



Catholic Parish of Warringah

Diocese of Broken Bay, NSW— Scalabrinian Fathers

St Kevin's Church
50 Oaks Ave, Dee Why,
2099, N.S.W.

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27th November 2022 : First Sunday of Advent — 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

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

Brazilian Mass : Last Saturday at 4pm.

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)

Mass in Spanish : 1st Saturday at 4pm

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 is speaking about the ordinary things of our lives like eating and drinking, and in faith we know that in the ordinary moments of our day, God is with us. To help us 'stay awake', and pay attention to what is going on, today's Gospel acclamation expresses trustfully this prayer:

'Lord, show us your mercy and love, and grant us your salvation'. The psalm tells us of the peace which is enduring, calling on us, the 'house of the Lord', living in God's kingdom, our home. We continue to pray: 'Thy kingdom come'.

Taking up Isaiah's Advent cue, 'O house of Jacob, come, let us walk in the light of the Lord', we relate with God and one another in the ordinariness, the sacredness, of each, enlightened and loved.

"Let us go rejoicing to the house of the Lord".

Mass Intentions for the Week

St. John's, Narraweena :

Saturday	5.00pm	26	
Sunday	8.00am	27	
	10.00am		Special intentions Joseph Quang, Joseph Vuong, Anna Hoa, Lawrence Thang. Deceased Rosa D'Assisi, Fiore D'Assisi, Tomas Vescio, Johnny Angelo Vescio, Giuseppe Mastroianni, Maria Mastroianni, Pietro Mastroianni, Maria Vescio, famiglia Vescio & Mastroianni
Tuesday	9.30am	29	Deceased Irene Groom
Wednesday	9.30am	30	Deceased James Byrne (15th anniv)
Thursday	9.30am	1	
Friday	9.30am	2	
Saturday	9.30am	3	
St. Kevin's, Dee Why :			
Saturday	6pm	26	
Sunday	8.00am	27	Dec Maria Pasqualina Sgro
	9.15am		
	10.30am		Dec Maria Pasqualina Sgro, Mario Chirillo & Rosa Chirillo, Antonio & Maria Chirillo, Pietro, Mario, Francesco, & Giovanna Chirillo, Bruno, Caterina & Maria Mastroianni, Rosa D'Assisi, Fiore D'Assisi, Tomas Vescio, Johnny Angelo Vescio, Giuseppe Mastroianni, Maria Mastroianni, Pietro Mastroianni, Maria Vescio, famiglia Vescio & Mastroianni
	6.00pm		
Monday	8.30am	28	
Tuesday	8.30am	29	
Wednesday	8.30am	30	Deceased James Byrne
Thursday	8.30am	1	Deceased Maria Romeo
Friday	8.30am	2	
	12 Noon		
Saturday	8.30am	3	



Church Working Bee

St John's Working Bee

There will be a Working Bee on **Saturday 10th December at 10am**. We will be grateful to parishioners for any assistance in tidying the church in ready for Christmas.

Parish Weekly Collections.

Last week's Parish Collections amounted to:
 1st collection: **\$1560** (for the support of clergy/ Scalabrini Fathers)
 2nd collection: **\$2710** (for the running of Warringah Parish) Thank you.



The next Baptism Workshop will take place on **Wednesday December 14th at 7pm**. Please email the office on office@warringahcatholicparish.org.au for more information and to book a place.



Sacred Heart Mass

An invitation:

Join us in our Devotional Prayers and Healing Mass to the Sacred Heart of Jesus here in St Kevin's Church starting **7:00 PM** 1st Friday of the Month on **2nd December 2022**. We pray for cancer sufferers; heart patients and those affected with Covid-19 pandemic. Please observe health protocol.

Organised by SHOJMOA Sacred Heart of Jesus Medical Outreach Australia

www.sacredheartaustralia.org



Christmas Mass Times

At St John's

Christmas Eve: Saturday 24th December
 Outdoor Mass at **5pm** (weather permitting)

Christmas Day: Sunday 25th December
 Masses at **8am & 10am**

At St Kevin's

Christmas Eve: Saturday 24th December
 Masses at **7pm and 12 midnight**

Christmas Day: Sunday 25th December
 Masses at **8am, 9.15am, 10.30am (Italian) & 6pm**.

PARISH NEWS/EVENTS

Outdoor Mass Christmas Eve – help needed

"We hope you will invite family and friends to the Narraweena outdoor mass at 5pm.

Remind them to bring a deck chair or rug

We need your help with the following:

- musicians and singers. Peter Rafferty is unavailable this year
- anyone with a real baby - mum and dad to dress as Mary and Joseph
- invite children to dress as angels, shepherds, donkey
- donate Christmas Bush to place on the altar and sell after mass
- collectors : Two collections plus exit bucket for SVDP
- Christmas Mass timetable: help with pamphlet letter box drop

If interested please tell Fr Resty, Fr Jose , the office or Gerard 0415035022"

Chatswood Parish invites you to join them!

All are invited to attend Peter Kearney's Advent to Christmas Concert at Our Lady of Dolours, Parish in Chatswood. Peter Kearney is the composer of 'Fill My House', 'The Beatitudes, and several titles in the 'As One Voice hymnal'.

Date: December 11.

Time: 4-5:10pm

Location: 94 Archer Street Chatswood

Free Admission Peter's CDs and DVDs will be available.



