



Sunday 11 February— 6th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Holy Name Catholic Parish

DIOCESE OF BROKEN BAY

35 Billyard Avenue Wahroonga 2076

Web | www.holynamewahroonga.com.au



Welcome!

A very warm welcome to anyone visiting our parish. It is good to have you with us. If you have any questions or would like to know more about our community at Holy Name please visit our parish website at www.holynamewahroonga.com.au. We hope you enjoy your time here at Holy Name Wahroonga. Please visit us again soon.

**This Saturday Evening at our 5pm Mass
we welcome Bishop Peter as our Celebrant
whilst Fr David attends to a diocesan matter.**

**After our Mass
enjoy our Sausage Sizzle, thanks to our Pastoral Council!**

**We commence our Annual Season of Lent
Ash Wednesday, 14 February
Mass with the Distribution of Ash will be celebrated at
9.15am
8.00pm**

Throughout our church this weekend you will see
many resources for our Lent.
Do take one of the brochures!

Each Friday evening in Lent we will participate in the Diocesan
"The Light is ON" initiative

See the cards in the pews of the church.

**This Friday evening at 7pm we join with the whole of the Church
in Australia in a Liturgy of Reparation for the crimes of sexual
abuse committed in our Church.**

Would you like to join one of our parish dinners during Lent?

**We will have dinner at Prouille on 4 Wednesday evenings
beginning on Wednesday 21 February.**

We will enjoy a meal together, a presentation,
and small group discussion.



At our Masses this Weekend

**we welcome Chris Goldrick who invites us to consider
participating in one of our many liturgical ministries**

Every weekend there are 3 Masses at Holy Name, and we have many great people who assist in making the liturgies as special as they are. Now is the time to renew and refresh our liturgical ministries. So, if you are looking to undertake a ministry, change what or when you do it, even stand down – now is the time to advise your intent.

The ministries are many and varied- Readers, Eucharistic Ministers, Acolytes, Altar Servers, Collectors, Hospitality, Piety store, Welcoming teams, Children's liturgy etc. Quite a lot! Please speak to Chris Goldrick or contact him (details in the bulletin). Full training is available and your support will be most appreciated. We plan to publish new rosters in the near future.



Friday, 16th February - Happy Chinese New Year!
The Chinese New Year of 2018 falls on February 16th
(Friday), and will last to 2nd March.

2018 - Year of the Dog

A person born in the **Year of the Dog** is the most conservative and traditionalist of all the signs of the Chinese zodiac. In the professional world, the Dog is often a lawyer, judge, police officer, teacher, educator, priest, doctor, trade unionist, left wing politician, secret agent, philosopher, critic or writer. Chinese New Year 2018's resolution for the Dog: "A New Start"

*We seek to grow as a Welcoming and Inclusive Community, supporting
Life's Journey, through God's Grace and Mercy*

Parish Masses This Week

Monday	12 February	No Mass	Weekday, Ordinary Time 6
Tuesday	13 February	9.15am Mass	Weekday, Ordinary Time 6
Wednesday	14 February	9.15am Mass 8.00pm Mass	ASH WEDNESDAY
Thursday	15 February	9.15am Mass	Thursday after Ash Wednesday
Friday	16 February	9.15am Mass	Friday after Ash Wednesday
Saturday	17 February	5.00pm Mass	Saturday after Ash Wednesday
Sunday	18 February	9.15am, 5.30pm Mass	FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT



This Week: Jesus cures the leper/ Jesus has the power to heal (**Sharon Johnson/Sally Oong**)

Next Week: After forty days in the desert, Jesus proclaims the reign of God (**Laura Munce**)

Please Remember in your Prayers

RECENTLY DECEASED

Rose Paton (friend of Pam Gallagher), died 5 February), Joan McCarthy (Sri Wijetunga's son-in-law's mother), Eugene O'Carrigan (brother in law of Patrick Kirkwood), Margaret Comensoli Bishop Peter's mother), Ricki Hayes, (friend of Cecilia Kean, 7 January), Margaret Couch (Paul's mother, 25 December, aged 93), Dr Tom Macken, Molly Goldsworthy (sister of Chris Madden, 19 December), Joan McNalley (mother of Greg, 19 December, aged 100), Joe DeGuara, (Father of Damian), Neville (George) Thornton (Jackie's father in law, 15 December, aged 98), Barry Fields (brother of Helen Tysoe), Yvonne Pickup (14 December), Priscilla Sebastian (2 December), Frances Sim (30 November), Brian Muir (former parishioner, 30 November, friend of Jennifer and Barry Clibborn), Theophilus Allen, Marie Shortis (27 November), Kathleen Bosch (24 November, in USA, sister of Mike), Adrian Forsyth, Swarna Perera (Lucian Wijetunga's sister, 14 November), Winifred (Wyn) Grainger (sister of Dennis Robson, died in England, aged 96 years), James Gray (grandson of Edda Fragiaco and son of Sylvia Fragiaco/Gray).

