



Catholic Parish of Warringah

Diocese of Broken Bay, NSW— Scalabrinian Fathers

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2099, N.S.W.

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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

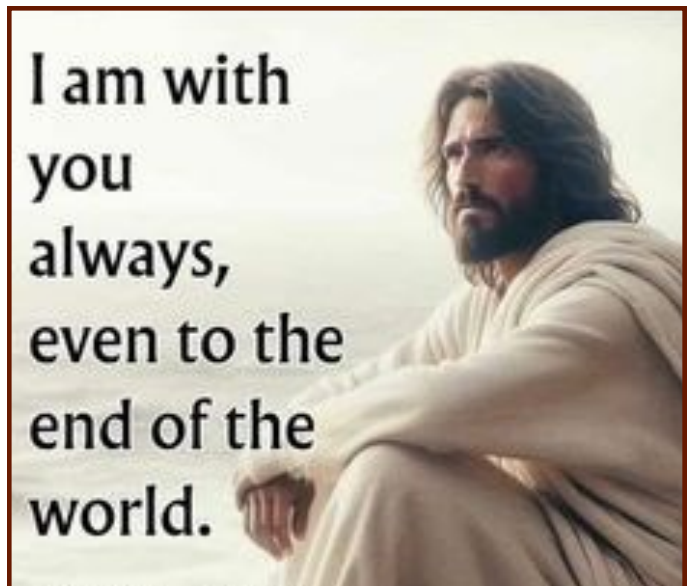
Saturday Vigil: 5pm

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 we continue to read from Mark's Gospel. In this Gospel, we find evidence of Jesus' fame in the sizable crowd that accompanies him as he journeys to Jerusalem. Jesus' reputation as a healer has preceded him. When the blind man, Bartimaeus, hears that Jesus of Nazareth is passing by, he calls out to him, asking for his pity. The healing of Bartimaeus from blindness can be interpreted both literally and metaphorically. He approaches Jesus directly and after being healed, becomes a follower of Jesus.

He knows who Jesus is and understands what it means to become his follower. Jesus affirms him: 'Your faith has made you well.' this is a pivotal point in Mark's Gospel. Bartimaeus comes to full sight, physically and spiritually, then Jesus progresses to Jerusalem where he will encounter great spiritual blindness and faithlessness. Bartimaeus challenges us to ask for healing from our own particular blindness.

'The Lord has done great things for us; we are filled with joy'.

Mass Intentions for the Week

St. John's, Narraweena :

Saturday	5.00pm	26	
Sunday	8.00am	27	
	10.00am		
Tuesday	9.30am	29	
Wednesday	9.30am	30	
Thursday	9.30am	31	
Friday	9.30am	1	
All Saint's Day			
Saturday	9.30am	2	
All Soul's Day			

St. Kevin's, Dee Why :

Saturday	6pm	26	
Sunday	8.00am	27	
	9.15am		
	10.30am		Dec Domenico Calabria, Grace Rossi, Sam Panetta, Antonio Mugnes & famiglia, Fortunato Piccirillo & famiglia, Antonio Caruso, Domenico Biviano (3rd month)
	6.00pm		
Monday	8.30am	28	
Sts Simon & Jude			
Tuesday	8.30am	29	Dec Maria & Giuseppe Mesiti
Wednesday	8.30am	30	Dec Lionardo, Salvatori, Rosa & Salvatori Mule
Thursday	8.30am	31	
Friday	8.30am	1	
All Saint's Day			
	12 Noon		
Saturday	8.30am	2	Dec Henry & Joseph Albuquerque, Maria & Giuseppe Mesiti, Vincenzo, Caterina & Flora Roperti, Pina Roperti
All Soul's Day			



The next Baptism Workshop will take place on Wednesday 13th November at 7pm. Please email the office on warringahparish@bbcatholic.org.au for more information and to book a place.



Sacred Heart Mass will take place on Friday 1st November at 7pm in St. Kevin's Church. All welcome.



If you or a family member would like to receive communion or schedule a visit from the priest at home or in a nursing home, please contact the parish office and provide your details, including your name, address, and preferred times for a visit. We are here to assist you and bring you the comfort of our faith.



