



Catholic Parish of Warringah

Diocese of Broken Bay, NSW— Scalabrinian Fathers

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2099, N.S.W.

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21st June 2026 : — 12th 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 Friday after 12 Noon
Mass

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)



In between last week's reading and today's reading, Jesus has predicted that the disciples will face difficulties in their mission. Today's Gospel offers the disciples consolation against this difficult truth. The disciples of Jesus are called upon to keep their focus on God. Those who can harm the body do not have ultimate power; God does. Still persecution and suffering cannot be avoided or prevented. But Jesus reassures his disciples that God knows and cares about what happens to his children.

We might not face the same type of persecution, but we do experience difficulties as we endeavour to live a Christian life. Sometimes we let the opinions of others prevent us from doing what we know to be right. We need the reminder that what God thinks about us is more important. We are reassured by the promise that God cares for us and protects us.

"Lord, in your great love, answer me."

Mass Intentions for the Week

St. John's, Narraweena :

Saturday	5.00pm	20	Dec Carmen Pasqual, Bill & Betty Williams, all deceased family, friends and benefactors of the Williams family, Fr Davey, Fr Lauro & Fr Chris Riley, Theresa Menezes
Sunday	8.00am	21	Dec Theresa Menezes, Angelo & Johnny Vescio
	9.30am		Dec Theresa Menezes, Angelo & Johnny
Tuesday	9.30am	23	Dec Theresa Menezes
Wednesday	9.30am	24	Dec Theresa Menezes
Nativity of St John the Baptist			
Thursday	9.30am	25	Dec Theresa Menezes
Friday	9.30am	26	Dec Theresa Menezes
Saturday	9.30am	27	Dec Theresa Menezes

St. Kevin's, Dee Why :

Saturday	6pm	20	Dec Luke and Arthur Allen (Anniv)
Sunday	8.00am	21	Dec Claudia Bertuol (Anniv), Patricia Ritson (Anniv), Ritson Family Members, James & Anne Doyle & family
	9.15am		Dec Leon Rancic, Berta Rancic, Sam Ivancev, Teresa Ivancev
	10.30am		Dec Vince Azzolina (6th Anniv), Angelo & Johnny Vescio
	6.00pm		Dec Teodoro Punzalan
Monday	8.30am	22	Dec Teodoro Punzalan
Sts John Fisher & Thomas More			
Tuesday	8.30am	23	Dec Reynaldo Dizon Sr, Teodoro Punzalan
	6pm		Memorial Mass for Benedetto Andrea
Wednesday	8.30 am	24	Dec Teodoro Punzalan
Nativity of St John the Baptist			
Thursday	8.30am	25	Dec Francesca Reale, Claudia Bertuol (Anniv)
Friday	8.30am	26	Dec Antonio Romeo, Claudia Bertuol (Anniv)
	12 Noon		
Saturday	8.30am	27	

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- Parish Giving (**2nd collection**) Funds for the running of the Parish
 - Clergy Giving (**1st collection**) Supports our Priests



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

Cake Sale

Sacred Heart of Jesus Medical Mission Australia (SHOJMOA) will be having our scheduled cake sale (every 3rd Sunday of the month) on the 28th of June 2026. Join us for a joyful day of fellowship, community, and delicious treats at our Bake Goodies Fundraiser!

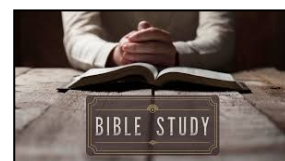
□ **Time:** 8:00 a.m.-11:30 a.m. □ Come and enjoy:

- Homemade rice cakes and breads
- Pie slices & sweet treats

A warm, welcoming community atmosphere. All proceeds will support **Sacred Heart of Jesus Medical Outreach Australia**, helping us continue our work and service.

□ Your support makes a meaningful difference — bring your family, friends, and neighbours! *"Give, and it will be given to you."* – Luke 6:38 Thank you for all your support.

The next Bible Class with Fr Resty will take place on **Thursday 25th June at 6.30pm** in St Kevin's Church.



