



OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY CATHEDRAL 23 Yardley Avenue, Waitara 2077 QUEEN OF PEACE CHURCH

18 Stuart Avenue, Normanhurst 2076

### **OUR CLERGY**

Most Rev Anthony Randazzo Bishop of Broken Bay

Very Rev Brendan Lee Moderator

**Rev Thomas Alackakunnel** Assistant Priest

**Rev Vitalis Oguh** Assistant Priest

### **OUR WEEKEND MASSES**

# **OLOR CATHEDRAL**

Sat 5:00pm (Vigil) Sun 8:00am

9:30am (live-streamed)

11:00am 6:00pm

Filipino Mass 3:30pm

(Every 2nd Sunday of month)



### **QOP CHURCH**

Sat 5:30pm (Vigil) Sun 9:00am

### **OUR WEEKDAY MASSES**

### **OLOR CATHEDRAL**

Mon 7:00am

Tues 7:00am & 9:30 am
Wed 7:00 am & 9:30 am
Thu 7:00 am & 9:30 am
Fri 7:00am & 9:30 am
Sat 9:30 am (live-streamed)
All 7:00am Masses are live-streamed

QOP CHURCH

Tue 8:45am Wed 8:45am Thu 8:45am Fri 8:45am Sat 8:45am

If a Priest is needed in a matter of emergency, after hours or on the weekend, please call 0458 351 843







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# Happy are the poor; Woe to the rich!





### LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading: Jeremiah 17:5-8

**Responsorial Psalm:** 

Happy are they who hope in the Lord.

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:12,

16-20

**Gospel Acclamation:** 

Rejoice and be glad; your reward is

great in heaven.

Gospel: Luke 6:17,20-26

### **CONGRATULATIONS**

Congratulations to our seminarians, *Huy Tran, Tân Nguyen, and Shayne D'Cunha*, who will be admitted as candidates for Holy Orders during the 5pm Vigil Mass this Saturday, 15 February.

### **BAPTISM THIS WEEKEND**

This weekend we welcome our newest members to OLOR Cathedral as they receive the sacrament of Baptism. Please pray for *Viviana, Charlotte* & *Margaret*.

Remember their parents in prayer as they commit themselves to teaching their child to love God and his people.

### **CATHEDRAL KEY DATES**

### March

- 1 OLOR School Mass 5pm Vigil
- Ordination to the Diaconate of Kevin McGregor (7:30pm)
- 5 Ash Wednesday
- 7 Eucharistic Adoration (1st Friday)
- Rite of Election Mass (2pm)
- 19 Feast of St Joseph / Ordination of Deacon Rosan Mathew (7:30pm)

### April

- 4 Eucharistic Adoration (1st Friday)
- 13 Palm Sunday
- 15 Chrism Mass
- 17 Holy Thursday
- 18 Good Friday
- 19 Holy Saturday / Easter Vigil
- 20 Easter Sunday

## **MESSAGE FROM FR BRENDAN LEE**

Dear Parishioners,

As members of the Hornsby Cathedral Parish, we are blessed to come together in faith each week to experience God's Love and Salvation in the celebration of the Mass, and through one another, as a community of faith. I am very grateful for your meaningful participation, contributions and support to the life of our Hornsby Cathedral Parish.

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As we continue to journey together as the People of God, I invite you to prayerfully consider becoming an ongoing Planned Giver as part of our *First Fruits Offering*, taking place over the next two weeks.

Planned Giving has been a very successful tradition of the Catholic Church in Australia for committing to dedicate a portion of your financial income to God and His Church in gratitude for His many blessings. It helps ensure the mission and ministries of a parish to continue to operate for both our present parishioners, and future generations.

Your contributions to the Planned Giving remain within our local parish and support our works, namely:

- Liturgical needs (church supplies)
- Ongoing ministries (Youth, RCIA, Children's Liturgy)
- Special ministries (Catechetics, Sacramental programs)
- Equipment and resources (computers, photocopiers)
- Utility costs (rent, insurance, repairs, and staff wages)

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FIRST FRUITS











### TO ALL OUR VISITORS AND NEW PARISHIONERS A VERY WARM WELCOME

If you are joining us for the first time today, or have joined us at our churches recently, we are very happy to have you with us. Please reach out to one of our clergy or volunteers for any assistance. Or contact the parish office on 8379 1700 to register.

Thank you for building your spiritual home with us.



# Message from Fr Brendan—continued

To assist you in prayerfully reflecting on this important decision, the Diocese of Broken Bay has assisted me with materials and resources that are available for you to take home. These include information about First Fruits Offering and pledge envelopes. I encourage you to take some time to review these resources, pray, and discern how you may support our Parish in sharing the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

Becoming a Planned Giver is a simple yet profound way to demonstrate your faith and commitment to God's work. If you are not yet a Planned Giver, I encourage you to take this step.

