

OUR LADY OF DOLOURS  
**Chatswood Catholic Parish**



31<sup>st</sup> SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME  
3 November 2019 – Year C/1

November

- ❖ 10 Nov – Teen Group meeting
- ❖ 10 Nov – Spring Baptism gathering
- ❖ 17 Nov – Year 5 Class Mass
- ❖ 17 Nov – Nursing Home Carols Info & Practice
- ❖ 24 Nov – Year 6 Class Mass

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Chatswood  
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**Our Community Dinners** are now up and running. People have been asking “Who are they for? Do you have to be homeless?”. No! This is a meal which builds community for parishioners and non-parishioners alike. Everyone is welcome – homeless people included! The target audience is people who eat alone and would like a community to share a meal with. We as the parish can be the centre of that community and reach out to others as Jesus reached out to people on the margins, so couples and families are welcome too because having a mix of people creates that big family, community feel. So, come and join us this Saturday or any Saturday 6.30pm – 7.30pm in Harrington Hall (the far side of OLD School playground, which you can also access via Ferguson Lane). Thanks to our 4 teams of volunteers who have cooked and served some lovely meals so far.

**Spiritual Direction** is like one-on-coaching for your prayer life. Many people who desire to grow in their relationship with God have monthly spiritual direction with a trained spiritual director who is able to help them notice the movements of the Holy Spirit in their lives. One such director, Elizabeth Lee will be coming to our parish to be available for spiritual direction one day a week. Contact her on [elizabethlee59@gmail.com](mailto:elizabethlee59@gmail.com) or 0422 932 044 to find out more.

**Legacy giving:** During November we remember and pray for people we love who have died. Many names are written in our remembrance book which is placed on the sanctuary this month. It is a good time to consider the possibility of giving a gift to the parish in your will, or giving a gift in memory of a loved one. Are you wondering how you can make a lasting gift to our parish? Once you have provided for your loved ones in your Will, you may like to consider leaving a meaningful and profound gift to our Parish. There are many ways to leave a legacy to the Church and your Parish community by including a specific gift or a percentage of your estate in your Will. To learn more, please contact Nicole in the parish office on 9410 9000 for information on bequests and legacy giving. Thank you for your consideration.

Fr Jim is on annual leave this week. He will return on November 4<sup>th</sup>.

We continue to pray for all those  
students sitting the HSC.

## WITHIN OUR PARISH

### NOVEMBER MASSES

People often like to have a Mass offered for their deceased relatives and friends during November.

**Aid to the Church in Need** have provided us with envelopes which will allow you to make an offering for a Mass which will be celebrated by a priest in a persecuted country in the Middle East or Africa where that income can be used to support struggling Christians. There will be no individual Masses said or listed in the bulletin during November as we remember all prayerfully in the Masses.



### PIETY STALL

We now have in stock 'THE STUDY BIBLE' for \$55, the **COLUMBAN ART CALENDAR 2020** for \$9 and **God's Word 2020** for \$15. All wonderful Christmas gifts. *Our Piety Stall is open after all Sunday masses.*

**THURSDAY NIGHT ADORATION:** A Holy Hour before the Blessed Sacrament will be held in the Church every Thursday night from 7pm-8pm. This is a wonderful opportunity to bring your prayers, joys, and sufferings to God in a quiet and intimate encounter. This prayerful practice is a tradition that stretches back to the earliest years of the Church, and the Saints throughout the centuries have testified to this prayer's power to transform the heart. The Sacrament of Reconciliation will also be made available in the Church during this time.

### TEEN GROUP

The Teen Group meet every 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after the 9am mass in the parish meeting rooms. Our next meeting is on Sunday 10 November. In the past 2 months the group has enjoyed rock climbing, escape room and virtual reality experiences. If you are in Years 7 (2019's Year 6 graduates) to 10, come and join us for fun, fellowship and spiritual development. For more information contact Adrian Brannan [Adrian.brannan@bbcatholic.org.au](mailto:Adrian.brannan@bbcatholic.org.au).



