



Catholic Parish of Warringah

Diocese of Broken Bay, NSW— Scalabrinian Fathers

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2099, N.S.W.

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9 February 2025 : — Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time : Year C

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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

Week-end Mass Times

Saturday Vigil: 5pm

Sunday: 8am & 9.30am (Holy Rosary & Di-
vine Mercy Chaplet 9.00am)

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)



Jesus demonstrated his unfamiliarity with the culture of fishermen on three counts. Jesus invited Peter and his companions to a very different kind of fishing: enticing people to experience the in-breaking presence of God in the world.

That's a deep-water venture if ever there was one! The disciples' experience on the lake that day lead them to trust Jesus. Can we trust Jesus enough to embark on a similar venture?

***'In the sight of the angels I will sing your
praises, Lord.'***

Mass Intentions for the Week

St. John's, Narraweena :

Saturday	5.00pm	8	Dec Jean Li Hoi Foo (Birthday)
Sunday	8.00am	9	
	9.30am		Dec Vescio & Mastroianni families . Dec Giuseppe Cimino, Paolino Vescio
Tuesday	9.30am	11	
Wednesday	9.30am	12	Special intentions Emmanuel van Hulten (birthday)
Thursday	9.30am	13	
Friday	9.30am	14	
			Sts Cyril & Methodius
Saturday	9.30am	15	

St. Kevin's, Dee Why :

Saturday	6pm	8	Dec Brendan Harmon. Rec dec Monique Cornell
Sunday	8.00am	9	Rec dec Monique Cornell
	9.15am		Dec Antonio Vallelonga (1st month), Brendan Harmon. Rec dec Monique Cornell
	10.30am		Dec Grace Rossi, Faustina Cordi, Carlo Guardala. Special intentions of Elizabeth Panetta. Dec Antonio Vallelonga (1st month), Achille Calabria (33rd Anniv), Giovanna & Bruno Calabria, Genaro & Giovanna Calci, Giuseppe Maruca, Bruno & Carmela Raso, Frank & Thomas Valentino, Giovanna Raso, Mark Lazaga, Giovanna & Francesco Vilella, Maria & Vitaliano Mauro, Maria, Giuseppe & Pietro Mastroianni, Angelina Paola, Tomas Vescio, Rosa, Maria, Angelo & Johnny Vescio. Dec Vescio & Mastroianni families. Dec Giuseppe Cimino, Paolino Vescio ,
	6.00pm		Rec dec Monique Cornell
Monday	8.30am	10	
			St Scholastica
Tuesday	8.30am	11	
	7pm		Memorial Mass Raffaele Butera
Wednesday	8.30 am	12	Dec Rolita and Bibiano Amarante. Special intentions Emmanuel van Hulten (birthday)
Thursday	8.30am	13	
	10.30am		Funeral Mass for Maria Monteleone
Friday	8.30am	14	
	10am		Funeral Mass for Francesco Bucchieri
	12 Noon		
Saturday	8.30am	15	



Something to think about ..

In today's Gospel, we see Simon's encounter with Jesus, make him conscious of his own unworthiness. At the moment of conversion, Jesus says, "do not be afraid, come, follow me" And Simon does just that. A simple and honest telling of this story with a touch of wonder and amazement, can lead listeners to recognise our own moment of conversion. The disciples left everything to follow Jesus. *Why do we hold back ?*



The next Baptism Workshop will take place on Wednesday 12th March at 7pm. Please email the office on warringahparish@bbcatholic.org.au for more information and to book a place.



Reconciliation

The children who received the sacrament of Confirmation last year are now able to prepare to receive the sacrament of **Reconciliation**. If you want to join the program, a parent and child must attend the compulsory enrolment/information meeting either on Tuesday 4 March at St Kevin's Church or Thursday 6 March at St John's. Both meetings are held at 7pm.

Confirmation

This year, children who are parishioners of our parish and in year 3 or older are able to prepare to receive the sacrament of **Confirmation** on Thursday 3 July. The compulsory enrolment/information meetings are on Tuesday 13 May at St Kevin's Church or on Thursday 15 May at St John's. Both meetings are at 7pm.

