

# Sunday 12 May - Fourth Sunday of Easter

# **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.

# God could not be everywhere, so the invaded Mothers.

## Happy Mothers' Day

to all mums, mums-to-be, grandmas, great-grandmas, Godmothers, and women who dedicate their lives to children. You are truly a blessing to your families and to our parish.

On Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> May 4pm in the Sunroom we commence our series of Seminars of Ministries for weekend Masses, with Eucharistic Ministers. **All are welcome** -including existing ministers plus anyone interested in being involved.

We will run through the practicalities of the ministry, as well as the spiritual importance of the ministry, plus any questions or concerns.

- \* Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> May, 4pm Readers
- \* Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> June, 4pm Servers
- \* Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> June, 4pm Acolytes

Attendance does not mean you have to commit. Each session is planned to run for an hour.

# May Annual Mass Count

Throughout the month of May the Annual Mass Count is taken throughout the whole of Australia. This gives us the sense of trends both in parishes and in dioceses. If you see people wandering around the church counting the number of people at Mass, this is the reason!

## **Preparation for First Communion**

Our First Communion candidates commence the first of their 3 preparation groups this weekend and join us at our 5.00pm Mass. There is a sausage sizzle after Mass and everyone is welcome!



Our children will receive the Sacrament of the Eucharist on the weekend of 1-2 June. See Page 4 for further details.

# CWF Final Appeal for 2018/19 continues this weekend

The Charitable Works Fund is working every day to support faith-based services for the people of the Diocese of Broken Bay. Supporting the CWF puts your gift to work in our local faith community. Donations \$2 and over are tax-deductible. Thank you for your kindness, your thoughtfulness and your generosity to these organisations:



CatholicCare Hospital Chaplaincy & Pastoral Care Practitioner Program, Confraternity of Christian Doctrine, St Lucy's School, St Edmund's College and Ephpheta Centre.

"How marvellous it would be, if at the end of the day, each of us could say: today I have performed an act of charity towards others" - Pope Francis

# Parish Masses This Week

Monday	13 May	No Mass	Monday of the 4th week of Easter
Tuesday	14 May	9.15am Mass	St Matthias, apostle
Wednesday	15 May	9.15am Mass	Wednesday of the 4th week of Easter
Thursday	16 May	9.15am Mass	Thursday of the 4th week of Easter
Friday	17 May	9.15am	Friday of the 4th week of Easter
Saturday	18 May	5.00pm Mass	Vigil of the FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
Sunday	19 May	9.15am & 5.30pm Mass	FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



This Week: Next Week: No Children's Liturgy - Mothers' Day and Family Mass

Jesus issues a new commandment, love one another. (Anne Nicol)

# Please Remember in your Prayers

#### **RECENTLY DECEASED:**

Fr John Pearce (Passionist Father, friend of Margaret and Patrick MacMillan died in New Zealand, 5 May), Luis Felipe Ayala (nephew of Ben Ayala, died in Venezuela on 30 April aged 15 years), Sr. Teresita (Joan Sexton - friend of Pam Gallagher died 26 April), Keith Walmsley (Rachel Mitchell's Dad, died 17 April, aged 91yrs), Agnes Tiong (friend of Caroline Ho and family, died on 16 April), Andy Watson (son of Maurice and Jane, died 13th April, aged 28 years, husband of Rocio and brother of John, Joseph, Roisin, Elizabeth, James, Rebecca and Benedict), Terry Blanchard (former Principal of St Leo's Catholic College, died 10 April aged 80 years), Athol Higgins (husband of Norma, died 30 March, aged 95), Gus Almgren (died 23 March, aged 92), Byrant and Yvonne McGrath (brother and sister-in-law of Ves McGrath), Guiseppina Zappia (sister of Elizabeth "Betty" Severino, died 6 March, aged 93).