### WITH OUR LADY OF DOLOURS WE PRAY FOR:

**Sick:** Helen Shortall, Gordon Thomas, Monica Cotter, Rose Medina, Albert Boudville, Janis Slater, Josephine Sirabella, Pritika Rau, Julie Tang, Monica Wong, Louis Nortje, Tristan Worledge, William Wise, Alex Noble



## CATECHIST CORNER

Each year, Special Religious Education teachers (SREs/catechists) gather for the Annual Diocesan Confraternity of Christian Doctrine Mass and Awards Ceremony. The Broken Bay Diocese acknowledge the incredible work and dedication of all the catechists making a difference in sharing most basic message of God's love and bringing great hope to the young people in our State Schools. It promises to be a wonderful day celebrating the incredible work of all these volunteers working in the ministry. Our Parish is greatly proud to our Catechists who will be receiving their service awards on this day. Let us all join them to this special mass, giving thanks for the many blessings received, and to pray for our catechists and their students in state schools.



Very Reverend Dr David Ranson

Diocesan Administrator, Diocese of Broken Bay

and the Confraternity of Christian Doctrine

extend an invitation to

*Catechists of the diocese, their families  
and friends of the CCD*

to attend the

*2019 CCD Annual Diocesan Mass*

and Presentation of Diplomas and Service Awards on

**Saturday 9 November 2019**

**11:30am**

to be followed by light refreshments  
at Our Lady of the Rosary Cathedral  
23 Yardley Ave, Waitara

Celebrant: Very Rev Dr David Ranson and Clergy of the Diocese

For planning and catering purposes,  
it would be greatly appreciated if you could advise us  
if you and any family members will be attending.

Please RSVP to:

**Sharon da Roza by Monday 4 November 2019**

Phone: 8379 1638 Email: [ccdadmin@bbcatholic.org.au](mailto:ccdadmin@bbcatholic.org.au)



For queries, contact Maricel by phoning 9410 9029  
or emailing [maricel.malapira@bbcatholic.org.au](mailto:maricel.malapira@bbcatholic.org.au)

# LITURGICAL RECEPTION AND SOLEMN MASS OF INSTALLATION

*The Most Reverend Anthony Randazzo* DD, JCL

AS THE FOURTH BISHOP OF BROKEN BAY

ON MONDAY 4 NOVEMBER 2019 AT 6.45PM

at  
THE LIGHT OF CHRIST CENTRE, 28 YARDLEY AVENUE, WAITARA



**For the people of the Diocese of Broken Bay, charity begins at home.**

This week the video is about Rachel and Clare. Two catechists who attended a public school in our Diocese and who received a Catholic Special Religious Education through the CCD. Clare even converted to Catholicism thanks to her positive experience with the CCD. Perhaps you or someone you know has benefited from a Catholic Religious Education class in a NSW Public School, made possible through donations of the faithful?

Donations to the Charitable Works Fund help our community through five charities and agencies that serve the people in our Diocese. These are the **Confraternity of Christian Doctrine (CCD), Catholic Care Hospital Chaplaincy and Pastoral Care Practitioners, St Lucy's School, St Edmund's College** and the **Ephpheta Centre**. For more information on the beneficiaries please visit the Diocese of Broken Bay website <https://www.bbcatholic.org.au/give/charitable-works-fund>

Donations can be made online via [www.givenow.com.au/cwf](http://www.givenow.com.au/cwf). You will be prompted to click on your Parish so that your donations can be credited to our Parish quota.

Donations to the CWF may be Tax-Deductible.