RECENT ANNIVERSARIES

Margaret Bizannes (6th anniversary on 7 February), Biagio and Jelsomina Abignano (22nd anniversary), Onofrio Cerrato (anniversary on 2nd February), Damion (Sri Wijetunga's brother, 48th anniversary, 31st January), Vivian (Sri Wijetunga's grandmother, 44th anniversary), Patricia (Pat) Lynch, 1st anniversary, 23 January), Cheble El-Daher (father of Denise Kassis - 31st anniversary on 23 January), Joseph El-Daher (Denise Kassis' brother, 57th anniversary on 21 January), Lucy Machado (mother of Tony, 17th anniversary), Joan Clarke (1st anniversary, 22 January), Muriel Molnar (2nd anniversary on 21 January), Tod Walker (Lillas Roche's brother, 2nd anniversary on 20 January), Norma Robson, Vincent Tighe (father of Mike Tighe), Leo Tighe, (Uncle of Mike), Jacqui Hunter (birthday on 16 January), Elisa Restrepo Azos and Soila Restrepo, Tim O'Brien (8 January), Emila Nassa (7th anniversary, 6 January), Mario Severino (26 December), Tony Coutinho (4th anniversary on 16 December), Muemile Nassar (anniversary 6 January), Elisha Foti (4 January), Terry Goldrick (Chris' father, 3rd anniversary on 7 December).

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

David Coombes, Christopher Roche (Lillas' son), Reg Kirkwood (brother of Patrick), Mary Salter, Liz Rodgers (friend of the Waldron's in Melbourne), Steve Ralph, Doris Buzinskas, Christopher Anderson, Vera Priestley (mother of Candy Cosgriff), Pat MacMillan, Alex Koroknay (Pam's husband), Lucy Chee (David's mother), Jim Clayton (Fran's father-in-law), Gus Almgren, Madeleine Ryan, Gabrielle Flood, Mary Greco (friend of Eleanor Cooray), Grant Jepson, Noeline Mannix, Madeleine Reicher (granddaughter of Patricia Cox), Philip Stanley, Thomas Nash, Raymond McGarry (brother of John), Catherine McManamey, Donna Lucas, Andrew Watson, Ross Truda, Frances Hall, Anne Sutcliffe (Walter's wife), Brian Macmillan (Pat's brother in NZ), Jack Graham (son of Peter and Ali Graham), Khanh Nguyen (brother of Judy Bohlsen, in the US), Helen Gait (wife of Tom), Matthew Ho (father of Caroline Ho), Kevin Madden (brother of Chris), Priya Amernath, Ferdie Moraza (nephew of Rose Planas), Fay Partridge, Sandra Perera and Wilma Arndt (friends of Sri Wijetunga), Gamini Beneregama (Eleanor Cooray's brother in law in Melbourne), Lillian Whitty, Mary Gibbs, Chad Walkaden, Noelene Burke, Eunice Spangaro, Maureen Ritchard, Martin McCreton (brother and brother in law of Conor and Leila McCreton), Margaret Hayes, baby Kendal, Reginald Broderick, Denise Waudby (Patrice Buzinskas' sister), Michael Walsh, Caoimhe Browne, Murray Howe, George Dunne, Sue Roche.



Congratulations
to the Leaver Family

Francesca Evelyn
will be baptised this Sunday at 11:00am



From Fr David

Dear friends,

With our schools now fully back, and with our Season of Lent beginning early this year, we now have the sense that the year is gathering momentum! This weekend, we introduce a range of resources that may be helpful to you to make this time of preparation for Easter as spiritually fruitful as possible. Do be sure to take some of them home with you, and consider how you might enter the Season of Lent before us in a way that will have most meaning for you.

