



Catholic Parish of Warringah

Diocese of Broken Bay, NSW— Scalabrinian Fathers

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2099, N.S.W.

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8th October 2023 : Twenty-Seventh 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

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 Saturday at 10.30am

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 & Conse-
cration to the Immaculate Heart of Mary
(prayers for Souls in Purgatory)



The People of God are portrayed as a vineyard in both the Old and New Testaments. In every case, God is the one who plants the vineyard, after choosing the best and most fertile land and preparing it carefully.

In today's Gospel, the landowner leases his vineyard to tenants and sends his servants to collect the portion of the harvest that the tenants owe to him. Several times the servants are sent to collect payment, and each time they are beaten and killed by the tenants. The owner is left with no alternative but to lease the vineyard to other tenants who will deliver the share of the produce to him when harvest time comes.

What is that good fruit that God wants from his vineyard? Saint Paul tells us: 'everything that is true, everything that is noble, everything that is good and pure, everything that we love and honour, everything that can be thought virtuous and worthy of praise'. Keep doing these things that you 'have heard or seen that I do'. Then the God of peace will be with you.

"The vineyard of the Lord is the House of Israel."

Mass Intentions for the Week

St. John's, Narraweena :

Saturday	5.00pm		
Our Lady of the Rosary		7	
Sunday	8.00am	8	Dec Domenico Murace
	10.00am		Rec decd Ashley Westerman
Tuesday	9.30am	10	
Wednesday	9.30am	11	
Thursday	9.30am	12	
Friday	9.30am	13	
Saturday	9.30am	14	

St. Kevin's, Dee Why :

Saturday	6pm	7	
Our Lady of the Rosary			
Sunday	8.00am	8	Pasqualina Sgro (Birthday)
	9.15am		
	10.30am		Dec Immacolata Lorenti (10th anniv), Maria Rosa & Giuseppe Dominello, Joe Papandrea (died in Canberra), Giuseppe Maiuolo, Grace Rossi, Domenico & Alfredo Monerdo, Teresa & Maria Aversa, Domenico & Maria Mirezzi
	6.00pm		
Monday	8.30am	9	Dec Antonio Polito
Tuesday	8.30am	10	
Wednesday	8.30am	11	
Thursday	8.30am	12	
Friday	8.30am	13	Dec Vincenzo Roperti
	12 Noon		
Saturday	8.30am	14	



Something to think about ...

Jesus speaks about the landlord whose absence causes the tenants to forget themselves. I pray for all those who overlook signs of God's care and imagine God's absence in their lives; may my prayer for them and my action this day, be witness to God's eternal presence and love.

Working Bee Thank you.

Thank you to all parishioners who gave up their free time to assist with the Working Bee at St Kevin's on 30th September. God Bless. Fr Resty.



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

OCTOBER IS MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS MONTH

This month encourages all of us to think about our mental health and wellbeing, regardless of whether we may have a lived experience of mental illness or not. At CatholicCare Broken Bay we offer face-to-face counselling sessions at our Artarmon, Brookvale, Tuggerah and Waitara based Family Centres as well as via telehealth. Counselling provides an opportunity to explore tricky life or concerns in a safe and reflective environment. When feelings become overwhelming or confusing, counselling can be really helpful. We work with you, assisting you to face challenges and stressors, coming up with suggestions to tackle or resolve these challenges. We listen, talk through experiences and help you think about ways forward. Sessions are \$60 per hour and a \$20 rate is available for concession card holders. We are also an accredited provider of NDIS supports.

Please reach out today – our door is open. Call 1800 324 924 or visit www.feelingblue.com.au

PARISH NEWS/EVENTS



New planned giving envelopes for the next tax year 2023/2024 are available. If you would like to receive a box of the weekly giving envelopes, please contact the parish office.

Thank you for your financial support to the parish and to all Parishioners who have already signed up.

Ways to give to the Parish: (2nd Collection)

1. Weekly giving through the planned giving envelopes.
 2. monthly / quarterly direct debit or credit card. Please contact the parish office for more information.
 3. Collection plates during Mass .
 4. Tap and Go machines using your credit/debit card.
- The **1st collection** supports our Scalabrini Priests.

FEDERAZIONE CATTOLICA ITALIANA

PICNIC A MANLY DAM
DOMANI dalle 9:30am

CARTE E TOMBOLA
Martedì prossimo alle 7pm

Conference 2023
Alive in the Spirit
Communion | Participation | Mission
Wednesday 25 October 2023
10am - 4pm
Hornsby RSL
Followed by Pastoral Ministry Network AGM at 4.30pm

GATHER TOGETHER IN 2023!
Discover and Celebrate how our Australian faith communities creatively live out God's mission, to inspire and grow participation and community.
2 Inspirational Keynotes
10 Interactive Workshops

Keynote Speaker
Steph Langley
Head of House & Mercy Educator

Keynote Speaker
Qwayne Guevara
Lead Facilitator, Diocesan Synod Manager, Catholic Youth Parramatta

PASTORAL CARE SEMINAR DAY

To celebrate **Pastoral Care Week 2023**, CatholicCare's Hospital Chaplaincy and Pastoral Care Team invite you to our **Pastoral Care Seminar Day** on Wednesday 25th October between 9:00 am and 3:00 pm. This will be a day of enrichment and fellowship for all those people in the Diocese of Broken Bay who are involved in a ministry to care for the sick.

All are very welcome to attend. Morning tea and lunch will be provided.

