



Catholic Parish of Warringah

Diocese of Broken Bay, NSW— Scalabrinian Fathers

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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: 6pm

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

Mass in Spanish : 1st & 3rd Saturday at 4pm

Brazilian Mass : 2nd & Last Saturday at 4pm.

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

Legion of Mary: Every Thursday at 2pm

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena:

Every Wednesday at 7.00pm except 1st
Wednesday (Novena Mass is every 1st
Wednesday at 7pm)

St John the Apostle Church

Weekday Masses: Tuesday—Saturday:

9.30am (Holy Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet
9.00am)

Week-end Mass Times

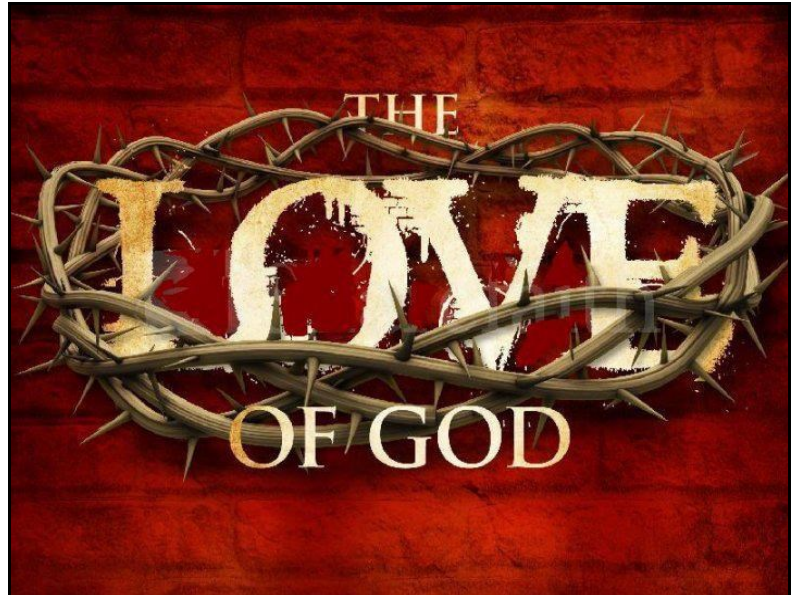
Saturday Vigil: 5pm

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

Reconciliation: Saturday: following the
9.30am Mass

EucharisticAdoration:Monday7pm–8pm

1st Saturday 8:45am: Devotion &
Consecration to the Immaculate Heart of
Mary (prayers for Souls in Purgatory)



Today's readings lead us to reflect not just on the rules we live by but on how and why we keep them. Society has rules that are for our protection and harmony. Religious rules are meant to nurture our relationship with God. Moses encourages the people to see God's law as a gift which, when understood, brings wisdom and life. Only then will we act with justice, speak the truth and help those in need. The law will bear good fruit in us. Today we are challenged to match our actions to our faith and check if we really live as if God's law is all about love. Do we live by the law of love in our minds and in our hearts?

'The just will live in the presence of the Lord'

Mass Intentions for the Week

St. John's, Narraweena :

Saturday	5.00pm	31	Dec David Laird (1st Anniv)
Sunday	8.00am	1	Dec Tony Fuda, Nicola Tassone, Fathers, Grandfathers & Godparents in purgatory
	10.00am		Dec Santa Cimino (38th Anniv), Antonio Cimino (24th Anniv), Rosa Cimino (9th Anniv), Pietro Orlando, Joseph Nguyen Su, Maria Ket Le, Joseph Quang Nguyen, Maria Thanh Nguyen
Tuesday	9.30am	3	
St Gregory The Great			
Wednesday	9.30am	4	
Thursday	9.30am	5	
Friday	9.30am	6	
Saturday	9.30am	7	
St. Kevin's, Dee Why :			
Saturday	6pm	31	Dec Joseph Nguyen Su, Maria Ket Le, Joseph Quang Nguyen, Maria Thanh Nguyen
Sunday	8.00am	1	
	9.15am		Private Special intentions
	10.30am		Dec Francesco (Frank) Villella, Carlo Guardala, Pasquale Marcellino, Leonardo Marcellino, Luigi Runco, Pasquale Runco, Leonardo Guerra, Giuseppe Valente, Filippo Vescio, Rosina Torchia, Antonio Vescio, Antonio Caruso, Giuseppe Cimino, Angelo Barletta, Carmela Barletta, Giuseppe Frisina, Pasquale & Raffaella Palamara, Angelina, Giuseppe, Emanuela, Giuseppe, Maria, Michelangelo, Rosina, Filomena, Vincenzo, Giovanbattista, Caruso, defunti famiglia Caruso, Francesco Valentino, Giuseppe Maruca, Gennaro Calci, Bruno Raso, Ernesto Maruca, Achilli & Bruno Calabria, Antonio & Carmela Sauro, Giuseppe & Tomaso Cuda, Giovanna Raso, Vitaliano Mauro, Giuseppe Maiuolo, Salvatore Chiarella, Giovanni Vescio, Francesco & Francesca Nero, Rosina Folino, Giuseppe & Paolino Vescio, Francesco & Angelina Tomaino, Giuseppe & Mariangela Vescio, Maria Nero
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Something to think about ...

