



Catholic Parish of Warringah

Diocese of Broken Bay, NSW— Scalabrinian Fathers

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21st September 2025 : — 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time : Year C

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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)



Today's Gospel sounds puzzling to contemporary readers, but it can be made less so by considering the economic system which stands behind the parable. A steward is dismissed because he is squandering his master's property. He is called dishonest because he is not serving the interests of the rich man, his employer. In response the steward puts aside his greed to enhance his security, which is commended by the rich man. The passage concludes with three morals for the listeners. The first exhorts the listener to be prudent about the use of wealth. Like the steward in the parable, those who would follow Jesus must put transitory affairs in proper perspective. Christians should handle the affairs of temporal life with an eye toward eternal life. The second concerns trustworthiness. Those who can be trusted in small things can also be trusted in great things. If Christians handle money and other passing things responsibly, then they can also be trusted with the affairs of the Kingdom of God. Finally, Jesus tells his listeners that no one can serve two masters simultaneously. God must be put ahead of money.

'Praise the Lord who lifts up the poor.'

Mass Intentions for the Week

St. John's, Narraweena :

Saturday 5.00pm St Andrew Kim & Companions	20	
Sunday 8.00am	21	
9.30am		Dec Silvana Servente (1st Anniv)
Tuesday 9.30am St Pius of Pietrelcina	23	
Wednesday 9.30am	24	
Thursday 9.30am	25	
Friday 9.30am	26	
Saturday 9.30am St Vincent de Paul	27	

St. Kevin's, Dee Why :

Saturday 6pm St Andrew Kim & Companions	20	
Sunday 8.00am	21	Dec Norah Watts, Zenda Joyle O'Brien
9.15am		Dec Mercury Psillakis, Private Intentions. Dec Jacinta Tabarangao, Victorino Labbutoy, Peter Austin Levy, Mercy Pacete, Norah Watts, Zenda Joyle O'Brien
10.30am		
6.00pm		Dec Jacinta Tabarangao, Victorino Labbutoy, Peter Austin Levy, Mercy Pacete, Norah Watts, Zenda Joyle O'Brien, Catherine Deveros (1st Anniv)
Monday 8.30am	22	Special Intentions Catherine Shanley, Dec Norah Watts, Zenda Joyle O'Brien
Tuesday 8.30am St Pius of Pietrelcina	23	Dec Francis Letters, Norah Watts, Zenda Joyle O'Brien
Wednesday 8.30 am	24	Dec Norah Watts, Zenda Joyle O'Brien
Thursday 8.30am	25	Dec Francesca Reale, Norah Watts, Zenda Joyle O'Brien
6.30pm		1 year Memorial Mass for Johnny Armas
Friday 8.30am	26	Dec Antonio Romeo, Norah Watts, Zenda Joyle O'Brien
12 Noon		Dec Maria Perre, Concetta Perre, Norah Watts, Zenda Joyle O'Brien
Saturday 8.30am St Vincent de Paul	27	Dec Norah Watts, Zenda Joyle O'Brien

POP LEO XIV'S PRAYER INTERVENTION FOR SEPTEMBER

FOR OUR RELATIONSHIP WITH ALL OF CREATION
Let us pray that, inspired by Saint Francis, we might experience our interdependence with all creatures who are loved by God and worthy of love and respect.



The next Baptism Workshop will take place on Wednesday 8th October at 7pm. Please email the office on warringahparish@bbcatholic.org.au for more information and to book a place.

Parking in St. Kevin's Church Driveway

Due to upcoming and painting of the roof of the Church we would be grateful if **parishioners DO NOT PARK in the Church driveway until further notice**, to allow for heavy equipment access. Thank you for your support.



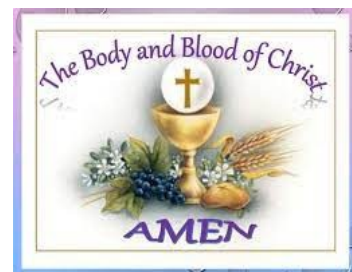
Warringah Parish: Financial Report 2024/25.

Copies of the Annual Financial report to Parishioners are available at the back of both churches this weekend.

JUBILEE OF CATECHISTS

Sept 26-28

To recognise the important role that catechists play in passing on the faith and to express our gratitude for their efforts both in the state schools and RCIA, parish Catechists are invited to gather to celebrate at the 12 noon Mass next Friday (26th) at St Kevin's.



This weekend 100 of our children completed their sacraments of initiation by receiving Eucharist for the first time. Congratulations to them and their families.

Thank you to all the group leaders who led the lessons during this important time.

PARISH NEWS/EVENTS

FEDERAZIONE CATTOLICA ITALIANA

FESTA DELLA MADONNA DI FATIMA Domenica 5 ottobre

Santa messa alle 10:30am seguita da un lunch nella sala con musica per ballare.

Le prenotazioni Angela, Maria o altri membri del comitato sono essenziali

TRIDUO – Mercoledì 1, Martedì 2 e Venerdì 3 Ottobre alle 6pm

RCIA PROGRAM 2025-26

Thank you to the candidates that attended the Information Evening last Tuesday. We appreciate your participation.