Our special guest presenters will be Alan Galt and Rosemarie Say.

Venue: Caroline Chisholm Centre, 423 Pennant Hills Rd, Pennant Hills.

Enquiries please contact:

Peter Brown (Practice Manager Hospital Chaplaincy and Pastoral Care) on 0418 616 602

To register your attendance please send an email by Wednesday 18th October to:

peter.brown@catholicareddb.org.au (please also note any special dietary requirements)

Liturgy of Lament

Every year the Diocese holds a Liturgy of Lament. It is an opportunity to gather and pray to God in acknowledging the suffering caused to our most vulnerable and to give public expression to sorrow. Everyone is invited to attend on 12 October at 4.30pm at Our Lady of the Rosary Cathedral, Waitara.

DIOCESE OF BROKEN BAY
LITURGY OF LAMENT
Shining THE LIGHT
President:
Very Rev Dr David Ranson
Vicar General

4.30pm Thursday 12 October 2023 | 23 Yardley Ave
Our Lady of The Rosary, Cathedral | Waitara

Be inspired, supported and resourced in your parish ministry at this annual, local formation event offered by the Pastoral Ministry Network (PMN).

After two years of dynamic online gatherings, Alive in the Spirit is thrilled to be gathering for an in-person event on Wednesday, 25 October 2023, at Hornsby RSL Club from 10am - 4pm. Bookings can be made at <https://www.trybooking.com/CLCTP> or please visit <https://pastoralministrynetwork.org/conference/>



Rosters Next Week: 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

St Kevin's Cleaning Team : B

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Entrance Antiphon

Within your will, O Lord, all things are established, and there is none that can resist your will.

For you have made all things, the heaven and the earth, and all that is held within the circle of heaven; you are the Lord of all.

First Reading

Isaiah 5:1-7

A reading from the prophet Isaiah.
Let me sing to my friend
the song of his love for his vineyard.
My friend has a vineyard
on a fertile hillside.
He dug the soil, cleared it of stones,
and planted choice vines in it.
In the middle he built a tower,
he dug a press there too.
He expected it to yield grapes,
but sour grapes were all that it gave.
And now, inhabitants of Jerusalem
and men of Judah, I ask you to judge
between my vineyard and me.
What could I have done for my vineyard
that I have not done?
I expected it to yield grapes.
Why did it yield sour grapes instead?
Very well, I will tell you
what I am going to do to my vineyard:
I will take away its hedge for it to be
grazed on, and knock down its wall for it
to be trampled on.
I will lay it waste, unpruned, undug;
overgrown by the briar and the thorn.
I will command the clouds to rain no rain
on it.
Yes, the vineyard of the Lord of hosts
is the House of Israel, and the men of
Judah that chosen plant.
He expected justice, but found
bloodshed, integrity, but only a cry of
distress.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 79:9, 12-16, 19-20

R. The vineyard of the Lord is the House of Israel.

You brought a vine out of Egypt;
to plant it you drove out the nations.

It stretched out its branches to the sea, to the Great River it stretched out its shoots. **R.**

Then why have you broken down its walls? It is plucked by all who pass by. It is ravaged by the boar of the forest, devoured by the beasts of the field. **R.**
God of hosts, turn again, we implore, look down from heaven and see.
Visit this vine and protect it,
the vine your right hand has planted.

R.

And we shall never forsake you again: give us life that we may call upon your name. God of hosts, bring us back; let your face shine on us and we shall be saved. **R.**

Second Reading

Philippians 4:6-9

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Philippians.
There is no need to worry; but if there is anything you need, pray for it, asking God for it with prayer and thanksgiving, and that peace of God, which is so much greater than we can understand, will guard your hearts and your thoughts, in Christ Jesus. Finally, brothers, fill your minds with everything that is true, everything that is noble, everything that is good and pure, everything that we love and honour, and everything that can be thought virtuous or worthy of praise. Keep doing all the things that you learnt from me and have been taught by me and have heard or seen that I do. Then the God of peace will be with you.

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Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation

of John 15:15

Alleluia, alleluia!

I call you friends, says the Lord,
because I have made known to you

everything I have learnt from my Father.

Alleluia!

Gospel

Matthew 21:33-43

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew.
Jesus said to the chief priests and the elders of the people: 'Listen to another parable. There was a man, a landowner, who planted a vineyard; he fenced it round, dug a winepress in it and built a tower; then he leased it to tenants and went abroad. When vintage time drew near he sent his servants to the tenants to collect his produce. But the tenants seized his servants, thrashed one, killed another and stoned a third. Next he sent some more servants, this time a larger number, and they dealt with them in the same way. Finally he sent his son to them. "They will respect my son," he said. But when the tenants saw the son, they said to each other, "This is the heir. Come on, let us kill him and take over his inheritance." So they seized him and threw him out of the vineyard and killed him. Now when the owner of the vineyard comes, what will he do to those tenants?' They answered, 'He will bring those wretches to a wretched end and lease the vineyard to other tenants who will deliver the produce to him when the season arrives.' Jesus said to them, 'Have you never read in the scriptures: It was the stone rejected by the builders that became the keystone. This was the Lord's doing and it is wonderful to see? 'I tell you, then, that the kingdom of God will be taken from you and given to a people who will produce its fruit.' The Gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Communion Antiphon

The Lord is good to those who hope in him, to the soul that seeks him.

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to Ann Wilson and
her team



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