



# 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

8th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

3rd March 2019



Year C

First Reading:

Sirach 27:4-7

Responsorial Psalm:

*Lord, it is good to give thanks to you.*

Second Reading:

1 Corinthians 15:54-58

Gospel:

Luke 6:39-45

## 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: 1<sup>st</sup> Tue of the month, 8.45am, **5th March**

Cathedral: 3<sup>rd</sup> 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.

## Ash Wednesday Masses 6th March

- 9.30am, The Light of Christ Centre, end of Yardley Ave Waitara (OLOR Primary & St Leo's College attending)
- 9.30am in Korean, QOP Church
- 11am, McQuoin Park
- 7.30pm, Queen of Peace Church



## The Light is ON

The Light is ON every Friday during Lent starting 8th March in OLOR Cathedral, 7pm-8pm. During this time, we have Stations of the Cross and Reconciliation.



### Congratulations to our Newly Baptised children:

M Buban ♦ L Talattad ♦ C Whitfield ♦ E Gennaoui ♦ A Suana ♦ J Kordas

### We remember in our prayers:

**Recently Deceased:** N Torode ♦ D Go ♦ J Collins ♦ A E Van Vliet ♦ Baby J Rose Perrottet ♦ Sr J Connellan RSM ♦ M Bolster

**Anniversaries:** E Russell ♦ C M Dancel ♦ L D'Souza

**Prayers For The Sick:** S Lim Chong Kim ♦ J & F Bradley ♦ K Leal ♦ E Ekert ♦ P Karbowskiak ♦ 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.*

## Today is Catechist Sunday

Fr Peter and Clergy of our Parish would like to thank all volunteer catechists, including SRE catechists, Sacramental catechists, RCIA catechists and Children's Liturgy of the Word catechists for their dedication to this important Ministry. We acknowledge the importance of the Church's teaching Ministry and will ask all who are attending to come forward and receive a blessing during the 9.30am Mass. Mass will be followed by morning tea.

## 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. Enquiries to Deacon Roberto Corpuz or the Parish Office.



Taking the Gospel to the world

## 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.

## Pope Francis' 2019 Lenten Message

There are a few copies available at the back of the Church. For those who have access to the internet please see our website: [www.hornsby.dbb.org.au](http://www.hornsby.dbb.org.au)

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

**Chrism Mass** 16 April (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](mailto:cathedral@bbcatholic.org.au) and on the subject line type "CHOIR RSVP"

## Readings for the Week: 4 - 10 March

Monday	<b>Weekday, Ordinary Time 8</b> Sirach 17:24-29; Mk 10:17-27
Tuesday	<b>Weekday, Ordinary Time 8</b> Sirach 35:1-12; Mk 10:28-31
Wednesday	<b>ASH WEDNESDAY</b> Joel 2:12-18; 2 Cor 5:20-6:2; Mt 6:1-6,16-18
Thursday	<b>Thursday after Ash Wednesday</b> Deut 30:15-20; Lk 9:22-25
Friday	<b>Friday after Ash Wednesday</b> Is 58:1-9; Mt 9:14-15
Saturday	<b>Saturday after Ash Wednesday</b> Is 58:9-14; Lk 5:27-32
Sunday	<b>First Sunday of Lent</b> Deut 26:4-10; Rom 10:8-13; Lk 4:1-13



## Cathedral Carpet Appeal

We are now well over half-way in the Cathedral Carpet Appeal having raised \$44,131.88 (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.**



## Rite of Election

### Sunday 10 March 2pm OLOR Cathedral

The Rite of Election is the final liturgical rite for Catechumens before they receive the Sacraments of Christian Initiation at Easter.

Please note that baptised Candidates who are to be received into the full communion with the Catholic Church will be acknowledged at the Rite of Election this year. Stational Masses will not be held in deanery structures.

All parishioners are welcome to attend this joyful occasion.

## 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](http://www.hornsby.dbb.org.au) and look under News. **Lent starts on Ash Wednesday 6th March 2019.**

## Thank You

Jill and Frank Bradley thank everyone for their concern and consideration recently. The promise of your prayers was particularly comforting and is certainly reciprocated. Thank you, Frank & Jill.

## Project Compassion Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2019



Please take home a Project Compassion set of donation envelopes and support Caritas Australia this Lenten season themed "Give Lent 100%". You are empowering communities with hope and helping those in great need to shape a better future for themselves, their families and their communities. **Lives change when we all give 100%.** You can donate through Parish envelopes, or by phoning 1800 024 413 or visiting [www.caritas.org.au/projectcompassion](http://www.caritas.org.au/projectcompassion).



# Parish Groups, Activities & Services. All are 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.

### World Day of Social Justice - 20 February

We encourage you to read the Australian Catholic Social Justice Council Website and read the Statement and other issues facing our world today.

<https://www.socialjustice.catholic.org.au/publications>

Also, Social Justice Around the Bay - <http://sjaroundthebay.org/>

## 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](mailto:dcdeguia@gmail.com) or Raj Rajasingam: [rajasingam.raj@gmail.com](mailto: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. New items have arrived. Check our selection of religious gifts displayed at Fr Nulty room. Stall will be at Queen of Peace on Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> March at 9am Mass. 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.



## Children's Liturgy Leaders and Assistants Needed

Are you:

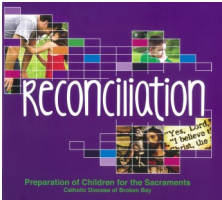
- ◆ Over 18
- ◆ Available at least 1 Sunday per school term
- ◆ Interested in sharing God's word with children aged 4-10
- ◆ Willing to apply for a Working with Children Check

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.

## 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: loaujoy@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](http://www.hornsby.dbb.org.au)

 [www.facebook.com/HornsbyCathedralParish](https://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

## St Leo's Catholic College Open Day



Come and see everything St Leo's has to offer. All welcome!

Tour our new creative and performing arts, technology, design and hospitality centre - part of our \$25m building program. A caring community, strong academic results, a huge range of co-curricular offerings, St Leo's is the only co-ed Catholic secondary school on the Upper North Shore. Find out more!

Tuesday 12 March 4-7pm Enter via The Light of Christ Centre, end of Yardley Ave, Waitara. [www.stleos.nsw.edu.au](http://www.stleos.nsw.edu.au)

## St Vincent de Paul Waitara



The conference members wish to thank most sincerely the parishioners of Hornsby Cathedral Parish, Our Lady of the Rosary Catholic School Waitara, and Loreto College Normanhurst, who so generously donated items for our Hamper appeal. We wish also to thank the many people who offered their assistance in helping pack and deliver hampers for us.

From your kind donations, we were able to deliver hampers to 166 families in our local area. Stock our pantry at the Vinnies centre in Hornsby where our homeless persons and people experiencing hardship can come and collect bags of food. Assistance to our conference in Wyong who have many homeless persons, Berowra and Pennant Hills were assisted with some donations, we were also able to help CatholicCare with hampers for their families experiencing hardship.

From your very generous donation we were able to help so many needing our support. From all the members of our team, we thank you for your generosity and help. Your kindness is very much appreciated.

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## Our Clergy & Our Schools

### Clergy:

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