



Welcome to Hornsby Cathedral Parish

Diocese of Broken Bay

On the land of the Guringai people

Incorporating the communities of

Our Lady of the Rosary Cathedral
23 Yardley Ave, Waitara

and Queen of Peace Church
18 Stuart Ave, Normanhurst

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

11 August 2019



Year C

First Reading: Wisdom 18:6-9

Responsorial Psalm: *Happy the people the Lord has chosen to be his own.*

Second Reading: Hebrews 11:1-2,8-19

Gospel: Luke 12:32-48

Weekend Mass Times

Cathedral: **Sat** 5pm Vigil. **Sun** 8am, 9.30am, 6pm
Cathedral (in Filipino): **Sun 11th August**, 3.30pm
Queen of Peace: **Sat** 5.30pm Vigil. **Sun** 7am, 9am
Queen of Peace (in Korean): **Sat** 7.30pm Vigil. **Sun** 11am, 5pm

Weekday Mass Times

Cathedral: **Mon-Sat** 9.30am
Queen of Peace: **Tue, Thu, Fri** 8.45am. **Wed** 7.30pm. **Sat** 7.30am
Queen of Peace (Korean): **Tue, Thu, Fri** 7.30pm. **Wed** 9.30am

Sacraments & Prayer

Anointing of the Sick Mass (followed by morning tea)

Queen of Peace: 1st Tuesday of the month, 8.45am, **3 Sept.**
Cathedral: 3rd Thursday of the month, 9.30am, **not in August**

Reconciliation

Cathedral: Saturday, 10am - 10.30am
Queen of Peace: Saturday, 4.45pm - 5.15pm

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament (not in January)

Queen of Peace: 1st Friday of the month, after 8.45am Mass.
Cathedral: Every Saturday after 9.30am Mass.
Adoration: 1st Friday of the month, after 9.30am Mass - 10pm at the Cathedral.

Rosary & Daily Prayer

Cathedral: Morning Prayer: Monday-Saturday 9am
Rosary: Mon-Fri after 9.30am Mass
Cenacle: Wed & Fri after 9.30am Mass
Queen of Peace: Rosary: Wed 7.10pm. Fri after 8.45am Mass
Cenacle: Thu after 8.45am Mass

Baptisms: The Baptism Schedule is available on the parish website and at the back of both Churches.
Note: no Baptisms during Lent (26 February to 10 April 2020).

Weddings: Contact the Parish Office, with at least 6 months notice.

CWF Thank you



THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING CWF Appeal.
So far we raised \$9,984 Towards our August quota of \$18,866.

This month we shared Patricia's story and the role of the CatholicCare Pastoral Care Practitioner. When we asked Sonia, Patricia's daughter, what her mum would think of this, Sonia said that she would be "over the moon".

"Peter (the Pastoral Care Practitioner) brought Mum so much peace at the end. Her faith was so important to her."

We are so grateful for your kindness and generosity in helping Catholic faith-based services support those in our local community.

Thank you.

The CWF provides funds to:

CatholicCare Hospital Chaplaincy and Pastoral Care Practitioner Program
Confraternity of Christian Doctrine (CCD)
St Lucy's School
St Edmund's College
Ephpheta Centre

OLOR Cathedral Dedication Anniversary

OLOR Cathedral Dedication Anniversary and Thank you to our Volunteers Mass followed by Supper will be held:



- **OLOR Cathedral Friday 23rd August Mass at 7.30pm**

We invite all volunteers to attend this special "Thank You" Mass and supper and we would also like other parishioners to attend in support of our many volunteers. Each year a number of nominated volunteers will also receive a certificate of appreciation during this Mass.

We are asking for parishioners from the Queen of Peace Community to help with catering for the supper before and after Mass on Friday 23rd August; serving food and tea/coffee.

Please contact the parish office on 8379 1700 if you can help.

No Anointing Mass at Cathedral August

The is No Anointing Mass at Cathedral on 15th August due to The Assumption of Blessed Virgin Mary 9.30am Mass in TLOCC.

