOUTH GROUP

1st, 3rd and 5th Sundays of the month during school term.

Thank you for all the youth involved in Term 1, see you back in Term 2.

Where: Fr Nulty Room.

Ages 7 to 11: 4:30pm - 6pm

Ages 12 to 17: 6pm - 8:30pm

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

OLOR CATHEDRAL

Thank you to all the children who took part in Term 1. See you in Term 2.

Volunteers needed. Please contact the parish office.

QUEEN OF PEACE CHURCH

Every 4th Sunday of the month following 9am Mass during the school term.

ADULT CONFIRMATION

The **Sacrament of Confirmation for Adults** will be conferred on 24 May 2026, Pentecost Sunday by Archbishop Anthony within the 9.30am Mass at Our Lady of the Rosary Cathedral, Waitara.

- If you know of anyone who wishes to be confirmed, to contact the parish office at 8379 1700 or via email at cathedral@bbcatholic.org.au

CHILDREN'S SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM RECONCILIATION

Thank you to all the parents who attended the Parent Information Talk last night. We will continue our sessions at the start of Term 2

- Parent/Child sessions will begin on Wednesday, the 22nd of April 2026.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

OLOR Cathedral
Saturdays 8:15am - 9:15am
Queen of Peace Church
Saturdays 4:30pm-5:15pm



HOLY HOUR Every Saturday 8:15am - 9:15am OLR Cathedral

EXPOSITION Every First Friday of the month from 10am - 10pm

PRAYING THE ROSARY OLR Cathedral Chapel weekdays after each 7am and 9:30am Mass.

Men's Rosary First Saturday of the Month fellowship from 8am, Rosary from 8:30am.

PRIVATE PRAYER Our Cathedral Chapel is open for private prayer from 8am-8pm during weekdays.

BAPTISM PROGRAM

Visit our website on www.bbcatholic.org.au/hornsby



E-BULLETIN For those who would like to receive our E-bulletin (a more detailed version of our printed bulletin) please email cathedral@bbcatholic.org.au with E-bulletin in the subject line. bbcatholic.org.au/hornsby