If you have any questions, please contact Mary, Sacramental Coordinator, at baldwin.mary.50@gmail.com



Next weekend on Sunday, 16 February, we will launch our **First Fruits Offering** which focuses on our Planned Giving Renewal Program. We encourage you find out more about this program, which will help our Parish increase its income and ensure its survival and growth in the long term. The Planned Giving Program is an opportunity for our valued Parishioners to pray, reflect on their financial commitment to our parish, and learn more about how you can help. Resources and materials are currently available at the entrance foyer of both churches.

Thank you for your ongoing support.

PARISH NEWS/EVENTS

FEDERAZIONE CATTOLICA ITALIANA

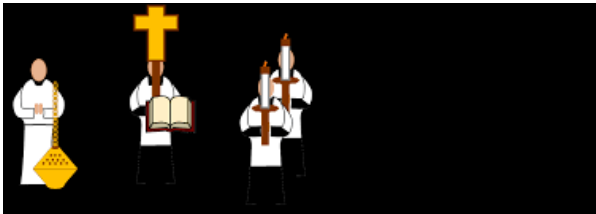
CARTE E TOMBOLA, Martedì alle 6:30pm.

PASTA E MOVIE NIGHT, Venerdì 14 Febbraio alle 530pm.
Mostreremo la seconda parte del film "PREFERISCO IL PARADISO" \$15PP

Le prenotazioni sono essenziali con Angela 80680651



Our next meeting for our existing RCIA candidates is scheduled to take place on Tuesday, February 11, at 7pm. We will be gathering in St Kevin's Meeting Room. We look forward to seeing you all there!



Meeting of Acolytes and Altar Servers

Will take place on Thursday 27th at 6.30pm in St Kevin's Church. Attendance is required. Please RSVP to the Parish Office. With many thanks.

Engaged Encounter Retreats 22-23 February 2025

Preparing for marriage, Engaged Encounter provides couples with deeper insights into each other and into married life. Engaged Encounter Retreats are opportunities to spend time together to strengthen and enrich your relationship. For further information, visit: www.engagedencounter.org.au



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ENCYCLICAL "FRATELLI TUTTI" The Encyclical aims to promote a universal aspiration toward fraternity and social friendship.

EVERYONE IS WELCOME, SO PLEASE COME AND SEE.

For catering purposes kindly telephone Henry or Anna Leung on **0478 083 116** or email annaytleung@yahoo.com.au or telephone Terry Scanlan on **0438 887 295** or email terry_scanlan@bigpond.com if you are planning to attend.

Upcoming Pilgrimage to Portugal, Spain, France & Italy, accompanied by Fr Fabio Esteban c.s from 27th May—17th June 2025, flying with Emirates. For more details contact Mary / Rebecca at Viatour on 9799 3222 or Fr Fabio on 0410 001 462

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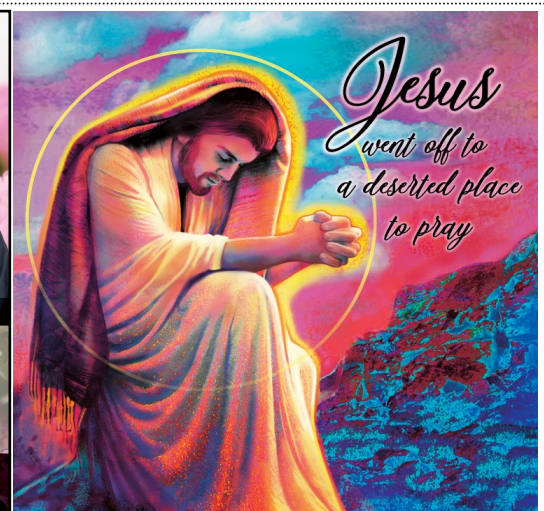
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SCRIPTURE READINGS

Entrance Antiphon

O come, let us worship God and bow low before the God who made us, for he is the Lord our God.