*For the people of the Diocese of Broken Bay, charity begins at home.*

*Congratulations to  
Rebecca Beltran & Ross Stevens  
who will be married in our Church  
this weekend.*



## WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK AT O.L.D.

### Monday

3.30pm HSC hangout in Magnificat  
7pm Indonesian Legion of Mary in St Peter

### Tuesday

9.30am Bible discussion in St Paul  
6.45pm Filipino Chaplaincy Choir practice in church  
7pm Finance Committee in St Peter

### Wednesday

7pm Indonesian music practice in Church

### Thursday

5.30pm Teen Group planning meeting in St Peter  
6.30pm English Conversations Club in St Paul  
7pm Adoration & Confession in the Church  
7pm Faith Enrichment Group in St Peter

### Friday

10am Meditation at St Paul. Topic; Cosmic Christ  
7.30pm Home Rosary 45 Park Rd, Naremburn

### Saturday

9.45am Chinese RCIA in St Paul  
11am Bible Discussion in St Paul  
4pm Chinese RCIA in St Paul  
4pm Baptism preparation in Magnificat  
6.30pm Community Dinner in Harrington Hall  
7pm Korean Bible Study in St Paul

### Sunday

10am Baptism Spring gathering in Magnificat

## WITHIN OUR DIOCESE

**WALK WITH CHRIST:** Please join your fellow Sydneysiders in the Walk with Christ annual Eucharistic Procession through the streets of Sydney on the Feast of Christ The King on **Sunday 24 November at 2.30pm**. Thousands of people took part in last year's joyful public proclamation and act of worship to invoke Christ's blessing upon our beautiful city. Meet at the corner of Martin Place & Pitt Street at 2.30pm on 24 November.

**The Roseville Music Club's** fifth and final Musicale for 2019 will present "The Volatinsky Trio", playing music laced with the flavours of Russia and the Balkans on an exotic combination of instruments. **Saturday, 9 November, 2pm at St Luke's Church, Lord Street, Roseville.** Tickets at the door \$25 (Concession \$20). Enquiries: Lyn Barry 0438 112 171.



# Children's Ministries



## Year 5 Class Mass

The Catholic community of Chatswood invites Year 5 children and their families to a special celebration for Year 5 children during our

**9am Family Mass**  
**Sunday 17 November 2019**

A family-friendly celebration at  
Our Lady of Dolours Catholic Church  
94 Archer St Chatswood

If your Year 5 child would like to be involved in the celebration

please contact Angela at

[Angela.Hague@bbcatholic.org.au](mailto:Angela.Hague@bbcatholic.org.au) ASAP.

Mass will be followed by **morning tea** in the school playground.

**Please bring a plate to share.**

## Christmas Carols at our local Nursing



### Homes

For several years, the children and young adults from our Parish have been visiting local nursing homes during

Advent to sing Christmas Carols. This is a most rewarding experience which enlivens the Christmas spirit for our senior citizens and the families who attend.

This year we will again be visiting the nursing homes for 4 Sundays from 24<sup>th</sup> November after 9am Mass and are looking for new families to join us. You don't have to commit to all 4 weeks, even coming to one session will help spread the Christmas Cheer. **To find out more, join us at:**

### **Carols at Nursing Homes - Information and Practice Session**

Date: 17th November 2019

Time: 10.30am

Location: St. Paul's Parish meeting room

**or contact:**

Katya at: [kpolygon@bbcatholic.org.au](mailto:kpolygon@bbcatholic.org.au)

or Josef at: [josef.widjaja@bbcatholic.org.au](mailto:josef.widjaja@bbcatholic.org.au)

**We would love to hear from you**

## Year 6 Class Mass



The Catholic community of Chatswood invites Year 6 children their families and all parishioners to a special Mass for Year 6

**9am Family Mass**  
**Sunday 24 November 2019**

Our Lady of Dolours Catholic Church  
94 Archer Street, Chatswood

During this Mass Year 6 students will be presented with a small gift to mark the end of their primary years.

After Mass we will have some fun, games and a sausage sizzle for the Year 6 and all kids, **hosted by our Teen Youth Group**

and **morning tea for parents and parishioners** in the primary school playground.

