



Catholic Parish of Warringah

Diocese of Broken Bay, NSW—Scalabrinian Fathers

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18th October 2026 : — 29th 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 6.00pm

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 today's Gospel Jesus and the religious leaders in Jerusalem continue their tense exchange of questions and challenges. At this point the disciples of the Pharisees, together with the Herodians, try to entrap Jesus by their question about the payment of taxes. Jesus' response to this attempt to trap him exposes the guile of his questioners. From his first words to them, Jesus shows that he is very much aware of what they are trying to do. He asks to see a Roman coin, which is readily provided to him. Agreeing that it is Caesar's image on the coin, Jesus tells them that their obligation is to pay to God that which belongs to God. Jesus' response to the Herodians and Pharisees suggests the ethic that Christians ought to adopt. It reminds us of the importance of keeping things in their proper perspective. Do we attach ourselves to worldly things at the expense of the love and honour that we owe to God?

Give the Lord glory and honour

Mass Intentions for the Week		
St John's Narraweena		
Saturday 5:00pm	17	
Sunday 8:00am	18	
9:30am		
Tuesday 9:30am	20	
Wednesday 9:30am	21	
Thursday 9:30am	22	
Friday 9:30am	23	
Saturday 9:30am	24	
St Kevin's Dee Why:		
Saturday 6pm	17	Special Intention Fiadh Mc Glade-Dolan
Sunday 8:00am	18	Dec Maurice Landers (9 th Anniv)
9:15am		
10:30am		
6pm		
Monday 8:30am	19	Spec int Fernando Magallanes, Allan Pascual, Vlad, Charles & Anna
Tuesday 8:30am	20	
Wednesday 8:30am	21	Dec Elisabetta Polito
10.30am		Funeral Mass Domenico Panetta
Thursday 8:30am	22	Dec Domenico Polito
Friday 8:30am	23	Dec Reynaldo Dizon Sr., Bruno Polito
12Noon		Dec Antonio Polito, Thanksgiving Intention
Saturday 8:30am	24	

A Prayer for Pope Leo

Loving Father,

we entrust Pope Leo to your care
as he recovers from surgery.

Give him peace when he feels anxious, strength
when he feels weary, and comfort in knowing that
your Church is holding him in prayer.

Guide the hands of those treating him, and bless all
who care for him. Grant him healing and the rest he
needs to return to his ministry. May he know your
loving presence through each day of his recovery.

Through Christ our Lord. Amen

Our Lady, Mother of the Church,
pray for Pope Leo. Keep him close to your Son and
surround him with your motherly care.

Amen



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.



Upcoming Events

Parish Liturgical Concert

Saturday 28th November at 7pm in St Kevin's Church.
Tickets are available at the Parish Office . \$20 per person.
Thank you.

Parish Bazaar

Another bazaar will take place on Sunday 1st November.

Warringah Parish Multicultural Celebration

St. Kevin's Church . 8 November, 10:30 AM

The celebration will begin at 10:30AM through a
concelebrated mass with Fr. Reinaldo Vassoler, cs, as Main
Presider. Lunch and entertainment will follow right after mass
at the Upper Hall of St. Kevin's. Everyone is invited.

The 9:15 AM and 10:30 AM Masses at St. Kevin's will be cancelled. Parishioners are invited to wear their country's
traditional dresses. Also, you are encouraged to bring a plate
and cook your traditional dish to be shared with everyone.

Please address your enquiries by calling one of these
numbers:

Rebecca Torralba (0452550988)

Ron Hughes (0409300721)

Gerard Hadrick (0415035022)

For the language groups (Italian, Portuguese, Filipino and
Spanish speaking communities), please coordinate with your
representatives for your assigned menu.

FREE ENTRY

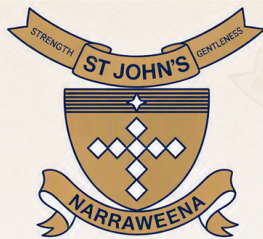
The Parish will provide the paper plates, cutlery, disposable
cups, serviettes and drinks.

Thank you for your support.

Saints of the Week

17th October: St Ignatius of Antioch

22nd October: St John Paul II



You Are Warmly Invited

The Celebration of Mark Bateman

Honouring Outstanding Leadership and Service

We are delighted to invite you to join us in celebrating our wonderful Principal, **Mr Mark Bateman**, at a special liturgy to honour his outstanding leadership and service.



Date: Thursday, 19 November 2026



Time: 1:50 pm



Venue: St John's Church, Narraweena

Parents & Friends Afternoon Tea

The liturgy will be followed by an **Afternoon Tea for Parents and Friends**.

All are warmly welcome as we celebrate Mark and acknowledge the tremendous contribution he has made to our students, families, staff, parish, and the wider Catholic Schools Broken Bay community.

Together, we will give thanks for Mark's leadership, dedication, and commitment to Catholic education, and celebrate the lasting impact he has made on our school community.

We would love to see you there as we come together to thank Mark for all he has done.

St John's Church & School Community

STRENGTH • GENTLENESS

Mass at Cemetery

A memorial service will be held at Frenchs Forest Cemetery on Sunday, 1 November.