#### **RECENT ANNIVERSARIES:**

Eileen Shannon (mother of Christine Shannon—6th anniversary on 11th May), Ngaire Young (mother of Monica Dinnar, 2nd anniversary 13th May), Carol Miller (mother of Jackie Thornton, 7th anniversary on 14th May), Enid Phillips (mother of Megan Khannah, 11th anniversary on 15th May), Antonio Mollace (Theresa Vumbaca's dad - 2nd anniversary on 14 May), Herb Grey (friend of Colin Wilson), Andy Couch (son of Gemma & Paul, brother to Greg and Jessica, 2nd anniversary 8th May), Fred Burke (husband of Betty and father of Virginia, 3rd anniversary on 6 May), Marina Byrne (Lauren Montgomery's mother, 2nd anniversary 7th May), Brent Kelly (husband of Lisa, 2nd anniversary 6th May), Margaret Tighe and Kristine Illingworth (Fr. David's sister, 2nd anniversary 11 April), Giovanni (Jack) Cincotta (father of Trish Maiolo, anniversary on 16 April), Caetano Maria Lopez (father of Quinnie Machado, 15th anniversary on 12 April), Margaret Tighe (mother of Mike Tighe), Gladys Price (aunt of Mike Tighe), Monica Gibbons (wife of Reg, 3rd anniversary on 21 April), In Raymond McGarry (brother of John, first anniversary on 1 April), Brian MacMillan (brother of Pat, 1st anniversary on 1 April). Helen Nader (sister of John Kassis, 9th anniversary on 1 April), Joseph El-Daher (60th birthday, 4 April, late brother of Denise Kassis). Noreen McGarry (15 year anniversary on 18 March), Vincent and Leo Tighe (father and uncle of Mike Tighe), Roger Thrum (Daphne's husband, 8th anniversary, 13 March), Terry Gallagher (husband of Pam - 10 year anniversary on 14th March), Ina Alsaka (mother of Suzanne Cooke, 5th anniversary on 9 March), Jonas Buzinskas (father of Peter, anniversary on 6 March).

## PRAYERS FOR THE SICK:

John McGarry, Freya Carney, Peter Brassil (great friend of Helen and Bill Tysoe), Belinda Nisbett (Prouille staff member), Mary Peachy (Brigid Wright's sister), Fr Michael Fallon msc (friend of Patrick Kirkwood), Fran Cuddy (St James Turramurra, KCEA), Helen Tysoe, Margaret Woodlands, Julia Farrell, Helen McGrath (friend of Jo and Frank Waldron), Ron Phillips (Lynne Attard's Dad), Charlie Attard (Ray's brother), Nancy Portelli (Ray Attard's sister), Hildegard McLaughlin, Barbara Dunning, Joan Dell, David Coombes, Mary Salter, Liz Rodgers (friend of the Waldrons in Melbourne), Steve Ralph, Doris Buzinskas, Christopher Anderson, Jim Clayton (Fran's father-in-law), Madeleine Ryan, Gabrielle Flood, Mary Greco (friend of Eleanor Cooray), Grant Jepson, Noeline Mannix, Madeleine Reicher (granddaughter of Patricia Cox), Philip Stanley, Thomas Nash, Donna Lucas, Ross Truda, Frances Hall, Anne Sutcliffe (Walter's wife), Helen Gait (wife of Tom), Kevin Madden (brother of Chris), 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.



Congratulations to the Cocks and Younan Families

Angus Geoffrey and twins Isabelle and Noelle

will be baptised this Sunday, 12th May at 11:00am



# From Fr David

#### Dear friends,

It is a great pleasure this weekend to welcome some 70 of our children preparing for the Sacrament of the Eucharist at the beginning of June. For the next three Saturday afternoons they will learn more about the Sacrament at the very heart of our Catholic faith and life. In so doing, they will celebrate the completion of their initiation into our Catholic Church which began in their Baptism and unfolded in their Confirmation. A special thank you to all those who are working with Sally Oong, our wonderful Sacramental Coordinator to prepare our children. And a thank you to those who are providing hospitality after our Saturday 5pm Masses to ensure that our children and their families feel especially welcome during this time.

