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**Holy Name Catholic Parish** DIOCESE OF BROKEN BAY

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*19th March, 2023 - FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT*

Dear friends,

The gospel of St. John (Jn 9:1-41) this Sunday again focusses on a long dialogue between Jesus and the man born blind. Last week Jesus brought the Samaritan woman at the well to faith in Him as the Christ. A similar journey takes place in this week's gospel as Jesus restores the man's sight. The interaction between Jesus and the blind man emerges from a crucial question from the disciples: 'Rabbi, who sinned this man or his parents, for him to be born blind?' 'Neither he nor his parents sinned', Jesus answered, 'he was born blind so that the works of God might be displayed in him.' Jesus goes on to restore the man's sight, but the deeper insight is the man's coming to faith in Jesus as the 'Lord.'

We all need the healing touch of Jesus to restore our sight and heal our blindness when we fail to see and act on the truth, especially when it calls us to respond with an open heart and our desire to see our way forward as guided by the light which only Christ can give to us.

Blessings,

*Fr. Kelvin*



We are aware of a number of scam emails being sent using Fr Kelvin's name. If you receive such an email, please forward it to the Parish Office so we can keep our IT company informed. **Do NOT open any links or attachments.** Fr Kelvin's correct email address is: [kelvin.lovegrove@bbcatholic.org.au](mailto:kelvin.lovegrove@bbcatholic.org.au)



### *Easter Pop Up Choir*

Would you like to sing on Easter Sunday morning with the choir that simply pops up when it's needed? No experience required. Just a willingness to help to bring the joy on Easter Morning. The music is easy and the rehearsals relaxed. These are the proposed rehearsal times in the church:

***THIS Saturday 18 March 10-11.30am (in Parish Sunroom)***

Saturday 1 April 10-11.30am AND Saturday 8 April 10-11.30am - both in the Church.

We sing at the 9.30am mass on Easter Sunday 9 April 2023.

All music is provided at the first rehearsal. Please bring a pencil and water. Please sign up on the form at the back of church with your email and phone, or email Chrissie now on [chrissiegoldrick@gmail.com](mailto:chrissiegoldrick@gmail.com) or call on 0438 625 056.

I need to know in advance so that we ensure enough music is printed.

All ages and stages encouraged to join. It's a great way to take an active part in making Easter the biggest and best celebration of our church year.

## *Parish Masses This Week*

Monday	20 March	No Mass			ST JOSEPH, SPOUSE OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY
Tuesday	21 March	Mass	9.15am		Tuesday of the 4th week of Lent
Wednesday	22 March	Mass	9.15am		Wednesday of the 4th week of Lent
Thursday	23 March	Mass	9.15am		Thursday of the 4th week of Lent
Friday	24 March	Mass	9.15am		Friday of the 4th week of Lent
Saturday	25 March	Mass	5:00pm		The ANNUNCIATION of the LORD
Sunday	26 March	Mass	8.00am	9.30am 5:30pm	FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

### *Please Remember in your Prayers*

#### **RECENTLY DECEASED:**

Maggie Hendriks (mother of Yvonne van den Berg, died 24 February), Julia Martin (friend of Joanne Dummer, died 19 February), Lasserre Gomes (father of Linette Sardinha, died 28 January), Marie Gibbons (sister-in-law of Reg Gibbons, died 28 January), Kathleen Le Gras (sister of Brian McGarry, died 24 January), Daniel Joyce (husband of Sue, father of Joanna, Geoffrey and Nicholas, died 24 January), Monica Vince (cousin of Cecilia Kean, died 20 January), Patricia McGrath (wife of John, mother to Catherine, Julie, Lynette, Anthony, Sean and David, died 17 January).

