



# Catholic Parish of Warringah

Diocese of Broken Bay, NSW— Scalabrinian Fathers

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

**St John the Apostle Church**  
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2099, N.S.W.

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**24th March 2024 : Palm Sunday 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:** 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month

**4pm & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the Month 11.45am -**  
in Tagalog

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

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

**Every 4<sup>th</sup> 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)



The readings for Palm Sunday remind us that God's ways are not our ways, and that sometimes we must be willing to let go of our own expectations and trust in God's plan. Jesus' death on the cross was not the end, but rather the beginning of a new hope and a new life. It was through his sacrifice that we are saved, and it is through our own willingness to surrender our own desires and follow him that we can experience true freedom and salvation.

May we be willing to let go of our own expectations and desires, and follow Jesus with faith and courage, even when the road ahead seems uncertain or difficult.

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***'My God, my God, why have you abandoned me?'***

## Mass Intentions for the Week

### St. John's, Narraweena :

<b>Saturday</b>	5.00pm	<b>23</b>	
<b>Sunday</b>	8.00am	<b>24</b>	Dec Otto, Francis Rainey, John Hackett
	10.00am		
<b>Tuesday</b>	9.30am	<b>26</b>	Dec Giuditta Fuda (100th Bday)
<b>Wednesday</b>	9.30am	<b>27</b>	
<b>Thursday</b>	9.30am	<b>28</b>	No Mass - Holy Thursday
<b>Friday</b>	9.30am	<b>29</b>	No Mass - Good Friday
<b>Saturday</b>	9.30am	<b>30</b>	No Mass - Holy Saturday

### St. Kevin's, Dee Why :

<b>Saturday</b>	6pm	<b>23</b>	
<b>Sunday</b>	8.00am	<b>24</b>	
	9.15am		
	10.30am		Dec Grace Rossi, Giuseppe, Maria, Pietro, Antonio Mastroianni, membri defunti della famiglia Mastroianni, Tomaso Vescio, Rosa, Maria, Angelo & John Vescio, membri defunti della famiglia Vescio, Carmela & Bruno Raso, Giuseppe Maruca, Tomasina & Ernesto Maruca, Frank & Thomas Valentino, Giovanna & Gennaro Calci, Grazia Raso, Mark Lazaga, Tomaso Cuda, Giovanna, Bruno & Achille Calabria, Francesco Pugliese, Giuseppe Curcillo, Angelina Gualdi, Gianni Gualdi, Rosa Agresta, Carmelo Agresta
	6.00pm		
<b>Monday</b>	8.30am	<b>25</b>	Dec Francesca Reale. Rec decd Carol Macintosh
<b>Tuesday</b>	8.30am	<b>26</b>	Dec Antonio Romeo
<b>Wednesday</b>	8.30am	<b>27</b>	Dec Flora Roperti
<b>Thursday</b>	8.30am	<b>28</b>	No Mass - Holy Thursday
<b>Friday</b>	8.30am	<b>29</b>	No Mass - Good Friday
	12 Noon		No Mass - Good Friday
<b>Saturday</b>	8.30am	<b>30</b>	No Mass - Holy Saturday

### Holy Land Collection

The annual collection for the support of the church in the Holy Land will take place on **Good Friday, March 29th**. The collection promotes missionary work and provides welfare assistance to local Christians in health, education, employment, housing and orphanages. Please remember in your prayers the Christian people of the Holy Land on Good Friday. Thank you for your donation.



HOLY LAND COMMISSARIAT

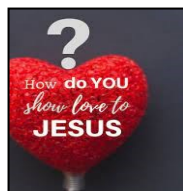
### Mass of The Last Supper.

Parishioners are invited to volunteer for the "Washing of the Feet" during Mass on Holy Thursday 28th March at 7.30pm in St Kevin's Church. Please contact the Parish Office if you can assist.



### Something to think about ..

Jesus chose to die in order to give life to the very human beings who condemned and killed him. Jesus came to reunite humanity to God, so he took the sins of humanity upon himself. He offered love and God's friendship which was repaid by violence and contempt. He endured it all for the love of each and everyone of us. How do we show our love for Jesus ?