First Reading

Isaiah 6:1-8

A reading from the prophet Isaiah. In the year of King Uzziah's death I saw the Lord seated on a high throne; his train filled the sanctuary; above him stood seraphs, each one with six wings. And they cried out one to another in this way, 'Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts. His glory fills the whole earth.'

The foundations of the threshold shook with the voice of the one who cried out, and the Temple was filled with smoke. I said:

'What a wretched state I am in! I am lost, for I am a man of unclean lips and I live among a people of unclean lips, and my eyes have looked at the King, the Lord of hosts.'

Then one of the seraphs flew to me, holding in his hand a live coal which he had taken from the altar with a pair of tongs. With this he touched my mouth and said:

'See now, this has touched your lips, your sin is taken away, your iniquity is purged.'

Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying: 'Whom shall I send? Who will be our messenger?'

I answered, 'Here I am, send me.'

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 137:1-5, 7-8

R. In the sight of the angels I will sing your praises, Lord.

I thank you, Lord, with all my heart, you have heard the words of my mouth. Before the angels I will bless you.

I will adore before your holy temple. **R.**

I thank you for your faithfulness and love which excel all we ever knew of you.

On the day I called, you answered; you increased the strength of my soul. **R.**

All earth's kings shall thank you

when they hear the words of your mouth.

They shall sing of the Lord's ways:

'How great is the glory of the Lord!' **R.**

You stretch out your hand and save me, your hand will do all things for me.

Your love, O Lord, is eternal,

discard not the work of your hands. **R.**

Second Reading

1 Corinthians 15:1-11

A reading from the first letter of St Paul to the Corinthians.

Brothers, I want to remind you of the gospel I preached to you, the gospel that you received and in which you are firmly established; because the gospel will save you only if you keep believing exactly what I preached to you - believing anything else will not lead to anything.

Well then, in the first place, I taught you what I had been taught myself, namely that Christ died for our sins, in accordance with the scriptures; that he was buried; and that he was raised to life on the third day, in accordance with the scriptures; that he appeared first to Cephas and secondly to the Twelve. Next he appeared to more than five hundred of the brothers at the same time, most of whom are still alive, though some have died; then he appeared to James, and then to all the apostles; and last of all he appeared to me too; it was as though I was born when no one expected it.

I am the least of the apostles; in fact, since I persecuted the Church of God, I hardly deserve the name apostle; but by God's grace that is what I am, and the grace that he gave me has not been fruitless. On the contrary, I, or rather the grace of God that is with me, have worked harder than any of the others; but what matters is that I preach what they preach, and this is what you all believed.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation

Matthew 4:19

Alleluia, alleluia!

Come follow me, says the Lord, and I will make you fishers of my people.

Alleluia!

Gospel

Luke 5:1-11

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke.

Jesus was standing one day by the Lake of Gennesaret, with the crowd pressing round him listening to the word of God, when he caught sight of two boats close to the bank. The fishermen had gone out of them and were washing their nets. He got into one of the boats - it was Simon's - and asked him to put out a little from the shore. Then he sat down and taught the crowds from the boat.

When he had finished speaking he said to Simon, 'Put out into deep water and pay out your nets for a catch.' 'Master,' Simon replied 'we worked hard all night long and caught nothing, but if you say so, I will pay out the nets.' And when they had done this they netted such a huge number of fish that their nets began to tear, so they signalled to their companions in the other boat to come and help them; when these came, they filled the two boats to sinking point.

When Simon Peter saw this he fell at the knees of Jesus saying, 'Leave me, Lord; I am a sinful man.' For he and all his companions were completely overcome by the catch they had made; so also were James and John, sons of Zebedee, who were Simon's partners. But Jesus said to Simon, 'Do not be afraid; from now on it is men you will catch.' Then, bringing their boats back to land, they left everything and followed him.

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Communion Antiphon

Let them thank the Lord for his mercy, his wonders for the children of men, for he satisfies the thirsty soul and the hungry he fills with good things.



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