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Catholic Diocese of Broken Bay

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PENTECOST SUNDAY

“But when he comes, the Spirit of truth,
he will guide you to all truth.” - Jn 16:12

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1ST READING

Acts of the Apostles 2:1-11
*The Spirit comes to the Apostles as tongues
of fire.*

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 103:1. 24. 29-31. 34. R. v.30
*Lord, send out your Spirit
and renew the face of the earth.*

2ND READING

1 Corinthians 12:3-7, 12-13
Be guided by the Spirit.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!
*Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your
faithful and kindle in them the fire of your
love.*
Alleluia!

GOSPEL

John 20:19-23
*The Spirit will guide the Apostles to all
truth.*

MASS & LITURGY TIMES

CHURCH OF ST. CECILIA

Wanganella St and White St, Balgowlah 2093

MASS:

Wednesday, 9am
Sunday, 9am

BAPTISM:

Sunday, 10.30am
1st Sundays of the month (within the 9am Mass)

*Baptism Preparation is required for first baptisms.
Contact Parish Office for more details. Thank you.*

RECONCILIATION:

Saturday, 5.00 to 5.45pm
Church of St. Kieran

YOUTH MASS:

2nd Sundays of the month
during the school term.

WEDDING:

Require six months notice and
include Pre-Marriage Course as
part of the preparation.

CHURCH OF ST. KIERAN

2 King Street, Manly Vale 2093

MASS:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday*, Saturday,
8.30am
Saturday (Vigil), 5.30pm
Sunday, 7.30am, 9.30am, 5pm

** Adoration to the Blessed Sacrament after Mass
on Fridays.*

BAPTISM:

Sunday, 11.30am
1st Sundays of the month (within the 9.30am Mass)

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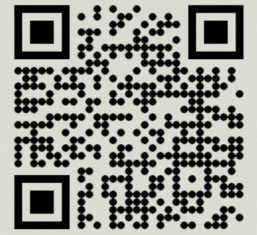
In the spirit of reconciliation the Catholic Community of North Harbour acknowledges the Traditional Custodians of these lands on which we gather. We recognise their continuing connection to the lands and waterways and pay our respect to their elders past and present and extend that respect to all First Nations people in our community.



WELCOME TO NORTH HARBOUR

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WHY DO WE DO THAT? Catholic Life Explained

Question:

How do we know when we receive the Holy Spirit?

Answer:

My brothers and I discovered something as we got older. There's a little bit of dad in us. Each time we catch ourselves using one of his gestures, expressions, or comments about a meal, we say, "I'm getting more like Dad!" Many laughs and good-natured kidding have come out of it. Mom loves it, and so does Dad, although I doubt he'd admit it!

When we are confirmed, we receive the gifts of the Holy Spirit. There is no radical change in us that makes us seem suddenly different. Over a period of time we come to see that there is a little bit of the Spirit in us. We catch ourselves using the gifts, and often end up wondering where a bit of wisdom came from, or why we were so patient or we feel an intensity in our prayer. Perhaps we felt drawn to deepen our spiritual life or found courage in witnessing to our faith. That's when we know we have received the Holy Spirit. We take on his image. Yes, we grow in age, grace and wisdom, but we also grow in our awareness and understanding of the working of God in our life. We become more godlike, realizing we're getting more and more like God. Our thoughts, words and actions carry that quality and others too, see it in us. You might call it holiness. But be confident! There's a little bit of him in all of us. ©LPi

BRINGING HOME THE GOSPEL

On Pentecost we celebrate the day the disciples and Mary received the Holy Spirit in a most dramatic fashion. Luke tells us in the Acts of the Apostles that they heard the sound of a powerful wind and saw tongues of fire. In the Gospel for this feast day, we hear about a gentler sending of the Spirit. After the Resurrection, Jesus appears to his disciples and says, "Receive the Holy Spirit."

There may not have been the sound of a great wind, or the drama of floating tongues of fire, but we each received the same Spirit present on Pentecost when we were baptized and confirmed. I was reminded of this fact several years ago as I prepared a group of teens for confirmation.

For years, before engaging in a difficult conversation, or standing up and giving a talk, I would lift my hands to the heavens and pray to be open so the Spirit could come in. While talking about the gift of the Spirit to those about to be confirmed I was reminded that through baptism and confirmation the Holy Spirit was already in me, and all I needed to do was pray to be open so that I could let the Spirit out.