We will continue to stage our Charitable Works Fund Appeal this weekend. This is the Appeal that supports the charitable works of our Diocese, particularly the wonderful work of our pastoral care people at the hospitals throughout our Diocese, as well as contributing to the work of St Lucy's and St Edmund's. Each Parish is expected to meet a certain annual quota for this Appeal, our own quota this year being just on \$32,911. Your generosity for the appeal is most appreciated!

Last Wednesday, Natalie Oong turned 21! Natalie is such a beautiful young woman who contributes so generously to the life of our Parish through her gift and ministry of music. She coordinates and plays the music at all our children's Masses, Sacramental Program Masses, and Young Adults Masses. We congratulate Natalie on such a wonderful milestone and thank her for being such a vibrant part of our parish family!

My experience of being present at the Australian Catholic Bishops Conference in Melbourne for the past week was a most constructive one. There were some 44 bishops from all over Australia present, and the place of our own Diocese of Broken Bay at the table was assured by my own participation. The days were long with five hours of meetings each day. Under the presidency of Archbishop Coleridge of Brisbane, together we reviewed the work of the various Bishops' Commissions and Councils and considered some significant issues facing the Church in Australia at this moment. There is still no indication of when a new Bishop will be appointed to our own Diocese, but I believe the processes continue to unfold and I am hopeful that we may have a new Shepherd to guide us by the end of the year. In the meantime, I now prepare to join the Bishops on their pilgrimage to Rome in June.

# Upcoming Parish Events

Sunday 12 May	Seminar for Weekend Mass Eucharistic	
Sunday 26 May	Seminar for Weekend Mass Readers at 4pm	
1– 2 June	Celebration of First Holy Communion	
Sunday 2 June	Seminar for Weekend Mass Servers at 4pm	
Sunday 9 June	Seminar for Weekend Mass Acolytes at 4pm	
14 June	Fr David departs for Meetings in Rome	

The Watson family would like to thank Father David, Father Anselam and parishioners at Holy Name Parish for all the support we had at the time of our son Andrew's death.



We thank you sincerely for all your messages of sympathy, your acts of kindness, flowers, cards and help on the day of the funeral. Thank you especially to the men who acted as parking attendants and those who packed up chairs at the end. Thank you also to the people that attended Andrew's funeral to accompany us. We are very grateful for the support given to us at this sad time. It made all the difference.

## Forthcoming Seminars for our Liturgical Ministries

In the coming weeks we are offering seminars for a number of our **weekend ministries**, all in the sunroom:

- Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> May, 4pm Eucharistic Ministers
- \* Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> May , 4pm Readers
- Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> June, 4pm Servers
- \* Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> June 4pm Acolytes

The idea is to give our teams an opportunity to further understand and discuss their ministries. Material will be provided, and updated guidelines distributed. Fr. David will be at all sessions. Whilst it is expected that it will be mainly existing ministers that attend- all are welcome. In the case of Acolytes and Servers we are looking for more volunteers, so those seminars are an ideal opportunity for anyone interested in being involved (attendance does not mean you have to commit). Each session is planned to run for an hour.

# Parish Diary in the Coming Week

Monday	13 May	9.00am-11.00am	St Dominic's Playgroup - Sunroom
Tuesday	14 May	2.10pm	Prouille Chapel Liturgy Year 1 at 2.10pm (Fr Anselam)
Thursday	16 May	10.00am	Come As You Are Reflection Group - Sunroom
		7.30pm	Parish Finance Committee Meeting (Review of 3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter)
		8.00pm	KCEA Meeting at Turramurra Uniting Church
Friday	17 May	7.00pm	Holy Hour in Church
Saturday	18 May	3.45pm	First Communion Preparation Groups - Session 2 of 3 at Prouille School followed by 5.00pm Mass and a sausage sizzle after Mass.

# Parish Events

#### **FIRST EUCHARIST**

**Eligibility:** Candidates must be in at least Year 3. Reconciliation is celebrated before First Eucharist.



# Sacramental Preparation Groups:

These are held at 3.45pm at Prouille School on:

**Saturday, 18 May** & Saturday, 25 May each followed by 5.00pm Mass at Church and a sausage sizzle after Mass.

Practices: Wednesday, 29<sup>th</sup> May, 2019.

