



# 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

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7 July 2019



Year C

First Reading: Isaiah 66:10-14

Responsorial Psalm: *Let all the earth cry out to God with joy.*

Second Reading: Galatians 6: 14-18

Gospel Luke 10:1-12, 17-20

## Weekend Mass Times

Cathedral: **Sat** 5pm Vigil. **Sun** 8am, 9.30am, 6pm

Cathedral (in Filipino): **Sun 14th July**, 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> Tuesday of the month, 8.45am, **6th August**

Cathedral: 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of the month, 9.30am, **18th July**

### 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.

## WISHING ALL STUDENTS AND THEIR FAMILIES SAFE HOLIDAYS.

## Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Sunday



Today is Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Sunday, a day to celebrate and give thanks for the gifts that our First Peoples bring to the Church, and who have an irreplaceable role in shaping the story and identity of the Australian Church.

A beautiful quote from the late Boniface Perdjert, our first Aboriginal Deacon: "My people existed here in Australia thousands of years before Abraham. In all that time God was with my people. He worked through their culture. He was saving us despite human weakness. He was preparing us for the day when he would see the features of Aboriginals in the image of his Son."

This year's theme is "Peace to this house and all who dwell within". The Australian Bishops have prepared a short video for this Sunday in support of our First Peoples, highlighting the needs of young people and the need to safeguard self-determination, to "walk alongside in loving support, but avoid any temptation to come in with quick solutions imposed from outside."

To view the video, please visit [www.natsicc.org.au](http://www.natsicc.org.au)

## Plenary Council 2020

National Theme for Discernment #4 –

How is God calling us to be a Christ-centred Church that is Humble, Healing

and Merciful? This National Theme for Discernment is inspired by the voices of the People of God who expressed a deep and faith-filled trust in God and a need for lament and healing within the Church, acknowledging the sexual abuse crisis as a turning point for the Church in Australia.

Find out more: [www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au](http://www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au)



## **My dear Parishioners,**

On 2nd July 2019, I completed a year as your Pastor and leader. Every day of the past year I kept reminding myself of the motto of my Ordination, which states:



***“called to joy in service,  
for God loves a cheerful giver”.***

As I continue to live the motto, I take this opportunity to thank each of you that have made this journey, with all its challenges, hopes and joys, and made it happen. Thank you for allowing me to serve you in the best way I could, understanding my strengths and weaknesses.

The year that I embarked on, will continue to remind you of the many developments that have happened in the Diocese as well as in our Community. Together we have sailed and continued our journey, and we still have miles to go, before we reach our final destination, and embark to a life lived well, and lived to its full.

Our community saw a number of unfinished projects, that were in progress slowly taking shape. Work continues behind the scenes, and let us be open to the Lord, so that He may continue to guide us through the events of each day.

**The journey with the Korean Chaplaincy**, which began 13 years ago, stands on its own from 1st July 2019. I ask you to say a special prayer for Fr Simon Park and the Korean Community, in this big task and Ministry ahead of them. The Chaplaincy reminds us that we are together in all this. It is not them and us, it is God’s grace brought alive in and through a human culture,

and the joy that opens forth is the joy that allows the growth of His Kingdom here on earth and in our Parish Community. May God’s blessings continue to journey with us all.

**The formulation of the Filipino Chaplaincy** and its launch in the Diocese. By its nature a totally different setup, opens us to embrace the love of God in the gifts and talents we are blessed with. They are used to serve one another through love. May the God of Love embrace all that we encounter, through the gifts of each of us as a human family.

**As stewards of our Community**, we have been able to bring about short-term solutions to our car park woes at the Cathedral, another ongoing challenge. All we can do is offer our best, and as someone put it, and I quote: “Car parking is a privilege, not a right.”

**Our renewal of the Cathedral Carpet** is a testimony to what we all can do as a Community. We can make things happen jointly. So therefore, thank you for the ongoing support of assurance that we can achieve a lot in our joint efforts.

**The new oil repository** is a reminder that we, as a pilgrim people, are constantly on a renewal of our commitment, as a people on a sacramental journey and in turn being a sign to the people that we encounter.

