

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

7th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

24th February 2019

Golden Rule

Do unto others
As you would have others
Do unto you.

Weekend Mass Times

Cathedral: **Sat** 5pm Vigil. **Sun** 8am, 9.30am, 6pm
Cathedral (in Filipino): **Sun 10 March**, 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 Tue of the month, 8.45am, **5th March**
Cathedral: 3rd Thursday of the month, 9.30am, **21st March**

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.
24-hour Adoration: 1st Friday of the month, after 9.30am Mass 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 (6 March to 19 April 2019).

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

Year C

First Reading: Samuel 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23
Responsorial Psalm: *The Lord is kind and merciful.*
Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:45-49
Gospel: Luke 6:27-38

Catechist Sunday, 3 March

The Sunday before Ash Wednesday is traditionally Catechist Sunday in the Diocese and this year will be held on **Sunday 3 March, at 9.30am Mass.**

Fr Peter and Clergy of our Parish would like to invite all volunteer catechists, including SRE catechists, Sacramental catechists, RCIA catechists and Children's Liturgy of the Word catechists and their families. Because Catechist Sunday acknowledges the importance of the Church's teaching ministry to receive a blessing during this Mass.

Mass will be followed by morning tea.

Please RSVP for catering purposes to the Parish Office before 27th February via email:
cathedral@bbcatholic.org.au

We remember in our prayers:

Recently Deceased: J Collins ♦ A E Van Vliet ♦ Baby J Rose Perrottet ♦ Sr J Connellan RSM ♦ M Bolster

Anniversaries: M Klauser ♦ D Egelhoff ♦ G Linssen ♦ G Quinton Rao ♦ L D'Souza

Prayers For The Sick: S Lim Chong Kim ♦ J & F Bradley ♦ K Leal ♦ E Ekert ♦ P Karbowski ♦ M Dizon ♦ L Reyes ♦ J Muir ♦ A Rego ♦ E McGovern ♦ K Dunkerley ♦ C & M Blanco ♦ Rev D Callahan ♦ E Ward ♦ A Racela ♦ G Wild ♦ T McLeod ♦ V Doyle ♦ L Solinap ♦ J Geary ♦ M Manjon ♦ M McMahan ♦ D Jones ♦ B Solomon ♦ A Crowley ♦ G Small ♦ A Petitfils ♦ E White ♦ J Post ♦ R & G Henderson ♦ C Metcher ♦ J O'Brien ♦ A Ford ♦ B Kirby ♦ M Carroll ♦ T Antony ♦ A Chu ♦ E Balino ♦ S Stewart ♦ E Manlangit ♦ G Flood ♦ M Fleming ♦ R Butterell ♦ S Fernandes

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

Children's Liturgy Leaders and Assistants Needed

Are you:

- ◆ Over 18
- ◆ Available at least 1 Sunday per school term
- ◆ Interested in sharing God's word with children aged 4-10
- ◆ Willing to apply for a Working with Children Check

If the answer to the questions above is yes, then the Children's Liturgy of the Word team need your help. All resources are provided and no special training or in depth knowledge is required. Children's Liturgy sessions are run during the first half of the 9:30am Sunday Mass, at least 2 adults are required per session. This is a fun and easy ministry and a great way to meet other parishioners.

For more information, please contact the Parish Office, or come to the Playgroup room at 9:15am on any Sunday during February to see what we do.

Catechist Needed

We are in dire need of 5 Catechists to visit our local Public schools: Hornsby South, Waitara, Normanhurst, Normanhurst West and Thornleigh West. Training for new Catechists is provided by CCD Broken Bay. The next scheduled course at Caroline Chisholm Centre, Pennant Hills is Mondays: 25 February, 4, 11 & 18 March, 9:30am – 2:30pm. Enquiries to Deacon Roberto Corpuz or the Parish Office.



Taking the Gospel to the world

Extraordinary Ministers Needed

Eucharistic Ministers of Holy Communion needed to visit Hornsby Hospital or Greenwood Nursing Home. One Sunday a month. Please contact the Parish Office if you can help.

Choir Members Needed!



Singers and Musicians from our Parish and across the Diocese are warmly invited to lead the congregation in prayerful song at **Our Lady of the Rosary Cathedral** for the following diocesan events:

Rite of Election 10 March 2019 (Sunday)

Rehearsal on the day in the Cathedral from 12:45 PM, for 2:00 PM ceremony start.

