



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

15th Sunday In Ordinary Time~ Year C ~ 13th July 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	9am	St Patrick's
	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.

PARISH OFFICE

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

Addresses: 1-19 Woodcourt Rd, Berowra Heights
2082 / P.O. Box 335, Berowra Heights NSW 2082

Parish Priest: Rev Dr Biju Jose, OSH

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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.



The first of our two Annual OSH Collections for missionary works has now concluded with your generous contributions totalling \$4,365.00

Fr Joseph, myself and all Oblates of the Sacred Heart are overwhelmed with your generosity and concern for those in most need and sincerely thank all who contributed to this appeal. **Fr Biju Jose OSH, PP.**

Confirmation enrolment

Enrolments are now open to any child who has been Baptised, is over the age of 8 and in Year 3 or above.

The Enrolment form and schedule is available on the Parish website and from our Churches now and must be submitted by 19 July 2025.



Volunteer appeal for Eucharistic Ministers of Holy Communion.

Have you, or someone you know, ever been in Mt Wilga Private Rehabilitation Hospital and been brought the solace of Holy Communion from our cheery band of volunteers? We would like you to now consider being part of this ministry and return the blessing, by bringing someone else the comfort of receiving Christ in Communion when they are unwell. For more info. please contact the office by phone 9456 2450 or email parishkccp@bbccatholic.org.au **NB:** We also take Communion to the housebound of our parish and those of advanced years in Regis & Christophorous House so our need for additional volunteers is pressing. **Please consider!**



The 250 Club!

The second of our 'two-per-year' series of the 250 Club for 2025 will begin soon & we are looking for more members so we can give away more money!

If already a member, but are unfinancial, you will receive a reminder email.

If you are financial you won't hear from us ... UNLESS YOU WIN A PRIZE OF COURSE !!

'Blocks of four numbers' available now so why not be part of the fun ~ \$1 per week paid in advance for the 20 week series means your investment offers you **the chance of winning \$25 each week AND one chance in every five weeks of winning \$500!** To get on board this simple effective parish initiative please contact the office on 9456 2450 or email parishkccp@bbccatholic.org.au

Parish Pastoral Council Planner ~ July 2025

J U L Y	Sun 13th	9am SBB 10am SPA	40 Year Milestone Wedding Anniversary	Berowra Asquith
	Sat 26th / Sun 27th	After all Masses	Feast of St Christopher - Blessing of vehicles (The Patron Saint of Travellers)	Berowra Asquith
	Sun 27th	All Masses	Grandparents Day	Berowra Asquith

Pastoral Works Broken Bay Appeal for 2024/2025 Financial Year ~ The allotted target to be raised by

Ku-ring-gai Chase Parish last financial year was: **\$30,778.00**

Our parish collected: **\$25,045.50**, thank you all for your generous support.

The outstanding balance of: \$5,732.50 will now be taken from general parish funds which ordinarily would have been used for parish needs.



St Vincent De Paul Society Winter Appeal

This weekend Vinnies are having their Winter Appeal at both our parish churches, St Patrick's and St Bernard's.

Your donation helps the Society to aid those who call on the Society for support. There are no envelopes in the pews or at the back of the Church, however, there are Society members outside the Church to help with your donation, a receipt will be issued for your donation if required, and if you would like to join the Society speak with a Society Member.

Donations can be made at any time by using the poor boxes at the back of the Church.

We thank the Parishioners of Ku-ring-gai Chase Catholic Parish who have always been generous in the support of Vinnies and we hope that continues.

40th Wedding Anniversary: We offer our warmest congratulations to Nalin and Marion Pahalawatta as they celebrate their 40th Wedding Anniversary. May God continue to bless their journey.... **Fr Biju**



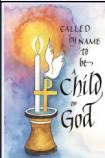
THIS WEEK'S DAILY READINGS - Ordinary Time -Year C		
Monday 14/07	Ex 1:8-14, 22	Matthew 10:34-11:1
Tuesday 15/07	Memorial ~ St Bonaventure, bishop, doctor	
	Ex 2:1-15	Matthew 11:20-24
Wednesday 16/07	Ex 3:1-6, 9-12	Matthew 11:25-27
Thursday 17/07	Ex 3:13-20	Matthew 11:28-30
Friday 18/07	Ex 11:10-12:14	Matthew 12:1-8
Saturday 19/07	Ex 12:37-42	Matthew 12:14-21

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS - 20/07 16th Sunday in OT Year C		
1st Reading:	Gen 18:1-10	Psalm: 14:2-5
2nd Reading:	Col 1:24-28	Gospel: Luke 10:38-42

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

Recently Deceased: Ronald Mackson, Mary Liska, Mary Brown, Hedy Salvatera, Philomena D'Souza, Antonio Manti. **Anniversary:** Rex D'Souza, Helen Szalay, Natasha Bijen, Ben & Wendy Marsh, Gary Simpson, Christin Simpson, Pastor Alvarado, Dr Ken Gray Judy Huntley. **Prayers for the sick:** Marion Porter, 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, Nora Carrigan, Rey Hilario, Paul Lam, Louise Tong, Sosefo Ali, Jonathan Thew

Funeral Services: Mary Brown: St Patrick's Mon. 14 July 2025 @ 10.30am



Welcome to our Faith Family & Baptism Congratulations to
Ripley Tyler Lewis, Asher James French-Smith
& Violet Claire French-Smith
 who are to be baptised this weekend.
Please keep them, their parents & Godparents in your prayers.



Golden Wedding Anniversary 50 years
Celebrate anytime during 2025
 50th Wedding Anniversary dates will be honoured on the
10th August 2025 during 9am Mass at St Bernard's Berowra &
 10am Mass at St Patrick's Asquith
 RSVP to the parish office by the 1st August 2025

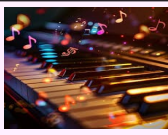
The 250 Club! Week 21 ~ 7/07/25; Amount \$25; Winning # 147 - unfinancial 😞

Reminder to our Sacristans, Linen & Church Cleaners & Flower arrangers at St Patrick's Asquith:
 Your well deserved thank you morning tea will take place on Saturday 19th July in St Patrick's Hall from 10am.
 We hope to see as many of you there as possible, Fr Biju & Fr Joe.


Reminder to our Catechists
 Your well deserved thank you morning tea will take place on Tuesday 15th July in St Patrick's Hall between 10am and 12 midday. We hope to see as many of you there as possible, Fr Biju & John D.

Bible Study - with Fr Biju - 15th July 2025 at 7.30pm,
 Father McMaugh Hall at St Patrick's - Asquith. No need to RSVP - just come along and join in. We hope to see you there!

Music Ministry - We warmly invite parishioners to consider making a donation towards the purchase of new keyboards for both St Patrick's and St Bernard's. Our much-loved music ministry plays an important role in enhancing our liturgies and bringing our community together in prayer and song. Your generosity will help ensure our music continues to inspire and uplift for years to come. Thank you for your support. **Fr Biju - OSHPP**



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: spatschoir@gmail.com / W: bbccatholic.org.au/kccp/groups-ministries/music-ministry for details.

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