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Jesus the Living Water
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2 July 2023 - 13th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

Dear friends,

In 1933 Dorothy Day founded the Catholic Worker Movement in New York. The uncanonized saint of the homeless was an outspoken advocate for the poor. She opened houses where the poor and disadvantaged were welcome, reviving the hospitality once favoured by the monasteries. Today there are 175 Catholic Worker Houses of Hospitality which care for the poor. She once said: 'If I have achieved anything in my life, it is because I have not been embarrassed to talk about God.' Dorothy Day talked about God through her actions by opening houses to feed, clothe and shelter the poor.

In the gospel of Matthew this Sunday, Jesus urges us to help those who are suffering and abandoned. He says: 'if anyone gives a cup of cold water to one of these little ones because they are a disciple, then I tell you they will most certainly not lose their reward.' (Mt 10: 42). How do we answer the call of Jesus today to offer hospitality by feeding the poor in our midst?

This Sunday, we welcome Mr Tim Curran from Catholic Care who will speak at 9:30am Mass regarding the significant number of positions within the Disability Sector of Catholic Care on the Central Coast. Overall, Catholic Care will be needing about 30-50 new employees, across the Central Coast, North Sydney and Northern Beaches and are hoping there may be people in Holy Name parish interested in these positions.

Sunday 2nd July is Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Sunday. Each year from all corners of Australia, Catholics gather on this day to celebrate the unique gifts and contributions of Australia's First Peoples. This year's theme, "A New Life in Christ" reflects the hope and promise of a brighter future, rooted in unity and shared commitment to positive change.

As the school holidays begin we wish our teachers, students and their families a safe and restful break.

Blessings,
Fr. Kelvin.



Senior Ladies Group - This Thursday

Our Senior Ladies Group is a casual, friendly group who meet in the Parish Sunroom for a chat, cup of tea and delicious afternoon tea. The group meets on the 1st Thursday of the month from 2:00pm-4:00pm in the Parish Sunroom. **Next Meeting: 6th July and everyone is welcome.** For further information, contact Mrs Jo Waldron 0412 018 819



At the **close of another Financial Year**, thank you for your financial support of the Parish. It is most appreciated and not taken for granted and our parish could not continue without your generosity.

The new financial year **Planned Giving Envelopes** are at the back of the Church for collection. Please consider contributing to our Planned Giving Program either by way of envelopes, monthly credit card deductions or bank transfer to assist in the upkeep of our parish resources and the daily running of our parish.

Forms are available at the entrance to the Church or have a chat to Fr Kelvin or phone Jackie (Parish Secretary) on 9489 3221 or email holynamewahroonga@bbcatholic.org.au for further information.

Parish Masses This Week

Monday	3 July	No Mass			St Thomas, apostle
Tuesday	4 July	Mass	9.15am		Weekday, Ordinary Time 13
Wednesday	5 July	Mass	9.15am		Weekday, Ordinary Time 13
Thursday	6 July	Mass	9.15am		Weekday, Ordinary Time 13
Friday	7 July	Mass	9.15am		Weekday, Ordinary Time 13
Saturday	8 July	Mass	5.00pm		Weekday, Ordinary Time 13
Sunday	9 July	Mass	8.00am	9.30am 5.30pm	14th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

Please Remember in your Prayers

RECENTLY DECEASED:

John Holland (friend of Dot & Peter Brink, died 19 May), Patricia Tudehope, Jann Brassil (friend of Helen and Bill Tysoe, died 1 June), Rosina Palamara (mother of Frances Carbone, died 9 May), Lillias Roche (longtime parishioner, died 4 May).

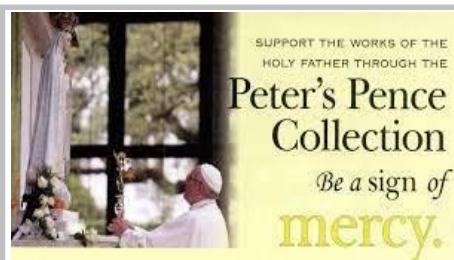
ANNIVERSARIES:

Daniel McGarry (son of Brian, 13th anniversary on 2 July), Br Michael Stanley Madden cfc (Chris Madden's brother 2 July, 2nd anniversary), Vincent McGarry (father of Brian, 18th anniversary on 3rd July), Ramon Moraza (brother of Rose Planas, 7th anniversary on 4 July), Kevin Francis Lynch (cousin of Jennifer Gregory, 8th anniversary on 5 July), Margaret Woodlands (wife of Brian, mother of Joanne, Elizabeth and Kristin, 2nd Anniversary 6 July), James (Jim) Miller (Jackie's Dad, 13th anniversary 30 June), Paul Pribila (5th anniversary on 26 June beloved husband and father), John Fisher (husband of Yvonne, 1st anniversary, 13 June), Mario Joseph Severino (birthday 9 June), David MacMillan (Pat's brother, 7th anniversary 9th June), George Doherty (former parishioner, 2nd anniversary 9 June), Estelle Smith (mother of Dot Brink, 29th anniversary on 11 June), Joseph Burke (Brother in law to Patrick Kirkwood, 2nd anniversary 11 June), Kevin Madden (brother of Chris, 4th anniversary 14 June), Fr Kevin Liam Condon OP (2nd anniversary 14 June), Joan Crawford (aunt of Jenny Southam, 5th anniversary on 15 June), Richard Doran (husband of Frankie, 12th anniversary on 16 June), Paul Pribila Noel Murphy (brother in law of Frankie Doran, 2nd anniversary 4 June), Sam Severino (Betty's husband, 2nd anniversary on 31 May), Ruth Gomes & Lasserre Gomes (Linette Sardinia's Mum and Dad, 10th anniversary 26 May, 4 month anniversary, 28 May), Brendan Thomas Stubbs (9th anniversary on 30 May), Harley John Cutler (uncle of Jennifer Gregory, 18th anniversary on 27 May), Maria Maiolo (Tony's mum, 9th anniversary on 20 May), Peter Reidy (3rd anniversary on 23 May), Peter Anderson (Frank and Jo Waldron's nephew, 9th anniversary on 19th May).