Ritual handwashing was prominent in the lives of the Pharisees. Jesus was pointing beyond the practical and the hygienic to the need for inner cleanliness. We pray for hearts that are clean so that we may truly honour God.



The next Baptism Workshop will take place on Wednesday 11th September at 7pm. Please email the office on warringahparish@bbcatholic.org.au for more information and to book a place.



God our Father,

We give you thanks and praise for fathers young and old. We pray for young fathers, newly embracing their vocation. May they find courage and perseverance to balance work, family and faith in joy and sacrifice. We also pray for our Priests, may the Holy Spirit lead them and guide them in their own vocation. Amen.

Happy Father's Day to our Priests and all fathers in our Parish. May God Bless you all.



St John the Apostle church 50th Anniversary celebrations 11am Mass Sunday 8th September

Please join us for a special Mass to celebrate 50 years of St John's church. All other Masses will be cancelled that weekend (5pm Vigil, 8am and 10am).

Following 11am Mass, we will have lunch and a display of memorabilia in the hall.

*Everyone is welcome – come meet up with old friends
– make new friends.*

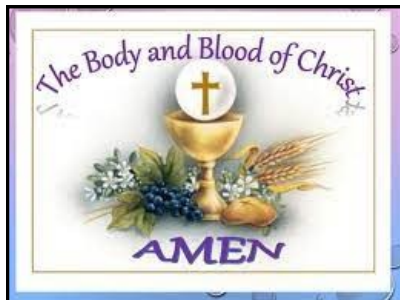
Please bring a plate of food to share.

PARISH NEWS/EVENTS



Interested in becoming a Catholic? RCIA Programme 2024

Fr Jose and his team will run an introductory meeting in St Kevin's Church on Tuesday 17 September at 7pm.



Please pray for the children who are preparing to receive Eucharist for the first time. They are now attending weekly lessons and will then receive

Eucharist at one of 3 Masses: 13 September (6:30pm), Saturday 14 September (11am) or Saturday 21 September (11am).



To apply today go to:

<https://www.bbcatholic.org.au/mission/vocations/joseph-house>

For more information, contact Vocations Broken Bay on 02 8379 1626 | 0418 522 449 or email josephhouse@bbcatholic.org.au



Rosters Next Week: 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

St Kevin's Cleaning Team : A

" The **SEASON OF CREATION CONVOCATION** is a National Event over 3 days from **Thursday 12 to Saturday 14 September**. It is a real opportunity for us to learn and plan for our parish as well as the diocese. The first 2 days are online workshops and presentations. Read about the presenters-program at www.caritas.org.au/soc-convocation Please Note: **REGISTRATIONS FOR DAYS 1 & 2 Close Mon 9th Sept**. Cost per day for Days 1 & 2 is \$25. Saturday 14 is either online or at each Diocesan Hub around Australia. **For Broken Bay Diocese, FFCP is honoured to be the hub at St Anthony in the Fields, Terrey Hills.**

Arrive by 10am. Finish 3.30pm. So Vote early or do pre-poll voting. This day is free (donations to help with costs appreciated). BYO lunch to share, keep cup and water bottle. The special guest presenter for Day 3 is Fr Frank Brennan. Our parishioners will be invited to help plan our parish Laudato Si Action Plan. See the Day 3 program and **Register now for DAY 3** at www.trybooking.com/CUMUZ "

Fatima Shop: Religious Gift Store

If you are looking for a Baptism, Confirmation, or Holy Communion gift, come in and browse through our supplies. We have been in our premises for over thirty years and are still situated on the ground floor Shop 9 in the Stones Arcade Dee Why, 673-675 Pittwater Road, or call us on 0403578994.

