

# KU-RING-GAI CHASE CATHOLIC PARISH

'Seek God, Find God, Embrace God in Jesus'

7th October 2018 ~ The 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ Year B

May the Lord bless us all the days of our lives.

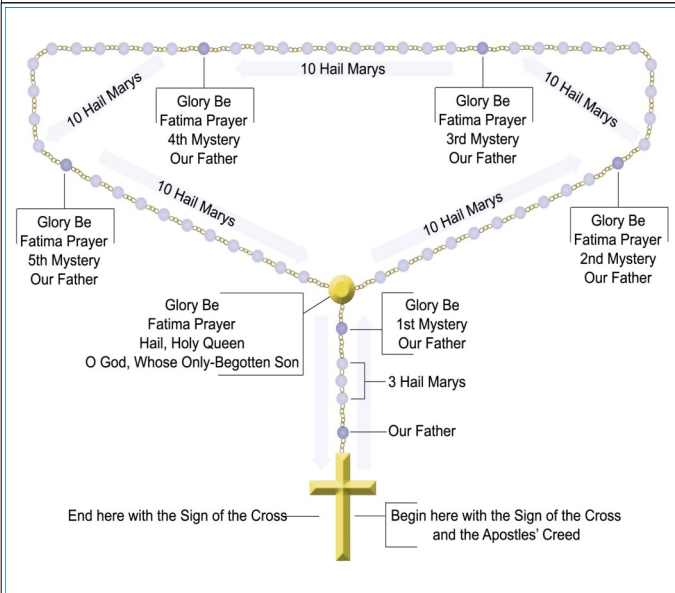
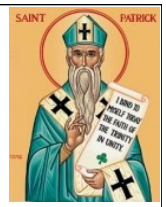
Gen 2: 18-24; Heb 2:9-11; Mk 10:2-16

### Our Mission Statement

'Help others to recognise, through their experiences, that Jesus who died and is risen is the truth that lights up their lives'

### Our Vision Statement

'That the parishioners of Ku-ring-gai Chase Catholic Parish grow as missionary disciples and live as community in Christ inviting all people into our Parish, welcoming them to our Parish life and embracing the rich diversity of our community'



## October is the Month of The Holy Rosary

The twenty mysteries are divided into four equal groups, known as

"The Joyful," "The Sorrowful," "The Glorious," and "The Luminous Mysteries."

**How to recite the Rosary—follow the diagram on the left, working anti-clockwise from the cross**

### The Apostles' Creed:

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, Our Lord; who was conceived of the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary; suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; He descended into hell; on the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit; the Catholic Church; the communion of Saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body and life everlasting. **Amen.**

**Glory Be:** Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be world without end. **Amen.**

**Fatima Prayer:** O my Jesus, forgive us our sins, save us from the fires of hell. Lead all souls to heaven, especially those in most need of Thy Mercy. **Amen.**

**Hail Holy Queen (Salve Regina):** Hail, holy Queen, Mother of Mercy; hail our life, our sweetness, and our hope! To thee do we cry, poor banished children of Eve; to thee do we send up our sighs, mourning and weeping in this valley of tears. Turn, then most gracious advocate, thine eyes of mercy towards us; and after this our exile show unto us the blessed fruit of thy womb, Jesus. O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary.

**V.** Pray for us, O Holy Mother of God. **R.** That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

**Concluding Prayers:** O God, whose only-begotten Son, by His life, death and resurrection, has purchased for us the rewards of eternal life; grant, we beseech Thee, that meditating upon these mysteries of the Most Holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary, we may imitate what they contain and obtain what they promise, through the same Christ Our Lord. **Amen.**

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Dear friends, please remember that each of you are invited to join others for the remainder of our **Ten Days of the Rosary** as we recite the rosary in front of the Blessed Sacrament each evening at St. Patrick's Church, Asquith. The effort will strengthen us and Blessed Mary will intercede for us every day. Each day we will expose the Blessed Sacrament and say the Rosary, followed by Benediction. *Fr Shiju Simon OSH - see inside page for schedule.*

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### WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday	5pm	St Bernard's
	6pm	St Patrick's
Sunday	8am	St Patrick's
	9am	St Bernard's
	10am	St Patrick's
	6pm	St Patrick's