Chrism Mass 16 April 2019 (Tuesday) Rehearsal on the day in the Cathedral from 6:00 PM, for 7:30 PM Mass start. (Supper provided)

Run Sheets will be sent out closer to the date.

RSVP To ensure we have enough seats and music/hymn books for everyone, please RSVP as soon as possible to cathedral@bbcatholic.org.au and on the subject line type "CHOIR RSVP"

First Friday 24-hour Adoration

Friday 1st March the 24 hour Adoration Prayers are available for all to attend. Feel welcome to come at any time over the 24hr period 9:30am Friday to 9:30am Saturday.



Readings for the Week: 25 Feb - 3 March

Monday	Weekday, Ordinary Time 7 Sirach 1:1-10; Mk 9:14-29
Tuesday	Weekday, Ordinary Time 7 Sirach 2:1-11; Mk 9:30-37
Wednesday	Weekday, Ordinary Time 7 Sirach 4:11-19; Mk 9:38-40
Thursday	Weekday, Ordinary Time 7 Sirach 5:1-8; Mk 9:41-50
Friday	Weekday, Ordinary Time 7 Sirach 6:5-17; Mk 10:1-12
Saturday	Weekday, Ordinary Time 7 Sirach 17:1-15; Mk 10:13-16
Sunday	8th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME Sirach 27:4-7; 1 Cor 15:54-58; Lk 6:39-45



Social Justice

Sydney Alliance with St Vincent de Paul are holding an Assembly on Affordable Housing in the Sydney Town Hall on Thursday, 14th March from 6.30pm until 8.40pm.

With a State election looming, organisers are hoping to put the issue of Affordable Housing upfront on all Politicians' agendas. Anyone wishing to attend should book on the Sydney Alliance website. Bookings should be made by March 1st. www.alliancecommunity.com.au

Cathedral Carpet Appeal

We are now well over half-way in the Cathedral Carpet Appeal having raised \$37,879 (with the total cost to replace the carpet of \$53,300).

Please continue to support this appeal by using the yellow forms at the back of both Churches, or placing donations in an envelope labelled "Carpet Appeal". Any donations will be greatly appreciated.

Thank you for your generosity.



Lenten Discussion Groups

During Lent, our Parish encourages Parishioners to come together in groups to pray and reflect on the coming Sunday Gospel and our relationship with the Lord. We are calling on you to consider hosting a group. You only need to *lead* (not teach) others, through a prepared programme of readings and reflections over 6 weeks, so we can prepare well for Easter.

Copies of this year's Diocesan Resource have arrived for anyone wishing to have a copy now "Discerning the Way of Jesus", Praying the Scripture in Lent, Year C 2019.

Please contact the Parish Office: ◆ if you can lead a group; ◆ if you wish to participate in a group; or ◆ if you would like a copy of the booklet.

Very Rev David Ranson Lenten Penance

Very Rev David Ranson's Lenten Penance message is available on the parish website www.hornsby.dbb.org.au and look under News. **Lent starts on Ash Wednesday 6th March 2019.**

Parish Groups, Activities & Services. All Welcome!

Young Adults



Sunday BBQ - Resumes 5 May 2019 (1st Sunday of the month) after 6pm Mass at the Cathedral. Prepared by our Young Adults Group for all parishioners.

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

Social Justice

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

The Social Justice Group is seeking new members to help provide up-to-date, comprehensive and relevant information about local, national and international social problems to our Parish community.

Part Time and Full Time Members from secondary school age and upwards all welcome. We support school and university students with their social justice projects.

Please address any enquiries to the Social Justice Group via the parish office.

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

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 1 Mass: 16 March.**
- **Weekly Children's Bulletin** is available at the back of the Church, or <https://thekidsbulletin.wordpress.com/>

St Vincent de Paul Society

New members 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! Volunteers Always Welcome. Enquiries: contact the Parish Office.
- **Over 50s Group next outing will be on Wed, 6 March.** We will meet on platform of **Waitara Station** at 9:40am to catch the next train to Chatswood and then bus to Balmoral Beach. Either take lunch or purchase from kiosk there. Bring hats, water, and skin protection.



