



# 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, Narrabeena,  
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**13th June 2021 : 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time — Year B**

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### Parish Primary Schools

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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:** 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month

**4pm & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the Month 11.45am -**  
in Tagalog

#### Every 4<sup>th</sup> 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

**Legion 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

**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 )

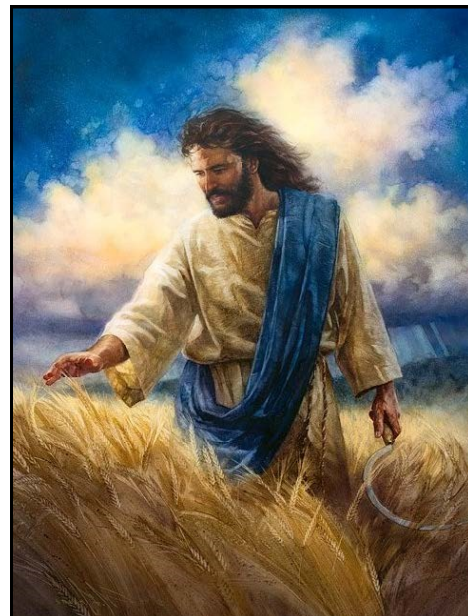
#### Week-end Mass Times

**Saturday Vigil:** 5pm

**Sunday:** 8am & 10am ( Rosary at 9.30am)

**Reconciliation:** Saturday: following the  
9.30am Mass

**EucharisticAdoration:**Monday7pm–8pm



Weeds can spread like bushfire, with their tough networking roots. So it is with the Kingdom, or Reign of God. We might not appreciate it as it starts to grow, but eventually we discover its extent and true value. The mustard plants in Jesus' time were considered weeds, and the birds they sheltered, were a problem for the farmers.

Yet, Jesus considers the birds and their needs as well. The Kingdom of God is valued by those who are the least in our world; the lowly are raised and the mighty brought down.

Like weeds, what reminds you of God's Reign today?

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*'Lord, it is good to give thanks to you.'*

## Mass Intentions for the Week

### St. John's, Narrabeena :

<b>Saturday</b>	5.00pm	<b>12</b>	Dec June Beninati ( 19th anniv)
<b>Sunday</b>	8.00am	<b>13</b>	Dec Alfonzina Murace. Dec June Beninati ( 19th anniv)
	10.00am		Dec June Beninati ( 19th anniv) , Rosario Maura
<b>Tuesday</b>	9.30am	<b>15</b>	No Mass
<b>Wednesday</b>	9.30am	<b>16</b>	No Mass
<b>Thursday</b>	9.30am	<b>17</b>	No Mass
<b>Friday</b>	9.30am	<b>18</b>	
<b>Saturday</b>	9.30am	<b>19</b>	

### St. Kevin's, Dee Why :

<b>Saturday</b>	5.30pm	<b>12</b>	Dec Ted Bradstreet ( 2nd anniv), dec Rev Sister Mary Maher. Dec June Beninati (19th anniv) , Maria Teresa Mirabelli ( 1st month)
<b>Sunday</b>	8.00am	<b>13</b>	Dec June Beninati ( 19th anniv)
	9.15am		Dec Ted Bradstreet ( 2nd anniv), dec Rev Sister Mary Maher , Dec June Beninati ( 19th anniv) , Teresa Bombardiere ( 1st anniversary)
	10 .30am		Dec Alfonzina Murace, Rosario Mauro. Rec deceased Elizabeth Iannucci, Dec June Beninati ( 19th anniv)
	6.00pm		Dec June Beninati ( 19th anniv)
<b>Monday</b>	8.30am	<b>14</b>	Dec Ted Bradstreet ( 2nd anniv)
<b>Tuesday</b>	8.30am	<b>15</b>	Thanksgiving intention Lynne Bancroft
<b>Wednesday</b>	8.30am	<b>16</b>	
<b>Thursday</b>	8.30am	<b>17</b>	
	7pm		Memorial Mass Vince Azzolina
<b>Friday</b>	8.30am	<b>18</b>	
	10am		Funeral of Marlene Valcarcel
	12 Noon		
<b>Saturday</b>	8.30am	<b>19</b>	



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.