### WEEKDAY MASSES

St Bernard's	8am Monday, Tuesday, Thursday
	9am Wednesday
	9am Friday
First Friday- St Bernard's	10.30am Adoration 11.00am Reconciliation 11.30am Healing Mass
St Patrick's	8am Wednesday and Friday 9am Monday, Tuesday, Thurs, Sat.
<b>RECONCILIATION</b>	
Every Saturday	9.30 am at St Patrick's
Every Friday	After 9am Mass at St Bernard's, (except First Friday—see above)

**THIS WEEK'S READINGS  
and PRAYERS**

**ORDINARY TIME 27th Week**

**Monday 08/10**

Weekday, Ordinary Time 27  
Mass ad libitum  
Gal 1:6-12; Lk10:25-37

**Tuesday 09/10**

Weekday, Ordinary Time 27  
Mass ad libitum  
Gal 1:13-24; Lk10:38-42

**Wednesday 10/10**

Weekday, Ordinary Time 27  
Mass ad libitum  
Gal 2:1-2, 7-14; Lk11:1-4

**Thursday 11/10**

Weekday, Ordinary Time 27  
Mass ad libitum  
Gal 3:1-5; Lk11:5-13

**Friday 12/10**

Weekday, Ordinary Time 27  
Mass ad libitum  
Gal 3:7-14; Lk11:15-26

**Saturday 13/10**

Weekday, Ordinary Time 27  
Mass ad libitum  
Gal 3:22-29; Lk11:27-28

**Ku-ring-gai Chase Parish  
REMEMBERS & PRAYS for...**

**RECENTLY DECEASED:**

John D'Arcy (father of Denise Harant), Giuseppe (Joe) Loccisano, Jude Fernandez

**ANNIVERSARIES**

James Treacy, Victor Hinton, Patricia McDonagh, Michael Weir, . Nancy Gomez, ,

**PRAYERS FOR THE SICK:**

Cathy Gleeson, Rosalinda de Ramos, John Goudie, Peter Todd, Georgia Meyers, Angela Smith, Jaz Pitts, Greg Cooper, Matthew Franklin, Jeanette Bakker, Anne Singleton, Maureen Sharpe, Ewa Rakoczy, Barbara Halliday, Jean Cook, Morrie Ramsden, Betty Borg, Brian Neary, Edwina Subramany, Darcy Green, Aiko Concepcion, John Buckley, Ellen Asistente, Sam Calacoci, Barbara Jones, Arlene Josen, Alfredo De Ramos, Kath Lock, Marcelina De Ramos, Patricia Pascuzzo, Cadia Maestri, Matthew Conlon, Patrick Dorahy, John Macy, Narelle Cartwright, Dn Jim Caulfield, Tom Dawson, Mary Fernandes, Patricia Sanders, Barbara & Frederick Novak, Matthew Sutton, Monique Leyden, Maciej Maciejewski,

*Please advise the pastoral centre if names can be deleted from the sick list.*



**Mass in the  
Extraordinary  
Form of the  
Roman Rite**  
will be  
celebrated on  
**Sunday 21 October 2018**  
at **4.30pm** in  
St Benedict's Church,  
121 Arcadia Road, Arcadia.

*Schedule for our continuing  
10 Days of The Rosary*

- 6 October: Saturday 7pm - **The Sick of the Parish**
- 7 October: Sunday 7pm - **Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary, Parish Community**
- 8 October: Monday 7pm - **Youth in the Parish**
- 9 October: Tuesday 7pm - **Vocations**
- 10 October: Wednesday 7pm - **Peace in the World & Families**
- 11 October: Thursday 7pm - **Farmers & Rain**
- 12 October: Friday 7pm - **Conversion of Sinners**
- 13 October: Saturday 7pm - **Vigil Mass & Rosary Procession**  
(carrying the statue of Blessed Mary).