Please email the office on [warringahparish@bbcatholic.org.au](mailto:warringahparish@bbcatholic.org.au) for more information on Baptisms and to book a place at the next Baptism Workshop.



### Easter Mass Schedule 2024

#### Holy Thursday 28th March

**No Morning Masses.**

Mass of The Last Supper :

At St John's : 7.30pm, followed by Adoration.

At St Kevin's : 7.30pm, followed by Adoration.

#### Good Friday 29th March

**No Morning Masses .**

Stations of the Cross at 10am in St. John's followed by Confessions.

Ecumenical Stations of the Cross from St Kevin's Church to Dee Why Beach at 11am, followed by Confessions.

The Passion of the Lord:

At St John's : 3pm

At St Kevin's : 3pm

#### Holy Saturday 30th March

**No Morning Masses.**

Easter Vigil:

At St. John's : 7.30pm

At St Kevin's : 7.30pm

#### Easter Sunday : 31st March

Masses at St John's : 8am & 10am.

Masses at St Kevin's : 8am, 9.15am, 10.30am ( Italian ) & 6pm.

### Easter Mass Intentions.

Please have your Easter Mass Intentions handed into the Parish Office or emailed, by Tuesday 26th March, so they can be included in the Easter Bulletin. Thank you so much for your assistance.



**MARIAN PILGRIMAGE** 19 May - 10 June 2024 Personalised Tour Accompanied by Fr Savino Bernardi.

**Tour highlights:** Fatima- Lisbon-Batalha-Porto-Santiago de Compostela-Lugo-Oviedo-Bilbao-Donostia-Lourdes-Avignon-Turin-Venice-Assisi-Prezzenano-Naples-Amalfi Coast-Rome.

If you are interested, please contact the parish office.

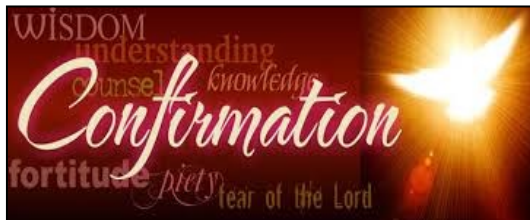


# PARISH NEWS/EVENTS



Sunday , 7th April 2024, in St John's Church Narraweena. Commencing at 1pm : Film : Divine Mercy 101 , with Fr. Chris Alar , MIC.  
2pm : Film : Divine Mercy, No Escape.  
3pm : The Chaplet of Divine Mercy in Song .  
**Chaplet of Divine Mercy Novena**  
Day 1 : Good Friday, 29th March 2024. Day 9 : Saturday, 6th April 2024.

**Divine Mercy also taking place at St Mary's Manly 7th April from 2-4pm. All welcome.**



## Sacrament of Confirmation 2024.

This year the sacrament of Confirmation will be held on Saturday 15th June at both St John's & St Kevin's Churches. Children who are parishioners of Warringah Parish, have been Baptised and are in Year 3 or over, are eligible to join this year's programme. Information/Enrolment meetings for both Parent and child will be held on Tuesday 30th April at 7pm in St Kevin's Church OR Thursday 2nd May at St John's Church also at 7pm.

Please attend any one of these dates. For more information please email Mary on [baldwin.mary.50@gmail.com](mailto:baldwin.mary.50@gmail.com)

## RCIA

Please continue to pray for our candidates as they prepare to receive their Sacraments and be welcomed into the Catholic Church at the Easter Vigil Mass on 30th March .



## Project Compassion 2024

Please remember to hand your Project Compassion boxes back to the parish office for counting for this year's appeal.

We are grateful for your financial assistance.

All funds are sent to [Caritas Australia](http://Caritas Australia) for distributing to needy causes. Thank you for your support.



## FEDERAZIONE CATTOLICA ITALIANA

### CASTAGNE PICNIC.

Stiamo organizzando un bus che ci porti a prendere le castagne SABATO 6 aprile. Il costo dell'autobus è di \$ 30pp da pagare al momento della prenotazione.