FEDERAZIONE CATTOLICA ITALIANA

FESTA DI ST. GIOVANNI BATTISTA

Una santa messa in onore di San Giovanni Battista si terrà Domenica il 28 Giugno alle 10-30 in St Kevins church, seguita da un pranzo a buffet al **THE FAR POST, 101 South Creek Rd, Cromer**.

Le prenotazioni con Concetta 0410987932 -o Lina 0429311221 sono essenziali poiché i posti sono limitati. Costo \$55.00 pp pagabile in anticipo.

Working with Children Week will be held from **22-28 June 2026**, with this year's theme **Start Safe: smarter recruitment for child safety**.

The week is a timely reminder that child safety begins before someone starts in a role. While the Working with Children Check remains an important requirement, child-safe practice also includes thoughtful recruitment, clear role expectations, meaningful referee checks, induction, supervision, training and ongoing support. Parishes, agencies, schools and ministries are encouraged to use Working with Children Week as an opportunity to reflect on how people are welcomed, prepared and supported in child-related roles, including volunteers.



Rosters Next Week: 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

St Kevin's Cleaning Team : D

PARISH NEWS/EVENTS

Accompanying in Hope.

Clergy, Parish Teams, Parish Bereavement teams, Ministers of the Sick, and all interested parishioners are invited to attend this Formation Day. *Accompanying in Hope* offers a liturgical and pastoral exploration of the Church's ministry of accompaniment in times of illness, death, and grief. Participants will deepen their understanding of the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick, the Church's Funeral Rites, and the ministry of compassionate accompaniment of the bereaved.

Date: Saturday 27 June 2026

Time: 9:30am – 3pm

Venue: Caroline Chisholm Centre, Pennant Hills

Presenters: Fr Alex Peter Selvaraj MSFS, Chris Ohlsen and Libby McManus

Register: [Liturgical Formation Day: Accompanying in Hope](#)

Singing Up Country | Aboriginal And Torres Strait Islander Music Festival And Community Spirit Event | 5 July 2026 | Terrey Hills.

Join proud Yaegl musician Michael Birk and friends for the 12th Annual Singing Up Country at St Anthony in the Fields, Terrey Hills. This much-loved community event celebrates Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander culture, music, belonging, and care for Country. The afternoon begins at 3.30pm with a free guided walk through the regenerating bushland cared for by the Kieran's Creek Landcare Group, followed by a Smoking Ceremony at 4.00pm and an evening of music featuring Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander artists from across Sydney. A soup supper and Aboriginal art raffle are included.

Date: Sunday 5 July 2026

Time: 3.30pm–8.30pm

Venue: St Anthony in the Fields Church, 46 Myoora Road, Terrey Hills

Tickets: Adults \$50 | Concession \$40 | Under 15 Free

Bookings: www.trybooking.com/DMMRZ

Hosted by the Frenchs Forest Parish Social Justice Group.

Vox Populi

Archbishop Anthony Randazzo will leave the Diocese next week to take up his appointment as Prefect of the Dicastery for Legislative Texts in Rome, ending more than six years of shepherding the Diocese of Broken Bay.

The past six years have been defined by strong pastoral consultation, new pastoral initiatives, a surge in vocations and a renewed focus on Catholic education within the Diocese.

While we share in the joy of Archbishop Anthony's appointment to the Holy See, we also experience the loss of our shepherd.

We thank him for his many years of generous service and leadership in our Diocese, guiding the faithful through the COVID-19 pandemic and out the other side, while also ensuring a strong future for Broken Bay across the life of the Church for the years to come.

On Thursday, 25th June, Archbishop Anthony's time as Apostolic Administrator of the Diocese will come to an end.

On Friday, 26th June, the College of Consultors will meet to elect a Diocesan Administrator who will oversee the day-to-day running of the Diocese until a new Bishop is appointed.

While it is hoped the vacancy will not be extensive, we pray the Holy Father will appoint a good and faithful shepherd to guide the Diocese over the next few years. May God bless Archbishop Anthony in his new ministry. Our prayers will go with him as he serves the Church as Prefect of the Dicastery for Legislative Texts as faithfully and diligently as he has served the People of God in Broken Bay.