Vocations Awareness Week 11 Aug

Vocations come from families, communities and parishes. It is from strong families and communities that vocations are first nurtured. In this National Vocations Awareness Week, let us pray for all families in our parish, and for those preparing for marriage. Let us also pray that our parish community may always be welcoming and encouraging of vocations to marriage, priesthood and consecrated life.



14/15 August Assumption Masses

Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Holy day of obligation)

Queen of Peace Church:

14 August 7.30pm Vigil

15 August 8.45am Mass

OLOR Cathedral:

15 August 9.30am Mass, The Light of Christ Centre (end Yardley Ave)
8pm Mass, Cathedral



Father's Day Hamper Raffle 10-11 Aug

Father's Day Hamper raffle tickets for sale after all Masses on this weekend 10-11 August. Raffle will be drawn on Father's day. All proceeds go to Yakhumdeni Orphan Appeal in South Africa.



Plenary Council 2020

The National Centre for Pastoral Research has just published *Listen to what the Spirit is saying*, the final report of the Listening and Dialogue stage of the Plenary Council. The report captures the voices of the more than 222,000 people who shared their submissions, questions and stories of faith during the 10-month process. Access the report at:

www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au/resources/reports



Message from Fr Robert Borg

Fr Robert and family would like to thank all those parishioners who sent cards and heartfelt messages of condolences with regards to the death of his dad Dominic. The family would also like to thank those who attended his dad requiem Mass.

We remember in our prayers:

Recently Deceased: D Borg (father of Fr R Borg) ♦ L Crasto ♦ G O'Regan ♦ A Padilla ♦ C Connellan ♦ G Small ♦ R Inge ♦ T Ryan ♦ E Antao ♦ M Fisher

Anniversaries: Fr F Vaughan ♦ J Perrottet ♦ L D'Souza

Prayers For The Sick: Fr D Callahan ♦ G Keenan ♦ A Rego ♦ F & J Bradley ♦ L Solinap ♦ A Cruz

We are re-doing our list for the Prayers of the Sick. If you would like any of your loved ones to be on the list, please contact the Parish Office on 8379 1700.

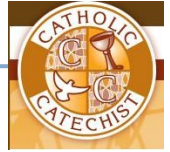
Due to privacy laws, names of the sick & deceased can only be put in the bulletin with the permission of immediate family.

Migrant & Refugee Sunday 18 August

As in previous years we would like the Prayers of Intercession at the 9.30am Mass to be read in different languages. If you would like to do this please let the office know by Tuesday 13th August so that the prayers can be sent to you for translation into your own language. Thankyou.

Catechists & Helpers Meeting

Next Catechist meeting will be held on Friday 23rd August at 10.30am in the Fr Nulty room.



Volunteers Needed

- **Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion** to visit Hornsby Hospital or Tallwoods Nursing Home (one Sunday a month).
- **Adult Altar Servers** for all Masses, especially 5pm Vigil and 9.30am Sunday. This is a wonderful opportunity to serve the Parish and stay connected to what is going on at Mass. Training will be provided. Please contact the parish office if you can help on 8379 1700.

Celebrating Disciples of All Nations

Saturday 17 August 2019

All are warmly invited to our Diocesan Multicultural event "Celebrating Disciples of All Nations" to be held at Our Lady of the Rosary Cathedral on Saturday 17 August 2019. The evening starts with the celebration of Mass with Presider Very Rev Dr David Ranson. We then gather to celebrate our multicultural Christian community with multicultural food and live entertainment. The program is as follows:

- 5:00pm – 6:00pm Celebration of Mass at the Cathedral
 - 6:00pm – 7:00pm Refreshments and live entertainment
- You are invited to bring a plate to share from your cultural community, and to wear multicultural dress. For more information please email faith.formation@bbcatholic.org.au

Safeguarding Message

NEXT MONTH (SEPTEMBER) IS SAFEGUARDING MONTH IN THE DIOCESE OF BROKEN BAY This year the Diocese of Broken Bay is celebrating the theme; *A safe community is one in which all experience a sense of belonging.*

All clergy, parishioners and the wider community are invited to the Diocesan **Liturgy** which signifies the start of SAFEGUARDING MONTH.

LITURGY OF INCLUSION AND CARE, Tuesday 3 September 2019, OLOR Cathedral, Waitara, 7.00pm.

