



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

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time~ Year C ~ 26th October 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@bbcatholic.org.au](mailto:parishkccp@bbcatholic.org.au); W: [bbcatholic.org.au/kccp](http://bbcatholic.org.au/kccp)

Requests for inclusion in our bulletin may be submitted for consideration  
up to 12 noon on Wednesdays by emailing: [parishkccp@bbcatholic.org.au](mailto:parishkccp@bbcatholic.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 |

 **Temporary change to WEEKDAY MASSES ~ 17 Sept to 5 Dec. 2025**

**St Patrick's, Asquith**

**9am** Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday

**St Bernard's Berowra Heights**

**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

**Assistant Priest:** Fr Joseph Methanath, OSH

**Parish Secretary:** Catherine Hutchison

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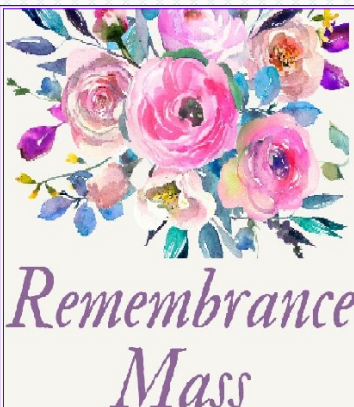
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**Catechist Coordinator:** Elaine Maatouk

(Email: [kccpcatechists@gmail.com](mailto:kccpcatechists@gmail.com))

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

Scan here: to read our parish bulletin in full.



#### Annual Mass of Remembrance ~ Sunday 2nd November 2025

**9am: St Bernard's Berowra Heights &  
10am: St Patrick's Asquith**

These two Masses are offered for all the faithful departed no matter how long ago they gained their eternal reward, however, at these Masses we especially honour those who have passed away within the last 12 month period and our tradition is to request a family member to attend and accept a personalised candle and bookmark honouring their loved one.

If you have lost a loved one between October 2024 and September 2025, and would like them honoured at either of these Masses, please contact the parish office **before Tuesday 28 October** to provide details, thank you. ([parishkccp@bbcatholic.org.au](mailto:parishkccp@bbcatholic.org.au) / 9456 2450).

#### Parish Planner ~ October to December 2025

| OCT      | Friday 31 October     | 6pm to 9pm                   | Volunteers Thanksgiving Dinner                                                                                      | St Bernard's Berowra Heights                        |
|----------|-----------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|
| NOVEMBER | Saturday 1 November   |                              | All Saints Day<br>9am Morning Mass                                                                                  | St Patrick's Asquith                                |
|          | Sunday 2 November     |                              | All Soul's Day will be celebrated at the Vigil Mass on Saturday 1 November, and the day Masses of Sunday 2 November | St Patrick's Asquith & St Bernard's Berowra Heights |
|          | Sunday 2 November     | 9am                          | Annual Parish Remembrance Mass                                                                                      | St Bernard's Berowra Heights                        |
|          | Sunday 2 November     | 10am                         | Annual Parish Remembrance Mass                                                                                      | St Patrick's Asquith                                |
|          | Sunday 23 November    | after 8am Mass and 10am Mass | Children's Choir Vinnies Cake Stall                                                                                 | St Patrick's Asquith                                |
| DECEMBER | Thursday 11 December  | 5.30pm                       | Graduation Mass                                                                                                     | St Patrick's Asquith                                |
|          | Friday 12 December    | 7.30pm                       | Taizé Evening (Advent)                                                                                              | St Patrick's Asquith                                |
|          | Monday 15 December    | 6pm                          | Graduation Mass                                                                                                     | St Bernard's Berowra Heights                        |
|          | Wednesday 17 December | 7:30pm                       | Parish Christmas Carols                                                                                             | St Bernard's Berowra Heights                        |
|          | Thursday 18 December  | 7.30 pm                      | 2nd Rite Reconciliation                                                                                             | St Bernard's Berowra Heights                        |
|          | Wednesday 24 December |                              | Christmas Eve Masses                                                                                                |                                                     |
|          | Thursday 25 December  |                              | Christmas Day Masses                                                                                                |                                                     |
|          |                       |                              |                                                                                                                     |                                                     |



**Samaritans Purse ~ Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes** have arrived and are available at the back of both St Patrick's and St Bernard's Churches. Boxes can be returned to either church, the parish office or Louise Dryden's home. Please call Louise on 0405 556 887 for details of her address. **The date to return the Boxes is very early this year so please bring them back by Friday, 14th November** to ensure they can be taken to the depot for distribution in time for Christmas.

