



**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**



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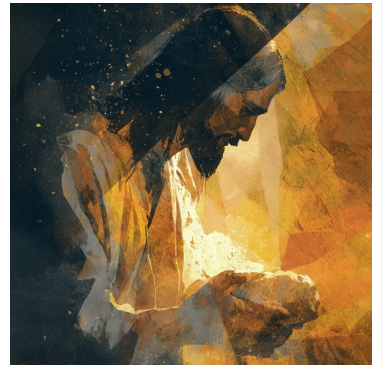


They recognised him at the breaking of the bread.

Third Sunday of Easter Year A, 19 April 2026

LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading: Acts 2:14, 22-33
Responsorial Psalm: Ps 15:1-2. 5. 7-11 R. v.11
Lord, you will show us the path of life.
Second Reading: 1 Peter 1:17-21
Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia!
Lord Jesus, make your word plain to us: make our hearts burn with love when you speak. Alleluia!
Gospel: Luke 24:13-35



Were not our hearts burning within us?

In today's Gospel, two disciples walk the road to Emmaus, weighed down by confusion and disappointment. Though Jesus walks beside them, they do not recognise Him. **It is only when He explains the Scriptures and breaks the bread that their eyes are opened.**

This story reminds us that the risen Lord is often present in ways we do not immediately see - especially in moments of struggle or uncertainty. He speaks to us through His Word and makes Himself known in the Eucharist.

Like the disciples, our hearts can be renewed when we encounter Christ. What begins in discouragement is transformed into joy, and they return with urgency to share the Good News.

As we continue the Easter season, we are invited to recognise Jesus walking with us each day, opening our hearts and sending us out as witnesses of His resurrection.

Reflection Question: When have I experienced Jesus walking with me, even if I did not recognise Him at first?

LEST WE FORGET
— ANZAC DAY —

ANZAC Day Mass
Join us on Saturday, 25 April 2026 for Anzac Day Mass at 9:30am at OLOR Cathedral. Adoration and Confession will be available from 8:15am.

DIOCESAN ORDINATION

Archbishop Anthony Randazzo and the Catholic Diocese of Broken Bay invites you to

The ORDINATION
to the Priesthood

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 his ordination, Fr Huy Tran will celebrate his First Mass of Thanksgiving on Thursday, 30 April at 7:00pm at OLOR Cathedral. Join us as we give thanks to God for the gift of his priesthood.

St Anthony's Novena (online)

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

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

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.



UPDATE ON THE CATHEDRAL PRECINCT PROJECT

The Catholic Diocese of Broken Bay has appointed **Niall McLaughlin Architects** as the lead architect for the Cathedral Precinct Project, following an invited international design process. The design team is led by Niall McLaughlin, a recent recipient of the Royal Institute of British Architects' Royal Gold Medal - one of the highest international honours in architecture.

This appointment represents a significant milestone and marks the transition of the project into its next phase. Design work will progress, including preparation for the relevant approval pathways, which will help inform project staging and timing.

The project team has also launched a **new project website**, which includes the latest information on the Hornsby Cathedral Precinct Project. You can visit the website here:

<https://bbcatholiccathedralprecinct.org.au/>

Further information about the appointment of the architects and the project's design approach is available in the [media release](#) on the project website. A reminder about the Planning Proposal process can be found here:

<https://www.bbcatholiccathedralprecinct.org.au/planning-process.php>

In the meantime, if you have any questions about the planning process, please contact the project team via reply email (consultation.urbanplanning@colliers.com) or by calling 1800 870 549 (Monday-Friday during business hours).

Thank you for your continued interest and involvement in the project.

PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

Please note that the Parish Office will be closed all day on **Wednesday, 22 April 2026**. For non-urgent matters, kindly email cathedral@bbcatholic.org.au.

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: Keith Farrelly • Carl D'Silva • Daniel Ip • Lynne Cusack • Philip Nolan • Jenny Francis • Val Bromley • Barbara Cunneen • Maryann Dela Cruz • Waryl Clemente • Catherine Underwood • Sosefo Ali • Anthony Webster • Chang Lee Tsu-Sheng

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

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

PARISH DIARY DATES

APRIL

- 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 OLOR Cathedral as they receive the sacrament of Baptism. Please pray for **Alexander, Miko, Abigail and Isabel**.

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. The dates are:

May: 3, 17, & 31 / June: 7 & 21 / July: 5

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

Welcome back from the school holidays! Just a reminder that the first **Parent/Child Session will be held on Wednesday, 22 April 2026 at 7:00pm at The Light of Christ Centre.**

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 OLOR Cathedral

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

PRAYING THE ROSARY OLOR 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