We need to be open to let the Spirit of Truth and love speak with our voice, the Spirit of understanding and council listen with our ears and the Spirit of courage and strength walk in our shoes. When we share the Spirit of God that is in us, marvellous things can happen. Consider the disciples on Pentecost and how they opened themselves up so that the Spirit they received could be shared with the world.

FAMILY RESPONSE:

Discuss what you each think the gifts of the Holy Spirit mean. The gifts are understanding, council, courage, knowledge, wisdom, piety and an awesome awareness of God.

PERSONAL RESPONSE:

When have you experienced one of the gifts of the Spirit in your life? Which gifts do you most need now?

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WEEKLY SOCIAL JUSTICE CHALLENGES

May 21st has been designated as World Day for Cultural Diversity for Dialogue and Development. It is very interesting to note that this day occurs in the week before we celebrate Pentecost, which is a story about unity in diversity. How appropriate! Cultural diversity is a buzz term today, but it also is something which we Catholics—by our very identity, since “catholic” means universal—embody. We are a diverse people in every way: age, gender, economic status, race, personality, location, and so much more. We are called to embrace and celebrate our differences, not try to make everyone else over in our image and likeness. Your challenge this week is to experience and celebrate something in another culture. It might be a particular prayer, or an ethnic dish, or a type of music. Whatever you choose, embrace the gift of the culture. And offer a prayer of thanks to God that while we are all created in God’s image, we are also created in unique and different ways from each other.



PASTORAL CARE FOR THE HOMEBOUND

Our clergy and pastoral care ministers bring the sacraments of Eucharist, reconciliation, and anointing of the sick to parishioners who are unable to participate because of illness or aging. For more information and to arrange receiving the sacraments, contact Parish Office.

CARE FOR CREATION TIPS

On Pentecost we associate fire with the coming of the Holy Spirit. We know fire has always been essential to human civilization, and we are also aware of the destructive nature of fire, especially as the earth is experiencing more wildfires and extreme wildfires each year. Although burning wood in a fireplace, campfire, or outdoor fire pit can be a cozy ritual, the smoke from wood burning is a significant source of air pollution in some areas and climates. What activities or sources of warmth can you use as an alternative to burning wood?



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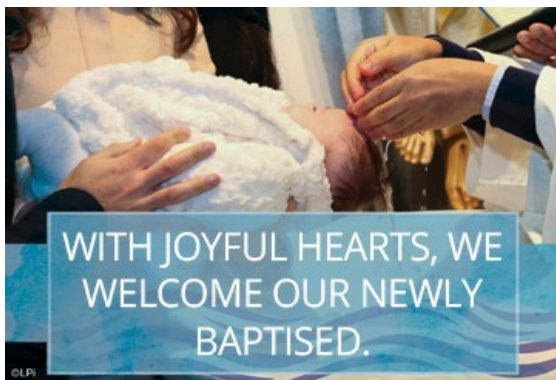
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Zavier

Son of Malcolm & Kate

Lulu & Sonny

Children of Young & Maxine

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SICK:

Greg Keogh, Paul Pearson, Greg Hyde
Qing Tong Zhang, Yvonne Taylor

RECENTLY DECEASED:

Brendan Funnell, Maureen Langhorn,
Dan Trimboli, William Hipkiss

ANNIVERSARIES:

Helen Richardson Sam Barone, Barry Koorey

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WED 5 JUNE
10AM

ST KIERAN'S CHURCH

MORNING TEA TO FOLLOW AFTER MASS AT THE PARISH CENTRE

Family MASS

@ ST KIERAN'S



SUNDAY 26 MAY, 5PM

FAMILIES COME GATHER

SUNDAY 26 MAY
9AM MASS
ST CECILIA'S CHURCH



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REFRESHMENTS AVAILABLE IN THE PARISH CENTRE FROM 6-7PM
FESTIVE SUPPER TO FOLLOW AFTER MASS

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Our Augustinian seminarians Bernard and Jayvee are returning to the Philippines on 6 June for their Novitiate—the next stage in their formation. They will be staying in Cebu, Philippines together with the other students from the Asia Pacific for one year.

A farewell morning tea is being organised after the Sunday 9.30am Mass on 2 June. All welcome.

We pray for their holy perseverance and we hope to see them back here in Sydney after their Novitiate.