L'autobus partirà puntualmente dal Cromer community centre alle 7 del mattino.

Porta il tuo pranzo.

Si prega di contattare Angela 80680651

**TUTTI BENVENUTI.**

**VIA CRUCIS IN ITALIANO** venerdì alle 6pm

### BIGGEST CUP OF TEA DINNER DANCE

Sabato 18 maggio alle 7pm si terrà una dinner dance nella nostra sala per raccogliere fondi per il NSW CANCER COUNCIL.

Include cibo a 5 portate, musica per ballare, lotteria.

Per ulteriori informazioni, si prega di contattare Angela al 80680651 TUTTI BENVENUTI.

## 25th Anniversary of Sacerdotal Ordination



**Fr. Resty C. Ogsimer, CS**

Ordination Date: April 06, 1999

"But those who hope in the LORD will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint." (Is. 40:31)

Thanksgiving Mass for the 25th Ordination Anniversary of Fr Resty, will take place in St Kevin's Church Dee Why on **Wednesday April 10th at 6.30pm**. There will be refreshments after the Mass in St Kevin's Upper Hall. Any donations will be gratefully accepted to help support the studies and formation of future Scalabrinian Priests. All welcome.



**Rosters Next Week: Easter Sunday**

**St Kevin's Cleaning Team : E**

# SCRIPTURE READINGS

## Entrance Antiphon

Six days before the Passover, when the Lord came into the city of Jerusalem, the children ran to meet him; in their hands they carried palm branches and with a loud voice cried out:  
Hosanna in the highest!  
Blessed are you, who have come in your abundant mercy!  
O gates, lift high your heads; grow higher, ancient doors.  
Let him enter, the king of glory!  
Who is this king of glory?  
He, the Lord of hosts, he is the king of glory.  
Hosanna in the highest!  
Blessed are you, who have come in your abundant mercy!

## First Reading

Isaiah 50:4-7  
A reading from the prophet Isaiah.  
The Lord has given me a disciple's tongue.  
So that I may know how to reply to the wearied he provides me with speech.  
Each morning he wakes me to hear, to listen like a disciple.  
The Lord has opened my ear.  
For my part, I made no resistance, neither did I turn away.  
I offered my back to those who struck me, my cheeks to those who tore at my beard;  
I did not cover my face against insult and spittle.  
The Lord comes to my help, so that I am untouched by the insults.  
So, too, I set my face like flint; I know I shall not be shamed.

The Word of the Lord.  
**Thanks be to God.**

## Responsorial Psalm

Ps 21:8-9, 17-20, 23-24  
**R. My God, my God, why have you abandoned me?**  
All who see me deride me.  
They curl their lips, they toss their heads.

'He trusted in the Lord, let him save him; let him release him if this is his friend.' **R.**  
Many dogs have surrounded me, a band of the wicked beset me.  
They tear holes in my hands and my feet. I can count every one of my bones. **R.**  
They divide my clothing among them. They cast lots for my robe.  
O Lord, do not leave me alone, my strength, make haste to help me! **R.**  
I will tell of your name to my brethren and praise you where they are assembled. 'You who fear the Lord give him praise; all sons of Jacob, give him glory. Revere him, Israel's sons.' **R.**

## Second Reading

Philippians 2:6-11  
A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Philippians.  
His state was divine, yet Christ Jesus did not cling to his equality with God but emptied himself to assume the condition of a slave, and being as all men are, he was humbler yet, even to accepting death, death on a cross.  
But God raised him high and gave him the name which is above all other names in the heavens, on earth and in the underworld, should bend the knee at the name of Jesus and that every tongue should acclaim Jesus Christ as Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

The word of the Lord.  
**Thanks be to God.**

## Gospel Acclamation

Philippians 2:8-9  
Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!

Christ became obedient for us even to death, dying on the cross.  
Therefore God raised him on high and gave him a name above all other names.  
Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!

## Gospel

Mark 14:1 - 15:47  
The passion of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark

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

## Communion Antiphon

Father, if this chalice cannot pass without my drinking it, your will be done



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