*We hope you will be able to join us for one or all of these evenings of prayer.*

**Please be a part of mission and help  
continue the work of Catholic  
Mission around the world today.**



Today is Catholic Missions Sunday in our parish. 'You are Mission' is a message for all of us. As Pope Francis writes in his World Mission Day message this year, 'Every man and woman is a mission; that is the reason for our life on this earth'. To assist others less fortunate than yourself please use the envelopes in the pews this weekend. *Catholic Missions thank you for your generous support.*

**Prayer Cards  
for a  
New Bishop**

**Prayer Cards have  
been printed by the  
Diocese and will be  
distributed to  
parishes shortly so  
all in Broken Bay  
can pray a united  
prayer for  
a new Bishop.  
In the meantime,  
here is the prayer  
we are all asked  
to pray.**



**Prayer for a New Bishop**

Heavenly Father and Eternal Shepherd, you watch over and govern your flock with vigilance and concern. In your immense love, grant to your Church a pastor who will please you by his holiness and aid us with his unfailing care. In your time, grant us the joy of welcoming a shepherd formed after your own heart. May he be an example of virtue to your people and, imbued with the power of the Holy Spirit, fill their minds with the truth and beauty of the Gospel. Grant wisdom, O Lord, to those now discerning your holy will in the selection of our new bishop. We ask this in the name of Jesus our Lord and through the intercession of our Mother, Mary Star of the Sea. Amen



**Children's Choir Games :** Sunday 21st October, at St Philip Neri church, Sailor's Bay Rd, Northbridge. For young people from Year 2 to Year 12 with fun and games, and great prizes! Registration 12.30pm, \$5.00 p/child, followed by choir workshops, singing, meeting new friends, snacks, and the big competition: **the Choir Games!**

Choirs are formed on the day, so no choir has a head start. **Anyone can participate, whether they belong to a choir or not**, from any school or any parish in the diocese. The Games themselves begin at 3pm. Parents and carers drop participants at 12.30pm, sign them in and then come back to cheer on your favourite singers. Afternoon tea for everyone will follow. To RSVP or pre-register see details on flyer in the back of the church, or call Patricia Smith 9482 7935 for more information.

**Children's Choir at St Patrick's** is in recess over the school holidays, so no practice this Friday, 12th October. We **will be singing at 10am Mass on 14th October**. Practices resume on Friday 19th October at 4 to 5pm in St Patrick's church. All singers from Year 3 and up from any school in the parish are welcome to join the Choir at any time! The Choir practises every Friday during school terms from 4 to 5pm and sings at 10am Mass on 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month. Further info.: Patricia Smith 9482 7935.



**October Safeguarding Message:**  
The protection of children and vulnerable adults within our Diocese will be achieved as every member of our community strives to be a person who WANTS our children to be safe, to grow and to flourish, and have zero-tolerance to any attitude and activity that makes children less than safe.



**Pope Francis' Prayer Intention  
for October  
The Mission of Religious:**

That consecrated religious men and women may bestir themselves, and be present among the poor, the marginalised, and those who have no voice.

# The 250 Club!

## Are you financial for the new series?

The new Series has started but winnings can only be paid out to financial members. Not sure if you are or aren't? Give the office a call on 9456 2450 to check and ensure your chance of winning THE BIG ONE!



**ARRR... another 'Retiree Replacement Request' ARRR ye smart enough to count our coffers??**  
On the success of finding a replacement at Asquith for a 'retiring' counter, we now seek the same for Berowra. We are confident that our Berowra parishioners will be just as generous with their time as their Asquith counterparts and look forward to hearing from you very soon.

COUNTERS NEEDED

**BUT** additional spots are still open at both Berowra and Asquith as we suspect some of our other long term *pirates* (oops, counters) may be 'harbouring' secret thoughts of a well deserved retirement and so ...

We encourage younger folk to consider coming 'aboard' and 'learning the ropes' from our longstanding 'crew' members.

**Berowra Commitment: approx. once in every 8 weeks.**

**Asquith Commitment: approx. once every 6 weeks** for an hour or so on a Sunday morning.

Contact the Office if ye **ARRR** up to the challenge. Ph: 9456 2450

SOCIAL JUSTICE COMMENT

### Church calls for action to stem the rising tide of homelessness

The Australian Catholic Bishops are deeply concerned about Australia's alarming growth in homelessness and insecure housing. In their Social Justice Statement 2018-19, *A Place to Call Home: Making a home for everyone in our land*, the Bishops have called on Australians to consider those who are homeless or facing housing stress because of skyrocketing rents and property prices. Bishop Vincent Long Van Nguyen OFM (has) said "That struggle has a corrosive effect on family life, on employment, on study and on our capacity to contribute to and benefit from our society. At its worst, the struggle leaves the vulnerable in our society homeless – sleeping on the street, in cars or in doorways, or hoping for a space on someone's couch or floor," ... "Behind the people on the streets is another legion – those who are battling to keep the roof over their heads, wondering if they can make the next rent or mortgage payment," ... "Often, these are people who are employed but whose income is barely enough – or not enough – to keep themselves and their families housed and fed. ... "Housing is a human right, asserted by the UN Declaration of Human Rights and the teachings of our Church. Housing is an essential entitlement for all people to meet their basic needs, flourish in community and have their inherent human dignity affirmed and upheld by others."

