



Catholic Parish of Warringah

Diocese of Broken Bay, NSW— Scalabrinian Fathers

St Kevin's Church
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2099 , N.S.W.

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1st February 2026 : — 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time : Year A

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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 11am

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 & 9.30am (Holy Rosary & Di-
vine Mercy Chaplet 9.00am)

Reconciliation: Saturday: following the

9.30am Mass

Eucharistic Adoration: Monday 7pm-8pm

1st Saturday 8:45am: Devotion &

Consecration to the Immaculate Heart of
Mary (prayers for Souls in Purgatory)



We seek God through seeking justice and peace with integrity and humility. Jesus sees the crowd and goes up a hill where he is joined by his disciples, the ones he has deliberately chosen for

God's work. Then he gives them nine rather surprising invitations to bring about change in the lives of people they encounter. The consequences may lead to strong opposition and persecution but those called to be disciples of Jesus are promised joy, gladness and an eternal reward for their efforts. Today we reflect on how we see God in our everyday life and if we truly believe that we have been chosen by God to make a difference in the life of another.

***' Happy the poor in spirit;
the kingdom of heaven is theirs '***

Mass Intentions for the Week

St. John's, Narrabeen :

Saturday	5.00pm	31	
St John Bosco			
Sunday	8.00am	1	
	9.30am		Recently dec Gaetano Nero
Tuesday	9.30am	3	
Wednesday	9.30am	4	
Thursday	9.30am	5	
St Agatha			
Friday	9.30am	6	
St Paul Miki & Companions			
Saturday	9.30am	7	

St. Kevin's, Dee Why :

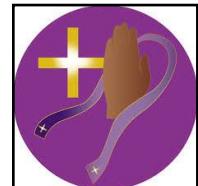
Saturday	6pm	31	
St John Bosco			
Sunday	8.00am	1	Special intentions Steve, Benjamin & Melita Talbot
	9.15am		Special intentions for healing for Donald, Xi, Susie, Vladimir and Charles.
	10.30am		Dec Anna Calabria, Antonio Caruso (1st Anniv)
	6.00pm		Dec Dominga Paz Estanislao(44th Anniv), Rec dec Antonio Sta. Clara Jnr, Marie Bashir
Monday	8.30am	2	Recently deceased Alan Newton
The Presentation of the Lord			
Tuesday	8.30am	3	
	10.30am		Funeral Mass for Fiorina Pascuzzo
Wednesday	8.30 am	4	Dec Franco Buccheri (1st Anniv)
Thursday	8.30am	5	
St Agatha			
	10.30am		Funeral Mass for Mario Nero
Friday	8.30am	6	
St Paul Miki & Companions			
	12 Noon		Dec Maria Bombardiere (Anniv)
Saturday	8.30am	7	



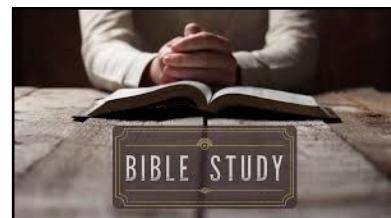
The next Baptism Workshop will take place on Wednesday 11th February at 7pm. Please email the office on warringahparish@bbcatholic.org.au for more information and to book a place.

Sacrament of Reconciliation preparation.

Our preparation program for the sacrament Reconciliation begins with the enrolment meetings on 17 February and 19 February. Children who are parishioners and have received the sacraments of Baptism and Confirmation are eligible to join this program. The program involves the child and a parent attending one of the enrolments meetings and all 4 lessons. The enrolment meeting at St Kevin's church is on 17 February at 7pm and the one at St John's is on 19 February at 7pm. If you have any questions, please contact Mary at baldwin.mary.50@gmail.com



Please join us for the **Sacred Heart Mass** on Friday 6th February at 7pm in St Kevin's Church. All welcome.



Bible Reflection with Fr Resty

Will take place on Thursday 5th February at 6.30pm in St Kevin's Lower hall . Please bring your bibles.

St Kevin's School Playgroup



Invitation for all children aged 3-5 years with their

parents/carers to participate in simple fun activities and meet other families. Term 1 dates (start time 9.15am finishes 10.30am approx.) :

Thursday 12th & Tuesday 24th February.
Thursday 12th March & Tuesday 24th March.
Registration not required.

Waves of Grace

Manly-Freshwater Women's Circle

Our mission is to build a welcoming group of Catholic women aged 20-50 who will support each other in living out their faith journey through friendship, prayer, formation and ministry

JANUARY SESSIONS



Saturday 17th January 2026

9:15AM- Mass at Mary Immaculate Church, Manly
(6 Roglan St, Manly, NSW, 2095)

10:00AM-12:00PM- Coffee and a stroll along Shelly Beach



Saturday 31st January 2026

10:30AM- Morning Tea at the Manly Parish Office (6 Roglan St, Manly, NSW, 2095)

11:00AM-12:00PM- Prayer, Input and Small Group Discussions

For more information, email mission@bbcatholic.org.au or call Geraldine (Youth Ministries Formation Lead) on 0436 946 843

PARISH NEWS/EVENTS



Ash Wednesday Masses 18th February

At St Kevin's: 8:30am, 12 Noon and 7pm.
At St John's : 9:30am and 7pm

If any parishioner has spare dried palms please can they drop them into the Parish Office or hand to any one of the Priests. We would appreciate receiving them on or before **16th February**. Thank you.

FEDERAZIONE CATTOLICA ITALIANA

FESTA DI MARIA S.S. MAMMA NOSTRA DOMENICA 8 FEBRAIO

Santa messa alle 10:30am seguita da un pranzo con vino e bibita e musica con Michael Riviera.