**The age-old problem** that awaits its solution at our Normanhurst Community site with stormwater drainage, with our neighbours on Nelson Street, and the uneven forecourt at the Cathedral. All these need big attention. We are awaiting for them to happen, and I trust we can all make it happen.

**With just Fr Vincent Trung Nguyen and myself,** we continue to offer our Pastoral care, the best we can. I know some of you have said to us in various corners that it is a big ask, but with your prayers and ongoing support we can make it happen. We are in it together.

**Our weekend Masses** amount to four Masses each between the two of us, and on the first Sunday of every month Fr Vincent has an extra Mass in Vietnamese in Asquith. Also during the week on Wednesday and Fridays, we have three weekday Masses each, but in alternate weeks we celebrate two Masses each. Besides this, we also continue to meet the requests of our Hospitals, Nursing Homes, Retirement Villages and Private Homes.

If possible, we either combine or reduce some of the Masses, and make our community rich in human resources and greater strength in worship. With regard to these changes, it has to come from us all. So therefore, I invite you to pray and ask the Holy Spirit in a special way to guide us through this time. I am open to suggestions in terms of Worship and Pastoral Care, preferably in writing, as to how we can provide the best care to you, our faithful. I do understand that change can be difficult, for we all are creatures of habit, but if at least we are to give it a try, and see how it works, and then evaluate, that in itself is a big challenge, and I hope and pray it can happen.

**In appeal for a volunteer Catechist Coordinator,** I thank Louise Spencer for taking on the role. With her experience and expertise, in the same task as a catechist, and with the support of all of us, I am sure she will be able to undertake the task with great love and care for our children and their families in the State Schools.

**In appeal for a volunteer Sacramental Coordinator,** I do have a name, but it is a period of discernment that this person has undertaken, and I pray that the right decision will be made.

And finally our **upcoming Spring Ball,** I'm looking forward to it. Hopefully my dancing skills can be brought back to life. An opportunity for us all to relax, and enjoy the evening as a social event, filled with love, warmth and friendship.

And so, as we continue to be open to God's grace, I ask you to say a special prayer for each of us, Your Priests and all our faithful. We all need special prayers, and we all need to embrace God's love through prayer. May I request you to keep the prayers going.

Looking forward...

Fr Peter deSouza



## Peter's Pence Collection



Peter's Pence Collection: This week we join with other Parishes across the world in taking up the Peter's Pence Collection. The Peter's Pence Collection provides for the charitable works and structures of mercy identified by His Holiness, Pope Francis. By supporting this collection, you join with other Parishes across the world in supporting projects identified by the Pope including emergency assistance to those in need due to natural disaster, war, oppression and disease. Our generosity allows the Holy Father to respond to those suffering with love and compassion. Thank you for your generosity.

Donations using funds from the Peter's Pence appeal have assisted with these recent natural disasters including: The Indonesian island of Sulawesi affected by the earthquake and tsunami.

Between September and October 2018 violent earthquakes and a strong tsunami devastated several areas of Indonesia causing over 1,500 dead and thousands injured. The area most affected was the island of Sulawesi where the Mount Soputan volcano erupted threatening the already exhausted and worn out population.

In the first phase of emergency, Pope Francis, through the Department for the Integral Human Development Service, sent a contribution of \$100,000 that will be distributed, in collaboration with the Apostolic Nunciature, among the areas most affected by the catastrophe. During the Angelus of Sunday, September 30, 2018 the Holy Father prayed for those affected, "for the deceased, unfortunately many, for the injured and for those who have lost their homes and their jobs. May the Lord console them and support the efforts of those who are trying to bring help".

## QOP Vinnies Winter Appeal 20/21 July

This year we are a bit late. The appeal will happen on the 20/21 July. There are envelopes at the church door for anyone wanting to make an early donation but otherwise our disadvantaged neighbours will be very grateful for your generosity on 20/21 weekend. Thank you.

Carolyn Muir - Conference President.

## Newly baptised

We welcome newly baptised: K Pekantan ♦ J Brierley ♦ L Belarmino



## Funeral for the late M Fisher

Funeral for the late M Fisher will take place at QOP Church on Tuesday 9th July 10.30am.