### Hornsby Community Forum: Right to Home



The lack of availability of affordable housing is a matter of considerable concern within our community.

**On 29 October, along with the Sydney Alliance, the St Vincent de Paul Society is hosting a community forum to discuss the need and potential solutions for the supply of affordable housing in the Hornsby and Ku-ring-gai areas.**

Venue: Boronia Room, Hornsby RSL. Time: 7pm to 9pm.

**ST PATRICK'S SCHOOL**  
**60TH ANNIVERSARY FETE**

**SATURDAY 27TH OCTOBER**  
**9AM-3PM**

**RAFFLE TICKETS CAN BE BOUGHT HERE**  
**\$2.00 each**

1st Prize: \$1500 cash  
2nd Prize: 6-month Membership at F45 RRP: \$1,700.00  
3rd Prize: \$750 cash  
4th Prize: Watch (choice of Mens or Womens) RRP: \$550.00 (approx)  
5th Prize: Inflatable World Party RRP: \$250.00

**WINNER WILL DRAWN ON FETE DAY\***

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St Pat's School Grounds  
1 Royston Pde  
Asquith

**WOMEN IN THE SCRIPTURES: Discovering their Stories**

There are many intriguing stories in the Bible which feature women across both the Old and New Testaments. Over two evenings, rediscover these stories with biblical scholars and educators

Dr Michele Connolly, RSJ and Dr Debra Snoddy from the Catholic Institute of Sydney. Hear the voices of faithful, courageous, strong, gentle, and shrewd women, and understand their contexts, roles and relationships in the society and households of their times, as well as the way in which they are portrayed in the biblical texts.

**Date:** Mon's 15 & 22 Oct. **Time:** 7-9pm **Venue:** Caroline Chisholm Centre, Building 2, 423 Pennant Hills Rd, Pennant Hills **RSVP:** 11 Oct. to Pina Bernard 8379 1627.

### POSITIONS VACANT

- ◇ The Catholic Diocese of Broken Bay extends from Sydney's Northern Beaches, the North Shore and the Central Coast.
- ◇ Full details of the positions below and required criteria can be found on <https://www.bbatholic.org.au/people/positions-vacant>
- ◇ If you are interested in applying for any of these positions, please **apply online** or via [recruitment@bbatholic.org.au](mailto:recruitment@bbatholic.org.au) and include a **cover letter, statement as to the selection criteria** (which explains how you meet the requirements of this role) and a **current CV**.
- ◇ Please note that successful candidates will be required to undergo pre-employment screening including a **National Police Check Clearance**.

**Assistant Accountant, Full-time** We are seeking a qualified Assistant Accountant to work in the Financial Services Team. The Assistant Accountant plays an integral role, as part of that team, in providing accounting and compliance services to the Chancery and parishes across the Diocese. **Applications close 4pm on Monday 8 October 2018.**

**Head of Finance, Full-time** We are seeking a Financial Services Manager to work with the Diocesan Financial Administrator and Diocesan Finance Council as an influential leader and trusted advisor responsible for providing strategic advice, effective planning and sound stewardship of Diocesan financial services. Additionally, the Financial Services Manager will lead the financial services team in providing financial, compliance and development services to the Chancery & parishes across the Diocese. **Applications close 4pm on Monday 15 October 2018.**

**Facilities & WHS Officer - Pennant Hills, Full-time** We are seeking an experienced Facilities & WHS Officer to provide facilities management and expertise in maintaining Diocesan assets as well as coordinating and managing Chancery and Parish WHS responsibilities. **Applications close 4pm on Friday, 26 October 2018.**

# Rosters & Readings for weekend 13th/14th October—28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO ATTEND FOR YOUR ROSTERED DATE PLEASE ARRANGE A SUBSTITUTE