**Please bring a plate to share.**

**All welcome!**

## News from the Children's Atrium

*A place to be with God - for children aged between 3 and 12 years*



It's term four – and always a wonder filled time in the atrium. This term, we get to spend time preparing for advent in many special ways. The children will be wondering about the many special names for Jesus that we hear about from the prophets, as well as listening to the stories depicting the events surrounding his birth that help us to understand more about who Jesus really is.

If you would like to know more about atrium, visit our website page (link below)

<https://www.bbcatholic.org.au/chatswood/ministries/the-childrens-atrium> or contact Angela at the parish office.

# Welcoming Hospitality

## SPRING BAPTISM GATHERING

In the spirit of love and welcome, we are delighted to invite all our families who have had their children baptised throughout 2019 to a special Baptism Spring Gathering and Blessing to be held on Sunday 10 November 2019, during the 9am Family Mass with morning tea to follow.



We would love to reconnect with you, find out how you are, support and encourage you as you nurture your child's faith and grow in your own love and relationship with Jesus.

We hope this will be a joy-filled celebration and a lovely opportunity for you to connect with other families and parishioners and reflect on this beautiful season of your lives.

To all our young families, we are excited you're here with us; we hear children's voices as the sound of new life in our parish. It has been a real joy and blessing to have had so many families choose to baptise their children into our parish family this year. It has been our pleasure to journey alongside you. We would love to continue to walk with you on your spiritual journey.

As your faith family, we want to continue to extend our loving hospitality to you and pray that you will always experience our parish as your spiritual home. In a time when many people live quite a distance from their extended families, we hope to serve as your brothers and sisters in faith, sharing our love of God with one another.



## WELCOME HOSPITALITY

We are all guests of God's hospitality who are called to be that hospitality for others.

When we welcome each other as Christ welcomes, people see something of Christ in us. They see our words and lives in alignment. God is glorified by that. Let's start being stronger "welcomers" in our parish family, seeing who needs to be welcomed and take the first step. After all, that's what Jesus did with us.

Hospitality and welcome are deeply embedded in our tradition; as far back as the 6<sup>th</sup> century St Benedict wrote,

*'Let all guests be received like Christ, for he is going to say: I was a stranger and you welcomed me.'*

## Let's reflect:

- In what ways have I been welcoming of others?
- Is God inviting me to make space for welcoming someone into our parish family?
- What might that look like?

## Let's pray:

Lord, help me to see other people through your eyes. Help me to be sensitive to your leading and see the people you have placed before me. Show me how to be open and welcome them into my life, deepening my faith in you. Sometimes it is easier to rely on the comfort I feel when I see my friends at Mass and be drawn to them. Help me to notice, make space, and reach out to those I don't yet know just as you would. Thank you for the spiritual friendships that build and strengthen our loving parish community. Amen



## WELCOME AND INFORMATION TABLE

People love coming to our parish because of the warm welcome they receive. We know that Jesus comes to us through the most unexpected people and we enjoy going out of our way to extend a welcome just as Jesus did for Zacchaeus in this weekend's gospel. To make our parish even more accessible we will establish a Welcome and Information Table which is a tangible gesture that hospitality is a top priority for us.

On the forecourt after the 9am Family Mass, you will find a team of friendly, cheerful and approachable fellow-parishioners at the Welcome Table, who would be delighted to have a chat, share what's happening in our parish and answer any questions you may have. This initiative is designed to provide comfort to new parishioners wanting to connect with us, in addition to offering a welcoming space for the many questions people carry. We invite you to come and say hello!

If you would like to be involved in any of our welcoming initiatives, please contact Bernadette at [Bernadette.ho@bbcatholic.org.au](mailto:Bernadette.ho@bbcatholic.org.au) or phone 9410 9031.

## **PARISH MEETING ROOMS**

In February this year, the Parish opened up its new meeting rooms for the benefit and use by all parishioners. The rooms were in pristine condition with all the facilities that groups could require. We had hoped that our parishioners would value these facilities and look after them. Whilst this is the case in most situations, we have had some incidences of a lack of care. For example, the cooktop in the Magnificat Room has been smashed and most white walls in the rooms have black marks where chairs have been stacked without much care.