Arrivederci!

Recycling Fundraiser

Our recycling fundraiser for Pastoral Works Fund has now restarted. Please drop off your recyclable drink bottles, cans & cartons to St Kevin's Church for conversion to cash. Thank you for your assistance.



Planned Giving Envelopes will be available to collect next weekend from the back of both Churches. Thank you for your continued financial support to the Parish.

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SCRIPTURE READINGS

Entrance Antiphon

The Lord is the strength of his people, a saving refuge for the one he has anointed. Save your people, Lord, and bless your heritage, and govern them for ever.

First Reading

Jeremiah 20:10-13

A reading from the prophet Jeremiah. Jeremiah said:

I hear so many disparaging me, "Terror from every side!"

Denounce him! Let us denounce him!

All those who used to be my friends watched for my downfall, 'Perhaps he will be seduced into error. Then we will master him and take our revenge!'

But the Lord is at my side, a mighty hero; my opponents will stumble, mastered, confounded by their failure; everlasting, unforgettable disgrace will be theirs.

But you, Lord of Hosts, you who probe with justice, who scrutinise the loins and heart, let me see the vengeance you will take on them, for I have committed my cause to you.

Sing to the Lord, praise the Lord, for he has delivered the soul of the needy from the hands of evil men.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 68:8-10, 14, 17, 33-35

R. Lord, in your great love, answer me.

It is for you that I suffer taunts, that shame covers my face, that I have become a stranger to my brothers, an alien to my own mother's sons.

I burn with zeal for your house and taunts against you fall on me. **R.**

This is my prayer to you, my prayer for your favour.

In your great love, answer me, O God, with your help that never fails:

Lord, answer, for your love is kind; in your compassion, turn towards me. **R.**

The poor when they see it will be glad and God-seeking hearts will revive; for the Lord listens to the needs and does not spurn servants in their chains.

Let the heavens and the earth give him praise, the sea and all its living creatures. **R.**

Second Reading

Romans 5:12-15

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Romans.

Sin entered the world through one man, and through sin death, and thus death has spread through the whole human race because everyone has sinned. Sin existed in the world long before the Law was given. There was no law and so no one could be accused of the sin of 'law-breaking', yet death reigned over all from Adam to Moses, even though their sin, unlike that of Adam, was not a matter of breaking a law.

Adam prefigured the One to come, but the gift itself considerably outweighed the fall. If it is certain that through one man's fall so many died, it is even more certain that divine grace, coming through the one man, Jesus Christ, came to so many as an abundant free gift.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation

John 15:26, 27

Alleluia, alleluia!

The Spirit of Truth will bear witness to me, says the Lord, and you also will be my witnesses. Alleluia!

Gospel

Matthew 10:26-33

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew.

Jesus instructed the Twelve as follows: 'Do not be afraid. For everything that is now covered will be uncovered, and everything now hidden will be made clear. What I say to you in the dark, tell in the daylight; what you hear in whispers, proclaim from the house-tops.

'Do not be afraid of those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul; fear him rather who can destroy both body and soul in hell. Can you not buy two sparrows for a penny? And yet not one falls to the ground without your Father knowing. Why, every hair on your head has been counted. So there is no need to be afraid; you are worth more than hundreds of sparrows.

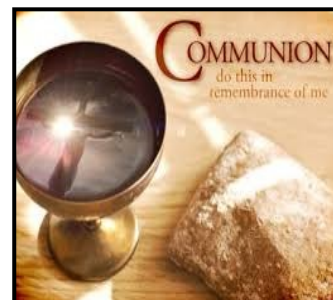
'So if anyone declares himself for me in the presence of men, I will declare myself for him in the presence of my Father in heaven. But the one who disowns me in the presence of men, I will disown in the presence of my Father in heaven.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Communion Antiphon

The eyes of all look to you, Lord, and you give them their food in due season.




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