Costo \$50.00pp
TRIDUO Mercoledi 4, Giovedi 5 e Venerdi 6 Febraio alle 6pm.

Prennotazione con Nazzareno 0412661867 - o Marcella 0412666418 sono essenziale.

MADONNA DELLA QUERCIA.

Una Santa messa sara` celebrata Domenica 15 Febraio alle 10:30am in honore della Madonna della Quercia

Australian Catholic Historical Society | 60th Anniversary of Vatican II *Dei Verbum*

The next event for the Australian Catholic Historical Society will be held in the crypt of Saint Patrick's, Church Hill at 2:00 PM on Sunday 15 February.

The Topic: The 60th Anniversary of Vatican II *Dei Verbum* - Its influence on the history of Biblical Scholarship
Presenter: Archbishop Mark Coleridge

Members, their guests, and visitors are most welcome and there is no charge.

Details of the programme of the ACHS as well as resources on church history and YouTube videos are on the website <https://australiancatholichistoricalsociety.com.au/>



Rosters Next Week: 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Yr 8 - Monday - A week 8.55-9.50am

Yr 9 - Thursday - A week 9.50-10.45am

Yr 10 - Friday - B week 8.55-9.50am



We are blessed that this school is offering more Scripture time in 2026. Please answer the call to teach.

IF YOU FEEL THE CALL,
GOD HAS CHOSEN YOU FOR A REASON.

Contact

sueanne.sherwood@bbcatholic.org.au

All Primary Schools in your area are looking for more Catechists. What day in the week can you take an early lunch break?



Pope Leo says that when Catechists teach, their aim is not simply to pass on information about the faith but to "place the word of life in hearts, so that it may bear the fruits of a good life".



Sapientia

Single adults, 18-35 years of age, are invited to join the Dominican Friars and Sisters for this weekend retreat of prayer, formation, and fellowship.

13-15 February 2026
St Mary's Towers Retreat Centre
Douglas Park

For more information or to register:
www.trybooking.com/DHJBL
or email the Sisters at
sydney@op-tn.org



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SCRIPTURE READINGS

Entrance Antiphon

Save us, O Lord our God!
And gather us from the nations,
to give thanks to your holy name,
and make it our glory to praise you.

First Reading

Zephaniah 2:3; 3:12-13
A reading from the prophet Zephaniah.
Seek the Lord
all you, the humble of the earth,
who obey his commands.
Seek integrity,
seek humility:
you may perhaps find shelter
on the day of the anger of the Lord.
In your midst I will leave
a humble and lowly people,
and those who are left in Israel will
seek refuge in the name of the Lord.
They will do no wrong,
will tell no lies;
and the perjured tongue will no longer
be found in their mouths.
But they will be able to graze and rest
with no one to disturb them.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 145:7-10

R. Happy the poor in spirit;
the kingdom of heaven is theirs!
It is the Lord who keeps faith for ever,
who is just to those who are
oppressed.
It is he who gives bread to the hungry,
the Lord, who sets prisoners free. **R.**

It is the Lord who gives sight to the
blind, who raises up those who are
bowed down, the Lord, who protects
the stranger and upholds the widow
and orphan. **R.**

It is the Lord who loves the just
but thwarts the path of the wicked.
The Lord will reign for ever,
Zion's God, from age to age. **R.**

Second Reading

1 Corinthians 1:26-31
A reading from the first letter of St
Paul to the Corinthians.
Take yourselves, brothers, at the time
when you were called: how many of
you were wise in the ordinary sense of
the word, how many were influential
people, or came from noble families?
No, it was to shame the wise that God
chose what is foolish by human
reckoning, and to shame what is
strong that he chose what is weak by
human reckoning; those whom the
world thinks common and
contemptible are the ones that God
has chosen - those who are nothing at
all to show those who are everything.
The human race has nothing to boast
about to God, but you, God has made
members of Christ Jesus and by
God's doing he has become our
wisdom, and our virtue, and our
holiness, and our freedom. As
scripture says: if anyone wants to
boast, let him boast about the Lord.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation

Matthew 5:12

Alleluia, alleluia!
Rejoice and be glad;
Your reward will be great in heaven.
Alleluia!

Gospel

Matthew 5:1-12

A reading from the holy Gospel
according to Matthew.
Seeing the crowds, Jesus went up the
hill. There he sat down and was joined
by his disciples. Then he began to
speak. This is what he taught them:
'How happy are the poor in spirit;
theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
Happy the gentle:
they shall have the earth for their
heritage.
Happy those who mourn:
they shall be comforted.

Happy those who hunger and thirst for
what is right:

they shall be satisfied.

Happy the merciful:

they shall have mercy shown them.

Happy the pure in heart:

they shall see God.

Happy the peacemakers:

they shall be called sons of God.

Happy those who are persecuted in
the cause of right:

theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

'Happy are you when people abuse
you and persecute you and speak all
kinds of calumny against you on my
account. Rejoice and be glad, for your
reward will be great in heaven.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

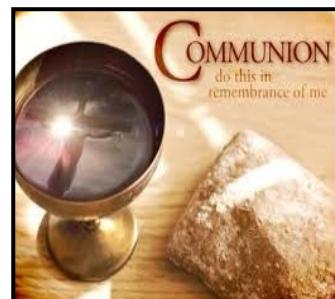
Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Communion Antiphon

Let your face shine on your servant.

Save me in your merciful love.

O Lord, let me never be put to shame,
for I call on you.




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