When Group leaders signed for their keys to the rooms, they also signed up to the list of Room Protocols. This is shown below as a reminder. Could all members of groups that meet at the rooms please read below so you understand what is required.

One of the key issues currently is with the stacking of chairs. This was a requirement of the old Rotunda but no longer a requirement of the new site. Groups may change the table and chair configuration to whatever best works for the group. All we ask is that when you arrive you look at the configuration and when you finish your meeting, return the tables and chairs to be as you found it. Another issue is with food. It is great for groups to share food in their meetings. We just ask that you clean up and remove all food at the end of the meeting. Special attention is required to the sinks and benches so as not to attract ants. There are cleaning materials in the cupboard next to the fridge in the Magnificat Room. With the warmer weather coming up, the Air Conditioners are there for your comfort. Please use but remember to turn them off.

I am sure you would all like to keep the rooms nice for your meetings and that our requirements are not too demanding.

### **Protocols for using Parish Meeting Rooms:**

#### **Bookings**

1. Bookings in advance must be made for all meeting rooms through the Parish Office.

#### **Keys**

2. For regular Parish Groups, a key will be provided to the leader of the group. It is their responsibility to look after the key. If the leader can't make a meeting, they must ensure the key is given to another member of the team to open the meeting room. Spare keys will not be available. Should the group be abandoned, the key must be returned to the Parish Office.

3. For non-regular bookings, a key will be provided by the Parish Office within one week prior to the booking date and must be returned to the Parish Office within one week.
4. A tip for locking the door is to turn the key as far left as possible then turn back half a turn to remove the key.
5. Toilets – keys are in the room for the Staff Male and Female Toilets. Please **do not** use the Girls or Disability Toilets.

#### **Furniture**

6. Meeting room furniture configurations must be maintained. Furniture can be moved around for the meeting but must be returned to the configuration it was found in.
7. Furniture must be kept clean and nothing left in the room.

#### **Group Cupboard Space**

8. Each regular group will be allocated a cupboard to store their group information. The Group leader will be provided with a key. Please ensure all your materials are stored in the cupboard and locked at end of the meeting. Like the Meeting Room key, the Leader is responsible for it and must pass on to another group member if they are not attending the meeting.

#### **Kitchens**

9. Kitchens are there for everyone's use. Please keep the sinks and benches clean, crockery and cutlery washed, dried and returned to its drawers and cupboards / stacked and power points turned off (except for refrigerators).
10. Please do not leave anything in the refrigerators. Anything left will be thrown out.

#### **Rubbish**

11. All rubbish or materials that are no longer required are **not** to be left in the rooms.

#### **Meeting Finished**

12. When the meeting is complete, ensure everything is in order with the above protocols and lock the door. Note, lights turn themselves off once you have exited the room.

#### **Meeting Room Issues**

If there are problems with a meeting room including breakages or spills, please report (by the next day) the issue to the Parish Office on 9410 9000. For anything urgent please call the priest on duty on 0473 046 906.

# Our Relationship with the World

DATES FOR 2020

In 2018 our parish focussed on *Our Relationship with Each Other* and in this year *Our Relationship with God* from our Parish Vision Statement. Next year, our focus will move to *Our Relationship with the World*. Our parish will partner with Sydney Alliance, whom we worked with last July to provide the Table Talk on Changing the Conversation about People Seeking Asylum.

Christian conversion demands reviewing especially those areas and aspects of life “related to the social order and the pursuit of the common good”

*Pope Francis, Joy of the Gospel 182*

If you are interested in the next step of this conversation, you are invited to be part of introductory training in **Catholic Social Teaching and Community Organising** led by David Barrow, Lead organiser of Sydney Alliance. The training will cover, the Catholic tradition of community organising for the common good, how to bring people together across diversity and practical training on the one-to-one meeting. The conversations that build relationships for action within our parish and beyond.