As you can see, on each Friday in Lent every church in our Diocese will be open for prayer. This is part of an initiative called "The Light is ON" which began in the Archdiocese of Washington DC. On this first Friday of Lent, however, we will use this hour with a special Holy Hour in union with the whole Church of Australia in reparation for the crimes of sexual abuse that have occurred in our Church. The Bishops of Australia have invited us all to join in the prayer of reparation for this lamentable history over the days from Ash Wednesday to the First Sunday of Lent. From the week after, we will return to our annual practice of praying the Stations of the Cross each Friday evening.

Over four weeks of Lent, each Wednesday evening we are offering everyone the opportunity to come together for a meal at Prouille School at 7pm, following the very successful formula we enjoyed through our Alpha Series last year. After our shared meal each evening, there will be a Lenten presentation and the opportunity for reflection in small groups. Do sign up on the page at the entrance to the church!

Given a diocesan matter I need to attend to on Saturday evening, Bishop Peter will celebrate our 5pm Mass. On Sunday evening, I have to travel to Brisbane to give some lectures at the Queensland Seminary on Monday and Tuesday morning. Our Carmelite friends will celebrate Mass on Sunday evening and Tuesday morning.

Our Parish Pastoral Council for 2018 meets this Tuesday evening to commence its work for the year. There will be much for us to consider, including the celebration of our 70th anniversary as a Parish, the Year of Youth being celebrated through the Church this year, and the ways in which our own Parish might contribute to the processes leading up to the 2020 Plenary of the Church in Australia. We look forward to being able to announce the Executive of our 2018 Parish Pastoral Council next weekend!

Upcoming Events

Wed 14 Feb		Ash Wednesday, Beginning of Season of Lent
Fri 16 Feb	7.00pm	Liturgy of Reparation for Sexual Abuse in our Church—A national initiative
Sun 18 Feb		Half Yearly Financial Report to Parish
Wed 21 Feb	7.00pm	First of four Parish Dinners and Talks with Discussion for the Season of Lent
Fri 23 Feb	7.00pm	Stations of the Cross and on each following Friday in Lent.
Sun 25 Feb	2.30pm	Annual Cana Community Appeal Professor Peter Bray, Vice Chancellor of the University of Bethlehem
Tues 27 Feb	7.30pm	Lenten Meditation with Ralph Kershler

World Day of the Sick – 11 February 2018

The theme for this year's World Day of the Sick is:
"Woman, behold your son ... Behold your mother. And from that hour the disciple took her into his home".

In his message for World Day of the Sick 2018, for Pope Francis puts before us the example of Mary, the mother of Jesus, as well as the disciple John. He says, 'Like Mary, the disciples are called to care for one another, but not only that. They know that Jesus' heart is open to all and excludes no one. The Gospel of the Kingdom must be proclaimed to all, and the charity of Christians must be directed to all, simply because they are persons, children of God.' Pope Francis says, "The Lord's words brilliantly illuminate the mystery of the Cross, which does not represent a hopeless tragedy, but rather the place where Jesus manifests his glory and shows his love to the end. That love in turn was to become the basis and rule for the Christian community and the life of each disciple. Before all else, Jesus' words are the source of Mary's maternal vocation for all humanity. Mary was to be, in particular, the Mother of her Son's disciples, caring for them and their journey through life." (Message for World Day of the Sick 2018) Pope Francis highlights the Church's long history of service to the sick which continues today like a "field hospital" that welcomes all those wounded by life; and calls for a renewed enthusiasm in this work.

The full message can be found at
w2.vatican.va/content/vatican/en.html in the 'Messages' section

Parish Diary in the Coming Week

Monday	12 February	9.00am - 11.00am	St Dominic's Playgroup - Sunroom
		11.00am-1.00pm	Hispanito's Playgroup - Sunroom
Tuesday	13 February	7.00pm	PPC Dinner and Meeting (Election of Executive)
Wednesday	14 February	9.15am	Ash Wednesday Mass (Prouille Years 3-6 attending)
		8.00pm	Ash Wednesday Mass
Friday	16 February	7.00pm	Liturgy of Reparation for the Crime of Sexual Abuse in our Church



Parish Events

Creating a Future of Hope

A special presentation by **Brother Peter Bray FSC**,
Vice-Chancellor of Bethlehem University



Bethlehem University is a Catholic University in the Holy Land, established in 1973 as a joint venture between the De La Salle order and the Vatican. With a student population that is 25% Christian and 75% Muslim, the University strives to be a place of peaceful coexistence, an oasis of peace and a beacon of hope.