Readings for the Week: 12-18 August

Monday	Weekday, Ordinary Time 19 Deut 10:12-22; Mt 17:22-27
Tuesday	Weekday, Ordinary Time 19 Deut 31:1-8; Mt 18:1-5,10,12-14
Wednesday	St Maximilian Mary Kolbe, priest, martyr Deut 34:1-12; Mt 18:15-20
Thursday	The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Apoc 11:19,12:1-6,10; 1 Cor 15:20-26; Lk 1:39-56
Friday	Weekday, Ordinary Time 19 Joshua 24:1-13; Mt 19:3-12
Saturday	Weekday, Ordinary Time 19 Joshua 24:14-29; Mt 19:13-15
Sunday	20th Sunday in Ordinary Time Jer 38:4-6,8-10; Heb 12:1-4; Lk 12:49-53



Parish Groups, Activities & Services. All are Welcome!

Young Adults



Sunday BBQ - First Sunday of each month after 6pm Mass at the Cathedral. Prepared by our Young Adults Group for all parishioners.

Young Adults Group (18-35 years) every Monday in the Fr Nulty Room Waitara, 7pm-9pm (adjacent to the Cathedral). Enquiries to the Parish Office.

Children & Youth



- **Children's Liturgy** takes place 9.30am each Sunday (school term only) in the CatholicCare playgroup building (located behind Cathedral House), Waitara. More Volunteers Needed. Enquiries to the Parish Office.
- **OLOR Primary School & Parish Mass** - once a term at the 5pm Saturday Vigil Mass Waitara. **Term 3 Mass: 14th Sept.**
- **Loreto College & Parish Mass** — once a term at the 9am Sunday Mass Normanhurst. **Term 3 Mass: 18th August**
- **Weekly Children's Bulletin** is available at the back of the Church, or <https://thekidsbulletin.wordpress.com/>

Playgroup QOP



The next Playgroup gathering is Tuesday 20 August, 9.30 to 11am in the QOP church hall. Come join us for a cuppa while the children play (0-5 years old). Tea/coffee provided, please bring morning tea for your child.

Prayer and Bible Study Groups



- **Christian Meditation** in the Father John Main OSB (1926-1982) tradition, takes place every Sunday, 4.45pm to 5.45pm, in the Fr Baulman Room, Waitara. For 18 years and over. For further information, <http://wccm.org/>
- **Study Sacred Scripture** Thursday evening Scripture Group. All welcome on Thursdays 7pm in the Queen of Peace Hall, Normanhurst.
- **Cenacles of Prayer** All welcome.
 - Queen of Peace**, Thursdays after 8.45am Mass. Our Lady invites us all to pray the Cenacle (upper room) with Her as she did in the First Cenacle with the Apostles in Jerusalem.
 - Our Lady of the Rosary**, Wednesdays & Fridays after 9.30am Mass. Includes Rosary (which we pray daily), a reading of a message from Fr Gobbi's book "To the priests, Our Lady's Beloved Sons", and an act of Consecration to the Immaculate Heart of Mary.
- **Maranatha Charismatic Prayer Group** meets every Thursday night 8pm-9:30pm in the Fr Nulty Room Waitara, to praise and worship God, to grow in our faith and knowledge of God and His word. Come join us! All welcome
- **Couples for Christ Australia** meets in the Parish regularly. For further information on meeting times and activities, contact Dom De Guia: dcdeguia@gmail.com or Raj Rajasingam: rajasingam.raj@gmail.com

Social Justice

The group meets on the 2nd Tuesday of each month, Feb to Nov, 7.30pm-9pm in the Fr Hawe Room, Waitara.

FAIRTRADE - CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

If your workplace is looking for a meaningful way to expand its Corporate Social Responsibility, procuring Fairtrade certified/ethically produced products is a simple way to generate a positive impact.

By sourcing these produces you are also helping farmers, families and communities to lead a better life whilst positioning yourself as a leader in sustainability.

