

St Patrick's Catholic Church Cnr Baldwin Ave & Royston Pde, Asquith

St Bernard's Catholic Church 1-19 Woodcourt Rd, Berowra Heights

WEEKEND MASSES Saturday 5pm St Bernard's St Patrick's 6pm Sunday 8am St Patrick's 9am St Bernard's 10am St Patrick's 6pm St Patrick's Vietnamese Mass ~ 1st Sunday of the month at 2.30pm St Patrick's ****

WEEKDAY MASSES

St Patrick's, Asquith

8am Wednesday and Friday

9am Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday St Bernard's Berowra Heights

8am Thursday

9.15am Wednesday and Friday (except 1st Friday of the month when Mass is at 11.30am)

RECONCILIATION

Saturday After 9am Mass St Patrick's Friday After 9.15am Mass St Bernard's ****

(Out of office hours URGENT only)

Emergency sick calls 0468 341 841

HOSPITAL ADMISSION:

If admitted to hospital, please write down your religion as Catholic to receive Catholic Services. Please, call the office if you would like our own priests to visit you in hospital.

PARISH OFFICE

Opening Hours: 9am – 4pm; Monday to Friday Addresses: 1-19 Woodcourt Rd, Berowra Heights 2082 / P.O. Box 335, Berowra Heights NSW 2082

Parish Priest: **Assistant Priest:** Parish Secretary: Parish Secretary: Parish Bookkeeper: Vol. Office Assistant: Vol. Web Administrator: David Funk Vol. Sacramental Team: Peta T & Phill C

Rev Dr Biju Jose, OSH Fr Joseph Methanath, OSH **Catherine Hutchison** Margaret Cooper Karen Price Jan Favaloro (Email: kccpsacraments@gmail.com)

Scan here: to read our parish bulletin in full.



Safeguarding: Our parish is ... Committed to fostering communities of safety and care for all people, most especially for children and vulnerable adults. If you're concerned about safety, contact the parish office on 02 9456 2450 or contact the Office of Safeguarding on 02 8379 1605. Thank you for helping us maintain a safe and welcoming environment for all who enter our church

Dear Fr Joy,

As you conclude your service as Assistant Priest in our parish. we want to express our heartfelt gratitude for your dedicated service, love and care.

Your six years of ministry among us have been a blessing,

and we are deeply grateful for the countless ways you have touched our lives. Your unwavering commitment to our parish community, your passion for the Gospel, and priestly care have inspired us all.

Your homilies have nourished our spirits, your counsel has guided us, and your presence has brought comfort and solace to many.

Your support for our parish activities have been invaluable, and we will miss your presence dearly.

We wish you a safe journey and all the best for your new ministry in India. We pray that God will continue to bless and guide you, and that you will remain a source of inspiration and hope to all those you serve.

May you be filled with peace, joy, and the same love you have so generously shared with us.

You will always be remembered and cherished in our prayers. Fr Biju, Fr Joseph & parishioners.

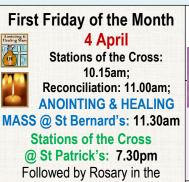
Dear Friends in Christ.

As you all know, I am leaving Australia after 14 years of priestly ministry on the 1st of April. My heart is filled with gratitude and fond memories, especially to the parish of Ku-ring-gai Chase, where I spent six long years of my ministry time. I come from India, a land of diverse culture, religion and language. You have to make an extensive travel to experience this multi-dimension in my home country. On the contrary, in Australia, my adopted new home, I was lucky to experience this diverse, multi-cultural dimension within a suburb. It was a great experience for me to acquaint myself with people from across the globe within a parish set up. As I return home, I carry with me an experience



and learning of a lifetime. Serving the Church in Australia has been a privilege and a blessing. The love, concern, care and encouragement I have received from the Church authorities and the People of God have sustained and strengthened me in my vocation. I don't dare to mention any names, since it is too many people to name. Finally, a word of thanks for putting up with me

To those I may have wronged, I ask forgiveness; To those I may have helped, I wish I did more; To those I neglected to help, I ask for understanding; To those who helped me, I sincerely thank you so much ... Transfers may set us apart, but friendship will keep us connected. Let us be united in prayers, Fr Joy.



Chapel. All welcome.

Daylight Savings Ends April 6th. Turn your clocks back by 1 hour at 3am on 6 April '25 (or before you go to bed on Sat. night most of all enjoy the sleep in !).



Stations of the Cross during Lent of Renewal @ St Bernard's Berowra Heights:

8.45am Friday mornings followed by 9.15am Mass, @ St Patrick's Asquith: 7.30pm each Friday evening during Lent except April 4, ~ Select Choir will present, The Way of the Cross, a Lenten reflection in Scripture and song.



A PILGRIMAGE THROUGH THE BIBLE ~ "Bible Study" Date: April 8, 29; May 6, 13, 20; June 3, 17, 24; Time: 7.30-8.30pm; Venue: Fr McMaugh Hall (in grounds of St Patrick's Catholic PS, Asquith); Everyone's welcome. Thanks, Fr Biju.

KU-RING-GAI CHASE CATHOLIC PARISH in the Diocese of Broken Bay Fourth Sunday of Lent ~ Year C ~ 30th March 2025 Welcome to our Spiritual home

A very warm welcome to you, especially to anyone new and visiting our parish. It is good to have you with us!

If you have any questions or would like to know more about our community, please contact us by email or on the number below. We'd love to hear from you! P: (02) 9456 2450; E: parishkccp@bbcatholic.org.au; W: bbcatholic.org.au/kccp Requests for inclusion in our bulletin may be submitted for consideration

up to 12 noon on Wednesdays by emailing: parishkccp@bbcatholic.org.au



'Ku-ring-gai Chase Catholic parish, on the sacred lands of God under the faithful custodianship of the Darug and Guringai people, commit ourselves to the ongoing journey of Reconciliation.'