



Catholic Parish of Warringah

Diocese of Broken Bay, NSW— Scalabrinian Fathers

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2099, N.S.W.

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2099, N.S.W.

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18th February 2024 : — First Sunday of Lent Year B

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St Kevin's Church

Weekday Masses:

Mon-Sat:8:30am (Holy Rosary 8am) , Friday
12 Noon

Week-end Mass Times

Saturday Vigil: 6pm

Sunday: 8am; 9.15am, 10.30am (in Italian);
6pm

Filipino Mass: 1st Sunday of the month

4pm & 3rd Sunday of the Month 11.45am -
in Tagalog

Mass in Spanish : 1st & 3rd Saturday at 4pm

Brazilian Mass : 2nd & Last Saturday at 4pm.

Every 4th Sunday:

Chaplaincy Youth Mass at 6.00 pm

Reconciliation: Saturday: 9am

Cenacle of Prayer:

Wednesday after the 8.30am Mass

Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus

First Fridays of the month: 7pm Mass

Eucharistic Adoration:

Fridays after 8.30am Mass till 11.45am

Legion of Mary: Every Thursday at 2pm

Divine Mercy :3rd Friday at 7pm

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena:

Every Wednesday at 7.00pm except 1st
Wednesday (Novena Mass is every 1st
Wednesday at 7pm)

St John the Apostle Church

Weekday Masses: Tuesday—Saturday:

9.30am (Holy Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet
9.00am)

Week-end Mass Times

Saturday Vigil: 5pm

Sunday: 8am & 10am (Rosary at 9.30am)

Reconciliation: Saturday: following the
9.30am Mass

EucharisticAdoration:Monday7pm–8pm

1st Saturday 8:45am: Devotion &
Consecration to the Immaculate Heart of
Mary (prayers for Souls in Purgatory)



Jesus shared our human nature in all things but sin. Expanding this affirmation, the Epistle to the Hebrews states, that in Jesus, 'we have one who in every respect has been tested as we are, yet without sin'— a truth graphically illustrated in the Gospel accounts of Jesus' confrontation with Satan during the forty days he spent in the wilderness before proclaiming his mission. 'The time is fulfilled,' he said to the Galileans, 'and the kingdom is not from this world', as Jesus assured Pontius Pilate, it is 'among us' here and now. The beginning of Lent is a good time to reflect on these texts.

Pauls' advice is: 'Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your minds, so that you may discern what is the will of God— what is good and acceptable and perfect'.

***Your ways, O Lord, are love and truth to those
who keep your covenant.***

Mass Intentions for the Week

St. John's, Narraweena :

Saturday	5.00pm	17	
Sunday	8.00am	18	Dec Tony Fuda, Francesco & Thomas Valentino, Bruno & Carmela Raso, Pasquale & Maria Valentino, Giuseppe Maruca, Antonio Fellamo
	10.00am		Special intention for Gabby Vasica (for recovery from illness)
Tuesday	9.30am	20	Dec Tony Fuda (18th Anniv)
Wednesday	9.30am	21	
Thursday	9.30am	22	The Chair of St Peter
Friday	9.30am	23	
Saturday	9.30am	24	

St. Kevin's, Dee Why :

Saturday	6pm	17	
Sunday	8.00am	18	
	9.15am		Dec Tom O'Connell
	10.30am		Dec Giuseppe Frisina (6th Anniv)
	6.00pm		Dec Rosario Mauro, Concetta Panucci, Rocco Panucci
Monday	8.30am	19	Dec Tony Fuda (18th Anniv)
Tuesday	8.30am	20	Dec Claudia Bertuol
	10.30am		Funeral Mass for Raffaele Butera
Wednesday	8.30am	21	
Thursday	8.30am	22	The Chair of St Peter
Friday	8.30am	23	
	12 Noon		
Saturday	8.30am	24	



The next Baptism Workshop will take place on Wednesday 13th March at 7pm. Please email the office on warringahparish@bbcatholic.org.au for more information and to book a place.

Diocesan Lenten Program . Copies of the Diocesan Lenten Program will be available this weekend. The 2024 Lenten Program focuses on the Sunday Gospel Reading and follows a similar structure to previous diocesan Lenten programmes. The Program will allow for personal use or in a small group.

World Day of Prayer 2024.

