



**HORNSBY
CATHEDRAL
PARISH**

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 DD JCL
Bishop of Broken Bay
Very Rev Brendan Lee
Moderator
Rev Thomas Alackakunnel
Assistant Priest
Rev Vitalis Oguh
Assistant Priest
Kevin McGregor
Deacon
Nigel McBain
Seminararian

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 & 9:30am
Wed 7:00am & 9:30am
Thu 7:00am & 9:30am
Fri 7:00am & 9:30am
Sat 9:30am (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



Website



Facebook



YouTube

As Jesus prayed, the aspect of his face was changed and his clothing became brilliant as lightning.



LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading: Genesis 15:5-12, 17-18
Responsorial Psalm:
The Lord is my light and my salvation.
Second Reading: Philippians 3:17 – 4:1
Gospel Acclamation:
From the shining cloud the Father's voice is heard: this is my beloved Son, hear him.
Gospel: Luke 9:28-36

ORDINATION | 19 MARCH



Most Rev Anthony Randazzo DD JCL
Bishop of Broken Bay
Joyfully invites you to the

**Ordination to the Priesthood of
Deacon Rosan Mathew**

**Solemnity of St Joseph,
Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary**
7:30pm, Wednesday, 19 March 2025
Our Lady of the Rosary Cathedral, 23 Yardley Ave, Waitara

Refreshments will follow
at The Light of Christ Centre at the end of Yardley Avenue

Please RSVP
events@bbcatholic.org.au

PARISH DIARY DATES

March Parish Dates

- 19 - Feast of St Joseph / Ordination of Deacon Rosan Mathew (7:30pm)
- 21 - Stations of the Cross / Adoration and Reconciliation (7pm to 8:30pm)
- 23 - Thanksgiving Mass of Fr Rosan Mathew 9:30am Mass at OLOR
- 28 - Stations of the Cross / Adoration and Reconciliation (7pm to 8:30pm)
- 30 - Missionary of Mercy Mass (9:30am)

April Parish Dates

- 13 - Palm Sunday
- 15 - Chrim Mass (7:30pm)
- 17 - Holy Thursday - Mass of the Lord's Supper
- 18 - Jesus' Passion at 3pm OLOR
- 19 - Holy Saturday - Easter Vigil 7pm OLOR
- 20 - Easter Sunday
- 27 - Divine Mercy Sunday

PARISH LENTEN PROGRAM

Lent is a sacred season of reflection, repentance, and renewal. As we prepare our hearts for Eastcan yer, let us embrace prayer, fasting, and almsgiving as ways to grow closer to Christ.

Stations of the Cross (followed by Eucharistic Adoration & Reconciliation)

All Fridays of Lent at the Cathedral 7pm to 8:30 pm.

A Lenten Reflection Guide is now available at the back of the church. Scan the QR code for the digital copy.



SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

OLOR Cathedral
Saturdays 8:15am - 9:15am
Queen of Peace Church
Saturdays 4:30pm-5:15pm



SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION - ENROLMENTS NOW OPEN!

Enrolments are now open for the **Sacrament of Confirmation for children** in Year 3 and above. Forms are available at the back of the church and online. **The deadline for submissions is 9 April 2025.**

We're also accepting enrolments for **Adult Confirmation**. If you're 16 years or older and have been baptised, you're welcome to take part. The enrolment form is available on our website.

For more details please contact the parish office and to access the forms, visit: bbcatholic.org.au/hornsby/sacraments/confirmation

The 2025 Sacramental Program Dates for children have now been updated on the website. Check them out!

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT, YEAR C | 16 MARCH 2025

(02) 8379 1700
Monday to Friday 9:00AM to 4:20PM

cathedral@bbcatholic.org.au
www.bbcatholic.org.au/hornsby

Private Bag 3000
Hornsby NSW 1630

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.



PIETY STALL

The Piety Stall has a variety of religious gifts and personal items, including Bibles, a great range of rosaries, crosses & crucifixes, assorted medals, statues, religious books, greeting cards, prayer cards, holy cards and prints.