Check out: <https://campaigns.fairtrade.com.au/fairtrade-in-your-workplace>

St Vincent de Paul Society

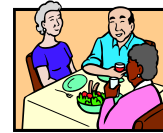


New members are welcome. Please attend our next meeting:

- Queen of Peace Conference meets every 2nd Wednesday at 8pm in the QOP Hall Normanhurst.
 - Cathedral Conference meets every Monday at 6pm in the Fr Baulman Room, Waitara.
- Cathedral Conference Red Poor Box Appeal takes place on the 1st weekend of each month.

Parish Activities

- **Parish Craft & Friendship Group** Meets every Thursday, 10am-2pm in the QOP Hall Normanhurst. All are welcome.
- **Community Dinner** every Wednesday, 6pm in the Fr Nulty Room, Waitara. All welcome! Enquiries: contact the Parish Office.
- **Over 50s Group** meets first Wednesday of each month. Details to follow.



Parish Services

- **Parish Library** is open on the 1st weekend of the month after all Masses in the Fr Nulty Room, Waitara (except in January). Parishioners, clergy, high school students and others in our Diocese can apply for free membership of The Bishop David Walker Library, Pennant Hills (Broken Bay Institute, TAITE): <https://www.bbi.catholic.edu.au/library/Borrowing-and-Membership> Catholic E-Library: <http://sharingtheword.info>
- **Cathedral Piety Stall** is open every second weekend of the month after all Masses at the Cathedral. We accept cash only.
- **Bus service for Sunday 9.30am Mass** Picked up from your front door and home again, for anyone having trouble attending Mass due to transport. Gold coin donation. Limited seating. Enquiries: contact the Parish Office.



Gladys Collingridge Concert



A concert to raise money for the *Scholarship Fund* will be held at *The Light of Christ Centre* commencing at 7pm on Saturday 14th September. Further details regarding the concert available later. Please keep this date in your diaries.

W & E Collingridge

Learning Together Playgroup OLOR School

Join us for a free family playgroup, 9am-10.30am.

Thursday 12 September.

All families with preschool children and siblings are welcome to join us at OLOR Primary School.



FACEBOOK Workshop for Seniors

**FACEBOOK and Internet Protection:
An Introductory Workshop (For Seniors)
Thursday 15 August 2019,**

11.30 am – 1.00 pm Fr Nulty Room, adjacent to OLOR Cathedral.

Description: A workshop to show how to create a Facebook account, tips on how to protect your privacy and some ways to protect your financial information on the internet.

Topics include:

- ◆ Setting up an email account
- ◆ Creating passwords and how to keep them
- ◆ Avoiding Credit Card Scams
- ◆ Creating a Facebook account
- ◆ Navigating your Facebook Profile (including Privacy settings)
- ◆ Creating your first Facebook post

Requirement: Please bring your mobile phone or iPad (*with internet access*).

Fee: NO Cost (Places are limited)

Tutor: Roslyn Rajasingam (assisted by some members of the Parish FB Team)

To book: Please contact the Parish Office 8379 1700 or Email: cathedral@bbcatholic.org.au



Saturday Sessions with Katie

Open to all, these sessions are ideal for single women or couples who would like to learn to chart their fertility. This free course is a wonderful way to learn in a safe and healthy environment.

When: 1st Saturday of each month

Venue: Caroline Chisholm Centre, Pennant Hills

Time: 10:30am-11:30am

Enquiries: katie.fullilove@bbcatholic.org.au



Contact Us

Our Lady of the Rosary Cathedral: 23 Yardley Ave, Waitara

Queen of Peace Church: 18 Stuart Ave, Normanhurst

Parish Office: 27 Yardley Ave, Waitara

Postal Address: Private Bag 3000, Hornsby NSW 1630

 8379 1700  cathedral@bbcatholic.org.au

Parish Office Hours: Mon-Fri 8.30am - 4.30pm

After Hours Emergency Number: 0458 351 843

Website: www.bbcatholic.org.au/hornsby

 www.facebook.com/HornsbyCathedralParish

Invitation to Youth Choir (CYC)

OLOR Cathedral Youth Choir welcomes new singers at any time. If you are in Year 3 and above, come along and sing! We sing at 9.30am Mass on the 3rd Sundays of each month. We practise every week, learning music for Mass, learning how to sing better, learning the liturgical stories, meeting up with friends and having a great time. We would love you to come and join us by coming along to the next practice!