Do join us if you have an interest in building strong relationships in our parish, or if you want to see Sydney live up to its potential with affordable and safe housing, employment, renewable energy and being a city of welcome for people seeking asylum

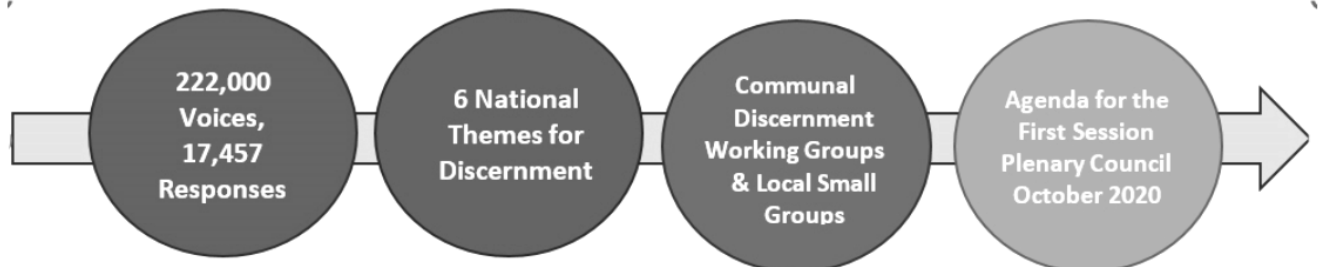
**TUESDAY 21 JANUARY 3 - 5PM & 6.30 - 9PM  
MAGNIFICAT ROOM**

Contact Gail for further information 9410 9021 or [gail.gill@bbcatholic.org.au](mailto:gail.gill@bbcatholic.org.au)

Visit the Sydney Alliance website [www.sydneyalliance.org.au/](http://www.sydneyalliance.org.au/)

## Plenary Council 2020

Listen to what the Spirit is saying...



**Let's Listen & Discern**

*How is God calling us to be a Christ-centred Church that is:*

**HUMBLE, HEALING & MERCIFUL**

During November, our focus at Chatswood will be on the Plenary Council theme of **Humble, Healing and Merciful**. If you would like to be part of a listening and discernment group, please come to the St Paul room on:

**Sunday 10 November from 11.30am to 1pm**

The process of listening and discernment is drawn from the Ignatian tradition and will involve prayerful individual silent reflection, sharing, listening and further reflection. If you would like to be part of this group, **please RSVP to Gail** [gail.gill@bbcatholic.org.au](mailto:gail.gill@bbcatholic.org.au) so that I can get pre-reading material to you before the group gathers.

PLEASE VISIT [WWW.PLENARYCOUNCIL.CATHOLIC](http://WWW.PLENARYCOUNCIL.CATHOLIC)

Go to the **THEMES** tab for details on each of the reports and the members of each of the Writing Groups. Go to the **RESOURCES** tab for the reports and discernment process in English, Chinese, Tagalog, Korean and seven other languages.

**PARISH MASS & DEVOTIONS TIMETABLE**

**Monday to Friday** – Monday 12.15pm, Tuesday & Wednesday 9am, Thursday 9am & 12.15pm, Friday 9am

**Saturday** - 9am and 5.30pm (Vigil)

**Sunday** - 7.30am, 9am, 10.30am and 5.30pm

**Filipino Mass (in English)** 12noon; 1<sup>st</sup> Sun of month

**Indonesian Mass;** 7pm; 3<sup>rd</sup> Sun of month

**Family Mass** - 9am each Sunday

**Children’s Choir** at 9am Family Mass on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month (Please arrive at 8.30am for setup and practice.)

**Teen Choir** at 9am Family Mass on 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the month.

**Kids’ Word** - Children’s Liturgy of the Word for ages 3-6 & 6-10. Meet in Church at 9am every 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays. (Except long weekends & school holidays.)

