

Catholic Parish of Warringah

Diocese of Broken Bay, NSW— Scalabrinian Fathers

St Kevin's Church 50 Oaks Ave, Dee Why, 2099, N.S.W.

St John the Apostle Church 57 Waratah Pde, Narraweena, 2099, N.S.W.

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<u> 10th January 2021 : Baptism of the Lord— Year B</u>

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St Kevin's Church

Weekday Masses:

Mon-Sat:8:30am (Holy Rosary 8am), Friday

12 Noon

Week-end Mass Times Saturday Vigil: 5.30pm

Sunday: 8am; 9.15am, 10.30am (in Italian);

6pm

Filipino Mass: 1st Sunday of the month 4pm & 3rd Sunday of the Month 11.45am -

in Tagalog

Every 4th Sunday:

Chaplaincy Youth Mass at 6.00 pm Reconciliation: Saturday: 9am

Cenacle of Prayer:

Wednesday after the 8.30am Mass

Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus

First Fridays of the month: 7pm Mass

Eucharistic Adoration:

Fridays after 8.30am Mass till 11.45am **<u>Legion</u>** of **Mary**: Every Thursday at 2pm Brazilian Mass: Saturday at 7.00pm. **<u>Divine</u>** Mercy : Friday at 7pm, except 1st

Friday.

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena:

Every Wednesday at 7.30pm except 1st Wednesday (Novena Mass is every Wednesday at 7pm)

Friends of Jesus: 3rd Thursday 7.30pm-8.30pm

Mass in Spanish: 1st Saturday at 4pm

St John the Apostle Church

Weekday Masses: Tuesday—Saturday: 9.30am (Holy Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet 9.00am)

Week-end Mass Times Saturday Vigil: 5pm Sunday: 8am & 10am

Reconciliation: Saturday: following the

9.30am Mass

Cenacle of Prayer: 9.45am Wednesday **EucharisticAdoration**: Monday7pm-8pm



Baptism in Judaism in Jesus' time was done through immersion. One enters 'into the water' which recalls the death symbolism of the annihilating power of the ocean flood. One therefore 'dies' to sin which one confesses while being immersed in the water.

Jesus' Baptism is his 'anointing ' by God, empowering him to preach the Gospel of the Kingdom. The Holy Spirit descends upon Jesus in bodily form like a dove. And the heavenly Father declares Jesus as his beloved Son, with whom he is well pleased. Receiving his 'credentials', Jesus begins his journey which will end in his death and resurrection.

Our own Baptism opens for us 'the door' to a journey from a state of sin into a new life, as we are 'immersed' in water and rise from it . St Paul tells us the effect of this sacrament: 'We went into the tomb with him and joined him in death, so that as Christ was raised from death by the Father's glory, we too might live a new life'.

"You will draw water joyfully from the springs of salvation".

Mass	Into	ntions for the Week
St. John's, Narraweena :		
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St. Kevin's, Dee Why:		
5.30pm	9	Rec decd Henry Albuquerque, Dec Michael Mico
8.00am	10	Dec Mary McCabe
9.15am		Dec Delia Olavario (Birthday)
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6.00pm		Rec decd Henry Albuquerque, Dec Michael Mico
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Almighty and all-merciful God, lover of the human race, healer of all our wounds, in whom there is no shadow of death, save us in this time of crisis; grant wisdom and courage to our leaders; watch over all medical people as they tend the sick and work for a cure; stir in us a sense of solidarity beyond all isolation; if our doors are closed, let our hearts be open. By the power of your love destroy the virus of fear, that hope may never die and the light of Easter, the triumph of life, may shine upon us and the whole world. Through Jesus Christ, the Lord risen from the dead, who lives and reigns for ever and ever. Amen.

Holy Mary, health of the sick, pray for us. St Joseph, guardian of us all, pray for us.

New Mass Schedule with up to 100 people in Dee Why

Weekdays

8:30am-Morning Mass

Saturday

8:30am-Morning Mass 9:00am -Confessions 5:30pm- Vigil Mass 7.00pm- Brazilian Mass

Sunday

8:00am 9:15am 10:30am Italian Mass 6:00pm

New Mass Schedule with up to 100 people in Narraweena

Weekdays (Tuesday—Friday) 9:30am-Morning Mass

Saturday

9:30am-Morning Mass 10:00am -Confessions 5:00pm- Vigil Mass

Sunday

8:00am 10:00am

No need to book for Masses but
Parishioners attending a religious
service will be required to provide
their name & contact details (phone
or email) when they enter the church,
for contact tracing. The details of one
adult member per household is
sufficient
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PARISH NEWS/EVENTS



Christmas Lottery – results are in!

A big thankyou to all who bought a ticket in the

parish fundraiser.

The Christmas lottery realised much needed funds for the parish; especially given that revenue over the Christmas week was nil.

Your \$20 ticket purchase was much appreciated by the finance committee.

We are pleased to say that the profit was \$6,200 This helps pay ongoing bills.

Also a big thankyou to all sellers: your courage in asking people to buy, helped us complete the draw on time.

The (N) winner was ticket N 137: Di Aylward The St K winner ticket St K 87: Michele Quinn Congratulations to the winners!

Marriage Tribunal - Diocese of Broken Bay

The Marriage Tribunal in the Diocese of Broken Bay is a service of the Diocese to assist with the pastoral care of:

- divorced persons seeking to remarry in the Catholic Church:
- divorced and remarried persons seeking to have their marriage recognised in the Catholic Church;
- divorced persons seeking clarification of their standing in the Catholic Church for peace of conscience or for reassurance in developing relationships in the future.