Day: Every Tuesday (School Terms Only)

Time: 4pm to 5pm

Venue: OLOR Cathedral

School Year: Yr 3 and above

Contact: Clarissa (bclarissa@outlook.com)

Fee: Free



Christian Life Program

Do you want to enhance your friendship with Jesus Christ? Couples for Christ Australia are inviting all parishioners to attend a Christian Life Program which will run for 7 Sundays starting 15 Sept 2019 to 27 Oct 2019, 2pm – 5pm at St Patrick's Catholic Church Hall, 1 Royston Parade, Asquith NSW. If there is a need, there will be a children's program running simultaneously for children under thirteen. All are most welcome to join the program. There is no cost for your participation in this CLP.

For more information regarding this program, please contact Ronnie (0413 615 772), Philip 0450 908350 / Ogie (0422 552 050)

Broken Bay Bible Conference 2019

Registrations Open *The Holy Spirit through the Pages of Scripture* Friday – Saturday 11-12 October 2019

This 2-day conference will be presented by **Dr Debra Snoddy**, Lecturer in Biblical Studies at Catholic Institute of Sydney and **Rev Assoc Prof Ormond Rush**, Lecturer in Theology at Australian Catholic University.

Venue: Caroline Chisholm Centre, Bldg 2, 423 Pennant Hills Rd, Pennant Hills **Costs:** Full Conference Registration \$88; Single Day Registration \$44

Enquiries: www.bbcatholic.org.au/bible Tania Rimac faith.formation@bbcatholic.org.au or 02 8379 1629

Online Registration: www.trybooking.com/BCKBE



Online Safety Masterclass for Parents

Broken Bay Diocese is co-hosting an Free Online Safety Masterclass. All parents are invited to attend Online Safety Masterclass. Thursday 5 September. Caroline Chisholm Centre, Building 2, 423 Pennant Hills Road, Pennant Hills. 6.00pm - 8.00pm. RSVP by 31 August trybooking.com/BEBWX

Our Clergy & Our Schools

Clergy:

(Very Rev) Anthony Peter **deSouza**, Dean/Administrator
(Rev) Vincent Trung **Nguyen**, Assistant Priest
(Rev) Simon Seong Kyeong **Park**, Korean Chaplain

Our Lady of the Rosary School (Kindergarten - Year 6):

Mrs Jacinta **Crowe**, Principal 9489 7000

St Leo's Catholic College (Years 7-12):

Mr Tony **Gleeson**, Principal 9487 3555

10 August 2019

My dear Parishioners,

As we enter the month of August, we gather to celebrate precious moments of our lives. The anniversaries of our Churches remind us that we are people of faith, expressed in regular worship. Our Church buildings have a sacred meaning; they express that deep longing inside us for the God in whom we believe – a desire that is deepened in and through a community. As we thank God for the gift of these places of worship, we remember, with gratitude, the work that has gone before us to make these places of worship true to their name. Thank you for joining us in these celebrations.

In my pastoral letter, dated 7th July 2019, I placed a few challenges before us as a worshipping community. I thank those who have written letters and for those who have cornered me to express their thoughts of support and encouragement. Your thoughts have been appreciated and they have also helped in the process of planning. I thank the Parish Missionary Council and the Liturgy Committee of the Parish and others who have helped in other ways, unknown to many of us, for their input and support so that we can walk together the journey ahead.

The reality facing our **Community** is such:

1. We will be two Priests in the Parish for some time to come.
2. The numbers in the worshipping community impel us to make some real decisions.
3. Though the resources making us a celebrating community look to be extensive, in reality they are limited. Though there is always generosity to help, it is not fair to extend that friendship too far.

These challenges mean that we will need to make some changes, **I do know that change is difficult, but together we can make it happen, so therefore I ask you to pray, and let our prayer be for each other in the coming days.**

Recently, at our Clergy Conference, Emeritus Bishop Eugene Hurley of Darwin, our presenter, shared deeply with us accompanied by personal experiences. Of the many things he shared, there were two that brought home a deep message for me personally, in the light of my ministry to each of you in our community:

- *“Vision sees the invisible, believes in the incredible, and achieves the impossible.”*
- *“We will never know who we truly are until we have seen ourselves reflected, in the eyes of someone who truly loves us.”*

In the journey that we are undertaking, we take confidence that God is with us and I ask each of you personally to embrace Him, so that He may accompany us.