Vice-Chancellor **Brother Peter Bray FSC**, a New Zealander, will offer a presentation on what is happening at the University; its context in the Holy Land and the challenges faced; and real-life stories of the students and the impact the University is having on their lives.



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SUNDAY 25 FEBRUARY 2018

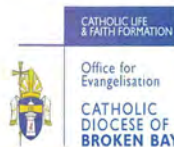
TIME
2:30PM - 4:00PM

VENUE:
SUNROOM
HOLY NAME PARISH,
35 BILLYARD AVENUE,
WAHROONGA

RSVP
FRIDAY 23 FEBRUARY 2018

RSVP TO: SECRETARY@HOLYNAMEWAHROONGA.COM.AU
OR 9489 3221

A DONATION BOX WILL BE AVAILABLE IN SUPPORT OF THE STUDENTS OF BETHLEHEM UNIVERSITY.



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50's And Over Singles Group Holy Name Parish Wahroonga

Trip to the Tramsheds at Harold Park Glebe on Friday 23rd. February 2018.

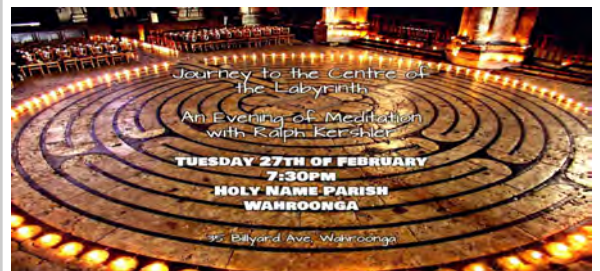
We will meet on the concourse of Gordon Station at 10.15 am. to take the next train to Central Station where we change and catch the light rail to Jubilee Park.

The Tramsheds are one of Sydney's newest food destinations and is home to over ten restaurants, cafes and bars. Remember to bring your shopping bags as there are lots of food outlets, with some interesting things to buy. There is a restored Sydney tram inside which is used as a restaurant. On arriving we can have morning tea at one of the cafes and after touring through the centre we can have lunch.

Enquiries please phone Susan Robson on 0404 005 267
or
Reg Gibbons on 9481 0334 or 0409 599 440.

Young Adult Spirituality Evening In our Holy Name Church Tuesday 27 February - 7.30pm

Walking the Labyrinth and Meditation
Finding yourself and God in the centre on your journey
A spiritual way of purgation union illumination
Led by Ralph Kershler



Preparation for the Sacrament of RECONCILIATION

Eligibility: Candidates must be seven years of age or older (Year 3). In our Diocese, the sacrament of Reconciliation is celebrated before First Eucharist and after Confirmation.

Parents' Welcome and Information Evening for Reconciliation & First Eucharist combined

Tuesday 20 February 7-9pm in the Veritas Hall at Prouille School. This is an information evening for parents, which includes refreshments.

Group Leader Training:

Tuesday 27 February, 7.00pm, Prouille School
5 Water Street, Wahroonga

Sacramental, 3 March, 10 March & 17 March at 3.45pm, each followed by 5pm Mass at church.

Celebration of Reconciliation: Choice of either 5.15pm or 6.30pm at church

Come as You Are Discussion/ Reflection group

Thursdays after morning Mass.

Coffee and cake first to start at 10am.

All very welcome.

Patrick Kirkwood and
Annette Stuart-Robertson
0439 649 906



From Bishop Peter Comensoli



We proclaim a crucified Christ

1 Cor 1:23

LENTEN PENANCE

Lent is a preparation for Easter, the focal point of the Church's liturgical year. As we prepare for the most important of the Christian feasts we are reminded of the love that God has shown in sending Jesus to us. Lent is a time of thanksgiving for what God has done for us. Jesus' announcement that the Kingdom of God had come was a proclamation of the divine intervention, which was intended to draw all humanity to a share in the divine life.

The preparation to receive the Kingdom is to repent: "Repent, for the Kingdom of Heaven is at hand." In the presence of Jesus, we are called to conversion. This is not just something that takes place once. Conversion is a continuing transformation of ourselves which opens us up more and more to God's presence in Jesus. Conversion is an ongoing reality in our lives.