5pm (for Sat Mass) and 6.30pm (for Sunday Mass) Celebration of First Eucharist in Mass at Church:

Saturday 1st June, 5pm OR Sunday 2nd June, 9.15am

#### The Dr Andrew Couch Memorial Fund

Founded 2 years ago through ANZCA (Australian and New Zealand College of Anaesthetists) Research Foundation. Should you wish to make a donation to the foundation, this can be made through: anzca.edu.au/research/foundation



Lenten Books - did you borrow this book? "Saint Faustina" by Susan Tassone

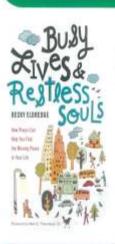
If so, can you please return it to the Parish Office?
Thank you.

# Journey Together Book Study

WIMEN'S FAITH SHARING WEERLY BOOK STUD

Journey Together Book Study is a fellowship of women who seek to more deeply explore their relationship with Jesus Christ and other Christian women. By reading the selected book, meeting weekly and sharing personal reflections, our goal is to strengthen, refresh and enhance our faith journey in a welcoming atmosphere at Holy Name Wahroonga.

Contact Karen Wong ( ) to register.





# STARTING WEDNESDAY JUNE 5TH

Come As You Can, Come As You Are!

We are excited to begin our first book journey with "Busy Lives & Restless Sould" by Becky Eldredge in June.

Come meet with us as we discover ways to rise above the every day survival mode together and find our missing peace.

WEDNESDAY NIGHTS 7-8.30pm Bring a friend, or come as you are, all women are welcome to share with us as we enrich our faith journey together.

We will meet in the Sun Room at Holy Name on Wednesday evenings, reflecting on one chapter a week.

Books are svallable online, so order now!



Walking in oneness with Our Saviour requires cultivation through the Language of Love, which is prayer. Intimate prayer brings us out of this world and lifts us up into a wonderful place of love in the presence of Our God.

"In your presence there is fullness of Joy; At your right hand are pleasures forevermore." (Psalm 16: 10,11)

Let us come together to enjoy the presence of Our Father, Jesus, and the Holy Spirit in a "Miracle Hour Of Prayer" on Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> May following the 5.00pm Mass in the Parish Sunroom, Holy Name Church Wahroonga.

In this method of prayer, the time is divided into 12 five-minute segments:

- 1) Praise
- 2) Singing to the Lord
- 3) Spiritual Warfare
- 4) Surrender
- 5) Release of the Holy Spirit
- 6) Repentance
- 7) Forgiveness
- 8) Scripture Reflection
- 9) Waiting for the Lord to speak
- 10) Intercessions
- 11) Petitions
- 12) Thanksgiving

I gladly look forward to joining with you in the Miracle Hour Prayer. **Eleanor Cooray** 

## 50's And Over Singles Group

The next outing for the Group is on Sunday 26th. May 2019 to visit the Australian War Memorial in Hyde Park Sydney. We will meet at 9.00 am at Gordon Railway Station and take the next train to Wynyard and change to go to Museum Station. After a tour of the War Memorial we will walk to St. Mary's Cathedral and pay a brief visit and then walk to Queen Victoria Building and have lunch.

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

# Refurbishment of our Confessional

For the past several years I have been committed to refurbishing our Room for the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Our current room is not adequate by today's standards: there is no glass in consideration of the Penitent, and there is only one entrance which is not safe for the Confessor. The expectation today is that Confessionals have at least an opaque glass panel which provides some transparency that the room is in use. Thankfully, a very generous parishioner has offered to provide this refurbishment with the design that is on the right hand side below. We express our enormous gratitude to them. The design will have the following features: it allows for two entries—one for the Confessor and one for the Penitent; the opaque glass will not render visible who is in the Confessional but will provide some transparency that the Confessional is in use; the interior of the room will remain as it currently is with the possibility of either confession behind a screen or face to face with the Confessor. Whilst retaining the current screen inside the room, we will look to repaint the room and to enhance the furnishings.