#### **ANNIVERSARIES:**

Noreen McGarry (wife of Brian, 19th anniversary on 18 March), Roger Thrum (12th anniversary, 13 March), Terry Gallagher (husband of Pam - 14 year anniversary on 14th March), Ottaviano Praturlon (husband of Elsa, 27th anniversary on 6 March), Helen Gait (wife of Tom, 2nd anniversary, 9 March), Ina Alsaka (mother of Suzanne Cooke, 9th anniversary on 9 March), Jonas Buzinskas (father of Peter, anniversary on 9 March), Brian Fraser (husband of Devona, 7th anniversary on 10th March), Denise Waudby (sister of Patrice Buzinskas, 1st anniversary on 28 February), Zita Leung (good friend of Cecylia Ramsden, 1st anniversary, 19 February), Jack Jones (brother in law of Jo and Frank Waldron, 2nd anniversary 21 February), Tom Anderson (father of Margaret MacMillan) anniversary 22 February), Dennis Morgan (husband of Patricia, 1st anniversary 22 February), Kerry Lupton (1st anniversary, 20 February, wife of Vic, former parishioner and friend of Jen and Barry Clibborn), Peter Brassil (great friend of Helen and Bill Tysoe, 1st anniversary 22 February), Maureen Taylor (Carol Reidy's mother, 12th anniversary on 13 February), Ellen Babich (aunt of Cecylia Ramsden, 3rd anniversary 11 February), Chris Roche (Lillas' son, 5th anniversary on 12 February), Reg Kirkwood (brother of Patrick, 5th anniversary on 14 February), Margaret Bizannes (11th anniversary on 7 February), Evelyn Waters (cousin of Margaret MacMillan, 2nd anniversary 9 February), Ves McGrath (father of Dominic, brother-in-law of Reg Gibbons, 1st anniversary 26 January), Joan Clarke (6th anniversary, 22 January), Patricia (Pat) Lynch, 6th anniversary, 23 January), Toufic Kassis (brother of John, 3rd anniversary 20 January), Joseph El-Daher (Denise Kassis' brother, 62nd anniversary on 21 January, Cheble El-Daher (father of Denise Kassis - 36th anniversary on 23 January), Muriel Molnar (7th anniversary, 21 January), Damion (Sri Wijetunga's brother, 53rd anniversary, 31st January).

#### **FOR THE SICK:**

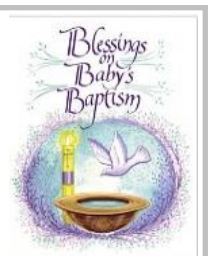
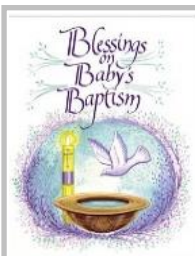
Donald Dunning, Susie Dunning and Frankie Dunning (siblings of Leila McCreton), Mary Stanley, Mitchell Lawrence (friend of Phillip King), Marian Noach, Pammie Lee (former parent St Lucy's & St Edmund's), Gerard de Silva, Mike Tighe, Philip Clump, Chris Le Gras, Lachlan Kean (nephew of Cecilia and Noel), Sally Salehian, Fr Martin Aye Ngwe, Conor and Leila McCreton, Tina Northcott, Rosalie Bertaglia (friend of Megan Khannah), Dympna Hayes (sister of Maureen Kippax), Margaret Ryan (sister of Reg Gibbons and wife of Con), Cyril Littrich, Pam Gallagher, Margaret MacMillan, Leon D'Apice, Geoff Deacon (brother-in-law of Irene King), Greg McNally, John Clark, Emma Vassallo (Granddaughter of Will Hayward), Dawn Phillips (Lynne Attard's Mum), Alyssa Kent, Ted Hook (Antonina's husband), Kevin Brown (brother-in-law of Halina and David Brett in England), Joe Pulis, Maurice Aliprandi (father of Erica Bayldon), Margaret Anderson (sister-in-law of Frank and Jo Waldron), Anne Carney, Walter Sutcliffe, Isla Fisher, Norma Higgins, Davin and Sharon Ho, Leanne (Sharon's sister), David Waldron (son of Jo and Frank), Judith Hodson, Freya Carney, Fr Michael Fallon msc (friend of Patrick Kirkwood), Hildegard McLaughlin, Doris Buzinskas, Christopher Anderson, Jim Clayton (Fran's father-in-law), Madeleine Ryan, Gabrielle Flood, Grant Jepson, Noeline Mannix, Madeleine Reicher (granddaughter of Patricia Cox), Thomas Nash, Ross Truda, Frances Hall, Lillian Whitty, Mary Gibbs, Chad Walkaden, Noelene Burke, Margaret Hayes, Reginald Broderick, Michael Walsh, Caoimhe Browne, Murray Howe, George Dunne.