Marriage Preparation Course for Engaged Couples

1. SmartLoving Weekend Marriage Seminars

Participation in a course is organised directly through the SmartLoving website; SmartLoving Weekend Marriage Preparation or by contacting the facilitators via info@marriagerc.org to seek what face-to-face courses may be offered over the coming months.

2. Engaged Encounter

Engaged Encounter provides couples with deeper insights into each other and into married life. It is an opportunity for couples to spend time together to strengthen and enrich their relationship. For further information visit: www.engagedencounter.org.au Upcoming weekend: Nov 09-10 2024

FEDERAZIONE CATTOLICA ITALIANA

RADUNO MENSILE, Martedi alle 6:30pm

FESTA DI MARIA S.S. MAMMA NOSTRA

DOMENICA 8 SETTEMBRE

La Santa messa sara`seguita di un sausage sizzle nella sala.

TRIDUO: Mercoledì , Giovedì e Venerdì alle 6pm.



Sacred Heart Mass taking place on Friday 6th September at 7pm in St Kevin's Church. All welcome.

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Entrance Antiphon

Have mercy on me, O Lord, for I cry to you all the day long. O Lord, you are good and forgiving, full of mercy to all who call to you.

First Reading

Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-8

A reading from the book of Deuteronomy.

Moses said to the people: 'Now, Israel, take notice of the laws and customs that I teach you today, and observe them, that you may have life and may enter and take possession of the land that the Lord the God of your fathers is giving you. You must add nothing to what I command you, and take nothing from it, but keep the commandments of the Lord your God just as I lay them down for you. Keep them, observe them, and they will demonstrate to the peoples your wisdom and understanding. When they come to know of all these laws they will exclaim, "No other people is as wise and prudent as this great nation." And indeed, what great nation is there that has its gods so near as the Lord our God that has laws and customs to match this whole Law that I put before you today?'

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 14:2-5

R. The just will live in the presence of the Lord.

Lord, who shall dwell on your holy mountain?

He who walks without fault; he who acts with justice and speaks the truth from his heart. **R.**

He who does no wrong to his brother, who casts no slur on his neighbour, who holds the godless in disdain, but honours those who fear the Lord. **R.**

He who keeps his pledge, come what may; who takes no interest on a loan

and accepts no bribes against the innocent.

Such a man will stand firm for ever. **R.**

Second Reading

James 1:17-18, 21-22, 27

A reading from the letter of St James

It is all that is good, everything that is perfect, which is given us from above; it comes down from the Father of all light; with him there is no such thing as alteration, no shadow of a change. By his own choice he made us his children by the message of the truth so that we should be a sort of first-fruits of all that he had created. Accept and submit to the word which has been planted in you and can save your souls. But you must do what the word tells you, and not just listen to it and deceive yourselves.

Pure, unspoiled religion, in the eyes of God our Father is this: coming to the help of orphans and widows when they need it, and keeping oneself uncontaminated by the world.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation

James 1:18

Alleluia, alleluia!

The Father gave us birth by his message of truth, that we might be as the first fruits of his creation.

Alleluia!

Gospel

Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark.

The Pharisees and some of the scribes who had come from Jerusalem gathered round Jesus, and they noticed that some of his disciples were eating with unclean hands, that is, without washing them. For the Pharisees, and the Jews in general, follow the tradition of the elders and never eat without washing their arms as far as the elbow; and on returning

from the market place they never eat without first sprinkling themselves. There are also many other observances which have been handed down to them concerning the washing of cups and pots and bronze dishes. So these Pharisees and scribes asked him, 'Why do your disciples not respect the tradition of the elders but eat their food with unclean hands?' He answered, 'It was of you hypocrites that Isaiah so rightly prophesied in this passage of scripture: This people honours me only with lip-service, while their hearts are far from me.

The worship they offer me is worthless, the doctrines they teach are only human regulations.

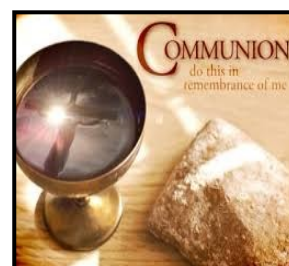
You put aside the commandment of God to cling to human traditions.' He called the people to him again and said, 'Listen to me, all of you, and understand. Nothing that goes into a man from outside can make him unclean; it is the things that come out of a man that make him unclean. For it is from within, from men's hearts, that evil intentions emerge: fornication, theft, murder, adultery, avarice, malice, deceit, indecency, envy, slander, pride, folly. All these things come from within and make a man unclean.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Communion Antiphon

How great is the goodness, Lord, that you keep for those who fear you.



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