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). Library books can be returned the following month. An excellent Catholic E-Library can be found at: <http://sharingtheword.info>



- **Piety Stall** is open on the 2nd weekend of the month after all Masses at the Cathedral. Please see the display in the Fr Nulty Room, Waitara. Note, we cannot accept credit card payments.
- **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.



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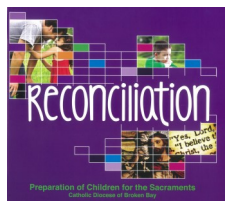
The Parish Office will be closed this
Wednesday 27th February, 10.30am - 4.30pm
Clergy and staff are attending a workshop.
Apologies for any inconvenience.

In case of an emergency, please call 0458 351 843

Thank you

Thank you to Fr James Duck and Fr Viet Nguyen SVD for celebrating Mass at QOP whilst Fr Vincent Nguyen was on annual leave.

Sacrament of First Reconciliation



Upcoming Sessions for Parents:

- ◆ Input 1: Sunday 3 March, 8.30am
 - ◆ Input 2: Sunday 17 March, 8.30am
- ### Session for the Children
- ◆ Interview: Sunday 31 March, 8.30am
- ### First Reconciliation celebration:
- Tuesday 9 April, 5pm

Parish Spring Ball - Save the Date!



Our Parish Spring Ball will be held on
Friday 25th October, 7pm-12am
at the Epping Club.

For more details, contact Joy:
loujoy@gmail.com

Parish Notices

Admitted to Hospital For parishioners who are admitted to hospital, remember to write down your religion as Catholic on admission so that you can receive Catholic services during your stay.

Parish Bulletin: If you would like to have a colour version of the bulletin emailed to you each week, please send an email to the Parish Office with "ebulletin" as the subject.

To have a notice published in next weekend's bulletin, please submit the details to the Parish Office by Tuesday 12 noon.

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

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

After Hours Emergency Number: 0458 351 843

Website: www.hornsby.dbb.org.au

www.facebook.com/HornsbyCathedralParish

OLOR Primary School Open Day



We invite families to join us for our Open Day on Friday 15 March from 9.30am to 11.00am.

This is a perfect opportunity to join our school community for the morning. Enjoy the band and choir performances, tours of the school and a chance to meet current parents and school staff.

Enrolment packs for Kindergarten 2020 will be provided on the day. If you would like any further information, please call the school office on 9489 7000. We look forward to seeing you there.

Beyond our Parish

SERRA VOCATIONS MASS AND DINNER MEETING

Father Shaju John OSH, Parish Priest of Ku-ring-gai Chase Parish will be celebrating Mass for Serra at Sacred Heart Church, 2 Richard Porter Way Pymble on **Thursday 28th February**.



The evening will commence with Mass at **6.30PM** followed by a light meal and a short meeting.

After the meal Father Shaju will be our guest speaker. He will speak to us about his faith and vocation journey.

Everyone is welcome. Please "come and see".

Please remember to pray every day for vocations to the priesthood, diaconate, the consecrated life, ecclesial women, all seminarians and novices and for the perseverance of existing vocations.

Please telephone: Terry Scanlan on email:

terry_scanlan@bigpond.com if you would like to attend.

Join us for a conversation with Fr Frank Brennan S.J., A.O.

Discussing a number of important issues facing the church at this critical time in our history as well as sharing his insights on various social justice topics

WHEN: Sunday, 3rd March from 2:30pm to 5:15pm

WHERE: St Brigid's Hall in the Shirley Wallace Parish Centre, first floor, above Holy Family Catholic Church, 2 Highfield Rd Lindfield (lift access in side foyer of church)

BOOKINGS: <https://www.trybooking.com/468555> (so that we know numbers and can have appropriate seating ready)

Entry by gold coin donation. For full details of the afternoon's programme, visit www.lindfieldkillara.org.au, then click on 'Groups & Ministries' and select 'Adult Education'.

Our Clergy & Our Schools

Clergy:

(Rev) Anthony Peter deSouza ,	Dean/Administrator
(Rev) Vincent Trung Nguyen ,	Assistant Priest
(Rev) Baby Thomas CFIC,	Assistant Priest
(Rev) Simon Seong Kyeong Park ,	Assistant Priest <i>with responsibility for the Korean Community</i>
(Rev Mr) Roberto Corpuz ,	Deacon

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