

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, Narraweena, 2099, N.S.W.

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31st October 2021 : 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time — Year B

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<u>St Kevin's Church</u>

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 <u>Filipino Mass</u>: 1st Sunday of the month 4pm & 3rd Sunday of the Month 11.45am in Tagalog

Every 4th Sunday: Chaplaincy Youth Mass at 6.00 pm

Reconciliation: Saturday: 9am

Cenacle of Prayer:

Wednesday after the 8.30am Mass <u>Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus</u> 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:

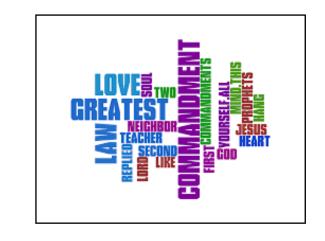
Every Wednesday at 7.30pm except 1st Wednesday (Novena Mass is every 1st Wednesday at 7pm)

Friends of Jesus: 3rd Thursday 7.30pm-8.30pm

Mass in Spanish : 1st Saturday at 4pm

<u>St John the Apostle Church</u>

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



Hope is a powerful motivating force for life, and both the first reading and the Gospel offer hope. Both readings offer hope to the people and to all who presently choose to follow God. Persecution of Christians continues, and we know that life can be tough: illness, violence, loneliness etc. Wherein lives hope for us?

J love yon, Lord, my strength.

	Mass	Inte	ntions for the Week
St. Jo	hn's, Na		
Saturday	5.00pm		
, Sunday	8.00am	31	
	10.00am		Dec Michael Lanzon, Emma Borg Cardona, Anton Borg Cardona
Tuesday	9.30am	2	
Wednesday	9.30am	3	
	10.30am		Funeral of Florence Yorke
Thursday	9.30am	4	
Friday	9.30am	5	
Saturday	9.30am	6	
	St. Kev	in's, D	ee Why:
Saturday	5.30pm	30	Dec Anton & Frana
Sunday	8.00am	31	
-	9.15am		
I	10 .30am		Dec Maria Lina Arbace (2nd month), Fran- cesco Vescio (1 month) Amelia D'Assisi, Giuseppe & Pietro Mastroianni, Rosa D'Assisi, Tomas Vescio, Decd famiglia Mastroianni, Vescio & D'Assisi, Giacomo Biviano, Rosa Casamento, Giuseppa Bivia- no, Margherita Zaia, Santoro & Maria Bivi- ano, Antonio & Maria Cincotta, Maria Formica
	6.00pm		
Monday	8.30am	I	
Tuesday	8.30am	2	Dec Henry Albuquerque(10 months), Lina Albaci (2nd month), Francesco Vescio (1 month), Giuseppe Mastroianni, Maria Mastroianni, Pietro Mastroianni, Decd Mastorianni famiy
	10am		Funeral of Caterina Caruso
Wednesday	8.30am	3	
	5pm		Memorial Mass Claudia Bertuol
	7pm		Memorial Mass Giovanni Roperti
Thursday	8.30am	4	
Friday	8.30am	5	
- 12	2 Noon		
Saturday	8.30am	6	



Sacrament of Confirmation

Almost 100 of our children have been preparing to receive the sacrament of Confirmation. The new dates for the sacrament are 23, 24 and 25 November at 7pm at St John's church and 29 and 30 November at 7pm at St Kevin's church.

Please pray for our candidates and their families as they approach this important part of their faith development.

If you have any questions please contact Mary on baldwin.mary.50@gmail.com

Welcome back to Mass

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 7.00pm– Brazilian Mass

Sunday

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

New Mass Schedule with up to 100 people in Narraweena

Weekdays (Tuesday—Friday) 9:30am-Morning Mass

Saturday

9:30am-Morning Mass 10:00am -Confessions 5:00pm– Vigil Mass

Sunday 8:00am

10:00am

Please use the QR Code to register your attendance and wear a mask Thank you.

PARISH NEWS/EVENTS

Extract of letter from Bishop Anthony

It is with a great sense of encouragement that New South Wales has achieved the target of 80% vaccination. This represents a remarkable response by the community to ensure the safety of everyone and to bring us out of the severe restrictions we have experienced since the end of June.

Places of Public Worship are exempt from the requirement of vaccination. Given that both vaccinated and unvaccinated may be present at Masses it will be important for us to convey to our people that they need to discern what may be in the best interests of their safety and that of their families. I recognize that for a number of our people now will not be the time to return to the public celebration of Masses in our churches. Therefore, I continue to suspend the Sunday Obligation until 1 December in order to assure our people of our respect for the personal choices they may need to make during this initial period of emergence from lockdown.

In resuming Masses, it will be important for us to follow all those COVID safety requirements around density of gatherings, QR registration, the wearing of masks and refraining from congregational singing. The government regulations do allow for a small choir of up to 10 people, and therefore I encourage you to call upon musicians and singers in that capacity. We continue to celebrate Mass in the way that we have since the commencement of the pandemic, mindful of the many ways by which we ensure everyone's safety. I wish you every blessing as you reach out and regather your parish communities in person, and I pray that this time will be one of great grace for you and for our people as the public celebration of the Eucharist and the Sacraments is possible once again.



November Mass List 2021

We will shortly be commencing our Annual November Mass list. Envelopes are available in your Planned Giving Envelope Box, or can be obtained from the office. Please remember to write your loved ones names clearly & neatly in Block Capitals so they can be easily read. Many thanks.

All Saint's Day Masses

Monday 1st November. Masses will take place as follows: In **St Kevin's at 8.30am** In **St John's at 9.30am**

Sacred Heart Mass

Will take place in St Kevin's Church on Friday November 6th at 7pm. This weekend we start our Pastoral Works Broken Bay collection.

St Edmund's College for the disabled, one of five long-term beneficiaries of donations, is the featured charity for the November appeal. St Edmund's, a Catholic school in the Edmund Rice tradition, supports 120 students with a range of disabilities such as intellectual, sensory impairment or autism. Donations will help provide vital fee assistance to families in our Catholic community so that their children can access the services offered by St Edmund's. Envelopes are available in your pew. Thank you for your support.





Immaculate Heart of Mary 1st Saturday - 9:15am **Rosary, Consecration** & HolyMass

St. John's Church Narrawena, nsw



Rosters Next Week: 32nd Sunday of Ordinary Time St Kevin's Cleaning Team : B

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.

SCRIPTURE READINGS

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.