### We remember in our prayers:

**Recently Deceased:** M Fisher ♦ E Barnes (brother of J Kachel) ♦ N Madrid ♦ B J Tulinsky ♦ F Tigol ♦ F Abbas

**Anniversaries:** A Bonelli ♦ P Mong ♦ P Andersen ♦ T A Thomas ♦ L S Hidrosollo ♦ L D'Souza

**Prayers For The Sick:** A Rego ♦ F & J Bradley ♦ L Solinap ♦ A Cruz ♦ E Antao

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.*

## New sets of Planned Giving envelopes

Thank you for your ongoing support through our Planned Giving program. We are ever grateful for your generosity in helping the Ministry and upkeep of the Parish.

Tables are set up: **Cathedral:** in the Fr Nulty Room

**Queen of Peace:** at the rear of the Church

Below are the various ways where you can provide your continued support:



**Existing givers:** Once again, we continue to thank you for your ongoing support as you collect your annual planned giving envelopes. If you would like to change over to direct debit or credit card, please deposit your envelopes in the box provided and pick up a "direct debit form" or "credit card form" from the table and send the completed form to the Parish Office or put on the collection plate. Unwanted envelopes can also be deposited into this box.

**New givers:** We welcome new givers and thank you for your generosity in advance. You can pick up a "direct debit form" or "credit card form" from the table and send the completed form to the Parish Office or put on the collection plate. If you would like to use weekly envelopes, please contact the Parish Office.

**Please note that contributions via direct debit or direct credit are the most cost effective for the parish,** it also gives the parish a better way to budget via a regular income stream.

On behalf of the Priests in the Parish and our Finance Committee, we thank you for supporting our Parish in the coming financial year.

## 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@bbccatholic.org.au](mailto:faith.formation@bbccatholic.org.au) or phone Natalie Moutia on 8379 1626.

## Readings for the Week: 8-14 July

**Monday** Weekday, Ordinary Time 14

Gen 28:10-22; Mt 9:18-26

**Tuesday** Weekday, Ordinary Time 14

Gen 32:23-33; Mt 9:32-38

**Wednesday** Weekday, Ordinary Time 14

Gen 41:55-57,42:5-7,17-24; Mt 10:1-7

**Thursday** St Benedict, abbot

Gen 44:18-21,23-29; 45:1-5; Mt 10:7-15

**Friday** Weekday, Ordinary Time 14

Gen 46:1-7,28-30; Mt 10:16-23

**Saturday** Weekday, Ordinary Time 14

Gen 49:29-33;50:15-26; Mt 10:24-33

**Sunday** 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Deut 30:10-14; Col 1:15-20; Lk 10:25-37





# 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.

## Social Justice

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

### NAIDOC WEEK 7- 14 July 2019

The 2019 theme, *Voice. Treaty. Truth.* were the three key elements to the the reforms set out in the Uluru Statement from the Heart.

The theme acknowledges that Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples have always wanted an enhanced role in decision making in Australia's democracy.

The theme also highlights our various First Nations' desires for lasting and effective agreements such as Treaties which cannot be achieved unless we have a shared, truthful understanding of the nature of the dispute, of the history, of how we got to where we stand.

"So, Let's work together for a shared future,"

<https://www.naidoc.org.au/news/naidoc-2019-voice-treaty-truth-let-s-work-together-shared-future>

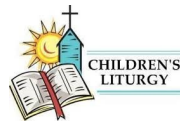
NAIDOC Week events: <https://www.naidoc.org.au/get-involved/naidoc-week-events>

## 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 3 Mass: TBA**
- **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/>

## 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. For further details, phone Helen 9988 0408.



- **Community Dinner** every Wednesday, 6pm in the Fr Nulty Room, Waitara. All welcome! Enquiries: contact the Parish Office.

- **Over 50s Group** outings every first Wednesday of the month.

## 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.



## Volunteers needed

We are in need of volunteers for the following Ministries:

- Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion needed to visit Hornsby Hospital. One Sunday a month.
- Adult altar servers at the Cathedral urgently needed for 5pm Vigil Mass and 9.30am Sunday Mass. Training provided.
- Flowers arranging, Cathedral. (Pickup flowers from shops) Please contact the parish office if you can help on 8379 1700.