### *Congratulations*

to the Cuarto and Senior Families

*Aurora Lucia and Madeline June*  
will be baptised this Sunday.





## What do the Readings say to us this Sunday - Fourth Sunday of Lent?

**First Reading:**     **1 Sam 16:1, 6-7, 10-13**  
*In the presence of the Lord God, they anointed David king of Israel*

**Second Reading:** **Eph 5:8-14**  
*Rise from the dead, and Christ will shine on you.*

**Gospel:**             **Jn 9:1-41**  
*The blind man went off and washed himself and came away with his sight restored*



### ST LUCY'S NEEDS VOLUNTEERS

- For both Wahroonga campus and satellite classes at Narrabeen and Narrabeena
- Various areas – e.g. classroom support, excursion support, Art room or 1:1 reading program (Wahroonga campus)
- Enquiries to [volunteer@stlucys.nsw.edu.au](mailto:volunteer@stlucys.nsw.edu.au)

**Requirements:**

- 2 hour volunteer session, one day a week for a minimum of two terms (20 weeks)
- Current Working with Children number
- Three Covid vaccinations

## OPEN DAY

**PROUILLE**  
Catholic Primary School  
WAHROONGA

Our Open Day is a structured morning that will provide you with an opportunity for meaningful insight into our school

- Meet our Principal, teachers, learning specialists, students and other families
- Learn about Prouille's faith-led approach, well-rounded education, small class sizes and personalised learning experiences
- Visit our classrooms, playgrounds, basketball and tennis courts, library and gardens
- Gain a real sense of Prouille's welcoming and nurturing community

**Wednesday**  
**29 March 2023**  
**10-11am & 6-6:30pm**

Come and experience first-hand why Prouille is the perfect choice for your children

Scan Now To Register

Genevieve Smith, Principal  
Prouille Catholic Primary School  
5 Water Street, Wahroonga NSW 2078  
9489 3233  
[prouille@dob.catholic.edu.au](mailto:prouille@dob.catholic.edu.au)

Inspiring hearts and minds to know Christ,  
to love learning, to use their talents  
to be the very best they can be.

We invite our parents and carers to visit our Open Days at one of our many vibrant and enriching learning environments within Catholic Schools Broken Bay. We have 44 schools with K-12 pathways spanning the Central Coast, Sydney's Northern Beaches and the North Shore educating 17,000 students across our schools.

To find Open Days near you and register visit <https://bit.ly/3xjYf77>  
 For more about our schools visit <https://bit.ly/3ISZJvT>

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northern beaches

central coast

### Appeal for Catechists

We teach at Warrabee on Wednesday morning and the Bush School on Thursday morning and the lessons are 30 minutes. Resources are supplied and training is offered by the Diocese. We have a wonderful group of catechists doing this but many are taking multiple classes or teaching a combined group as we need more volunteers. Contact Hayley 0438 948 947

## Parish Contact Information and Mass Times

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Prouille School :	5 Water Street Wahroonga NSW 2076	
School Principal:	Ms Genevieve Smith	
Phone :	(02) 9489 3233/ School Website: www.prouilledbb.catholic.edu.au	
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:	TBA	
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

8.30am - 9.00am *Silent Prayer*

9.00am—9.15am *Morning Prayer of the Church*

Rosary after Mass Tuesday—Friday and after 1st Saturday Mass

Special Intercessions/intentions remembered at Friday Mass.

**Friday evening during Lent from 3 March 2023:**

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 - last Sunday of the month.

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:** Tess Denham-Fabry (Deputy Chair), Ed Scully (Secretary), Chrissie Goldrick, Tom Waugh, Giovanna Flores-Clarke, Ian Edmunds, Samantha Vieira, Sally Oong and Roger Bohlsen, along with Genevieve Smith (Prouille) and Elizabeth Webster (St Lucy's) and a representative from St Edmunds.

**Parish Finance Committee:** Marinela Mendes, 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 deposit directly to the parish account (on a regular or ad hoc basis), we need to provide you with the new 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](http://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 [AED Plus Step-by-Step Demo - YouTube](#) in case of an emergency.**