We remember this especially at this time of Lent. Lent is a period in which we focus in a special way on turning our hearts towards God. To do this we must be ready to surrender ourselves. We need to find ways which are personally meaningful for us to bring about this surrender.

Friday 9 March is the celebration of **24 Hours for the Lord**. I ask parishes to have adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and the opportunity to celebrate the Sacrament of Penance as we join in solidarity with Pope Francis and the Universal Church. Another part of our penance could be to participate in **The Light is On** campaign.

Practices of penance are meant to help us to come to openness to God. They need to be educative, transforming us so that our hearts may turn more easily to God. The choice of Lenten penance is important. It is not just what we do; it is why we do it, and the effect that it has on our lives. Choose wisely and Lent can become a time of many graces and significant growth in our relationship with God.

DAYS OF PENANCE

Abstinence from meat and fasting are to be observed on **Ash Wednesday** and **Good Friday**.

On all other Fridays of the year the law of the common practice of penance is fulfilled by performing any of the following:

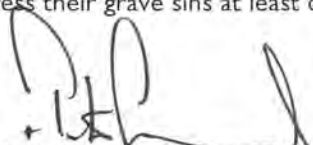
- a) **Prayer** – for example, Mass attendance; family prayer; a visit to the church or chapel; reading the Bible; making the Stations of the Cross; praying the Rosary.
- b) **Self-denial** – for example, not eating meat; not eating sweets or dessert; giving up entertainment to spend time with the family; limiting food and drink so as to give to the poor.
- c) **Helping others** – for example, special attention to someone who is poor, sick, elderly, lonely or overburdened.

All who have completed their eighteenth year and have not yet begun their sixtieth year are bound to fast. All who have completed their fourteenth year are bound to abstain.

In 2018, Lent lasts from **Ash Wednesday** (14 February) to The **Mass of the Lord's Supper** (29 March) inclusive. On **Good Friday** and, if possible also on **Holy Saturday** until the Easter Vigil, **the Easter Fast is observed**.

PASCHAL PRECEPT

Each of the faithful is obliged to receive Holy Communion at least once a year. This is done between Ash Wednesday, 14 February and Trinity Sunday 27 May, unless for a good reason it is done at another time during the year. All of the faithful are obliged to confess their grave sins at least once a year.


Most Reverend Peter A Comensoli
Bishop of Broken Bay
6 February 2018

Around and About



SERRA VOCATIONS MASS AND DINNER MEETING

Father Gregory Chee OCD, Parish Priest of Corpus Christi Parish St Ives will be celebrating Mass for Serra at **Sacred Heart Church 2 Richard Porter Way Pymble** on **Thursday 22nd February 2018**.

The evening commences with Mass at **6.30PM** followed by a light meal and a short meeting.

After dinner Father Gregory will be our guest speaker. He will speak about his vocation and his journey as a Carmelite Priest.

Everyone is welcome.

Please remember to pray every day for vocations to the priesthood, diaconate, the consecrated life, ecclesial women, all seminarians and novices and for the perseverance of existing vocations.

There are now 5 seminarians attending the Good Shepherd Seminary for Broken Bay Diocese with the hope of a further 2 in the months ahead.

World Day of Prayer—March 2018

SURINAME

All God's Creation is Very Good!



Date Friday, 2nd March, 2018.

Time 11.30am

Place St. John's Uniting Church,
Coonanabarra Road, Wahroonga.

Mount St Benedict Centre

Lenten Reflection Day - Seeking God who keeps looking for us

Lent calls us to renew and deepen our Christian call to the faithful seeing of God. The biblical story of God and God's people invites us into relationship with God. We seek God because God has first sought us. We will explore selected passages from Genesis, the Psalms, Prophets and Gospels to discover more about this desire of God for us, and our response in seeking God. The day will include input, conversation and time for quiet reflection.

The day will be facilitated by respected biblical scholar and teacher Dr Michele Connolly rsj.