St Kevin's & St John's

On the weekend of 3rd & 4th December the society of St Vincent de Paul will hold their Christmas Appeal at each Mass. There will be envelopes on the pews to give your donation to help families in need. At St John's there will be envelopes for Christmas Hampers with a description of the needy family for your help. Hampers are to be returned by the 18th December.

May the Holy Family bless you in anticipation.

John Colby & Kevin Hardy.



Pastoral Works Appeal

Thank you for your ongoing support of Pastoral Works Broken Bay, helping to renew and rebuild families and parish communities! This weekend we will hold our **Pastoral Works Appeal**. Our Parish quota is financial year is **\$41,553**. This appeal is our first one for the financial year 2022/2023. All donations are 100% Tax deductible. Thank you for your support.



Rosters Next Week: 2nd Sunday of Advent
St Kevin's Cleaning Team : D

WELCOME TO THE CHRISTMAS
NOVENA MASSES 2022

Simbang Gabi Launch

OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY CATHEDRAL
 10 December | 5:00 PM
 27 Yardley Ave, Waitara

Hornsby

OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY
 15-23 December | 7:00 PM
 27 Yardley Ave, Waitara
 Cynthia.alipalo@gmail.com
 bbfc.hornsby@gmail.com

Dee Why

ST. KEVIN'S CHURCH
 15-23 December | 7:30 PM
 50 Oaks Ave, Dee Why
 c/o Marlon Cabilao
 Mobile no. 0430249450

Chatswood

OUR LADY OF DOLOURS CHURCH
 16-24 December | 5:30 AM
 94 Archer st, Chatswood
 fccpadmin@gmail.com

Wyong

ST. CECILIA'S CHURCH
 The Triduum
 21, 22, 23 December | 7:00 PM
 23 Bryon St, Wyong
 monette2905@gmail.com

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SCRIPTURE READINGS

Entrance Antiphon

To you, I lift up my soul, O my God.
In you, I have trusted; let me not be put to shame.
Nor let my enemies exult over me;
and let none who hope in you be put to shame.

First Reading

Isaiah 2:1-5

A reading from the prophet Isaiah
The vision of Isaiah son of Amoz, concerning Judah and Jerusalem.
In the days to come the mountain of the Temple of the Lord shall tower above the mountains and be lifted higher than the hills.
All the nations will stream to it, peoples without number will come to it; and they will say: 'Come, let us go up to the mountain of the Lord, to the Temple of the God of Jacob that he may teach us his ways so that we may walk in his paths; since the Law will go out from Zion, and the oracle of the Lord from Jerusalem.'
He will wield authority over the nations and adjudicate between many peoples; these will hammer their swords into ploughshares, their spears into sickles. Nation will not lift sword against nation, there will be no more training for war, O House of Jacob, come, let us walk in the light of the Lord.
The word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 121:1-2, 4-5, 6-9

R. Let us go rejoicing to the house of the Lord.

I rejoiced when I heard them say: 'Let us go to God's house.'
And now our feet are standing within your gates, O Jerusalem. **R.**

It is there that the tribes go up, the tribes of the Lord. For Israel's law it is, there to praise the Lord's name. There were set the thrones of judgement of the house of David. **R.**

For the peace of Jerusalem pray: 'Peace be to your homes!
May peace reign in your walls, in your palaces, peace!' **R.**

For love of my brethren and friends I say: 'Peace upon you!'
For love of the house of the Lord I will ask for your good. **R.**

Second Reading

Romans 13:11-14

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Romans
You know 'the time' has come: you must wake up now: our salvation is even nearer than it was when we were converted. The night is almost over, it will be daylight soon - let us give up all the things we prefer to do under cover of the dark; let us arm ourselves and appear in the light. Let us live decently as people do in the daytime: no drunken orgies, no promiscuity or licentiousness, and no wrangling or jealousy. Let your armour be the Lord Jesus Christ.

The word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation

Ps 84:8

Alleluia, alleluia!

Lord, show us your mercy and love, and grant us your salvation.
Alleluia!

Gospel

Matthew 24:37-44

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew
Jesus said to his disciples: 'As it was in Noah's day, so will it be when the Son of Man comes. For in those days before the Flood people were eating, drinking, taking wives, taking husbands, right up to the day Noah went into the ark, and they suspected nothing till the Flood came and swept all away. It will be like this when the Son of Man comes. Then of two men

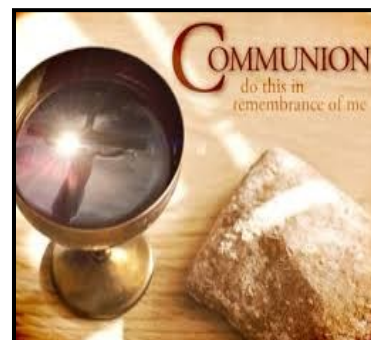
in the fields one is taken, one left; of two women at the millstone grinding, one is taken, one left.
'So stay awake, because you do not know the day when your master is coming. You may be quite sure of this that if the householder had known at what time of the night the burglar would come, he would have stayed awake and would not have allowed anyone to break through the wall of his house. Therefore, you too must stand ready because the Son of Man is coming at an hour you do not expect.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Communion Antiphon

The Lord will bestow his bounty, and our earth shall yield its increase.



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