The schedule for the day is as follows:

- Rosary at 12 Noon
- Mass at 12:30pm
- Blessing of family crypts following the Mass.

Sponsored by Gregory & Carr Funeral Directors.



November Mass List 2026

Our November Mass List is now open. Please write your deceased family names clearly on your envelopes, for inclusion in this year's list of names.

Thank you for your assistance.



FEDERAZIONE CATTOLICA ITALIANA

Grazie . 🙏❤️

Siamo pieni di gratitudine per tutti coloro che hanno contribuito alla festa della Madonna di Fatima Domenica scorsa. Un ringraziamento speciale ai nostri straordinari volontari e a tutti coloro che hanno generosamente donato il loro tempo, i loro talenti e le loro donazioni finanziarie. Grazie al vostro sostegno, abbiamo raccolto \$5000.00.

\$2000-00 saranno donati alla nostra chiesa, \$2000.00 alla borsa di studio Scalabriniana e \$1000.00 al NSW cancer council

Thank you for joining us in celebrating the Feast of Our Lady of Fatima! 🙏❤️

Thanks to your support, We raised \$5000.00. \$2000.00 will be donated to our church, \$2000.00 to the Scalabrinian bursary fund and \$1000.00 to the NSW cancer council.

Catholic Mission Appeal

This weekend, our parish is holding the Catholic Mission Appeal. Envelopes are available inside both churches. Your support is greatly appreciated.



Rosters Next Week: 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time
St Kevin's Cleaning Team : D

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.



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SCRIPTURE READINGS

Entrance Antiphon

To you I call; for you will surely heed me, O God;
turn your ear to me; hear my words.
Guard me as the apple of your eye;
in the shadow of your wings protect me.

First Reading

Isaiah 45:1, 4-6

A reading from the prophet Isaiah
Thus says the Lord to his anointed, to Cyrus,
whom he has taken by his right hand
to subdue nations before him
and strip the loins of kings,
to force gateways before him
that their gates be closed no more:
It is for the sake of my servant Jacob,
of Israel my chosen one,
that I have called you by your name,
conferring a title though you do not know me.
I am the Lord, unrivalled;
there is no other God besides me.
Though you do not know me, I arm
you that men may know from the rising
to the setting of the sun
that, apart from me, all is nothing.
The word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 95:1, 3-5, 7-10

R. Give the Lord glory and honour.

O sing a new song to the Lord,
sing to the Lord all the earth.
Tell among the nations his glory
and his wonders among all the peoples. **R.**

The Lord is great and worthy of praise,
to be feared above all gods;
the gods of the heathens are naught.
It was the Lord who made the heavens. **R.**

Give the Lord, you families of peoples,
give the Lord glory and power,
give the Lord the glory of his name.
Bring an offering and enter his courts.

R.

Worship the Lord in his temple,
O earth, tremble before him.
Proclaim to the nations: 'God is king.'
He will judge the peoples in fairness.

R.

Second Reading

1 Thessalonians 1:1-5

A reading from the first letter of St Paul
to the Thessalonians.

From Paul, Silvanus and Timothy, to
the Church in Thessalonika which is in
God the Father and the Lord Jesus
Christ; wishing you grace and peace
from God the Father and the Lord
Jesus Christ.

We always mention you in our prayers
and thank God for you all, and
constantly remember before God our
Father how you have shown your faith
in action, worked for love and
persevered through hope, in our Lord
Jesus Christ.

We know, brothers, that God loves you
and that you have been chosen,
because when we brought the Good
News to you, it came to you not only as
words, but as power and as the Holy
Spirit and as utter conviction.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation

Philippians 2:15-16

Alleluia, alleluia!

Shine on the world like bright stars;
you are offering it the word of life.
Alleluia!

Gospel

Matthew 22:15-21

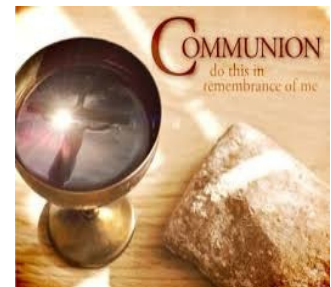
A reading from the holy Gospel
according to Matthew.

The Pharisees went away to work out
between them how to trap Jesus in what
he said. And they sent their disciples to
him, together with the Herodians, to
say, 'Master, we know that you are an
honest man and teach the way of God
in an honest way, and that you are not
afraid of anyone, because a man's rank
means nothing to you. Tell us your
opinion then. Is it permissible to pay
taxes to Caesar or not?' But Jesus was
aware of their malice and replied, 'You
hypocrites! Why do you set this trap for
me? Let me see the money you pay the
tax with.' They handed him a denarius,
and he replied, 'Whose head is this?
Whose name?' 'Caesar's,' they replied.
He then said to them, 'Very well, give
back to Caesar what belongs to Caesar
- and to God what belongs to God.'
The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Communion Antiphon

Behold, the eyes of the Lord are on
those who fear him, who hope in his
merciful love, to rescue their souls from
death, to keep them alive in famine.





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