Date: Saturday 17 February, 10.00am -3.30 pm

Cost: \$30 morning tea provided, BYO lunch

Reserve your place by email mtstbenedict@goodsams.org.au or ph 8752 5390

Information Evening

In the Footsteps of St Paul Pilgrimage

Fr. Peter De Souza from Hornsby Cathedral, would like to invite you for an info night for a 14-day pilgrimage that he is leading. The group departs on 28th of May, 2018, featuring Athens, Corinth, Ephesus, Patmos, Crete, Santorini, Thessaloniki, Philippi, Meteora for an all-inclusive early-bird offer of \$5,690. This tour also includes a 3 Night Cruise. For complete details regarding the pilgrimage, interested Pilgrims are invited to join the Info-night with Fr. Peter and the tour-representative on 17th February 2018 at 7pm at the Hornsby Cathedral Parish, 23 Yardley Ave, Waitara NSW 2077. For enquiries & bookings call 0385 622 246 or email pilgrimage@magiholidays.com.au

BIBLE SOCIETY PRESENTS

THE GOOD BOOK TALKS

Unknown, unloved and unbelieved.

The Book that shaped the Western world is now on the back shelf. Is that the way it should be? Does the Bible offer anything valuable for today's issues? Speakers Dr Greg Clarke, Dr John Dickson and Dr Justine Toh will argue for the ongoing value of the Bible in the areas of truth-telling, ethics and culture.

**THURSDAY
8 MARCH
7:30PM-9PM**

**VENUE ABBOTSLEIGH SENIOR SCHOOL
CNR PACIFIC HIGHWAY & ADA AVE, WAHROONGA
IN THE PETER DULY CONCERT HALL**

For more information and to register please go to goodbooktalks-abbotsleigh.eventbrite.com.au

FREE EVENT

Reconciliation Times in our Area

St Bernard's

21 Warrina St
Berowra Heights NSW 2082
ph: 9456 2450

Reconciliation:

Every Saturday before 5.30pm Vigil Mass

St Patrick's

1 Royston Parade
Asquith NSW 2077
ph: 9456 2450

Reconciliation:

Every Saturday after 9.00am Mass

Our Lady of the Rosary Cathedral

23 Yardley Avenue
Waitara NSW 2077
ph: 9483 2300

Reconciliation

Saturdays 10.00am-10.30am

Queen of Peace Church

18 Stuart Ave
Normanhurst NSW 2076

Reconciliation

Saturday 4.45pm - 5.15pm

Our Lady of Perpetual Succour

64 Kendall St
West Pymble NSW 2073

Reconciliation

Saturdays 9.30am

Sacred Heart

2 Richard Porter Way
Pymble NSW 2073
ph: 9144 2702

Reconciliation

5.00pm Saturday; 5.30pm Sunday; 8.30am Friday

Corpus Christi

263 Mona Vale Road
St Ives NSW 2075
ph: 9144 6998

Reconciliation

9.30am until 10.00am Saturdays

St Agatha's

20 Boundary Road
Pennant Hills NSW 2120
ph: 9484 1427

Reconciliation

Saturdays 8.30am-9.30am

Holy Family

Cnr Pacific Hwy and Highfield Rd
Lindfield NSW 2070
ph: 9416 3702

Reconciliation

Saturdays from 5.00 - 5.30pm

Immaculate Heart of Mary

76 Fiddens Wharf Rd
Killara NSW 2070
ph: 9416 3702

Reconciliation

15 minutes after the Vigil Mass (which is Saturday at 5.30pm)

St Gerard Majella's Parish Church

543 North Rocks Road
Carlingford, NSW 2118

Sacrament of Reconciliation

5:00 - 5:30pm Saturdays

Our Welcoming Team

Sat 5pm	Week 1	Joan Dell & Joy George
	Week 2	Milena Huntley Louise and Mia Koopman
	Week 3	Milena Huntley Lyn & Ray Attard
	Week 4	Mary Stanley, Dot Brink, Frankie Doran
	Week 5	Milena Huntley
Sun 9.15am	Week 1	Joanna Vella Giovanna Flores
	Week 2	Giovanna Flores
	Week 3	Ina Evans Giovanna Flores
	Week 4	Giovanna Flores
	Week 5	Halina and David Brett
Sun 5.30pm	Week 1	The Board Family
	Week 2	The Watson Family
	Week 3	Sri Wijetunga
	Week 4	Dominique Kind
	Week 5	Dominique Kind

DEMENTIA DISCUSSION GROUP TURRAMURRA

Programme - February to April 2018



The monthly meeting of the Alzheimers' Discussion/Education Group is held on the 3rd Monday of each month (except December) at the Richard Geeves Centre, 10 Murrumbidgee Road, Turramurra, commencing at 7.00pm. A list of speakers is set out below:

Monday 19th February	Pam Davis from the Dementia Assoc. will speak on Memory & Ageing and how to look after them.
Monday 19th March	Fair Trading Seniors Guild
Monday 16th April	Dr Bill Brooks will update us on Research.

