

Holy Name Catholic Parish DIOCESE OF BROKEN BAY

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14th July - 15th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

Dear friends,

We spend a great deal of our lives preparing and learning as we pass through each stage of life. Born into the world as a helpless baby, we mature through the love and concern of our parents and others. Each stage of life presents age related tasks for us to face in overcoming our fears and doubts. No life is mistake proof, and we learn how to get better at life's tasks by making mistakes and learning from them how to do it better next time.

Today in the gospel of St Mark (Mk 6:7-13) Jesus is preparing the disciples for the next stage of their journey by sending them out in pairs to proclaim the Kingdom of God. Obviously, the disciples are ready for the task of preaching otherwise Jesus wouldn't have sent them out. I imagine they were fairly nervous and realized how vulnerable they would be to failure. And yet, Jesus has some very wise words for them: 'If people do not welcome you and they refuse to listen to you, as you leave shake the dust from your feet as a sign to them.' The message of Jesus is: don't get disheartened. Those to whom they preach may not be ready yet, or they failed to understand your message.

The message they preach is about Jesus and His Kingdom. And Jesus preached this message, often rejected and misunderstood, he continued to preach the message of the kingdom despite its joyful and inclusive nature.

In 2024, while we may feel overwhelmed by the voice of social media and the pressures of society to undermine values and beliefs inherent in the words and teaching of Jesus, we, are the disciples being sent out now and our message is sustained and nurtured through the empowering love of the Holy Spirit. It was St. Francis of Assisi who said: 'when you preach, you may even have to use words.' It is our witness to the example of Christ which makes us the true bearers of his message to others.

Blessings,

Fr. Kelvin





Please Note:

The Parish Office will only open on WEDNESDAYS during the school holiday break. You can leave a message on 9489 3221 or email: Holyname@bbcatholic.org.au

Parish Masses This Week

Monday	15 July	No Mass				St Bonaventure, bishop, doctor
Tuesday	16 July	Mass	9.15am			Weekday, Ordinary Time 15
Wednesday	17 July	Mass	9.15am			Weekday, Ordinary Time 15
Thursday	18 July	Mass	9:15am			Weekday, Ordinary Time 15
Friday	19 July	Mass	9:15am			Weekday, Ordinary Time 15
Saturday	20 July	Mass	5:00pm			Weekday, Ordinary Time 15
Sunday	21 July	Mass	8.00am	9.30am	5:30pm	16th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

Please Remember in your Prayers

RECENTLY DECEASED:

John McEvoy (brother of Mary Poirrier, uncle of Sally Oong, died 14 June aged 79).

ANNIVERSARIES

Julie Raftery (Gemma McDermott's mother, 3rd anniversary 16 July), Norman Li (husband of Jennie, 4th anniversary on 13 July), Ethel Christenson (mother of Paul and Linda, mother in law of Virginia, and nana of Isabella, Alana, Claudia, Nick and Daniel) 3rd anniversary 13 July), Gabrielle Quirk (sister of Rosalie Talty, 7th anniversary on 14 July), Andre Henriks (father of Yvonne van den Berg, 5th anniversary 17th July), Joan Kirkwood (21st anniversary on 15 July), Susan Woodfine (daughter of Barbara and Maurice, sister of Michael, 2nd anniversary 6 July), Kathleen Busuttil (4th anniversary 10 July), Susan Lukas (mother of Andy and Donna Lukas, 5th anniversary 11 July), Daniel McGarry (son of Brian, 14th anniversary on 2 July), Br. Michael Stanley Madden cfc (Chris Madden's brother 3rd anniversary 2 July), Vincent McGarry (father of Brian, 19th anniversary on 3rd July), Margaret Woodlands (wife of Brian, mother of Joanne, Elizabeth and Kristin, 3rd Anniversary on 6th July), Kevin Francis Lynch (cousin of Jennifer Gregory, 8th anniversary on 5 July), Ramon Moraza (brother of Rose Planas, 8th anniversary on 4 July), James (Jim) Miller (Jackie's Dad—14th anniversary 30 June), Paul Pribila (6th anniversary 26 June), Kevin Madden (brother of Chris, 5th anniversary 14 June), Richard Doran (husband of Frankie, 13th anniversary on 16 June), Joan Crawford (aunt of Jenny Southam, 6th anniversary on 15 June), Joe Tulinsky (brother in law of Cyril Littrich, 5th anniversary 17 June), Felicity Gallagher (53rd anniversary on 20 June), John Fisher (husband of Yvonne, 2nd anniversary, 13 June), Mario Joseph Severino (birthday 9 June), David MacMillan (Pat's brother, 8th anniversary 9th June), George Doherty (former parishioner, 3rd anniversary 9 June), Estelle Smith (mother of Dot Brink, 30th anniversary on 11 June), Joseph Burke (Brother in law to Patrick Kirkwood, 3rd anniversary 11 June).

