Catholic Parish of Warringah

Diocese of Broken Bay,NSW—Scalabrinian Fathers

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

St John the Apostle Church
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8th November 2026 : — 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time- Year A

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St Kevin's Church

Weekday Masses:
Mon-Sat:8:30am (HolyRosary8am) , 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:
ChaplaincyYouth Mass at 6.00pm
Reconciliation: Saturday: 9am
CenacleofPrayer:
Wednesdayafterthe8.30am Mass
Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus
First Fridays of the month:7pm Mass
Eucharistic Adoration:
Fridays after 8.30am Mass till11.45am

Legion of Mary: EveryFridayafter12Noon Mass
Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena:
Every Wednesday at 7.00pm except 1st Wednesday (Novena Mass is every 1st Wednesdayat 7pm)

St JohntheApostleChurch

Weekday Masses: Tuesday—Saturday: 9.30am (HolyRosary& DivineMercyChaplet 9.00am)
Week-end Mass Times
Saturday Vigil: 5pm
Sunday: 8am & 9.30am (Holy Rosary & Divine MercyChaplet9.00am)
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)



In today's Gospel, Jesus tells the parable of the wise and foolish virgins, teaching his disciples the importance of being prepared to receive the Kingdom of Heaven. He teaches the disciples that they must remain vigilant so that they will not be caught unprepared. Today's parable is a warning to the Christian community to remain vigilant and prepared to receive Jesus, the Son of Man who will return at the end of time. This interpretation is supported by the reference to the delay of the bridegroom. The Christian community for whom Matthew wrote this Gospel was coming to terms with the realization that the promise of Jesus' return would not be fulfilled within their lifetimes.
The question remains for us to ask ourselves, are we ready to receive Jesus? Will we be prepared to receive him?

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So stay awake, because you do not know the day or the hour.

Mass Intentions for the Week		
St John's Narraweena		
Saturday 5:00pm	**7**	
Sunday 8:00am	**8**	
9:30am		Dec Felice Mangano (10th Anniv)
Tuesday 9:30am	**10**	No Mass today
Wednesday 9:30am	**11**	No Mass today
Thursday 9:30am	**12**	No Mass today
Friday 9:30am	**13**	No Mass today
Saturday 9:30am	**14**	
St Kevin's Dee Why:		
Saturday 6pm	**7**	
Sunday 8:00am	**8**	Dec Giuseppina Agostino, Paola Agostino, Leonardo Mule, Maria Severina Mendes. Spec int & healing for Kim.
9:15am		Mass Cancelled
10:30am		Parish Multicultural Mass
6pm		
Monday 8:30am	**9**	
Tuesday 8:30am	**10**	
10.30am		Funeral Service for Kenneth Jones
Wednesday 8:30am	**11**	
Thursday 8:30am	**12**	
Friday 8:30am	**13**	
12 Noon		No Mass today
7pm		Memorial Mass Cecilia Riggio
Saturday 8:30am	**14**	



Christmas Lucky Draw coming soon



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

Marian Pilgrimage 3-27 May 2027
Conducted by Fr. Savino Bernardi CS.
(In Italiano and English)
To: Fatima, Lourdes, Padova, Medjugorje, Assisi, Cascia, S. Giovanni Rotondo, Roma
Booking: Viatour: (02) 9799 3222
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Pellegrinaggio Mariano 3-27 Maggio 2027
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Pope's Prayer Intentions for November
For the proper use of wealth. Let us pray for the proper use of wealth, that, not succumbing to the temptation of selfishness, it may always be put at the service of the common good and solidarity of those who have less.

Upcoming changes to Mass Times
Our Priests will be on a retreat from 10th to 13th November. There will be NO Masses at St John's . The 8.30am Mass at St Kevin's will take place with a supply Priest on 10th, 11th, 12th & 13th November . There will be NO 12 NOON Mass on Friday 13th November. Many Thanks.

Parish Working Bee
At St John's : postponed
On Saturday 12th December at St Kevin's after the 8.30am Mass.
We appreciate your help.

Praise and Worship
Hosted by Chatswood parish, all young people, and young at heart are welcome to join for this event.
Date: Friday, 13 November 2026
Time: 6:00pm
Location: Our Lady of Dolours Church, Chatswood

Saints of the Week
9th November : The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica.
10th November: St Leo the Great.
11th November: St Martin of Tours.
12th November : St Josaphat.

PARISH NEWS/EVENTS

FEDERAZIONE CATTOLICA ITALIANA.

CARTE E TOMBOLA Martedi alle 6:30pm

PIZZA- PASTA E MOVIE NIGHT - Domenica 15 novembre si terrà una serata di pasta, pizza e film nella sala.

- Costo: $30,00
- Prenotazione: Contattare Angela al numero 80680651 per riservare il tuo posto.

SIETE TUTTI BENVENUTI!