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Friday 24 MAY
Solemnity of OUR LADY, HELP OF CHRISTIANS
(National Patronal Feast)

MASS TIMES @ NORTH HARBOUR:
St Kieran's—8.30am
St Cecilia's—12.30pm

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WORD SEARCH

The disciples received the Holy Spirit.

TRY TO FIND THESE WORDS:

- afraid
- appeared
- evening
- forgive
- hand
- happy
- Holy Spirit
- leader
- locked
- middle
- receive
- Sunday

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Sharing the Gospel

Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts have guides to lead them on hikes. The Holy Spirit is your guide on your way to heaven. The Holy Spirit will help you know about Jesus Christ and his love for you. The Spirit will lead you to peace with others and teach you new things. The Holy Spirit will help you when you are in trouble. The Holy Spirit will guide you to everlasting love and joy.

Prayer

Holy Spirit, guide me to the kingdom of heaven.

Mission

I will ask the Holy Spirit to give me love, peace, forgiveness, and joy.

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Promoting a safer *Church*

The care and protection of children, young people and adults involved in Church activities is the responsibility of everyone who participates in the LIFE of the Church.

SAFEGUARDING
is everyone's responsibility



COLOR

Read the Gospel of the week and color the image.





*Lord, Your best servants are those who wish to shape their life on
Your answers rather than shape Your answers on their wishes.*

Confessions 10, 26
- St. Augustine of Hippo

NEXT WEEKEND (26 MAY): THE MOST HOLY TRINITY, YEAR B

<p>1ST READING Deuteronomy 4:32-34. 39-40 <i>Moses tells the people of the one true God.</i></p> <p>RESPONSORIAL PSALM Ps 32:4-6. 9. 18-20. 22. R. v.12 <i>Happy the people the Lord has chosen to be his own.</i></p> <p>2ND READING Romans 8:14-17 <i>We are heirs with Christ.</i></p> <p>GOSPEL ACCLAMATION See Revelation 1:8 <i>Alleluia, alleluia!</i> <i>Glory to the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit: to God who is, who was, and who is to come.</i> <i>Alleluia!</i></p> <p>GOSPEL Matthew 28:16-20 <i>Jesus sends forth the Apostles with the promise to be with them always.</i></p>	<p>25 MAY, 5.30PM ST KIERAN'S</p> <p>Senior Server Louise</p> <p>Readers Ronda Maria</p> <p>Music Parish Choir</p> <p>Communion Min Volunteer needed</p> <p>Powerpoint Volunteer needed</p> <p>Welcomers Volunteers needed</p>	<p>26 MAY, 7.30AM ST KIERAN'S</p> <p>Senior Server Anna</p> <p>Readers Lea Tim</p> <p>Music Parish Choir</p> <p>Communion Min Volunteer needed</p> <p>Powerpoint Volunteer needed</p> <p>Welcomers Volunteers needed</p>	<p>26 MAY, 9AM ST CECILIA'S</p> <p>Senior Server Antoinette</p> <p>Readers School or Cathy S</p> <p>Music Love Thy Neighbour</p> <p>Communion Min Volunteer needed</p> <p>Powerpoint Volunteer needed</p> <p>Welcomers Volunteers needed</p>	<p>26 MAY, 9.30AM ST KIERAN'S</p> <p>Senior Server Michael</p> <p>Readers Kaye Anne</p> <p>Music Branch of Jesse</p> <p>Communion Min Volunteer needed</p> <p>Powerpoint Volunteer needed</p> <p>Welcomers Volunteers needed</p>	<p>26 MAY, 5PM ST KIERAN'S</p> <p>Senior Server Stephen</p> <p>Readers Leanne Caroline Christine</p> <p>Music Vicky & School Choir</p> <p>Communion Min Volunteer needed</p> <p>Powerpoint Volunteer needed</p> <p>Welcomers Volunteers needed</p>
	<p>OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF 19 MAY</p> <p>Mon 20 May: The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church</p> <p>Tue 21 May: Tuesday of the 7th Week in Ordinary Time</p> <p>Wed 22 May: St Rita of Cascia</p> <p>Thu 23 May: Thursday of the 7th Week in Ordinary Time</p> <p>Fri 24 May: Solemnity of Our Lady, Help of Christians</p> <p>Sat 25 May: Saturday of the 7th Week in Ordinary Time</p>				

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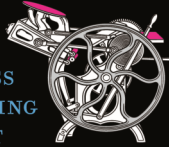
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