We would like to remind you that the first meeting will take place on Thursday, 9 October at St Kevin's Lower Hall at 7pm.

We look forward to seeing you there!



Support Coordination is allocated as part of a funded plan. We can support you to get the most out of your plan and help you understand how your plan works. For more information call 1800 324 924.

The **Sisters of Charity Heritage Centre** brings alive the spirit of the Congregation, its history and heritage. Australia's first religious sisters have been of service to the community regardless of creed, wealth, or ethnicity, for over 185 years. The Heritage Centre is open to the public free of charge, we offer some parking and we would love to be able to welcome your community, either as individuals or as groups. We are able to offer guided or self-guided tours, or a Sister of Charity is available for groups. Visitors can also visit the chapel and by request we can arrange a mass. There's also a Walking Tour of Sisters of Charity Heritage Centre. We invite you to explore the history of our ministries and share in the story of Australia's first religious sisters.

Open Tuesday to Thursday

10.00am-3.00pm or by appointment

Free entry and parking available

Bookings recommended

A: 1 Rockwall Cres, Potts Point

W: socheritagecentre.org.au

E: heritagecentre@rscoffice.com

P: 02 9138 0835

Formation Day for Clergy and Parish Senior Servers and Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

All Clergy, Senior Servers, and Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion are warmly 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*.

Time: 10am – 1pm

Date: Saturday 1 November

Venue: The Light of Christ Centre

This day will be a valuable time to grow together in faith, deepen our love for the Eucharist, and strengthen our service within the parish community.

Please register your attendance via email –

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SCRIPTURE READINGS

Entrance Antiphon

I am the salvation of the people, says the Lord. Should they cry to me in any distress, I will hear them, and I will be their Lord, for ever.

First Reading

Amos 8:4-7

A reading from the prophet Amos. Listen to this, you who trample on the needy and try to suppress the poor people of the country, you who say, 'When will New Moon be over so that we can sell our corn, and sabbath, so that we can market our wheat? Then by lowering the bushel, raising the shekel, by swindling and tampering with the scales, we can buy up the poor for money, and the needy for a pair of sandals, and get a price even for the sweepings of the wheat.' The Lord swears it by the pride of Jacob, 'Never will I forget a single thing you have done.'

The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 112:1-2, 4-8

R. Praise the Lord who lifts up the poor.

Praise, O servants of the Lord, praise the name of the Lord! May the name of the Lord be blessed both now and for evermore! **R.** High above all nations is the Lord, above the heavens his glory. Who is like the Lord, our God, who has risen on high to his throne yet stoops from the heights to look down, to look down upon heaven and earth? **R.** From the dust he lifts up the lowly, from the dunghill he raises the poor to set him in the company of princes, yes, with the princes of his people. **R.**

Second Reading

1 Timothy 2:1-8

A reading from the first letter of St Paul to Timothy.

My advice is that, first of all, there should be prayers offered for everyone - petitions, intercessions and thanksgiving - and especially for kings and others in authority, so that we may be able to live religious and reverent lives in peace and quiet. To do this is right, and will please God our saviour: he wants everyone to be saved and reach full knowledge of the truth. For there is only one God, and there is only one mediator between God and mankind, himself a man, Christ Jesus, who sacrificed himself as a ransom for them all. He is the evidence of this, sent at the appointed time, and I have been named a herald and apostle of it and - I am telling the truth and no lie - a teacher of the faith and the truth to the pagans.

In every place, then, I want the men to lift their hands up reverently in prayer, with no anger or argument.

The word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation

2 Corinthians 8:9

Alleluia, alleluia!

Jesus Christ was rich but he became poor, to make you rich out of his poverty. Alleluia!

Gospel

Luke 16:1-13

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke.

Jesus said to his disciples, 'There was a rich man and he had a steward who was denounced to him for being wasteful with his property. He called for the man and said, "What is this I hear about you? Draw me up an account of your stewardship because you are not to be my steward any longer." Then the steward said to himself, "Now that my master is taking the stewardship from me, what am I to do? Dig? I am not strong enough. Go begging? I should be too ashamed.

Ah, I know what I will do to make sure that when I am dismissed from office there will be some to welcome me into their homes."

'Then he called his master's debtors one by one. To the first he said, "How much do you owe my master?" "One hundred measures of oil" was the reply. The steward said, "Here, take your bond; sit down straight away and write fifty." To another he said, "And you, sir, how much do you owe?" "One hundred measures of wheat" was the reply. The steward said, "Here, take your bond and write eighty."

'The master praised the dishonest steward for his astuteness. For the children of this world are more astute in dealing with their own kind than are the children of light.

'And so I tell you this: use money, tainted as it is, to win you friends, and thus make sure that when it fails you, they will welcome you into the tents of eternity. The man who can be trusted in little things can be trusted in great; the man who is dishonest in little things will be dishonest in great. If then you cannot be trusted with money, that tainted thing, who will trust you with genuine riches? And if you cannot be trusted with what is not yours, who will give you what is your very own?

'No servant can be the slave of two masters: he will either hate the first and love the second, or treat the first with respect and the second with scorn. You cannot be the slave both of God and of money.'

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

Communion Antiphon

You have laid down your precepts to be carefully kept: may my ways be firm in keeping your statutes.





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