

Diocese of Broken Bay Under the Pastoral Care of the Discalced Carmelites since 2008

30 August 2020 – 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Parish Mass Times:

Monday to Friday: 9am
Saturday: 9am, 6pm (vigil)
Sunday: 8am, 10am, 6pm
Public Holidays: 9am
Rock Mass: Once a term

Baptism: Fourth Sunday of each month by appointment

Wedding: Contact Parish Office at least 6 months prior notice

Morning Prayer: Monday - Friday: 8:30am

Anointing of Sick: 2nd Thursday of the month at 9am or by request

Eucharistic Adoration: Saturday 9:30 – 10am concluding with Benediction

Reconciliation: Saturday 9:30am

Rosary: Immediately after weekday Mass and Saturday (8:35am)



**Every Friday
(during term time)**

Lectio Divina facilitated
by Fr Greg
10:30am on Zoom until further
notice

**First Friday
of Every Month**

Exposition / Adoration at 7pm
followed by Mass at 7:30pm

**Second Thursday
of Every Month**

Anointing of the Sick —9am

September

Sunday 6 September

Children's Choir
9:00am—11:00am

Sunday 13 September

Parish Choir
9:00am—11:00am



***Jesus began to show
his disciples that he
must go to Jerusalem
and suffer greatly and
be killed and on the
third day he raised.
(Gospel)***

Dear Parishioners

So often Peter is full of good intentions but his humanity comes to the fore and he misses what Jesus is on about. In what way am I like Peter? Do I think like God, or are my thoughts solely human thoughts? My life has been blessed and enriched in so many ways. How am I sharing that blessedness and enrichment with those around me? Can they see God's love shining through my life by the way I live? It is not what I say that counts but rather what I do.

The life that others see me live is the life that will be rewarded.

May God bless you,
Fr Greg Chee, OCD

CONTACT DETAILS

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Web: www.bbcatholic.org.au/stives
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PARISH OFFICE TEAM

Fr Greg Chee, OCD, Parish Priest
Belinda Camilleri, Office Manager
Michelle Miles, Office Secretary
Ed Wales, Parish Finance
Jennifer Perrott, Faith Facilitator
Gerri Hadwen, Sacramental Co-Ordinator

HALL BOOKINGS

John Huggett (Coordinator)
0412 882 263

Corpus Christi Parish School
Phone: 9988 3135, 9988 3136

17 Link Road, St Ives NSW 2075
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Principal: Mrs Jayne Wheen
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Friday 4 September, 2020

Exposition / Adoration at 7pm followed by Mass at
7:30pm

Acknowledgement of Traditional Owners

We wish to acknowledge the traditional custodians of these lands on which we gather and show our respect to the Elders past and present . We also wish to pay our respects to all Aboriginal people.



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Our Deepest Sympathy - Helen Whyte

The Corpus Christi parish family would like to extend its prayful sympathy to the family, relatives and friends of Helen Whyte. Helen was a long-time parishioner who recently passed away unexpectedly. May Helen experience the fullness of Christ's peace.

Position Vacant

Catechist Coordinator, Lower North Shore Parish
Casual Role: 4 - 10 hours per week

For a position description or more information, please email recruitment@bbcatholic.org.au or call Jackie Hanson (Chancery HR) on 8379 1667.

View the full advertisement on the Diocesan website:

<https://www.bbcatholic.org.au/people/positions-vacant>

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Monica Fletcher
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Prayer Zone



Recently Deceased: Helen Whyte

Please pray for the ill:

Rebecca Davies; Peter Shih; Denise Carmody;
Steve Swain; Grace Cheah; Elizabeth Walsh;
Rebecca Anderson; Maria and Jack Garcia; Jose
Mestres; Meacheal; Estelle Sok; Lewis Crinitti;
Thi Nguyen; Victoria; Carmel Hadley; Carmel
Hurrell, Mary Sanzone, Fergus O'Brien,
Michelle Soumier, Jane Donnelly, Lisa Doherty,
Gina Jaksetic, Gracie Spencer, Brendan Stone

If you know of anyone who can no longer attend mass due to illness; or if you have noticed one of our parishioners is no longer attending mass, could you please let the office know.

FEAST DAYS— SEPTEMBER

Thursday 3rd, St Gregory the Great, pope, doctor.



The Catenians

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For further information phone
Paul Rubenach on 0409 445 542 or
Steve Swain on 0438 441 803

**THE RIGHT OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION
OF ADULTS (RCIA)**

The RCIA is a program for any adult interested in becoming a Catholic, receiving the Sacraments or exploring the Catholic faith.

If you or anyone you know is interested, you are welcome to join us. An information evening will be held on Wednesday 2 September 2020 at 7:30pm. For details, please contact the Parish Office on 9144 6998 or by email at office@corpuschristi.com.au

Become a catechist in 2020!



We need new Special Religious Education teachers or catechists. The following classes need their own Special Religious Education Teacher.