## Save our Graves Campaign

The Catholic Church has been operating cemeteries in NSW for more than 150 years, doing the merciful work of burying the dead, keeping their graves and giving comfort to grieving families.

Archbishop Anthony Fisher from the Archdiocese of Sydney has launched a petition to reverse a NSW Government decision to exclude faith and charitable groups from cemetery management.

Please share the petition .

<https://saveourgraves.com.au>



**Rosters Next Week: 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**St Kevin's Cleaning Team : F**

## Baptism Workshop

The next Baptism workshop will take place on Wednesday July 14th. Bookings can be made through the parish office.

## FEDERAZIONE CATTOLICA ITALIANA.

**FESTA DI S. GIOVANNI BATTISTA**  
Domenica 27 Giugno, si terra` una Santa messa in honore di S. Giovanni Battista alle 10-30am.

### RADUNO MENSILE

Nel nostro ultimo incontro, abbiamo deciso di cambiare il giorno e l'ora delle nostre riunioni mensili. Da luglio 2021, i nostri incontri saranno il primo sabato alle 10:00.

## Catholic Weekly: Pulpit Points

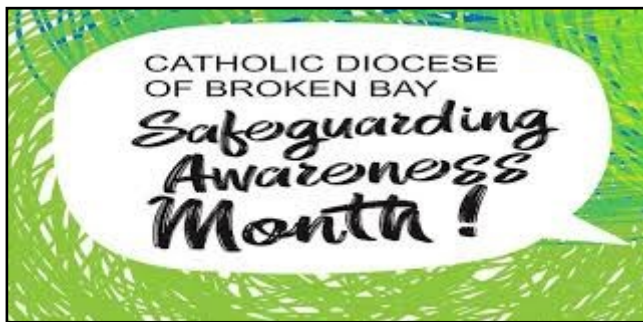
- Among Us. Catholics celebrate Corpus Christi.
- Burials breakthrough - Premier orders new negotiation.
- New School, A new Way.
- Mantillas make a comeback.
- Book review: *The Church's Best-Kept Secret*.
- James Parker: This is NOT Catholic education.

## PARISH NEWS/EVENTS



### Sacrament of Confirmation

Please pray for the children of our parish, who are preparing to receive Confirmation at the end of June. They are attending lessons over 4 separate weekends with their parents as they prepare for this special sacrament.



### Diocese of Broken Bay Week 2 Safeguarding Message

When safeguarding is embedded in Parish leadership, governance and culture; members of the Parish recognise that it is a shared responsibility to safeguard children, young people and adults at risk.

## SERRA VOCATIONS MASS AND DINNER MEETING 23<sup>RD</sup> JUNE 2021

Father Anselam Lakra, Assistant Parish Priest of Holy Name Parish Wahroonga will be celebrating Mass for Serra at Sacred Heart Church, 2 Richard Porter Way Pymble on **WEDNESDAY 23<sup>RD</sup> JUNE 2021**. **Kindly note the change of day to Wednesday for this meeting.** The evening commences with Mass at **6.00 PM** followed by a light meal and a short meeting.

*Please remember to pray every day for vocations to the priesthood, diaconate, the consecrated life, ecclesial women, all seminarians, novices, for those completing the discernment process and for the perseverance of existing vocations.*

Please telephone: Terry Scanlan on **0438 887 295** or email [terry\\_scanlan@bigpond.com](mailto:terry_scanlan@bigpond.com) by the 21<sup>st</sup> June 2021 if you would like to attend.



### 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.



### The Beauty of Marriage . . .

### Pope Francis' Prayer intention for the month of June 2021

Let us pray for young people who are preparing for marriage with the support of a Christian community: may they grow in love, with generosity, faithfulness and patience.

Below is the video link about the Pope's prayer intention <https://thepopevideo.org/>

### Financial news.

The Holy Land Commissariat has written to gratefully acknowledge the donation from Warringah Parish of \$3,295 for the Good Friday appeal.

### Charitable Works Fund.

Thank you to all parishioners who kindly donated to the May appeal. The sum of \$8,340 was received. Our outstanding balance still due to be paid is **\$14,226.56**. Parishioners are welcome to still contribute through the parish office or online at [www.bbcatholic.org.au/give](http://www.bbcatholic.org.au/give). All donations are 100% tax allowable.