FOR THE SICK:

Gemma McDermott, Rosalie Talty, Fr Sam French, Tina Northcott, Mike Tighe, Mark Vinson Vallarta, Margaret Du Moulin (Edwina Potiris' mum, friend of Dominic McGrath), Conor and Leila McCreton, Bernard and Dorothy Tighe (brother and sister in law of Mike Tighe), Gerard Tighe (Mike's brother), Margaret MacMillan, Jonathan Tighe (nephew of Caroline Montouro), Will Green (aged 11yrs, friend of the Madden family), baby Joseph Akkary (great great nephew of Denise Kassis), Greg Hayes (brother-in-law of Maureen Kippax), Henry Alan Field (4yrs—grandchild of dear friend of Cecilia Kean), Judy Ford (sister in law of Irene King), Rosalie Bertaglia (friend of Megan Khannah), Pam Gallagher, Leon D'Apice, Geoff Deacon (brother-in-law of Irene King), Greg McNally, John Clark, Emma Vassallo (Granddaughter of Will Hayward), Alyssa Kent, Ted Hook (Antonina's husband), Joe Pulis, Margaret Anderson (sister-in-law of Frank and Jo Waldron), Norma Higgins, Davin and Sharon Ho, Leanne (Sharon's sister).

Please let the Parish Office know when someone can be taken off our Prayer List.







Congratulations to the Webster and Buckland Families



Chloe Kosala Nora and Luca Gordon

will be baptised this weekend.

There are many **Planned Giving envelopes** for the 2024/2025 Financial Year still to be collected. If you wish to cancel your would set of Planned Giving Envelopes, please contact the Parish Office as they are expensive to produce. If you would like to donate to our Parish by automatic deduction from your credit card monthly, please ask us for the relevant form.

Please Note: Tax receipts for PWBB (Pastoral Works Broken Bay) and Caritas* *are issued by request only.* Parish Office on 9489 3221 or email: Holyname@bbcatholic.org.au if you require a Tax Receipt.

What do the Readings say to us this Sunday - 15th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

First Reading: Amos 7:12-15: Go, prophesy to my people.

Second Reading: Eph 1:3-14: Before the world was made, it chose us in Christ. Alleluia, alleluia! May the Father

of our Lord Jesus Christ enlighten the eyes of our heart that we might see how great

is the hope to which we are called. Alleluia!

Gospel: Mk 6:7-13: He called the Twelve, and began to send them out.



VOCATIONS! IS GOD CALLING YOU TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN VOCATIONS MINISTRY?

SERRA VOCATIONS MASS AND DINNER MEETING

Father Robert Borg, Parish Priest of The Lakes Parish will be celebrating Mass for Serra at Sacred Heart Church, 2 Richard Porter Way Pymble on Thursday 25th July 2024.

The evening commences with Mass at 6.00 PM followed by a light meal and a short meeting.

Following the meeting Father Robert will be our guest speaker. His topic will be the Jubilee Year 2025.

Everyone is welcome.

Please remember to pray <u>every day</u> for vocations to the priesthood, diaconate, the consecrated life, ecclesial women, all seminarians, novices, and for the residence of Joseph House Discernment Centre. Please also pray for the perseverance of existing vocations.

For catering purposes kindly telephone Henry or Anna Leung on **0478 083 116** or email henrywk@yahoo.com.au or telephone Terry Scanlan on **0438 887 295** or email terry_scanlan@bigpond.com if you are planning to attend.

