

Catholic Parish of Warringah

Diocese of Broken Bay, NSW— Scalabrinian Fathers

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<u> 13th September 2020 : Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time — Year A</u>

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St Kevin's Church

Weekday Masses:

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

Week-end Mass Times Saturday Vigil: 5.30pm

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

Filipino Mass: 1st Sunday of the month

4pm & 3rd Sunday of the Month

11.45am - in Tagalog

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. **Divine Mercy**: 3rd Friday at 7pm. Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena:

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

Friends of Jesus: 3rd Thursday 7.30pm-

8.30pm

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: Sat: following the 9.30am

Mass

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



The question that Peter asks Jesus about the number of times one must forgive another may well be our question! After all, just how often should I be expected to forgive someone who keeps sinning against me? The Law of Moses had stipulated that three times was enough, and Peter appears to be generous in asking if seven times is sufficient. Jesus' response must have shocked him. Jesus is not giving him a lesson in math but in mercy. The unconditional and forgiving love of the Father is the example for the disciples of Jesus. This teaching is at the heart of the parable of the unforgiving servant that follows this reading

(Matthew 18:21-35)

Bless the Lord, O my soul: all my being, bless his holy name.

| | Mass | Inte | ntions for the Week |
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| St. John's, Narraweena : | | | |
| Saturday | 5.00pm | 12 | Rec decd Giuditta Fuda |
| Sunday | | 13 | ree deed Gradian rada |
| , | 10.00am | | |
| Tuesday | 9.30am | 15 | |
| Wednesday | 9.30am | 16 | |
| Thursday | 9.30am | | |
| Friday | 9.30am | | |
| | Ham | | Funeral: Giuditta Fuda |
| Saturday | 9.30am | 19 | |
| St. Kevin's, Dee Why: | | | |
| Saturday | 5.30pm | 12 | - |
| Sunday | 8.00am | 13 | Spec int Mary McCabe, spec int for wellbeing & happiness. Dec John Gates (1st anniv). Spec int Joyce Jocelyn Chew Li Yin, Veronica Jaslene Chew Li Hui, Chew Theng Pong |
| | 9.15am | | Dec John Gates (1st anniv) |
| ı | 0 .30am | | Dec Carmela & Angelo Barletta, Bruno Romeo, Vince Azzolina, Venera Chiara, Carmelo Catalano, Giorgio Nati, Michele Lentile, Pina Lentile, Antonio Mastroianni, Giuseppe Mastroianni, Maria Mastroianni, Raffaele Albaci, Tomaso Vescio, defunti di Mastroianni & Vescio famiglia |
| | 6.00pm | | Recently deceased Jean- Pierre Mouttet |
| Monday | 8.30am | 14 | Spec int Mary McCabe, Joyce Jocelyn Chew Li Yin, Veronica Jaslene Chew Li Hui, Chew Theng Pong |
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| Thursday | 8.30am | 17 | Spec int Mary McCabe, Spec int Joyce Jocelyn Chew Li Yin, Veronica Jaslene Chew Li Hui, Chew Theng Pong |
| Friday | 8.30am | 18 | Spec int Mary McCabe. Dec Pasquale Caruso, Rocco Perre.Spec int Joyce Jocelyn Chew Li Yin, Veronica Jaslene Chew Li Hui, Chew Theng Pong |
| Saturday | 8.30am | 19 | Spec int Mary McCabe, Joyce Jocelyn Chew Li Yin, Veronica Jaslene Chew Li Hui, Chew Theng Pong |

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

Sunday

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

New Mass Schedule with up to 100 people in Narraweena

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Sunday

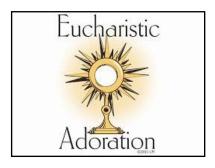
8:00am 10:00am

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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Thank you.

PARISH NEWS/EVENTS



Adoration at St John's .
Adoration now takes place on Monday evenings 7-8pm.



Charitable Works Fund

This weekend we will continue with our Charitable Works Fund Appeal.

Your generous donation will support five Catholic agencies and ministries helping families and neighbours in our Broken Bay Diocese. The Charitable Works Fund Appeal is 100% tax deductible.

How to give- Support by making an online donation at www.bbcatholic.org.au/give/charitable-works-fund

or by completing a CWF envelope (available in the church). Online donations are allocated towards our parish CWF target. Thank you for your support and generosity.

Mass San Rocco di Cirella RC

Sunday September 27th at 1pm in St John the Apostle Narraweena. All welcome.