For more information or assistance with Planned Giving, please contact our Parish Office; they are always happy to help.

May God bless you abundantly as you continue to support our local Church and its ministry; especially in this Jubilee

Yours in Christ

Very Rev Brendan Lee

(See brochures at the back of the Church)

# CHILDREN'S **SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM**

Sacrament of Confirmation. Enrolment is now open for children in Year 3 and older. Form is available at the back of the Church and online. Forms due by 9 April 2025. Details available at

https://www.bbcatholic.org.au/hornsby/ sacraments/confirmation

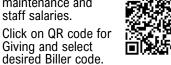
Sacramental Program Dates for 2025 for children are now updated on the website.

Clergy Giving (1st Collection) supports the Bishop and priests of the Diocese.

# Parish Giving (2<sup>nd</sup> Collection) supports the Parish

ministries, maintenance and

CONTRIBUTIONS



Pastoral Works Broken Bay (PWBB) supports Diocesan Charitable Communities. Donations over \$2 are tax deductible.

# WE ASK YOU TO PRAY FOR those who are affected by war, natural disasters,

and those who are sick.

We pray for the sick: Tilly Theunissen Louise James ● Sosefo Ali ● Anthony Webster • Chang Lee Tsu-Sheng • Frances Blatchford • Rodney Blatchford • Nora Carrigan • Philomena D'Souza

We remember and pray for those who have died recently: Terry Livermore • Francis Austria • John Holt Anniversary: Lily D'Souza ● Guido Linssen



#### Music at HORNSBY CATHEDRAL PARISH 15 / 16 February 2025

### **OLOR CATHEDRAL**

5pm Vigil: Vigil Choir; Josh Willard

8am: recited Mass

9:30am: Maris Stella Youth Choir; Josh

Willard

11am: Schola; Christian Catsanos 6pm: Youth for Christ; Philip Barillo

### QUEEN OF PEACE CHURCH

5:30pm Vigil: Joe Baynie 9am: recited Mass

No Cathedral Choir practice 12 February.

New singers and musicians are always welcome! To find where you may fit in the music ministry of the Cathedral Parish, please contact the Cathedral Director of Music. at

joshua.willard@bbcatholic.org.au

### **ASHES FOR LENT**

If you have old palms from previous Palm Sundays, please place them in the designated box at the back of the Church. These will be burned and used for ashes on Ash Wednesday. Thank you!

### **SUNDAY MORNING TEAS** OLOR CATHEDRAL:

Sunday morning tea following 9:30am Mass.

# QOP CHURCH:

Sunday morning tea following 9:00am Mass 4th Sunday of the month.

### HAVE YOU CHANGED ADDRESS, EMAIL ADDRESS OR CREDIT CARD **DETAILS?**

Please contact the Parish office so we can update your information.

### YOUTH GROUP

1st, 3rd and 5th Sundays of the month during school term.

♦ FEB: 16th

♦ MARCH: 16th, & 30th

♦ APRIL: 6th

Where: Fr Nulty Room. Ages 8 to 11: 4:30pm - 6pm Ages 12 to 17: 6pm - 8:30pm

# CHILDREN'S LITURGY

**OLOR CATHEDRAL** 

The Children's Liturgy will start on 16 **February 2025** during the 9:30am Mass. We are still looking for volunteers to fill in the roster. Contact the Parish Office to volunteer.

### QUEEN OF PEACE CHURCH

Every 4th Sunday of the month following 9am Mass during the school term.

### Call for Volunteers

Welcoming Ministry: This ministry is key to fostering a warm and welcoming parish. One way is distributing bulletins and greeting attendees, they ensure visitors feel valued, connect newcomers with the community, and help regular parishioners feel at home.

Cathechist / SRE: There is still a need for 4-5 more volunteers to teach in the state schools.

To volunteer in any of the ministries above, please contact the Parish Office at 8379 1700 or email us via cathedral@bbcatholic.org.au.

# **BAPTISM PROGRAM 2024**

Visit our website on www.bbcatholic.org.au/ hornsby for information and baptism enrolment form.



# CONFESSIONS

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE / RECONCILIATION **OLOR Cathedral** Saturdays 8:15am - 9:15am Queen of Peace Church Saturdays 4:30pm-5:15pm

**HOLY HOUR** Every Saturday 8:15am-9:15am OLOR Cathedral

**EXPOSITION** Every First Friday of the month from 10am- 10pm (except January)

**PRAYING THE ROSARY** OLOR Cathedral Chapel weekdays after each

7am and 9:30am Mass. Men's Rosary First Saturday/Month

fellowship from 8am, Rosary from 8:30am. PRIVATE PRAYER Our Cathedral Chapel is open for private prayer from 8am-8pm during weekdays.

E-BULLETIN For those who would like to receive our E-bulletin (a more detailed version of our printed bulletin) please email bbcatholic.org.au/hornsby cathedral@bbcatholic.org.au with E-bulletin in the subject line.