St Ives North Public School (SINPS – Tuesdays)

1. Kindergarten – 10:00-10:30
2. Year 1 – 10:00-10:30
3. Year 2 – 10:00-10:30
4. Year 4 – 9:00-9:30
5. Year 5 – 9:30 – 10:00
6. Year 6 – 9:30 – 10:00

St Ives Primary School (SIPS – Wednesdays)

1. Kindergarten – 9:10-9:40
2. Year 5/6 – 9:45-9:20

Turrumurra North Public School (TNPS – Wednesdays)

1. Year 1/2 – 10:20-10:55
2. Year 3/4 - 10:20-10:55
3. Year 5/6 - 10:20-10:55

St Ives Public Primary School (SIPPS – Wednesday's)

1. Year 5/6 – 11:30-12:10

Lessons have been pre-prepared. You do not need to do anything except read the content beforehand. We are looking for people who are willing to give 30-40 mins of their time each week in a temporary relief capacity until our catechists can return.

The original meaning of "catechist" is one who "echoes God's word", however catechists are much more than that. Facilitating a child's faith formation is a rewarding experience that does not require a teacher's degree or an advanced degree in theology: all it requires is enthusiasm, as well as generosity in sharing your time with others.

Resources, lesson plans, teacher's manuals, student workbooks, support and training are provided free of charge. Please contact Jen on 9144 6998 or catechists@corpuschristi.com.au. Jen will be able to answer your questions and help you take the first steps.



SOCIAL JUSTICE CORNER:

SOCIAL JUSTICE SUNDAY

This weekend we are celebrating Social Justice Sunday. The Australian Catholic Bishops' Social Justice Statement for 2020–21 is titled *To Live Life to the Full: Mental health in Australia Today*. It encourages faith communities, governments and each one of us, to make mental health a priority. It is a timely message in the context of the COVID-19 pandemic. The pandemic is affecting many members of our parishes, schools and communities. Understanding mental health will help us to be aware of those who need our support. The Statement encourages us all to reject stigmatisation, to work for the transformation of social determinants of mental ill-health, and to call for policies and service provision that meets the needs of the poorest and most marginalised members of our community.

Bishop Vincent Long, Chair of the Bishops Commission for Social Justice, Mission and Service has created a short video about the Statement. Go to www.youtube.com/watch?v=nGE0dpDCj5c.

Prayer for Mental Health

Jesus, you invite us all into the fullness of life.

May we support one another to flourish in body, mind and spirit.

Strengthen our commitment to ensure that nobody falls through gaps in our systems of care.

People called you mad.

Help us to recognise you in those who suffer mental ill-health today.

Show us how to eliminate stigmatisation of mental ill-health from our parishes, schools, communities and organisations.

You drew near to those who were suffering in body or mind.

May we too feel your nearness when we struggle with mental health challenges.

May we be one as members of Your Body.

You invite us to share in your ministry of love and true compassion.

May we be empowered by your Spirit to reach out to all people in need.

May we build communities of welcome and inclusion.

Amen

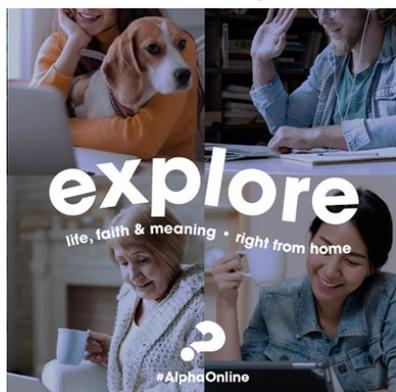
THANK YOU

The Social Justice Group would like to thank Fr Greg and everyone who supported our annual blanket



appeal last weekend for the Tibetan refugees living in the Dee Why area. The continued generosity and compassion of our parish is greatly appreciated. We now have a wonderful supply of warm blankets and doonas to distribute to our Tibetan friends.

ALPHA BEGINS AGAIN
TUESDAY, 22 SEPTEMBER 2020
7:30-9:00pm

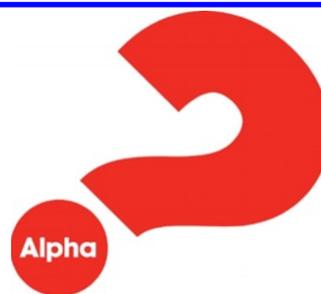


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LAST CHANCE TO
REGISTER

Alpha Reunion

Tuesday, 1 September 2020
On Zoom 7:30-9:00pm

Registration essential...we need to know for catering.
We have a great night on Zoom planned.

**PLEASE REGISTER BY SUN-
DAY 30 AUGUST 2020**

To Register go to the parish website:
www.bbcatholic.org.au or type this link into your browser <https://bit.ly/32cqtAv> All queries, please contact Jen in the office or email: jen-nifer.perrott@bbcatholic.org.au We look forward to seeing you there...

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