Will take place in St David's Uniting Church, 3 St David , Ave, Dee Why on Friday 8th March at 10am. Please contact Judy Annear on 9982 2017 for more information.



Project Compassion 2024

Caritas boxes are now available at the back of both churches.

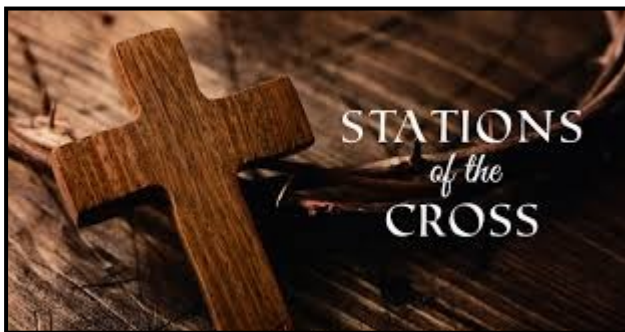
Serra Club – Vocations Mass & Dinner Meeting Thursday, 22 February

Fr David Ranson, Vicar General and Parish Priest of Chatswood Parish, will celebrate Mass for Serra at Our Lady of Dolours Church in Chatswood on Thursday, February 22nd, 2024.

The evening will begin with Mass at 6:00 PM, followed by a light meal and a brief meeting in the Magnificat Room, located directly across Kirk Street from the Church. Following the meeting, Father David will be our guest speaker. Everyone is welcome. Please "come and see."

Please remember to pray daily for vocations to the priesthood, diaconate, the consecrated life, ecclesial women, all seminarians, novices, and for the perseverance of existing vocations.

For catering purposes, kindly contact Henry or Anna Leung at 0478 083 116 or email hen-rywk@yahoo.com.au, or contact Terry Scanlan at 0438 887 295 or email terry_scanlan@bigpond.com if you plan to attend.



Stations of the Cross

Will take place each Friday in Lent before the morning Masses.

In St Kevin's : on Friday mornings at 8am
In St John's : on Friday mornings at 9am

National Safeguarding Audit

If any parishioner is currently in a child related ministry (senior server/ Acolyte, Catechist, Children's ministries eg, choirs, liturgies) , please provide the Parish Office you current or updated WWCC Numbers.

The Parish will soon be audited and penalties are extensive. Thank you for your assistance in this very important matter.

PARISH NEWS/EVENTS



Something to think about ...

Immediately after his Baptism and the affirmation of his mission "the Spirit drove Jesus" into the wilderness. It was seen as a place of testing, but it was also where God could be found.

Lord, give us the Spirit to help us to recognise the challenging aspects of living out our Baptism, so that we are not complacent.

FEDERAZIONE CATTOLICA ITALIANA VIA CRUCIS IN ITALIANO,

Venerdi sera alle 6 pm e continua tutti i Venerdi fino a Pasqua.

TESSERAMENTO

Il tesseramento della Federazione Cattolica Italiana sara' celebrato Domenica 3 Marzo.

I membri sono invitati di confermare la loro intenzione di rinnovare il loro impegno con Angela. **80680651**

NUOVI MEMBRI BENVENUTI



Rite of Election | Sunday 18 February | Our Lady of the Rosary Cathedral

The Rite of Election will be celebrated by Bishop Anthony this Sunday at Our Lady of the Rosary Cathedral. Catechumens from across the Diocese will be presented to Bishop Anthony and enrolled into the list of the Elect for the Sacraments of Initiation at Easter. Clergy of the Diocese, Parish RCIA Teams and all parishioners are warmly invited to attend this joyous occasion, and in particular, prayerful support for Catechumens in this significant step of their RCIA journey.

Congratulations to Ryan, Angel, Kirra, Paul, Anthony & Jeanette. The Candidates will be accompanied by Fr Jose & Mary Baldwin.

Mercy Catholic College Chatswood welcomes prospective students and families to our College Open Day on Sunday 3rd March 10am - 1pm.

Take part in a guided tour of school facilities including our New Technology and Applied Studies Lab. JOIN OUR PRINCIPAL'S ADDRESS:

10:15am, 11:15am, 12:15pm

Register your interest today! <https://bit.ly/3poSAW/>

Mater Maria College: Open day

Join us for our Open Day on Tuesday 5 March between 4.00pm - 7.00pm – all are welcome. We are currently accepting applications for Year 7, 2026 – applications close on Friday 12 April. We are also accepting applications for 2027.

