



St Patrick's Catholic Church
Cnr Baldwin Ave & Royston Pde, Asquith

St Bernard's Catholic Church
1-19 Woodcourt Rd, Berowra Heights

KU-RING-GAI CHASE CATHOLIC PARISH in the Diocese of Broken Bay

Palm Sunday ~ Year C ~ 13th April 2025

Welcome to our Spiritual home

A very warm welcome to you, especially to anyone new and visiting our parish.
It is good to have you with us!

If you have any questions or would like to know more about our community, please contact us by email or on the number below. We'd love to hear from you!

P: (02) 9456 2450; E: parishkccp@bbccatholic.org.au; W: bbccatholic.org.au/kccp

Requests for inclusion in our bulletin may be submitted for consideration up to 12 noon on Wednesdays by emailing: parishkccp@bbccatholic.org.au

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday	5pm	St Bernard's
	6pm	St Patrick's
Sunday	8am	St Patrick's
	9am	St Bernard's
	10am	St Patrick's
	6pm	St Patrick's

Vietnamese Mass ~ 1st Sunday of the month at
2.30pm St Patrick's

WEEKDAY MASSES

St Patrick's, Asquith

8am Wednesday and Friday

9am Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday

St Bernard's Berowra Heights

8am Thursday

9.15am Wednesday and Friday (except 1st
Friday of the month when Mass is at 11.30am)

RECONCILIATION

Saturday After 9am Mass St Patrick's

Friday After 9.15am Mass St Bernard's

(Out of office hours URGENT only)

Emergency sick calls 0468 341 841

HOSPITAL ADMISSION:

If admitted to hospital, please write down your religion as Catholic to receive Catholic Services.

Please, call the office if you would like our own priests to visit you in hospital.



Mass Times for Holy Week

MASS	DATE	TIME	LOCATION	THINGS TO NOTE
Holy Thursday (Mass of the Lord's Supper & Washing of the feet)	Thursday 17 April 2025	7.30pm	BOTH St Bernard's & St Patrick's	(No morning Mass) Procession to Altar of Repose & private Adoration till 10pm Please return your Project Compassion Envelopes/Boxes
Good Friday - Stations of the Cross	Friday 18 April 2025	10am	BOTH St Bernard's & St Patrick's	No Mass (Day of fast and abstinence)
Good Friday - Passion of the Lord	Friday 18 April 2025	3pm	BOTH St Bernard's & St Patrick's	
Easter Vigil Saturday 19 April 2025		7pm	St Bernard's	(No morning Mass in the parish on Holy Saturday)
		7.30pm	St Patrick's	
Easter Sunday 20 April 2025		9am	St Bernard's	(No evening Mass in the parish on Easter Sunday)
		8am; 10am	St Patrick's	

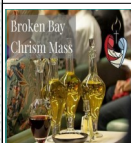


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on or by Holy Thursday please.



Holy Land Collection ~ Good Friday 18 April. The annual collection for the support of the church in the Holy Land will take place on Good Friday. This collection promotes the missionary work of the Church in the Holy Land by providing welfare assistance to local Christians in areas such as health, education, employment, housing, Parishes, and orphanages. It is also used to maintain over 70 churches and shrines associated with the life of Jesus.



The Chrism Mass will be celebrated at OLOR, Waitara, at 7.30pm on Tuesday 15/4/25.

All parishioners are warmly invited to attend this sacred occasion in the life of our Diocese.



Easter Church Cleaning on Saturday 19 April 2025, 9am @ St Bernard's & St Patrick's

Please come armed and ready to clean and beautify our Churches for Easter on Easter Saturday 19 April 2025. Please bring your own cleaning necessities and remember ~ Many hands will make light work ~ so please don't leave it to the few who always turn up.

PARISH OFFICE

Opening Hours: 9am – 4pm; Monday to Friday

Addresses: 1-19 Woodcourt Rd, Berowra Heights
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Parish Priest: Rev Dr Biju Jose, OSH

Assistant Priest: Fr Joseph Methanath, OSH

Parish Secretary: Catherine Hutchison

Parish Secretary: Margaret Cooper

Parish Bookkeeper: Karen Price

Vol. Office Assistant: Jan Favaloro

Vol. Web Administrator: David Funk

Vol. Sacramental Team: Peta T & Phill C

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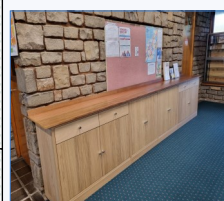


Easter is a New Beginning!

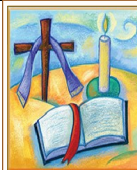
Priests of our parish are offering a Catholic tradition to bless homes during Lent up to Pentecost.

For a house blessing, please email or call the office, thank you.

A long overdue but very welcome addition to St Bernard's Church ~



New cabinetry has been designed and installed at St Bernard's Church, it looks stunning. It will house the Coffee Corner supplies and will keep all manner of things neat and tidy. Our sincere thanks are extended to Bill Oliver and Denis Steiner who completed this work voluntarily for the Church.



We sincerely thank our Sacramental Team, Peta Tonkin & Phill Clarke, and all group facilitators for their time in preparing the children so beautifully and the children themselves for their reverence when receiving the Sacrament.

Scan here: to read our parish bulletin in full.



Safeguarding: Our parish is ...

Committed to fostering communities of safety and care for all people, most especially for children and vulnerable adults. If you're concerned about safety, contact the parish office on 02 9456 2450 or contact the Office of Safeguarding on 02 8379 1605. Thank you for helping us maintain a safe and welcoming environment for all who enter our church.