FOR THE SICK:

Dympna and Greg Hayes (sister and 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), Susie Dunning and Frankie Dunning (siblings of Leila McCreton), Mary Stanley, Mitchell Lawrence (friend of Phillip King), Gerard de Silva, Mike Tighe, Phillip 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), 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), Joe Pulis, 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.

If you know any of these names can now be removed, please let the Parish Office know. Thank you.



Peter's Pence Collection.

Parishes around the world will be taking up their **Peter's Pence Collection this weekend**, included those in our Diocese. It is always held around the time of the feast day of Saints Peter and Paul, 29 June.

The Collection supports the charitable works and structures of mercy identified by the Holy Father, Pope Francis. This includes the most disadvantaged and emergency situations including victims of war, oppression and natural disasters.

We know in recent years this Collection has been impacted greatly across the world by the COVID-19 pandemic and your support this year is greatly appreciated.

What do the Readings say to us this Sunday - 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time—Yr A

First Reading: 2 Kgs 4:8-11, 14-16: *That is the holy man of God, let him remain there.*

Second Reading: Rom 6:3-4, 8-11: *Having been buried with him through baptism we shall walk in a new life. Alleluia! Alleluia! You are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy people. Praise God who called you out of darkness and into his marvellous light. Alleluia!*

Gospel: Mt 10:37-42: *Anyone who does not accept his cross is not worthy of me. Anyone who welcomes you, welcomes me.*



Every year, on the first Sunday in July, Catholics come together to celebrate **Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Sunday**. It is an opportunity to acknowledge and celebrate the gifts of Australia's First Peoples to our Church, our country and our communities. The National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Catholic Council has developed a Resource Kit to assist in celebrating the day. Titled **A new life in Christ.....** it includes liturgical resources, Universal Prayers, homily notes, suggested events and video retreat presentations. Importantly, a youth activity has been developed that provides young people with the space to explore the upcoming Referendum from a Catholic and moral point of view. Visit: <https://www.natsicc.org.au/2023-atsi-sunday.html>

Urgent Request: "Many hands to make light work. *We have lovely ladies who have been volunteering cleaning the Church for many years. Now the time has come for them to step down and let some of the younger ones take over. If we could recruit a good number of helpers (both women and men), it may only mean a few hours a month is necessary.*

It would be great if we could find someone to at least initially clean the brass on the doors of the Church just to make the brass shiny and presentable. Only the brass plate would need to be done, as the filigree pattern on the brass plate looks fine at the moment and would just need a good wipe-over for the next few weeks. Obviously, there is much more to do, but doing the brass doors makes the Church seem more welcoming.

Another thing we are conscious of is the candle stand. We like to clean the touch knobs (which light the candle), as it helps to keep them more hygienic after many uses. This only needs a clean cloth to dry-wipe along the touch knobs thoroughly – it only takes a couple of minutes to do.

The current ladies are more than willing to explain to anyone who is interested in taking on a cleaning role what is involved and any other things that need doing. They are happy to work with them for a couple of weeks giving training.

Please consider what you could do to help keep our Church clean and welcoming.

Parish Office 9489 3221 or holyname@bbcatholic.org.au

BAPTISM FOR OLDER CHILDREN (5—12 YEARS). Program commences July. Registration now open.
Contact Sally Oong 9489 3221 or sally.oong@bbcatholic.org.au

CONFIRMATION Enrol: <https://www.trybooking.com/CIUGC>

Eligibility: Candidates must be Baptised and be in at least Year 3 at school.

In our Diocese of Broken Bay, the Sacrament of Confirmation is celebrated **before** Reconciliation and First Eucharist.



Parents and Carers - Welcome and Information Evening

Thursday 27 July or Tuesday 1 August, 7.00-8.30pm in the Veritas Hall at Prouille School, 5 Water Street, Wahroonga. This is an information evening for parents/carers, which includes refreshments.

Attendance is compulsory for one Parent/Carer on either 27 July or 1 August.

Sacramental Preparation Groups:

These are held at Prouille School on:

**Lesson 1: Saturday, 12th August at 3.30pm, Lesson 2: Saturday, 19th August at 3.45pm,
Lesson 3: Saturday, 26th August at 3.45pm, Lesson 4: Saturday, 2nd September at 3.45pm,
with each lesson followed by 5.00pm Mass at Church and a sausage sizzle.**

Practice: Tuesday, 5th September, 6pm at Church.

Celebration of the Sacrament of Confirmation at Church: Friday 8th September at 6.30pm

It is a condition of enrolment that 100% completion of this Program is required in order for your child to celebrate Confirmation.

Parish Contact Information and Mass Times

Parish Priest:	Fr Kelvin Lovegrove	kelvin.lovegrove@bbcatholic.org.au
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Postal Address:	P O Box 385 Wahroonga NSW 2076	
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:	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

8.30am - 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: 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: 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: 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

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.