Parísh Groups



Men's Rosary & Bible Study

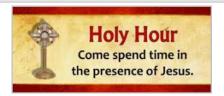
The men of HNW meet every fortnight on a Tuesday night to pray the rosary and read the Gospel. All men welcome.

Program

7:00pm Silent prayer in the church 7:10pm Rosary 7:45pm Gospel reflection & discussion

Next Meetings: July 16th & 30th

Contact Tomasz Grzech 0413 802 069



On Friday evenings we offer Holy Hour between 6:30pm—7:30pm. Everyone is welcome.





Parish Contact Information and Mass Times

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CCD Coordinator : Mrs Hayley Edmunds

Eucharist Ministry to the Sick Coordinators: Mrs Judy Dalton (SAN-Tues): Mr Barry Clibborn (SAN-Fri)

(Housebound) Mr Paul Sutherland

Weekend Ministries Co-ordinator: Volunteer needed please.

St Vincent de Paul (Wahroonga Conference): Mr Anthony Weaver (President) 0423 842 823, Mr Ken Laing

(Treasurer), Mrs Candy Cosgriff (Secretary)

Weekend Masses:

Saturday 5.00pm

(and FIRST Saturday of the month Mass at 9:15am)

Sunday 8.00am, 9.30am and 5.30pm Mass on Tuesday to Friday: 9.15am

8:45am Morning Prayer

Rosary after Mass Tuesday—Friday and after 1st Saturday Mass Special Intercessions/intentions remembered at Friday Mass.

Friday evening during Lent: Stations of the Cross 6:30pm

Mass is also celebrated::

Our Lady of the Rosary Cathedral, Waitara — Monday 7.00am St Leo's College, Wahroonga Friday 1:15pm during school terms

Baptism: Preparation - by appointment with Fr Kelvin Baptisms - 2nd and 3rd Sunday of the month at 11.00am. Bookings essential through the Parish Office.

Marriage:

By appointment, at least six months in advance.

Sick Calls:

Any time day or night.

Please call 0484 581 647 out of office hours.

Confessions:

Saturday 11.30am or by appointment. The list of times in surrounding parishes is on our parish website. We recommend you call the parish in advance to confirm times.

Parish Pastoral and Missionary Council: Rosalie Belsey, Nick Chapman, Anne-Louise Deakin, Chrissie Goldrick, Bernadette Holland-Lopez, Patrick Kirkwood, Sally Oong, Libby Ringrose, Sajanee Senn, Samantha Vieira, with Genevieve Smith (Prouille), Vanessa Dillon (St Edmunds) and a representative from St Lucy's.

Parish Finance Committee: Tony Monardo, Robyn Elizondo, Tim Quilty, Paul O'Brien.

Parish Fundraising Committee: Noel Kean (Chair), Meredith Baume, Anthony Weaver, Lyn Saul, James Toomey

The Parish Bank Account Number: The Catholic Development Fund (CDF) with whom the parish banks), has changed some of its processes. This means we have a new account number. In the past, we would provide the details here, however, in late 2020, the Diocese of Broken Bay advised we were no longer to advertise our bank account details in the parish bulletin or on our website. **SO WHAT DOES THIS MEAN**? If you would like to deposit directly to the parish account (on a regular or ad hoc basis), we need to provide you with the account number. There is no change to regular credit card contributors.

Thank you for your financial contribution to the support of our Parish Community and its priests. It is greatly 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 running and upkeep of the Parish.

We invite you to help our Parish by joining a Planned Giving scheme. Please contact the Parish Office for the way you can participate in this. Your gift of any size will help our parish continue our good works & outreach.

Alternatively see the "Make A Payment" tab on www.holynamewahroonga.com.au

IN CASE OF A MEDICAL EMERGENCY: Our Church is equipped with a defibrillator in the event of a cardiac arrest. It is located near the entrance to the church, next to the notice board. It is designed to be used by everyone. Please familiarise yourself with the use of this device at <u>AED Plus Step-by-Step Demo - YouTube</u> in case of an emergency.