My prayers for each of you in this time of change, and please say one for us Priests in this time too.

God Bless
Fr Peter D.

Below is How we study the whole topic.

A. Existing Mass Timings

Our Lady of the Rosary Cathedral, Waitara:

Weekdays: Monday - Saturday 9.30AM
 Weekends: Saturday Vigil 5.00PM
 Sunday 8.00AM, 9.30AM, 6.00PM

Queen of Peace Church, Normanhurst:

Weekdays: Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 8.45AM
 Wednesday 7.30PM
 Weekends: Saturday Vigil 5.30PM
 Sunday 7.00AM, 9.00AM

McQuoin Park Chapel:

Weekdays: Wednesday 11.00AM
 Weekends: Sunday 11.00AM

St Leo's College Chapel (During school term):

Weekdays: Friday 12.45PM (by rotation)

B. Mass Count Average

(calculated using the May Mass headcount: total attendance of 4 Sundays in May ÷ 4)

Cathedral

Mass time	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
5pm Vigil	337	257	285	275	300
8am	147	151	143	142	133
9.30am	356	422	379	324	317
6pm	228	224	195	196	183

Queen of Peace

Mass time	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
5.30pm Vigil	95	83	100	90	97
7am	54	62	63	57	52
9am	103	95	132	91	91

C. Weekend Mass Altar Servers and Ministers of the Word

Masses	Senior Servers	Junior Servers	Ministers of the Word
5.00pm Vigil	3	14	13
5.30pm Vigil	4	1	6
7.00am	3	0	5
8.00am	7	6	10
9.00am	3	0	5
9.30am	5	11	17
6.00pm	3	9	12

Note that some parishioners serve and read at more than one Mass time.

(The above data is from our office.)

D. From these statistics, is a Proposal

**On a Trial Basis we wish to execute this from the
14th/15th of September 2019, and re-evaluate it at the end of September 2020**

Weekend Masses:

Our Lady of the Rosary Cathedral:

Saturday Vigil 5.00PM
Sunday Morning 9.30AM
Sunday Night 6.00PM

Queen of Peace:

Saturday Vigil 5.30PM
Sunday Morning 8.30AM

McQuoin Park:

Sunday Morning 11.00AM

Weekday Masses:

Our Lady of the Rosary Cathedral:

Monday to Saturday 9.30AM

Queen of Peace:

Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 8.45AM
Saturday 7.30AM

McQuoin Park:

Wednesday 11.00AM

St Leo's College Chapel: (During school term)

Friday 12.45PM (by rotation)

While on Clergy Conference:

- Monday to Thursday Masses only in the Cathedral.

While on Retreat:

- Monday to Friday Masses only in the Cathedral.

While one of the Priests is on annual leave:

- Weekday Masses will be at the Cathedral, Queen of Peace, McQuoin Park, St Leo's College (in school terms):
Monday, Wednesday, Friday & Saturday at the Cathedral.
Tuesday, Thursday at Queen of Peace.
- Weekend Masses will be both at Queen of Peace and the Cathedral.

During Special times of the year:

- Christmas and Easter, and Holy Days of Obligation, there will be a provision of an extra Mass.

Dear Parishioners,

Please be assured your feedback to this proposal mentioned above is welcome. Change is valuable. If you wish to put anything in writing please submit to the Parish Office before **26th August 2019**.

Thank you for your understanding.

God Bless
Fr Peter D.



OLOR Primary School Waitara invites you to

High Tea

...at the OLOP Family Fair
Sunday August 25th 2019 at 11:00am
in the Light of Christ Centre
Yardley Avenue, Waitara.

Cost -\$15 per person

Seating is limited so please use one of
the following options to book your place.

Call or text: 0408 610 411

Call and leave a message at: 9484 9846

Email: christina.crasto@live.com.au

Payment for High Tea can be made in cash on the day.

We look forward to seeing you there!

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