## Thank you

Thank you to Dennis Harris and his group of singers, and Bella Jakubek, Philip Barillo and their group of singers who have taken up the challenge to offer their talents in music to worship and praise God at the 9.00am Mass, on a roster at Normanhurst Community Mass. May God continue to bless you all as you continue to support a community in faith. Frs Peter & Vincent.

## Catholic Biblical Federation Oceania

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**Assembly – 1-7 August** The Catholic Biblical Federation (CBF) has recently celebrated 50 years of promoting and developing Biblical pastoral ministry. The CBF, being a worldwide body, is divided into regions, and in August 2019, a CBF **Regional Assembly for Oceania** will be held in Papua New Guinea (PNG).

The date of the Assembly is a 1-7 August, and the cost of the conference will be covered, with participants only needing to pay for flights (approx. \$1,300 from Sydney). Bishop David Walker will be attending. If anyone is interested in participating, contact Pina on 8379 1627 for further information.



## Hornsby Cathedral Parish - Spring Ball



We are delighted to invite you to our first Spring Ball on Friday 25th October 2019 7pm-12am

- Epping Club - The Grand Ballroom, 45 Rawson St, Epping NSW 2121

- Black tie/formal wear 18+ (Adults only, no children)
- Tickets \$90 [www.trybooking.com/Bamno](http://www.trybooking.com/Bamno)

### RSVP by Friday 2 August

For more details, contact Joy 0426 612 495 or email: [Loaujoy@gmail.com](mailto:Loaujoy@gmail.com)

Tickets include: Canapes and drinks, seated dinner, lucky door prizes, live music, dancing, entertainment & photobooth.

**Already over 400 tickets sold, please order your tickets asap before they are all sold out!**



## 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](mailto: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](http://www.bbcatholic.org.au/hornsby)

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

## 2019 Diocesan Children's Choir Games

The **2019 Diocesan Children's Choir Games** will be held on

Sunday 22 September,  
St Patrick's Church, Asquith.

Open to any young singer from Year 2 to Year 12. Registration opens at 12.30pm, followed by workshops and rehearsals plus a break for socialising. Families and friends are invited to join the action at 3pm and watch the choirs compete.

Afternoon tea for all will be provided after the Games.  
Registration \$5.00 per singer.

Places are limited - please RSVP to  
[parishkccp@bbcatholic.org.au](mailto:parishkccp@bbcatholic.org.au)



## 'Stepping On' Program

A Free community-based program to help reduce falls and build knowledge, strength and confidence to remain independent at home. For anyone over the age of 65yrs old who walks independently or with a walking stick and have a history and/or fear of falling. (not suitable for people using walking frame, have neuromuscular condition or dementia). 7 sessions held once a week over 7 weeks.

Every Monday 29th July - 9th September 12.30-2.30pm.

Bookings are essential please contact Catholic Healthcare on 1800 225 474 (press 1 then 1) or [cs\\_northern Sydneytcp@chcs.com.au](mailto:cs_northern Sydneytcp@chcs.com.au)

## Position vacant

### Plenary Council Discernment & Writing Group Chairs and Members

As we move into the Listening and Discernment stage of our preparation for the Plenary Council 2020, the Bishops Commission for the Plenary Council is seeking people who are willing to be leaders and partners in the process of discernment. Opportunities are available to apply to be the Chair, or to be a member, of one of six Discernment & Writing Groups.

For more information, visit the Office for Employment Relations website [www.employmentrelations.catholic.org.au](http://www.employmentrelations.catholic.org.au) or contact Ms Olivia Lee on (02) 9919 7822 or [olivia.lee@catholic.org.au](mailto:olivia.lee@catholic.org.au).

Applications close on 22 July 2019.

## Our Clergy & Our Schools

### Clergy:

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

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

Mrs Jacinta <b>Crowe</b> , Principal	9489 7000
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### St Leo's Catholic College (Years 7-12):

Mr Tony <b>Gleeson</b> , Principal	9487 3555
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