There is a waitlist for those students that are currently in Year 6 for Year 7, 2025 and all Year Groups for 2024.

Please visit the College website

www.matermaria.nsw.edu.au/enrolments for a prospectus, Enrolment Application form or for more information. Applications for Year 7, 2026 close on Friday 12 April 2024

STELLA MARIS COLLEGE, Manly 2024 OPEN EVENING

Wednesday 13th March from 4pm-7.30pm.



To increase awareness in the Catholic Community of Broken Bay regarding Wills and how to include a charitable gift to the Church (the Diocese or a Parish), our Diocese is promoting a new Community Wills and Elder Law Seminar, with a specialist solicitor, Cecilia Castle from Castle Lawyers, who has offered to be the guest speaker for 2024. She is an active Catholic, resident of Broken Bay and regular columnist on legal matters. All welcome across the Diocese.

Date: Tuesday 12 March 2024, 10.30am-12.30pm

Venue: Fr Harry Davis Room, Building 2, Level 8 at the Caroline Chisholm Centre (CCC), 423 Pennant Hills Road, Pennant Hills, NSW 2120.

Speaker: Cecilia Castle, principal of Castle Lawyers

Registration: <https://www.trybooking.com/CPGPL>

For more information contact Nicolas Duran, Development and Relationships Manager on nico-las.duran@bbcatholic.org.au / 02 8379 1664.



Rosters Next Week: 2nd Sunday of Lent

St Kevin's Cleaning Team : D

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Entrance Antiphon

When he calls on me, I will answer him: I will deliver him and give him glory, I will grant him length of days.

First Reading

Genesis 9:8-15

A reading from the book of Genesis. God spoke to Noah and his sons, 'See, I establish my Covenant with you, and with your descendants after you; also with every living creature to be found with you, birds, cattle and every wild beast with you: everything that came out of the ark, everything that lives on the earth. I establish my Covenant with you: nothing of flesh shall be swept away again by the waters of the flood. There shall be no flood to destroy the earth again.' God said, 'Here is the sign of the Covenant I make between myself and you and every living creature with you for all generations: I set my bow in the clouds and it shall be a sign of the Covenant between me and the earth. When I gather the clouds over the earth and the bow appears in the clouds, I will recall the Covenant between myself and you and every living creature of every kind. And so the waters shall never again become a flood to destroy all things of flesh.'

The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 24:4-9

R. Your ways, O Lord, are love and truth, to those who keep your covenant.

Lord, make me know your ways.
Lord, teach me your paths.
Make me walk in your truth, and teach me: for you are God my saviour. **R.**

Remember your mercy, Lord, and the love you have shown from of old.

In your love remember me, because of your goodness, O Lord. **R.**

The Lord is good and upright. He shows the path to those who stray, he guides the humble in the right path; he teaches his way to the poor. **R.**

Second Reading

1 Peter 3:18-22

A reading from the first letter of St Peter. Christ himself, innocent though he was, died once for sins, died for the guilty, to lead us to God. In the body he was put to death, in the spirit he was raised to life, and, in the spirit, he went to preach to the spirits in prison. Now it was long ago, when Noah was still building that ark which saved only a small group of eight people 'by water', and when God was still waiting patiently, that these spirits refused to believe. That water is a type of the baptism which saves you now, and which is not the washing off of physical dirt but a pledge made to God from a good conscience, through the resurrection of Jesus Christ, who has entered heaven and is at God's right hand, now that he has made the angels and Dominations and Powers his subjects.

The word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation

Matthew 4:4

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!
No one lives on bread alone, but on every word that comes from the mouth of God.
Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!

Gospel

Mark 1:12-15

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark. The Spirit drove Jesus out into the wilderness and he remained there for forty days, and was tempted by Satan.

He was with the wild beasts, and the angels looked after him. After John had been arrested, Jesus went into Galilee. There he proclaimed the Good News from God. 'The time has come' he said 'and the kingdom of God is close at hand. Repent, and believe the Good News.'

The Gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Communion Antiphon

One does not live by bread alone, but by every word that comes forth from the mouth of God.



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