Thank you.

### Morning Masses next week

Due to our priests attending a Diocesan Clergy Conference next week, there will be **NO Masses at St John's on Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday (15th, 16th & 17th June)**. The 8.30am Mass at St Kevin's will still take place with a visiting priest presiding.

### Thank you from Fr Reinaldo.

Thank you to all parishioners and friends who were able to attend the celebrations on Tuesday evening and to those who organised the event. Thank you for the many cards, gifts and your prayers for my 25th Anniversary of priesthood. I sincerely thank you all.

# SCRIPTURE READINGS

## Entrance Antiphon

O Lord hear my voice, for I have called to you; be my help. Do not abandon or forsake me, O God, my Saviour !

## First Reading

Ezekiel 17:22-24

A reading from the prophet Ezekiel  
The Lord says this:

'From the top of the cedar,  
from the highest branch I will take a  
shoot and plant it myself on a very  
high mountain.

I will plant it on the high mountain of  
Israel.

It will sprout branches and bear fruit,  
and become a noble cedar.

Every kind of bird will live beneath it,  
every winged creature rest in the  
shade of its branches.

And every tree of the field will learn  
that I, the Lord, am the one  
who stunts tall trees and makes the  
low ones grow, who withers green  
trees and makes the withered green.

I, the Lord, have spoken, and I will do  
it.'

The word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

## Responsorial Psalm

Ps 91:2-3, 13-16

**R. Lord it is good to give thanks to  
you.**

It is good to give thanks to the Lord  
to make music to your name, O Most  
High, to proclaim your love in the  
morning and your truth in the watches  
of the night. **R.**

The just will flourish like the palm-tree  
and grow like a Lebanon cedar. **R.**

Planted in the house of the Lord  
they will flourish in the courts of our  
God, still bearing fruit when they are  
old, still full of sap, still green,  
to proclaim that the Lord is just.  
In him, my rock, there is no wrong. **R.**

## Second Reading

2 Corinthians 5:6-10

A reading from the second letter of  
St Paul to the Corinthians

We are always full of confidence  
when we remember that to live in the  
body means to be exiled from the  
Lord, going as we do by faith and  
not by sight - we are full of  
confidence, I say, and actually want  
to be exiled from the body and make  
our home with the Lord. Whether we  
are living in the body or exiled from  
it, we are intent on pleasing him. For  
all the truth about us will be brought  
out in the law court of Christ, and  
each of us will get what he deserves  
for the things he did in the body,  
good or bad.

The word of the Lord.

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## Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

The seed is the word of God, Christ  
is the sower;  
all who come to him will live for ever.  
Alleluia!

## Gospel

Mark 4:26-34

A reading from the holy Gospel  
according to Mark.

Jesus said to the crowd, 'This is what  
the kingdom of God is like. A man  
throws seed on the land. Night and  
day, while he sleeps, when he is  
awake, the seed is sprouting and  
growing; how, he does not know. Of its  
own accord the land produces first the  
shoot, then the ear, then the full grain  
in the ear. And when the crop is ready,  
he loses no time; he starts to reap  
because the harvest has come.'

He also said, 'What can we say the  
kingdom of God is like? What parable  
can we find for it? It is like a mustard

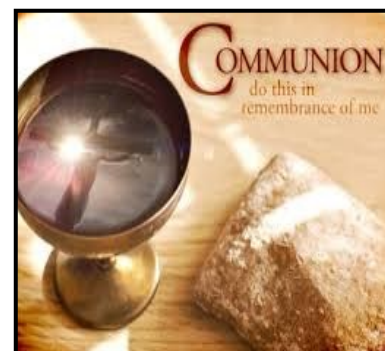
seed which at the time of its sowing in  
the soil is the smallest of all the seeds  
on earth; yet once it is sown it grows  
into the biggest shrub of them all and  
puts out big branches so that the birds  
of the air can shelter in its shade.'  
Using many parables like these, he  
spoke the word to them, so far as they  
were capable of understanding it. He  
would not speak to them except in  
parables, but he explained everything  
to his disciples when they were alone.

The Gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

## Communion Antiphon

There is one thing I ask of the Lord,  
only this do I seek: to live in the house  
of the Lord all the days of my life.



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