**Youth Mass** - 5.30pm each Sunday

**Reconciliation** - 9.30am - 10.30am each Saturday & 7pm-8pm each Thursday. Any time by request.

**Morning Prayer** - 8.45am Monday to Saturday

**Rosary** - 9.30am Monday to Saturday;

**Cenacle** - each Monday at 11.30am

**Exposition** - 9.30am - 10.30am each Saturday

**Adoration:** Thursday after 9am mass. Ends with Divine Mercy Chaplet. Also, on Thursdays 7-8pm.

**Novena - Our Lady of Perpetual Help** – Saturday 10.00am with **Benediction** 10.30am

**Anointing of the Sick** - 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of month at 12.15pm weekday Mass, before surgery or medical treatment, or by request.

**Baptisms** - Go to our website to book or contact Bernadette Ho. (*details on front page*)

**Weddings** - Contact the parish secretary.

For a **Marriage/Anniversary Blessing** at a Saturday/Sunday Mass contact Nicole in the Parish Office on 94109000 (at least 1 month before requested Mass)

**SUNDAY MASS READINGS:**

**Entrance:** Forsake me not, O Lord, my God; be not far from me! Make haste and come to my help, O Lord, my strong salvation!

**1<sup>st</sup> Reading:** Wis 11:22 – 12:2 You have mercy on all things because you love everything that exists.

**Responsorial Psalm:** I will praise your name for ever, my king and my God.

**2<sup>nd</sup> Reading:** 2 Thess 1:11 – 2:2 The name of our Lord Jesus Christ will be glorified in you and you in him.

**Gospel:** Lk 19:1-10 The Son of Man came to seek and to find that which was lost.

**READINGS FOR WEEK DAYS:**

**MON:** Rom 11:29-36; Lk 14:12-14  
St Charles Borromeo

**TUES:** Rom 12:5-16; Lk 14:15-24

**WEDS:** Rom 13:8-10; Lk 14:25-33

**THURS:** Rom 14:7-12; Lk 15:1-10

**FRI:** Rom 15:14-21; Lk 16:1-8

**SAT:** Ezek 47:1-2, 8-9, 12 or 1 Cor 3:9-11, 16-17;  
Jn 2:13-22  
The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

**CELEBRANTS FOR SUNDAY MASSES**

	<u>2/3 Nov</u>	<u>9/10 Nov</u>
<b>Vigil</b> 5.30pm	Fr John	Fr Jim
<b>Sun</b> 7.30am	Fr John(K)	Fr John
9.00am	Bishop David(K)	Fr Jim(K)
10.30am	Fr John	Bishop David
5.30pm	Fr John	Fr John

	<u>5.30 pm Saturday</u>	<u>7.30 am Sunday</u>	<u>9 am Sunday</u>	<u>10.30 am Sunday</u>	<u>5.30 pm Sunday</u>
Week 2 9 & 10 November	Junior Server: Welton Ang Jenevieve Liem Kasy Tabalon Kody Tabalon  Senior Server: Sam French Joseph Liem	Senior Server: John Russell	Junior Server: Joshua Borg Breah Gunaratnam Clare Guo Viviana Leung  Senior Server: Braiden Gunaratnam John Wang Gabriel Yi	Junior Server: Francis Fabela Angelee Manalese Rosebelle Sunjaya  Senior Server: Mariah Manalese Shayne Patangan David Sunjaya Kaila Vergara	Junior Server: Andrew Kim Margaret Kim Beniz Macapagal Jade Jimenez Jewel Jimenez  Senior Server: Fernanda Carrillo James Godfrey

**Working in a child-related ministry in the Catholic Diocese of Broken Bay**

Paid and volunteer workers who have direct face to face contact with children (under 18 years) are required by law to obtain a Working with Children Check number. Please note though exemptions may apply in some cases. The Parish is the employer of the paid or volunteer worker and therefore is required by law to verify the Working with Children Check number. All paid or volunteer workers engaged in a child-related role must have a clear Working with Children Check to work in a child-related ministry. This disclosure references the legislation, *Child Protection (Working with Children) Act 2012*.