What is envisaged on the eastern side of the church for our Confessional will be duplicated on the western side to ensure aesthetic integrity. The room on the western side of the church, which currently is a store room for chairs, will be converted into a spiritual library for the community. We will need to think about how to store the chairs! However, the other advantage of the glass panels, on both sides of the church, is that they will admit of more light into the church itself, and 'lift' the interior of the church further.

Any change to our beautiful church can raise questions. However, I am hopeful that this particular renewal of our room for the Sacrament of Reconciliation will be a special enhancement of our church. **Fr David** 





# Spírít of St Lucy's

#### St Catherine of Siena Liturgy

This week the children at St Lucy's were invited to wear the colour yellow in celebration of the Feast Day of St Catherine of Siena. St Catherine is a prominent Dominican saint who was known for her stance on any injustice and advocacy for the rights of others. This is an annual celebration we have each year and the funds raised from the Mufti Day go towards a charity of choice – this year, the school has chosen Randwick Children's Hospital.











# Around and About

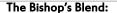
We are inviting the families of Parish of Holy Name Wahroonga to join us on Sunday, May 12th for the annual Flores de Mayo/Marian May Devotion. Rosary will start at 3 pm followed by floral offering. Mass will start at 3:30 pm.

We are aware that Mother's Day is a busy day for family celebrations. We hope that we can also honour Mary, Mother of God on the day. with rosary, flowers and mass.

My sincere apologies for the delay in sending this invitation. Thank you for your support.

Kind regards,

Cynthia Alipalo - Flores de Mayo Coordinator Mobile: 0416 188 835



Looking to network with other young Catholic professionals and learn how to live your faith in the workplace? Then join the Most Reverend Bishop Richard Umbers, Auxiliary Bishop of Sydney on Monday, 27 May 2019 at 7:00am at the Radisson Blu Plaza Hotel Sydney for The Bishop's Blend, a quarterly breakfast series for young professionals. Online booking is essential. For more information and to purchase tickets go to https://thebishopsblendeighthedition.eventbrite.com.au or contact us at bishopsblend@sydneycatholic.org



#### Aquinas Symposium 2019:

The Dominican friars of Sydney invite you to explore the wisdom of St. Thomas Aquinas during a day symposium to be held at Notre Dame University and St. Benedict's Church, Broadway on Sunday May 26th (10.30am-4pm). It will commence with 10.30am Mass at St. Benedict's followed by three presentations on the life and work of St. Thomas. The day will also include lunch and an interactive trivia competition. The cost is by donation though RSVP is required by Monday May 20th: aquinasevents@qmail.com.

# THE JOURNEY CATHOLIC RADIO PROGRAM airs 12 May 2019

This week on the Journey, our Gospel is John 10:27-30. Mother Hilda from the Abbey encourages us to "Have a Nice Day", Fr Dave Callaghan reminds us to "Become Like a Child", and Bruce Downes, The Catholic Guy, talks to us about "The call to Forgive". The music this week is woven through our program to create a peaceful flow of harmony that we know you enjoy.

Tune into Rhema CC 94.9 Sunday 1pm or go to WWW.jcr.org.au or www.itunes.jcr.org.au where you can listen anytime and subscribe to weekly shows by email.

#### Have you thought about where to send your child to school?



The Personalised Tutorial System, pioneered in Australia by PARED (Parents for Education Foundation), ensures that each child has the guidance of a personal mentor, the Tutor. They meet one-on-one throughout the year to work on goals for academic and character development, in close partnership with the parents.

