



# Catholic Parish of Warringah

Diocese of Broken Bay, NSW— Scalabrinian Fathers

**St Kevin's Church**  
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2099, N.S.W.

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**3rd November 2024 : — Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B**

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

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

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

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

**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

**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)



The question posed in today's Gospel requires Jesus to interpret the Law of Moses. The Mosaic Law consists of the Ten Commandments and many additional commandments, numbering into the hundreds. For a devout Jew, adherence to the Mosaic Law is an expression of faithfulness to God's covenant with Israel.

The ranking of these commandments was regularly debated among the teachers of the Law. The scribe who questions Jesus in today's Gospel engages in a positive dialogue with Jesus. He agrees with Jesus' teaching that the commandments to love God and love neighbour stand above the commandment to offer worship and sacrifice in the Temple. With this dialogue, Jesus appears to close the debate with the Jewish authorities. Mark reports that no one dared to question Jesus further.

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***"I love you, Lord, my strength"***

## Mass Intentions for the Week

### St. John's, Narraweena :

<b>Saturday</b> All Soul's Day	5.00pm	2	Dec John David Granelli
<b>Sunday</b>	8.00am	3	Dec Francesco Valentino, Thomas Valentino, Bruno & Carmela Raso, Pasquale & Maria Valentino, Giuseppe Maruca, Antonio Tellamo
	10.00am		Dec Antonio Cimino, Rosa Cimino, Santa Cimino, Pietro Orlando, Giuseppe Marcellino
<b>Tuesday</b>	9.30am	5	
<b>Wednesday</b>	9.30am	6	
<b>Thursday</b>	9.30am	7	
<b>Friday</b>	9.30am	8	
<b>Saturday</b> Dedication of the Lateran Basilica	9.30am	9	

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

<b>Saturday</b> All Soul's Day	6pm	2	Dec Concetta Gallo, Paolino (Paul) Iera, George Prelog, Joe Grubisa, Catherine Deveros, Francesco, Carolina, Gennaro Scalercio, Vittorio & Rosina Vilella, Giovanni & Michelina Crapis
<b>Sunday</b>	8.00am	3	Rec decd Johnny Armas
	9.15am		Dec Liam Payne, Yahya Sinway, George Prelog, Joe Grubisa
	10.30am		Dec Francesco (Frank) Vilella, Carlo Guardala, Maria Grazia Gigliotti, Umberto Russo ( 10th Anniv ), Pasquale & Raffaella Palamara, Giuseppe Frisina, Giuseppe, Emanuela & Giuseppe Caruso, Maria Caruso, Rosa Isabella, defunti Isabella famiglia, Michele Tomaino, defunit Tomaino famiglia , Alfio, Rosa, Nunzio, Giuseppe, Alesandro, Zina & Rosa Calcagno, Daniele Cortese, Zina & Bruno Miotto, Miranda Palermo ( 4th anniv), Palermo, & Vilella famiglias, Peppino Falvo, Carmela & Bruno Raso, Giuseppe, Ernesto, Tomasina Maruca, Antonia Sauro & famiglia, Francesco & Tom Valentino, Gennaro & Giovanna Calci, Giovanna Raso, Giovanna , Tomasso & Giuseppe Cuda, Caterina Cuda, Mark Lazaga, Achille, Giovanna, Bruno Calabria, Michelina, Raffaele, Giuseppe Mastroianni, Grace Rossi, Faustina Cordi, Carmela & Bruno Raso, Paola Sussanna, Giovanni Battista Sussanna, Ferdinando, Palma & Ettore Mastroianni, Pietro Mendicino, Carmelo & Rosa Agresta, , Francesco Pugliese, Luigi Mirachi, Giovanni Rupert, Catararina Zappiavinga, Giuseppe Curcillo, Raso Leopoldo, Raso Caterina, Raso Felicia, Fedele Daniele, Longo Francesco, Longo Innocenza, Longo Pasquale, Longo Antonio, Maria Grazia Gigliotti, Frank Murace, Damian Murace, Domenico Murace, Alfonsa Murace, Stefano Bosco, Maria Antonietta Bosco, Pino Bosco, Vittoria Medaglia, Ernesto and Vittoria Bosco, Antonio Nardo
	6.00pm		Dec Marija Tulich, Catherine Deveros
<b>Monday</b> St Charles Borromeo	8.30am	4	
<b>Tuesday</b>	8.30am	5	
<b>Wednesday</b>	8.30am	6	
	10:30am		Funeral Mass Mafalda Marasco
<b>Thursday</b>	8.30am	7	Dec Thurlld Butterfly
<b>Friday</b>	8.30am	8	Dec Giusappina, Paolo & Rosa Agostino
	12 Noon		
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The next Baptism Workshop will take place on Wednesday 13th November at 7pm. Please email the office on [warringahparish@bbcatholic.org.au](mailto:warringahparish@bbcatholic.org.au) for more information and to book a place.