Transform your marriage with BreakThrough Online FREE until Valentine's Day!

BreakThrough Online teaches spouses in stressed marriages how to identify their conflict triggers, uncover the deeper issues and learn strategies to reconnect. A practical, solution-focused workshop for all stages of marriage. This workshop will arm you with skills and insights to reset your relationship. Register for **free** at - www.smartloving.org/breakthrough/

Parish Contact Information and Mass Times

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Postal Address	P O Box 385 Wahroonga NSW 2076	
Prouille School	5 Water Street Wahroonga NSW 2076	
School Principal	Mrs. Susan Bevan	
Phone	(02) 9489 3233	
School Website	www.prouilledbb.catholic.edu.au	
Sacristan and Co-ordinator Altar Society	Mrs. Rosalie Talty	
CCD Coordinator	Mrs. Cecilia Kean	
Eucharist Ministry to the Sick Coordinators	Mr. John Boswell; Mr. Chris Madden; Mr. Paul Sutherland (Housebound)	
Weekend Ministries Coordinator	Mr. Chris Goldrick	goldrick@bigpond.net.au/ 0450 963 596

Weekend Masses:

Saturday 5.00pm

Sunday 9.15am and 5.30pm.

Mass on Tuesday to Friday: 9.15am

Rosary after Mass on Tuesday

Morning Tea after Mass on Wednesday

Special Intercessions/intentions remembered at Friday Mass.

Friday evening: Holy Hour from 7.00pm (not in January)

Mass is also celebrated:

Our Lady of the Rosary Cathedral, Waitara: Monday 9.30am

St Leo's College: Friday 12.55pm during school terms

Eucharistic Adoration is available in the Aquinas Chapel:

Tuesdays and Fridays from 10.00am – 6.00pm

(Vespers with Dominican Lay Chapter 3.00pm on 2nd Sunday)

Baptism:

Every second and fourth Sunday of the month at 11.00am.
Please make an appointment through the Parish Office

Marriage:

By appointment, at least six months in advance.

Sick Calls:

Any time day or night.

Please call 0408 350 885 out of office hours

Confessions:

Saturday 11.30am or by appointment

Sacrament of Anointing:

Last Thursday of the month following the 9.15am Mass
At Hammond Care, North Turrumurra monthly

Parish Pastoral Council in 2018

Ken Laing, Kerri Donovan, Rachel Mitchell, Lauren Montgomery, Tim Quilty, Janet Walker, Gemma McDermott, Tom Waugh, Lucian Wijetunga, Giovanna Flores-Clarke, along with Sue Bevan (Prouille) and Vanessa Dillon (St Lucy's)

Parish Finance Committee in 2018

Marinela Mendes, Tony Monardo, Brian McGarry, Robyn Elizondo

Parish Fundraising Committee

Noel Kean (Chair), Alan Amodeo, Meredith Baume, Kevin Figueiredo, Jo Karaolis

Thank you for your financial contribution to the support of our Parish Community and its priests—it is very much appreciated.

- The 1st Collection taken up at Mass goes to the Clergy Remuneration Fund for the financial support of the priests.
- The 2nd Collection taken up at Mass is for the upkeep of the Parish.

We invite you to help our Parish by committing to a Planned Giving scheme. Please see the parish office for the way you can participate in this. Another way to assist our parish is to consider a gift in your will. Your gift of any size will help our parish continue our good works & outreach. Please contact the parish office for a confidential discussion or more information. (Alternatively see the "giving" pages at www.dbb.org.au)

Donation by Electronic Transfer

Wahroonga Catholic Parish Account BSB: 062-784 Account No: 1389 8001 CBA- 48 Martin Place, Sydney

EFTPOS Available in Parish Office

Do be sure to take a copy home of "Our Sunday Celebration" available at the entrances to our church.

From Sunday 4 February, again, Inside there is much wonderful reading for our spiritual nourishment.

Would you like to receive our Parish Bulletin by email? Please contact our Parish Secretary
secretary@holynamewahroonga.com.au

Do you need a lift to Mass? Be sure to let our Parish Office know and we will seek to assist you.