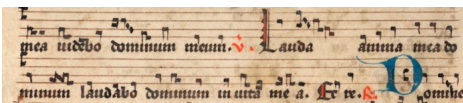
In March, the Piety Stall schedules are:
15 March, Sat 4:30pm to 6pm
16 March Sun 7:30am to 11:00am

WE ASK YOU TO PRAY FOR those who are affected by war, natural disasters, and those who are sick.

We pray for the sick: Pope Francis ● 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: Sue Davey ● Albert Scheers ● Terry Livermore

Anniversary: Prospero Montesclaros ● oe Sposari ● Anna Maria Antao ● John Salvador Gonsalves ● Dolores Czarnik ● John Medalla



Music at HORNSBY CATHEDRAL PARISH 15 / 16 March 2025

OLOR CATHEDRAL

5pm Vigil: **Vigil Choir**; Amelee Say
8am: recited
9:30am: **Maris Stella Choir**; Josh Willard
11am: **Schola**; Christian Catsanos
6pm: **Youth for Christ**; Philip Barillo

QUEEN OF PEACE CHURCH

5:30pm Vigil: **Leisha Stevens & Christian Catsanos**
9am: recited

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

YOUTH GROUP

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

◆ MARCH: 16th, & 30th
◆ APRIL: 6th

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



YOUNG ADULTS meets every 2nd Friday of the month at Fr Nulty Room 6:30pm. Email olorcathedralyouth@gmail.com

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

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The Children's Liturgy 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

Live Streaming: This ministry is open for adults who wants to assist in important liturgies and also streaming the Mass everyday. Streamed masses are 7am weekdays & 9:30am on weekends.

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

ALTAR SERVERS' MEETING

All adult servers are invited for a meeting on **22 March after the 9:30am Mass at the Fr Nulty Room**. Those who are interested to volunteer are welcome to join.

SACRAMENTS FOR OLDER CHILDREN

For any high school students seeking to receive the Sacraments of Initiation—Baptism, Confirmation, Reconciliation, or Holy Communion - please contact the Parish Office.

BAPTISM PROGRAM 2025

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



HOLY HOUR Every Saturday 8:15am-9:15am Olor Cathedral

EXPOSITION Every First Friday of the month from 10am - 10pm

PRAYING THE ROSARY Olor Cathedral Chapel weekdays after each 7am and 9:30am Mass.

Men's Rosary First Saturday of the Month fellowship from 8am, Rosary from 8:30am.

PRIVATE PRAYER Our Cathedral Chapel is open for private prayer from 8am-8pm during weekdays.



Second Sunday of Lent

Toefuata'iga - (*Toy-foo-ah-tah-ing-ah*) a primary school student from Samoa faced severe water shortages at her school. Thanks to Caritas Australia and the generosity of supporters like you, her primary school now has a 10,000 L water tank. Teachers and students now have access to clean drinking water at their school and are able to focus on education.



Photo credit: Caritas Australia

Please donate today.

You can support Project Compassion 2025 through the donation envelopes or by scanning the QR code above.

Or online at: caritas.org.au/project-compassion
Or by calling: 1800 024 413



Jubilee Pilgrim Passport

Pilgrim Passports & stamp are now available at the back of the Cathedral. More info at www.bbjubilee.com.au

24 HOURS FOR THE LORD

In this Jubilee Year, **Our Lady of the Rosary Cathedral** will be open for 24 hours from **9am Friday, 28 March to 9am Saturday, 29 March**, with Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and the Sacrament of Reconciliation available.

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

Parish Giving (2nd Collection) supports the Parish ministries, maintenance and staff salaries.

Click on QR code for Giving and select desired Biller code.

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

CONTRIBUTIONS

BAPTISM THIS WEEKEND

This weekend we welcome our newest member to Olor Cathedral as he receives the sacrament of Baptism. Please pray for **Gabriel**.

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

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.

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