Wis 7: 7-11; Heb 4:12-13; Mk 10:17-30



KU-RING-GAI CHASE  
CATHOLIC PARISH  
Diocese of Broken Bay, Australia

## St Bernard's Church

## St Patrick's Church (Sacristy Phone 9476 6904)

	5.00pm	9.00am	6.00pm	8.00am	10.00am	6.00pm
	Fr Shaju John	Fr Shiju Simon	Fr Shiju Simon	Fr Shaju John	Fr Shaju John	Fr Shiju Simon
Acolyte/Snr Server	Justin Berry	Michael O'Neill	Mani Subramany	Sue Lum	John Messina	Keith Fone
Server	Megan Chung Arabella Stewart Jessica Wilson	Matthius McLoughlin Alex Rogers Bridie Savage		Sarah Croft Sam Park Leith Suyyah Abbey McAdam	Adrian Joson Sam Holm Gabiella Chahine	Anika Campos Olivia Ratcliffe John Larsen
Reader	Jerome Gomez Francesca Parrino	Peter Collins Clare McLoughlin	Sue Lum Sue Watts	Michael Halliday Dan Leavy	Deborah de Voss Simone Noel	Craig Elliott Justin Elliott
Children's Liturgy	<i>Children's Liturgy (on break during school holidays)</i>		<i>Children's Liturgy (on break during school holidays)</i>			
Communion to Sick	Gus Davis, Kerrin Enright		Ellen Downey, Vincente Sanchez			
Sacristy Care/Church Cleaning/Flowers	Marcia Woods, Anne Bourke, Gwen Wood, Helen Johnson, Cecilia Waite(f), Tina Manti(s)		Lyn Vila, Angie Pulanco, Leala Fowler, Cynthia Gilbertson, Editha Palmer, Yovano Castro Guerrero (Saturday)			
Maintenance	Team A: Peter, Paul, Mark, Tony		October: David Hartmann, Matthew Tancred, Gerry Duffy <b>Volunteers Needed</b>			
Counters	Lyn Beacom, Catherine & Tony McMahon,		Bill Smitheram, Henning Schneider, Coral Thaddeus, Mary Stokes			

**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*.

## LITURGICAL SERVICES & PASTORAL CARE

<b>Rosary</b>	After weekday Masses both Churches
<b>Visit Housebound</b>	Fr Shaju John & Fr Shiju Simon 9456 2450
<b>Urgent sick calls</b>	Fr Shaju John 9456 7012 (Presbytery) Fr Shiju Simon 9476 8843 (Presbytery) <b>Nursing Home Visits</b> By request
<b>Clergy Days Off</b>	Fr Shaju John – Monday Fr Shiju Simon – Tuesday
<b>Home Visits Requests</b>	For Masses, House Blessings & Pastoral Please call the Pastoral Centre 9456 2450. <b>HOSPITAL ADMISSION:</b> If you are admitted to hospital, please write down your religion as Catholic to receive Catholic Services. <i>Be sure to notify the Pastoral Centre if hospitalised and you would like our own priests to attend.</i>

## LITURGICAL SERVICES & PASTORAL CARE

**October 4 to 13, 2018 10 days of the Rosary & Benediction St Patrick's Asquith, 7pm**

### ON THE NOTICEBOARD—full details of:

- \* Billings Teacher Training Course Novotel, Brisbane, 9-10 Nov for Health Professionals & others interested in Woman's Health.
- \* School Holiday Family Fun - Mary MacKillop Place, North Sydney - 9,10, 11 October, Bookings essential
- \* Social Justice Reflection afternoon, CCC Pennant Hills Oct 13
- \* Apparitions of Our Lady of Fatima, St Benedict's Arcadia Oct 14
- \* Women in the Scriptures CCC, Pennant Hills Oct 15 & Oct 22
- \* Healing After Abortion—Rachel's Vineyard Retreat Nov 16-18
- \* [Weekly] Life Marriage & Family Notice from the DBB
- \* Vocations Office DBB 2018—you're invited to attend opportunities for prayer, discernment and inquiry if considering a vocation to priesthood or diaconate. [Vocations.Ministry@dbb.org.au](mailto:Vocations.Ministry@dbb.org.au)

## 250 Club Results

**Week 01 ~ 02/10//2018 ~ \$25 ~ Ticket 449 ~ Winner: Upuli Pahalawatta ~ Congratulations! Upuli only joined last week! Well done and thank you for supporting our parish.**

The businesses below support our parish by advertising here. Please give them your support in turn.



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