PARED has two Independent Schools in the Hills area:



Tangara School on Franklin Road, Cherrybrook (boys and girls from Reception to Year 1. All girls from Years 2-12)

# Redfield College on Old Northern Road, Dural (all boys from Years 2-12)

Academic excellence • Character formation • Strong co-curricular program • Caring environment
 Community service and leadership • Solid religious education program on the teachings of the Catholic Church

Term 2 Open Day -Wednesday 29 May 2019 10.00am to 12.30pm (Tangara) 9.00am to 2.30pm (Redfield)

www.tangara.nsw.edu.au • 9680 4844 | www.redfield.nsw.edu.au • 9651 4066

#### Safeguarding in our Parish

A culture of Safeguarding values DIGNITY..."As the Father has loved me, so I have loved you; abide in my love." - John 15:9

## Family Drug Support

Family Drug Support is a not for profit organisation that provides non-judgemental, non-directive support and information to families and friends of drug users across Australia. It was founded in 1997 by Tony Trimingham following the loss of his son to a heroin overdose. In searching for support for himself and his family, he realised that there was very little available. Overwhelming response to a public meeting he organised led to the formation of Family Drug Support.

FDS has a privacy policy which ensures the confidentiality of any information they receive. Telephone support is available 24/7 on 1300 368 186. Or call in office hours on 4782 9222 or email admin@fds.ngo.org.au. Check out their web site on www.fds.org.au

# Reconciliation Times in our Area

# Our Welcoming Team

#### St Bernard's

21 Warrina St

Berowra Heights NSW 2082

ph: 9456 2450

#### Reconciliation:

2nd to 5th Friday of the month after 9 am Mass / 1st Friday of the month 11 am or phone for an appointment.

#### St Patrick's

1 Royston Parade Asquith NSW 2077

ph: 9456 2450

#### Reconciliation:

Every Saturday 9.30 am (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

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

#### Sat 5pm Week 1 Joy George Week 2 Louise and Mia Koopman Week 3 Milena Huntley Dot Brink and Frankie Doran Week 4 Week 5 **Emma Spinks** Sun 9.15am Week 1 Amanda and Nathan Woo Week 2 Fiona Tubb Week 3 Ina Evans Week 4 Natalie Djurovic Week 5 Halina and David Brett Sun 5.30pm Week 1 Marie and Simon Board \*\* Week 2A Saree and Kiara Zaragoza \*\* Week 2B Jane and Maurice Watson Week 3 Sri Wijetunga Week 4 Dominique Kind

# Keeping our Parish Site Safe

Dominique Kind

Week 5

Throughout our church and its environs are a number of aids for our safety:

At all the entrances to the church please observe the **Evacuation Signs** on the walls.

We have two **Assembly Points** outside the church: In front of the church In the Car Park behind the church

## We have a Defibrillator

near the noticeboards at the rear of the church to the right of the entrance.

## We have First Aid Kits in

the Morning Tea Facility in the Church Foyer The Parish Sunroom The Sacristy

## We have Dangerous Chemical Registers

Under the sink in Our Parish Sunroom The Sacristy

And many Doctors in the House!

# Parish Contact Information and Mass Times

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Office Hours Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 8.30am—5pm

Phone (02) 9489 3221

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)

Mr Chris Goldrick cgoldrick@optusnet.com.au 0450 963 596

#### Weekend Masses:

Saturday 5.00pm

Sunday 9.15am and 5.30pm.

Mass on Tuesday to Friday: 9.15am

Weekend Ministries Co-ordinator

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

#### 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 Turramurra monthly

## Parish Pastoral Council in 2019

Gemma McDermott (Chair), Chrissie Goldrick (Deputy Chair), Tess Denham-Fabry, (Secretary), Tom Waugh, Lucian Wijetunga, Giovanna Flores-Clarke, Ian Edmunds, Samantha Vieira, along with Sue Bevan (Prouille) and Vanessa Dillon (St Lucy's) and Terry O'Keefe (St Edmunds)

## Parish Finance Committee in 2019

Marinela Mendes, Tony Monardo, Brian McGarry, Robyn Elizondo, Tim Quilty, Lucian Wijetunga (PPC Rep)

#### Parish Fundraising Committee 2019

Noel Kean (Chair), Meredith Baume, Anthony Weaver, Lyn Saul, James Toomey

#### 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)

## **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.

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