### The Book of Remembrance

For the entire month of November, our Book of Remembrance will be dedicated to prayers for all the departed souls.



### 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.

**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. Please RSVP by 23rd November .**



### Annual Retreat of the Scalabrinian Fathers

Our priests will be away on their annual retreat from 12 to 15 November. As a result, there will be no Masses held at St John's during this time.

# PARISH NEWS/EVENTS

## PARISH FUNDRAISER

### “LUCKY NUMBER”

1:300 CHANCE TO WIN  
\$1,000 CASH



Attendance and collections are still down compared to pre-covid. However costs are up. We are struggling to make ends meet. To help the parish finances, we are repeating the Lucky Number fund raiser.

Please join in the fun by helping us sell a book of ten numbers. Sell all 10 at home or work Numbers are \$20 each and there are 10 numbers in a book. Total \$200 per book

How to start? We need sellers. Can you each please be a seller for us? Can you each take a book of 10 numbers to sell at home and work? Bring back the \$200 as soon as you can.

Books of 10 will be handed out now at the end of each mass, if you could please take a couple of books to sell in your local community.

Relax: You can return unsold numbers to us in a couple of weeks. Unsold numbers will be sold at mass in future weeks.

The odds: each \$20 has a 1:300 chance of winning. One lucky number , it is a single-prize competition An identical draw will take place at Narraweena, ie another lucky number winning \$1,000

Terms and Conditions will be posted at the back of each church.

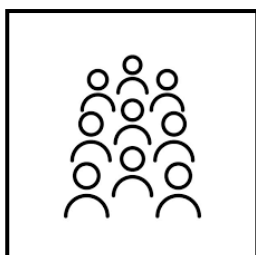
Questions welcome: Fr Resty , Monique Davis or Gerard on 0415035022

## FEDERAZIONE CATTOLICA ITALIANA

RADUNO MENSILE – Martedi prossimo alle 6:30pm

### Mass Count for the month of November

The Diocese has requested a further Mass count this year and this will take place over the month of November. It will consist of a simple headcount at all weekend Masses . Thank you for your assistance.



## RED Wednesday | 20 November

**RED Wednesday** is an international initiative of Aid to the Church in Need. It is a day to stand up for faith and freedom and gather to pray for those who suffer and are persecuted for their faith. This year on **RED Wednesday**, Bishop Anthony will celebrate Mass in Our Lady of Dolours Church Chatswood at 7pm. A very warm invitation is extended to all.



### Pastoral Works Fund November Appeal

In the first week of November, we will launch our Diocesan-wide Pastoral Works Broken Bay (PWBB) November 2024 Appeal.

PWBB supports two key charitable works in the Diocese: the Confraternity of Christian Doctrine (CCD) and our Hospital Chaplaincy and Pastoral Care Program. Asking for donations is never taken for granted, especially in challenging economic times. However, parishioners have been extremely generous in supporting the diocese's charitable works .Our Pastoral Works Appeal connects everyone to the mission of Jesus Christ in our Diocese. Every gift or donation brings comfort, friendship, or security and often opens the doorway to a faith-filled life.