Part Time Cook for our Priests

A part-time cook is required 3 days a week, in the Dee Why Presbytery for our Priests. The days are, Tuesdays, Wednesdays & Thursdays . Please contact the Parish Office if you are interested in this position.



Mass at Frenchs Forest Cemetery & Blessing of the Crypts.

Commencing at 1pm on Sunday 3rd November with Rosary, Mass and Blessing of family crypts. Sponsored by Gregory & Carr Funeral Directors.



November Mass List

Our November Mass List is now open. Please write your deceased family names clearly on your envelopes, for inclusion in this year's list of names. Thank you for your assistance.

PARISH NEWS/EVENTS



Something to think about ..

A blind beggar on the side of the road had the faith to ask Jesus to have mercy on him. May we have that faith to recognise Jesus for who he is and the humility to ask him for what we need.



The Confessions of Saint Augustine – A Series of Talks with Bishop David Walker.

All are warmly invited to join this series of 3 talks, where we delve into the life and writings of *The Confessions* of Saint Augustine. Led by Bishop David Walker, we will explore the journey of one of the Church's most influential saints and reflect on its relevance for us today.

Session 1: 3:30pm Saturday November 16

Session 2: 3:30pm Saturday November 23

Session 3: 3:30pm Saturday November 30

Our Lady of Dolours, Chatswood

Magnificat Room

96 Archer St, Chatswood - Entry from Kirk St
chatswoodoffice@bbcatholic.org.au



Thanksgiving Mass for all our Parish Volunteers on Saturday 30th November at 6pm in St Kevin's Church, followed by a Fellowship/Thanksgiving Dinner in St. Kevin's Upper hall . RSVP to the Parish Office. More details to follow



Rosters Next Week: 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

St Kevin's Cleaning Team : A

"Christmas on the Green" at Brigidine College on Friday 29 November.

We are excited to invite your community to Brigidine College St Ives on Friday 29 November for 'Christmas on the Green'. Opening our doors for an afternoon and evening of Christmas markets and Carols at Twilight we invite your community to join us.

The markets will run between 3.30pm and 8.30pm with a wonderful range of stalls on offer to help you find that perfect gift. They will be combined with our *Carols at Twilight*, a much-loved event here at Brigidine. We encourage you to bring along a picnic or visit our food stalls, sit back, and enjoy the performances of our talented students and special guests from Corpus Christi Catholic Primary School, Warrawee Public School, Sacred Heart Pymble Primary School, St Ives North Public School and St Augustine's College Sydney.

'Christmas on the Green' is the perfect event for the whole family, so join us to get your festive season underway and let us be the first to wish you all a very merry Christmas.

We look forward to seeing you there!

For more information, please contact Pip Inman, Alumni & Community Relations Coordinator at pinman@brigidine.nsw.edu.au

Foster Care on the Northern Beaches

Did you know that there is a severe shortage of foster carers in Broken Bay, particularly on the Northern Beaches? At present there is only **one** emergency carer in the Northern Beaches and Northern Sydney. When foster care placements cannot be found, children are placed in hotel rooms with workers on rotating rosters, or are being moved to the outskirts of Sydney, from everything familiar to them.

Through their foster care program, CatholicCare connects a child with carers who are able to provide a home and support the child's everyday needs with kindness and care, supported by their expert team of caseworkers and a network of therapy and counselling experts to build trust, heal the pain and, where possible, support restoration to family. Depending on the needs of the individual child, CatholicCare provide support on a temporary basis while arrangements are made to safely return a child home, or on a long-term basis where they find a permanent home for the child. CatholicCare are also looking for respite carers for one weekend per month who open their homes to provide a full-time foster carer with a chance to recharge.

The CatholicCare team provide ongoing financial, emotional and practical supports.

Many carers have told CatholicCare of their initial fear and trepidation that came with accepting such a great responsibility. While the journey has its bumps and challenges, foster carers describe immeasurable joy as the child in their care thrives and flourishes.