Upcoming Events

Parish Liturgical Concert with performances from Our Lady of Good Counsel Parish Choir (Forestville), Indonesian Community, Brazilian Community and Richard Rourke.
Saturday 28th November at 7pm in St Kevin's Church. Tickets are available at the Parish Office . $20 per person



Rosters Next Week: 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
St Kevin's Cleaning Team : B

Parish Prayer



Father,
pour out your Spirit upon the people of this parish, and grant us a new vision of your glory, a new experience of your power, a new faithfulness to your Word, and a new consecration to your service, that your love may grow among us, and your kingdom come ; Through Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Fatima Shop Dee Why

If you are looking for a religious gift please call in at our Fatima Shop we have a selection of Confirmation, Communion and Baptism gifts as well as a range of books, cards and more.
Our address is 673-675 Pittwater Road Dee Why - office hours Monday, Wednesday, Thursdays 10am - 3pm
Tuesday and Friday 10.30am -3.30pm
Saturday 9am - 12 Noon.Our contact number is 9984-8988 or Mob. 0403578994

WYD27
Are you ready to apply for World Youth Day?
Applications are now open for all pilgrims and those wishing to be considered as a leader on pilgrimage!
Click BBWYD27 Applications to apply!



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Sing to the Lord!
Encountering the treasure of sacred music.
Facilitated by Cathedral Director of Music, Joshua Willard, this formation day will explore the Church's rich musical tradition, offering insight and practical guidance for all interested in Music Ministry. Grounded in the vision of Vatican II, participants will renew their understanding of the vital place music holds in the mission and life of the Church.

Date: Saturday, 14 November 2026
Location: Caroline Chisholm Centre, Pennant Hills



SCRIPTURE READINGS

Entrance Antiphon
Let my prayer come into your presence.
Incline your ear to my cry for help, O Lord.

First Reading
Wisdom 6:12-16
A reading from the book of Wisdom.

Wisdom is bright, and does not grow dim.
By those who love her she is readily seen, and found by those who look for her. Quick to anticipate those who desire her, she makes herself known to them. Watch for her early and you will have no trouble; you will find her sitting at your gates. Even to think about her is understanding fully grown; be on the alert for her and anxiety will quickly leave you. She herself walks about looking for those who are worthy of her and graciously shows herself to them as they go, in every thought of theirs coming to meet them.

The word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm
Ps 62:2-8

R. My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord my God.
O God, you are my God, for you I long;
for you my soul is thirsting.
My body pines for you
like a dry, weary land without water. **R.**

So I gaze on you in the sanctuary
to see your strength and your glory.
For your love is better than life,
my lips will speak your praise. **R.**

So I will bless you all my life,
in your name I will lift up my hands.
My soul shall be filled as with a banquet,
my mouth shall praise you with joy. **R.**

On my bed I remember you.
On you I muse through the night
for you have been my help;
in the shadow of your wings I rejoice. **R.**

Second Reading
1 Thessalonians 4:13-18
A reading from the first letter of St Paul to the Thessalonians.

We want you to be quite certain, brothers, about those who have died, to make sure that you do not grieve about them, like the other people who have no hope. We believe that Jesus died and rose again, and that it will be the same for those who have died in Jesus: God will bring them with him. We can tell you this from the Lord's own teaching, that any of us who are left alive until the Lord's coming will not have any advantage over those who have died. At the trumpet of God, the voice of the archangel will call out the command and the Lord himself will come down from heaven; those who have died in Christ will be the first to rise, and then those of us who are still alive will be taken up in the clouds, together with them, to meet the Lord in the air. So we shall stay with the Lord for ever. With such thoughts as these you should comfort one another.

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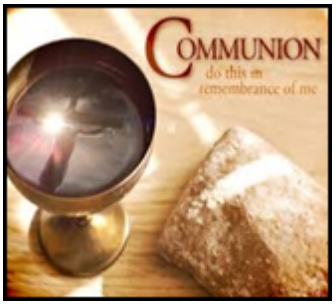
Gospel Acclamation
Matthew 24:42, 44
Alleluia, alleluia!
Be watchful and ready:
you know not when the Son of Man is coming.
Alleluia!

Gospel
Matthew 25:1-13
A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew.

Jesus told this parable to his disciples:
'The kingdom of heaven will be like this:
Ten bridesmaids took their lamps and went to meet the bridegroom.
Five of them were foolish and five were sensible: the foolish ones did take their lamps, but they brought no oil, whereas the sensible ones took flasks of oil as well as their lamps. The bridegroom was late, and they all grew drowsy and fell asleep. But at midnight there was a cry,"The bridegroom is here! Go out and meet him." At this, all those bridesmaids woke up and trimmed their lamps, and the foolish ones said to the sensible ones, "Give us some of your oil: our lamps are going out." But they replied, "There may not be enough for us and for you; you had better go to those who sell it and buy some for yourselves."
They had gone off to buy it when the bridegroom arrived. Those who were ready went in with him to the wedding hall and the door was closed. The other bridesmaids arrived later. "Lord, Lord," they said, "open the door for us." But he replied, "I tell you solemnly, I do not know you."
So stay awake, because you do not know either the day or the hour.'

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

Communion Antiphon
The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.
Fresh and green are the pastures where he gives me repose,
near restful waters he leads me.



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