Starting Sunday, November 3<sup>rd</sup>, donation envelopes will be available in the Church. Parishioners can also scan the QR code (available in the envelopes or the different parish ads like posters and social media tiles) if they want to donate using the option on our website. Donations can be made anytime, not only during November or May. The Pastoral Works November Appeal is the last one for the 2024 calendar year, and **all donations over \$2 are tax deductible**. Thank you all for your ongoing generosity and compassion.

### Something to think about..

Love is the heart of life. External actions find their true meaning when they come from that foundation. Lord, may we further your kingdom by how we live our relationship with you, and with one another in love.



**Rosters Next Week: 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**St Kevin's Cleaning Team : B**

# SCRIPTURE READINGS

## Entrance Antiphon

Forsake me not, O Lord, my God; be not far from me! Make haste and come to my help, O Lord, my strong salvation!

## First Reading

Deuteronomy 6:2-6

A reading from the book of Deuteronomy.

Moses said to the people: 'If you fear the Lord your God all the days of your life and if you keep all his laws and commandments which I lay on you, you will have a long life, you and your son and your grandson. Listen then, Israel, keep and observe what will make you prosper and give you great increase, as the Lord God of your fathers has promised you, giving you a land where milk and honey flow.

'Listen, Israel: The Lord our God is the one Lord. You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your strength. Let these words I urge on you today be written on your heart.'

The Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

## Responsorial Psalm

Ps 17:2-4, 47, 51

**R. I love you, Lord, my strength.**

I love you, Lord, my strength, my rock, my fortress, my saviour. My God is the rock where I take refuge; my shield, my mighty help, my stronghold.

The Lord is worthy of all praise: when I call I am saved from my foes. **R.**

Long life to the Lord, my rock!

Praised be the God who saves me.

He has given great victories to his king and shown his love for his anointed. **R.**

## Second Reading

Hebrews 7:23-28

A reading from the letter to the Hebrews.

There used to be a great number of priests under the former covenant, because death put an end to each one of them; but this one, Christ, because he remains for ever, can never lose his priesthood. It follows then, that his power to save is utterly certain, since he is living for ever to intercede for all who come to God through him.

To suit us, the ideal high priest would have to be holy, innocent and uncontaminated, beyond the influence of sinners, and raised up above the heavens; one who would not need to offer sacrifices every day, as the other high priests do for their own sins and then for those of the people, because he has done this once and for all by offering himself. The Law appoints high priests who are men subject to weakness; but the promise on oath, which came after the Law, appointed the Son who is made perfect for ever.

The word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

## Gospel Acclamation

John 14:23

Alleluia, alleluia!

All who love me will keep my words, and my Father will love them, and we will come to them.

Alleluia!

## Gospel

Mark 12:28-34

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark.

One of the scribes came up to Jesus and put a question to him, 'Which is the first of all the commandments?' Jesus replied, 'This is the first: Listen, Israel, the Lord our God is the one Lord, and you must love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind and with all

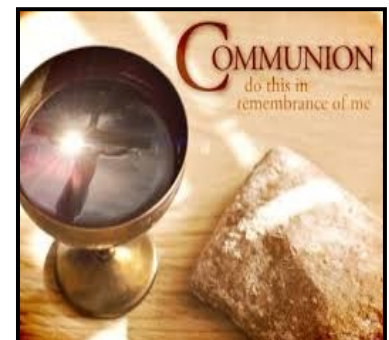
your strength. The second is this: You must love your neighbour as yourself. There is no commandment greater than these.' The scribe said to him, 'Well spoken, master; what you have said is true: that he is one and there is no other. To love with all your heart, with all your understanding and strength and to love your neighbour as yourself, this is far more important than any holocaust or sacrifice.' Jesus, seeing how wisely he had spoken said, 'You are not far from the kingdom of God.' And after that no one dared to question him any more.

The Gospel of the Lord.

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

## Communion Antiphon

You will show me the path of life, the fullness of joy in your presence, O Lord.





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