"Jesus said, 'Let the little children come to me, and do not stop them; for it is to such as these that the kingdom of heaven belongs.'" Matthew 19:14

Two of the most common foster care myths are:

- Being a foster carer means adopting a child or committing to care full-time.
- Children in foster care are disruptive and prone to misbehaviour.

Fostering is a practical way to support children and young people who need a temporary or full-time home while their family is supported to make the necessary changes for their safe return home.

Typically, one in 10 foster care enquiries results in a placement. Therefore, to secure 10 new foster families by February, CatholicCare will need 100+ families to express their interest to learn more. Are you interested to learn more?

Please visit [Foster Care - CatholicCare \(catholiccaredbb.org.au\)](http://Foster Care - CatholicCare (catholiccaredbb.org.au))

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Entrance Antiphon

Let the hearts that seek the Lord rejoice; turn to the Lord and his strength; constantly seek his face.

First Reading

Jeremiah 31:7-9

A reading from the prophet Jeremiah. The Lord says this:

Shout with joy for Jacob!

Hail the chief of nations!

Proclaim! Praise! Shout!

'The Lord has saved his people, the remnant of Israel!'

See, I will bring them back

from the land of the North

and gather them from the far ends of earth;

all of them: the blind and the lame,

women with child, women in labour:

a great company returning here.

They had left in tears,

I will comfort them as I lead them back;

I will guide them to streams of water,

by a smooth path where they will not stumble.

For I am a father to Israel,

and Ephraim is my first-born son.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 125

R. The Lord has done great things for us; we are filled with joy.

When the Lord delivered Zion from bondage, it seemed like a dream.

Then was our mouth filled with

laughter, on our lips there were

songs. **R.**

The heathens themselves said: 'What

marvels the Lord worked for them!'

What marvels the Lord worked for us!

Indeed we were glad. **R.**

Deliver us, O Lord, from our bondage

as streams in dry land.

Those who are sowing in tears

will sing when they reap. **R.**

They go out, they go out, full of tears,

carrying seed for the sowing:

they come back, they come back, full of song, carrying their sheaves. **R**

Second Reading

Hebrews 5:1-6

A reading from the letter to the Hebrews.

Every high priest has been taken out of mankind and is appointed to act for men in their relations with God, to offer gifts and sacrifices for sins; and so he can sympathise with those who are ignorant or uncertain because he too lives in the limitations of weakness.

That is why he has to make sin offerings for himself as well as for the people. No one takes this honour on himself, but each one is called by God, as Aaron was. Nor did Christ give himself the glory of becoming high priest, but he had it from the one who said to him: You are my son, today I have become your father, and in another text: You are a priest of the order of Melchizedek, and for ever.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation

cf 2 Timothy 1:10

Alleluia, alleluia!

Our Saviour Jesus Christ has done away with death, and brought us life through his gospel. Alleluia!

Gospel

Mark 10:46-52

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark.

As Jesus left Jericho with his disciples and a large crowd, Bartimaeus (that is, the son of Timaeus), a blind beggar, was sitting at the side of the road.

When he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to shout and to say, 'Son of David, Jesus, have pity on me.' And many of them scolded him and told him to keep quiet, but he only shouted all the louder, 'Son of David,

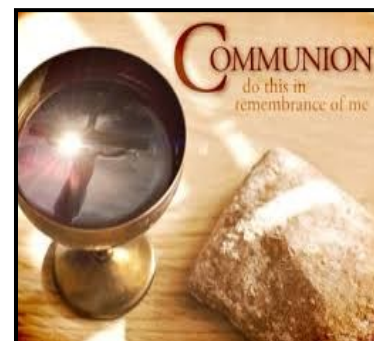
have pity on me.' Jesus stopped and said, 'Call him here.' So they called the blind man. 'Courage,' they said 'get up; he is calling you.' So throwing off his cloak, he jumped up and went to Jesus. Then Jesus spoke, 'What do you want me to do for you?' 'Rabbuni,' the blind man said to him 'Master, let me see again.' Jesus said to him, 'Go; your faith has saved you.' And immediately his sight returned and he followed him along the road.

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Communion Antiphon

We will ring out our joy at your saving help and exult in the name of our God.





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