This weekend, the Catholic Church in Australia marks Child Protection Sunday, on which we pray for those who have been abused, their families and supporters. We recognise and apologise for the harm done by priests, religious and lay people in Church settings. The Church takes a zero-tolerance approach to child abuse. We recommit to practices that support survivors and make the Catholic Church and its ministries the safest possible place for children and people at risk.

Find out more at:

www.catholic.org.au/childprotectionsunday and www.catholicreligious.org.au/safeguarding

Prayer

Gracious God, you love and care for all of your children, especially the smallest and most vulnerable. We entrust to you the lives of children and adults at risk who have been sexually abused, and whose trust and innocence have been destroyed. Help us to hear their cries of pain and to take responsibility for those whose lives have been broken. Help us to recognise the hurt felt by those wounded by abuse, and the failure to be heard.

We pray that with the help of your grace communities and families will find understanding and support, so that now and in the future their wounds may be healed and they may find lasting peace.

Let your grace and love fall gently now upon our children, giving them the inner strength, peace and resilience to seek out assistance when required. We ask this prayer through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God forever and ever.

Amen



Rosters Next Week: 25th Sunday of

Ordinary Time

St Kevin's Cleaning Team: C

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Entrance Antiphon

Give peace, O Lord, to those who wait for you, that your prophets be found true. Hear the prayers of your servant, and of your people Israel.

First Reading Sirach 27:30 - 28:7 A reading from the book of Ecclesiasticus

Resentment and anger, these are foul things, and both are found with the sinner. He who exacts vengeance will experience the vengeance of the Lord, who keeps strict account of sin.

Forgive your neighbour the hurt he does you, and when you pray, your sins will be forgiven. If a man nurses anger against another, can he then demand compassion from the Lord? Showing no pity for a man like himself, can he then plead for his own sins? Mere creature of flesh, he cherishes resentment; who will forgive him his sins? Remember the last things, and stop hating, remember dissolution and death, and live by the commandments. Remember the commandments, and do not bear your neighbour ill-will; remember the covenant of the Most High, and overlook the offence.

The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Responsorial Psalm Ps 102:1-4, 9-12

R. The Lord is kind and merciful; slow to anger and rich in compassion.

My soul, give thanks to the Lord, all my being, bless his holy name. My soul, give thanks to the Lord and never forget all his blessings. R.

It is he who forgives all your guilt, who heals every one of your ills, who redeems your life from the grave, who crowns you with love and compassion. **R.**

His wrath will come to an end; he will not be angry for ever. He does not treat us according to our sins nor repay us according to our faults. R.

For as the heavens are high above the earth so strong is his love for those who fear him. As far as the east is from the west so far does he remove our sins. **R.**

Second Reading Romans 14:7-9 A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Romans

The life and death of each of us has its influence on others; if we live, we live for the Lord; and if we die, we die for the Lord, so that alive or dead we belong to the Lord. This explains why Christ both died and came to life, it was so that he might be Lord both of the dead and of the living.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation John 13:34 Alleluia, alleluia!

I give you a new commandment: love one another as I have loved you. Alleluia!

Gospel Matthew 18:21-35

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew

Peter went up to Jesus and said, 'Lord, how often must I forgive my brother if he wrongs me? As often as seven times?' Jesus answered, 'Not seven, I tell you, but

seventy-seven times. 'And so the kingdom of heaven may be compared to a king who decided to settle his accounts with his servants. When the reckoning began, they brought him a man who owed ten thousand talents; but he had no means of paying, so his master gave orders that he should be sold, together with his wife and children and all his possessions, to meet the debt. At this, the servant threw himself down at his master's feet. "Give me time," he said, "and I will pay the whole sum." And the servant's master felt so sorry for him that he let him go and cancelled the debt. Now as this servant went out, he happened to meet a fellow servant who owed him one hundred denarii; and he seized him by the throat and began to throttle him. "Pay what you owe me," he said. His fellow servant fell at his feet and implored him, saying, "Give me time and I will pay you." But the other would not agree; on the contrary, he had him thrown into prison till he should pay the debt. His fellow servants were deeply distressed when they saw what had happened, and they went to their master and reported the whole affair to him. Then the master sent for him. "You wicked servant," he said, "I cancelled all that debt of yours when you appealed to me. Were you not bound, then, to have pity on your fellow servant just as I had pity on you?" And in his anger the master handed him over to the torturers till he should pay all his debt. And that is how my heavenly Father will deal with you unless you each forgive your brother from your heart.'

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

Communion Antiphon

How precious is your mercy, O God! The children of men seek shelter in the shadow of your wings.