Thank you as always for your support, Louise.

| THIS WEEK'S DAILY READINGS - Ordinary Time - Year C |                                                                               | Next Sunday's Readings: 2/11 - All Souls Day | Ku-ring-gai Chase Parish Remembers & offers Prayers for...                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
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| <b>Monday 27/10</b>                                 | Romans 8:12-17 Luke 13:10-17                                                  | <b>1st Reading:</b>                          | <b>Recently Deceased:</b> Graham Weir, Mary Burns, Joy Mustey, Joe Pereira, Irene Buckley                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| <b>Tuesday 28/10</b>                                | <b>Feast ~ Sts Simon &amp; Jude, apostles</b><br>Eph 2:19-22 Luke 6:12-19     | Wisdom 3:1-9                                 | <b>Anniversary:</b> Nancy Gomez, Stanley Gomez, Patrick O'Halloran, Mary Jack, Mary Ann & Michael Weir                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| <b>Wed/day 29/10</b>                                | Romans 8:26-30 Luke 13:22-30                                                  | <b>Psalms:</b> 26:1, 4, 7-9, 13-14           | <b>Prayers for the sick:</b> Chirs Enright, Marion Porter, Bozena Maria, James Maguire, Warren Beacom, Millie Wong, Ruth Carlos, Bill Holmes, Margaret Hawkins, Cita Del Rio, Pat Bowden, Patrick Dorahy, Nora Carrigan, Georgina Hughes, Chichi Datoc, Roger Okell, Rey Hilario, Paul Lam, Louise Tong, Sosefo Ali, Jonathan Thew. |
| <b>Thursday 30/10</b>                               | Romans 8:31-39 Luke 13:31-35                                                  | <b>2nd Reading:</b>                          |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| <b>Friday 31/10</b>                                 | Romans 9:1-5 Luke 14:1-6                                                      | 1 Thess 4:13-18                              |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| <b>Saturday 1/11</b>                                | <b>Solemnity ~ ALL SAINTS</b><br>Rev 7:2-4, 9-14 1 Jn 3:1-3<br>Matthew 5:1-12 | <b>Gospel:</b><br>John 11:21-27              |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |



**Social Seniors of KCCP**  
meet **Twice** per month on  
**Saturday afternoons between 3pm and 4.30pm.** Please join us  
@ **SBB** on the **2nd Saturday** &  
@ **SPA** on the **4th Saturday**  
Enquiries: Jerome Gomez on 0406 477 349.



**Children's Liturgy: St Patrick's Asquith: 1st & 3rd Sunday of month.**  
Pre K-Year 6 children are invited to come along during school terms to hear the Word of God in a way they understand. Sessions run for approx. 20 mins. in the first half of Mass. *Parents welcome. Facilitators have WWCC's.* Contact Chris V: E: hushh@hotmail.com



**KCCP 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: 94827935 E: stpatschoir@gmail.com; W: bbcatholic.org.au/kccp/groups-ministries/music-ministry for details.

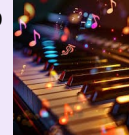


**Welcome to our Faith Family & Baptism Congratulations to Vaeluagaomatagi Alaataoa - Milford & Levi Milford**  
who is to be baptised next week.  
Please keep them, their parents & Godparents in your prayers.



**Would you consider being a Sponsor?**  
There are currently a number of enquirers pursuing a path to becoming Catholic. Each enquirer needs a sponsor to accompany them. There are few requirements - a sponsor needs to be Catholic, over 16 yrs of age, confirmed and practising their faith. If you would like to add your name to a list of possible sponsors, please call or text Sue who will explain the role further - 0400 300 598

**Music Ministry** - We invite parishioners to support the purchase of new keyboards for **St Patrick's** and **St Bernard's**. Your generosity will help our music ministry continue to inspire and uplift our community in prayer and song.



**Thank you for your support. Fr Biju - OSH PP**

**ST VINCENT DE PAUL - ASQUITH CONFERENCE**  
**2026 Columban Art Calendars** are available for \$10 at the back of St Patrick's Church and at the Piety Stall at St Bernard's. All proceeds support those in need in our parish and the Columban Missions. Vinnies Christmas cards will be available soon. Please place payment in the box provided. Many thanks for your support - Les Fogden - 0414 947 640



**Formation Day**

All Clergy, Senior Servers and Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion are invited to join **Bishop Anthony** for a special **Formation Day** following the release of his new Pastoral Letter *The Mystery of Faith: Encountering Jesus Christ in the Eucharist*  
**Saturday 1 November**  
**10am - 1pm**  
**Caroline Chisholm Centre, Pennant Hills**  
To register: <https://forms.office.com/r/7tsmzaCRPh>

**The 250 Club**  
Week 14 ~ 20/10/25;  
Amount: \$25;  
Number 932; Winner; *unfinancial!*

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**Sunday 7am to 2pm**  
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