We congratulate the following children of our parish who this week received their First Reconciliation

Adam C
Aiyana T
Alessandro M
Alexander S
Casey M
Charlie F-T

Charlotte E G
Chelsey R
Christian F
Colton T
Dylan K
Ellie B
Eva B
Finnigan R
Frankie D'C
Gerson L
Gus R
Halle B
Harry O'K
Hope W
Isla D

Jesse E
Keith L
Koby R
Kota S
Lachlan R
Layla R
Leonardo B
Liam Mcl
Louis Mc
Luca E C
Luca T
Lukas H
Magdale H
Makayhla K

Massimo C
Maureen T
Michael I
Michael S
Miguel A
Millicent C
Nell F
Olive R
Olivia R
Patrick S
Riley D
Ruby W
Sam M
Savannah C
Tristan H

THIS WEEK'S **DAILY READINGS** - **Palm Sunday** - Year C

Monday 14/04 Isaiah 42:1-7; John 12:1-11
Tuesday 15/04 Isaiah 49:1-6; John 13:21-33, 36-38
Wednesday 16/04 Isaiah 50:4-9; Matthew 26:14-25
Thursday 17/04 **Thursday of the Lord's Supper**
 Exodus 12:1-8, 11-14; John 13:1-15
Friday 18/04 **Friday of the Passion of the Lord**
 Isaiah 52:13 -53:12; John 18:1 -19:42

EASTER VIGIL READINGS - 19/09 - Year C

Reading One: I Genesis 1:1 -2:2; **Reading Two:** III. Exodus 14:15 -15:1
Reading Three: V. Isaiah 55:1-11 **Reading Four:** VII Ezek 36:16-28;
Epistle: Romans 6:3-11 **Gospel:** Luke 24:1-12

EASTER SUNDAY READINGS - 20/04 - Year C

1st Reading: Acts 10:34, 37-43; **Psalm:** 117:1-2, 16-17, 22-23
2nd Reading: Colossians 3:1-4; **Gospel:** John 20:1-9

Ku-ring-gai Chase Parish Remembers & offers Prayers for...

Recently Deceased: David Thompson, Vince Hughes, Anthony McAleer.
Anniversary: Peter Brooks. **Prayers for the sick:** Bozena Maria, James Maguire, Margaret Hawkins, Warren Beacom, Millie Wong, Ruth Carlos, Cita Del Rio, Bill Holmes, Chris Enright, Pat Bowden, Patrick Dorahy, Mary Burns, Georgina Hughes, Chichi Datoc, Roger Okell, Philomena D'Souza, Nora Carrigan, Rey Hilario, Paul Lam, Louise Tong, Sosefo Ali, Jonathan Thew, John Cosgrove (Snr).

Requiem Mass for David Thomspson ~ Wednesday 16th April, 11am @ SBB
May perpetual light shine upon him, may he rest in peace, Amen.

The 250 Club! Week 8 ~ 7/04/25; Amount \$25; Winning # 924;
 Winner: *Unsubscribed*

Have you, or are you celebrating a milestone Wedding Anniversary in 2025? (i.e. 25, 30, 40, 50, 60 years) - KCCP would love to celebrate these amazing milestones with you, and the first of these to be recognised will be for those who at anytime during 2025 will celebrate **25 Years of Marriage on Sunday 4 May at the 9am Mass at St Bernard's or the 10am Mass St Patrick's.** You will receive a blessing, a certificate and a community morning tea with special cake. Please email the office on parishkccp@bbccatholic.org.au

NEW Seniors Ministry Programme at KCCP (p/ship with CatholicCare). Seniors! Come and engage your mind, make new friends in a friendly & relaxed environment? **No booking necessary, and morning tea is free.**

Venue: St John's Asquith Hall - 6 Royston Pde Asquith **Time:** 9.30am-11.30am

Wed. 16 April	Scams Awareness for the Community ~ A presentation by Van Chau, Services Australia. Plus M/tea. (Venue: Fr McMaugh Hall, St Pat's Asquith)
Wed. 30 April	Elder Law ~ A short presentation by Cecilia Castle (Solicitor & parishioner) on Power of Attorney; Enduring Guardianship & Wills & M/tea!
Wed. 14 May	Strategies for Self Care ~ Presented CatholicCare. Self-care is taking action to preserve or improve your own health, wellbeing & happiness.
Wed. 28 May	Games Morning ~ A fun morning with board games, cards, puzzles and even a group game - and of course, time to connect over a cuppa & m/tea!

Children's Liturgy: St Patrick's Asquith: 1st & 3rd Sunday of month
Our littlest parishioners from Pre K-Year 6 are invited to come along twice per month during school terms to hear the Word of God in a way they understand. Sessions will run for approx. 20 min in the first half of the Mass.

Parents are welcome to join their children. All facilitators have WWCC's. For more information contact: Chris V on hushh@hotmail.com

Children's Choir @ St Patrick's, Asquith
Sing: At 10am Mass on the 2nd & 4th Sunday of the month during school terms. **Practise:** Friday's of school term 4pm-5pm in the church. Ph: Patricia: 9482 7935 / E: stpatsschoir@gmail.com / W: bbccatholic.org.au/kccp/groups-ministries/music-ministry for details.

Bernie's Ladies Term Two Gathering
Friday, May 9; 7pm at Berowra RSL
All ladies of the entire parish are most welcome
 For more details contact Gen by emailing: david@barnettsroad.com
Bernie's Ladies is a social group who meet 4 times per year with the goal being *'To build community at our church'.*

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