Marriage Tribunal Contact Details

Diocesan Director: Fr Julian Wellspring JV Administrative Assistant: Mrs Alda Mendezona

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Postal address:

Level 7

Polding Centre 133 Liverpool Street Sydney NSW 2000

CATHOLIC WEEKLY PULPIT POINTS 10 JANUARY 2021

- The missing \$2.3 billion
- What the numbers tell us. Mass attendance in Australia.
- Thoughts on a pro-life picket line
- The tragedy of Lisa Montgomery
- Movie review: The Surgeon's Cut
- Brothers who built an industry



Digital Liturgy Resources

Laudate (App) This free App has a large number of resources at hand, including the day's Readings; the Liturgy of the Hours; the Rosary, Stations of the Cross, Prayers, Catholic

documents including the Catechism of the Catholic Church, and even links to many Catholic media sites. Download for Apple and Android.



Pray As You Go Start the day with a reflection on the day's Reading, with music, Scripture reading, and guided reflection. A simple way to connect with the Church's liturgy and to bring God into your day. Approximately 15

minutes. https://pray-as-you-go.org/ or download App on Apple or Android.

Diocese of Broken Bay Lenten Program 2021

Our Diocesan Lenten Program for 2021 will explore Bishop Anthony's six priorities for our Diocese, and will feature reflections by Fr David Ranson, Tomasz Juszczak, Kelly Paget, Deacon Samuel French, Sr Josefa Mabini and Pina Bernard. The resource will also feature personal testimonies from local parishioners.

In your planning for 2021, please consider forming small groups to take up this resource so that these themes can start to be unpacked in our parishes.

Enquiries: Pina Bernard

pina.bernard@bbcatholic.org.au or 8379 1627.



Thank you

Frs Reinaldo, Francis & Emman would like to sincerely thank all parishioners for their generous gifts, cards and donations over the Christmas period. Blessings to all parishioners for 2021.



Rosters Next Week: 2nd Sunday of

Ordinary Time

St Kevin's Cleaning Team : B

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Entrance Antiphon

After the Lord was baptised, the heavens were opened, and the Spirit descended upon him like a dove, and the voice of the Father thundered: This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased.

First Reading Isaiah 55:1-11

A reading from the prophet Isaiah Oh, come to the water all you who are thirsty;

though you have no money, come! Buy corn without money, and eat, and, at no cost, wine and milk. Why spend money on what is not bread, your wages on what fails to satisfy?

Listen, listen to me, and you will have good things to eat and rich food to enjoy.

Pay attention, come to me; listen, and your soul will live.

With you I will make an everlasting covenant out of the favours promised to David. See, I have made of you a witness to the peoples,

a leader and a master of the nations. See, you will summon a nation you never knew, those unknown will come hurrying to you, for the sake of the Lord your God, of the Holy One of Israel who will glorify you.

Seek the Lord while he is still to be found, call to him while he is still near. Let the wicked man abandon his ways, the evil man his thoughts.

Let him turn back to the Lord who will take pity on him,

to our God who is rich in forgiving; for my thoughts are not your thoughts, my ways not your ways - it is the Lord who speaks.

Yes, the heavens are as high above earth as my ways are above your ways, my thoughts above your thoughts.

Yes, as the rain and the snow come down from the heavens and do not return without watering the earth, making it yield and giving growth to provide seed for the sower and bread for the eating, so the word that goes from my mouth does not return to me empty, without carrying out my will and succeeding in what it was sent to do.

The word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm

Isaiah 12:2-6

R. You will draw water joyfully from the springs of salvation.

Truly, God is my salvation, I trust, I shall not fear.

For the Lord is my strength, my song, he became my saviour.

With joy you will draw water from the wells of salvation. R.

Give thanks to the Lord, give praise to his name!

Make his mighty deeds known to the peoples!

Declare the greatness of his name. R. Sing a psalm to the Lord for he has done glorious deeds, make them known to all the earth! People of Zion, sing and shout for joy for great in your midst is the Holy One of Israel. R

Second Reading 1 John 5:1-9

A reading from the first letter of St John

Whoever believes that Jesus is the Christ has been begotten by God; and whoever loves the Father that begot him loves the child whom he begets.

We can be sure that we love God's children if we love God himself and do what he has commanded us; this is what loving God is - keeping his commandments; and his commandments are not difficult, because anyone who has been begotten by God has already overcome the world; this is the victory over the world—our faith.

Who can overcome the world?
Only the man who believes that Jesus is the Son of God:

Jesus Christ who came by water and

blood, not with water only, but with water and blood; with the Spirit as another witness - since the Spirit is the truth - so that there are three witnesses, the Spirit, the water and the blood, and all three of them agree. We accept the testimony of human witnesses, but God's testimony is much greater, and this is God's testimony, given as evidence for his Son.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation cf John 1:29

Alleluia, alleluia!

John saw Jesus approaching him, and said: This is the Lamb of God who takes away the sins of the world. Alleluia!

Gospel Mark 1:7-11

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark

In the course of his preaching John the Baptist said, 'Someone is following me, someone who is more powerful than I am, and I am not fit to kneel down and undo the strap of his sandals. I have baptised you with water, but he will baptise you with the Holy Spirit'.

It was this time that Jesus came from Nazareth in Galilee and was baptised in the Jordan by John. No sooner had he come up out of the water than he saw the heavens torn apart and the Spirit, like a dove, descending on him. And a voice came from heaven, 'You are my Son, the Beloved; my favour rests on you.'

The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Communion Antiphon

Behold the One of whom John said: I have seen and testified that this is the Son of God.



