

Catholic Parish of Warringah

Diocese of Broken Bay, NSW- Scalabrinian Fathers

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12th May 2019 : 4th Sunday of Easter — Year C

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Assistant Priest

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

Weekday Masses:

Mon-Sat:8:30am (Holy Rosary 8am); Fri 12 noon

Week-end Mass Times Saturday Vigil: 6pm

Sunday: 8am; 9.15am, 10.30am (in Italian); 6pm Youth Mass

Filipino Mass: 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 <u>Reconciliation:</u> 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 Brazilian Mass: 2nd & 4th Sundays of the month at 7.30pm

<u>Spanish Mass</u> : Every Saturday at 7.30pm. <u>Divine</u> <u>Mercy</u> : 7pm every Friday except 1st Friday

<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 (with Children's Liturgy) <u>Reconciliation:</u> Sat: following the 9.30am Mass <u>Cenacle of Prayer</u>: 9.45am Wednesday

EucharisticAdoration:Monday7pm-10pm Prayers to the Sacred Heart for the Sick

Every First Friday of each month after 9.30am Mass Prayers of the Faithful & Novena to Sacred Heart for the Sick

Indian Prayer Service 4th Saturday of the month at 7.00 pm.

Prayers_to the Immaculate Heart 1st Saturday of the month after 9.30am Mass. Rosary, Litany & Consecration.



In the Gospel of John, the parable becomes reality. The story of the shepherd's care for the sheep is incarnated in the person of Jesus himself. Jesus, is, as it were, the parable. The messenger is also the message.

The shepherd who seeks out the lost sheep becomes the Good Shepherd. In John (cf Jn 10:11) The Good Shepherd "lays down his life" for the sheep and "knows" the sheep. This implies a deep intimacy that unites Shepherd and sheep, an intimacy that speaks of readiness to offer one's life for the other.

Elsewhere, Jesus says, "No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends " (John 15:13)

"The sheep that belong to me listen to my voice, J know them and they follow me, J give them eternal life"

Mass Intentions for the Week			
St. John's, Narraweena			
Saturday	5.00pm	11	
Sunday	8.00am	12	
	10.00am		Dec Giuseppina Rullo, Maria Mastroianni, Rosa Assisi, Giuseppe & Pietro Mastroian- ni, Tomas Vescio, Gino Markezic (7th anniv)
Tuesday	8.00am		
Wednesday	9.30 am	15	
Thursday	9.30am		
Friday	9.30am	17	
Saturday	9.30am	18	
St. Kevin's, Dee Why			
Saturday	6.00pm	11	Dec Lolita Farmer OAM, Giovanni Battista Caruso
Sunday	8.00am	12	Special intentions Mary McCabe, Dec P.J. Gavahan (Anniv)
	9.15am		Dec Mara Tunjic, Lolita Farmer OAM
	10 .30am		Dec Salvatore & Antonieta Mamone, Salvatore & Luisa Simonetta, Angelina Bruzzano, Gaetano Bruzzano, Connie Mangano, Antonio Bruzzano, Anna Calabria , John Roppa, Carmelo Roppa, Anton Borg Cardona (6th anniv), Paolo Sussanna (2nd anniv) , Giovanni Battista Sussanna, Maria Mastroianni, Rosa Assisi, Giuseppe & Pietro Mastroianni, Tomas Vescio, Rose Chirillo, Maria Chirillo, Caterina Mastroianni, recently deceased Fr Lauro Rufo, Antonina Crisafulli, Domenica Fieramosca, Maria Di Natale, Maria Crisafulli
	6.00pm		Dec Lolita Farmer OAM, Giovanni Battista Caruso
Monday	0.000	13	Special intentions Mary McCabe
	7.00pm		Memorial Mass Maria Annuziata Femia
Tuesday	8.30am		Special intentions Mary McCabe
Wednesday	/ 8.30am	15	Special intentions Mary McCabe
Thursday	8.30am	16	Special intentions Mary McCabe
Friday	8.30am	17	Special intentions Mary McCabe
	12 Noon		All Souls in Purgatory
Saturday	8.30am	18	Special intentions Mary McCabe

Will you help teach SRE in our state schools?

We have a team of 17 parishioners (and 3 volunteers doing double shifts from the Lakes parish) teaching Scripture to the 600 children in our 4 State primary schools which just covers the 32 current classes, K - 6. With teachers needing some breaks throughout the year for various reasons we need a few extras helpers to train for this rewarding work. Also required is an Assistant teacher on Monday mornings for High School scripture classes. The next free training course begins on May 14th (9.30 – 12) at Corpus Christi, St Ives Parish Hall 263 Mona Vale Rd St. IVES *or it can be done online.* Please join us. Contact - Mary Morris 9451 0920

or by email - m.morris@bigpond.net.au or the parish office . Thank you.

PARISH NEWS/EVENTS



CHARITABLE WORKS FUND

The parish will hold the next CWF Appeal on 25/26th May. Supporting the CWF puts your gift to work in your local faith community.

We are so grateful to our community who demonstrate their love for their neighbours by generously supporting the Charitable Works Fund.

The CWF works every day by providing the funds to ensure that there are trained CatholicCare Pastoral Care Practitioners in the hospitals in our Diocese.

The CWF works every day by providing the funds to create the resources and train the catechists (Catholic Special Religious Education Teachers) to the public schools in our Diocese.

The CWF works every day by providing additional funds to two schools with students with special needs. **The CWF works** every day by providing funds to those who are deaf or hard of hearing through the Ephpheta Centre.

When you give to the CWF, you can be assured that your donation is working for the faith and the people of the Diocese of Broken Bay.

Donations \$2 and over are tax-deductible.

Annual Mass Count.

During the month of May we are required by the Diocese to complete the numbers attending weekend Masses. This will consist of a simple head count during each mass. Thank you for your cooperation.



Sacrament of Confirmation .

There will be a Confirmation Information/ Commitment evening for parents and children (in Year 2 or above and who have received the Sacrament of Baptism) <u>In St Kevin's Church on</u> Thursday 16th May at 7pm.

Requirements for receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation are attendance at the information/ commitment evening, attendance at 4 weekly meetings, attending the rehearsal, and attendance at the reception of the sacrament of Confirmation itself

Rosters Next Week: 5th Sunday of Easter St Kevin's Cleaning Team : E

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Anointing of the Sick Mass

Will take place on Thursday 30th May 2019 in St Kevin's church at 11am.

Warringah Parish website

Check out our new website <u>www.bbcatholic.org.au/</u> <u>warringah</u> designed with a fresh new look and userfriendly navigation,

Prayer for a New Bishop

Heavenly Father and Eternal Shepherd, you watch over and govern your flock with vigilance and concern.

In your immense love, grant to your Church a pastor who will please you by his holiness and aid us with his unfailing care.

In your time, grant us the joy of welcoming a shepherd formed after your own heart.

May he be an example of virtue to your people and, imbued with the power of the Holy spirit, fill their

minds with the truth and beauty of the Gospel.

Grant wisdom, O Lord, to those now discerning your holy will in the selection of our new bishop.

We ask this is in the name of Jesus our Lord and through the intercession of our mother, Mary Star of the Sea. Amen.

Reading Room at St John's



A Reading Room is available at St John's presbytery every Sunday after the 10am Mass until 2pm. Books are available. All welcome.

<u>Spanish Classes</u>. Will take place in Our Lady of Good Counsel Primary School Forestville every Tuesday from 3.30pm—4.30pm. Please contact Christina on 0417 210 213 for further information.

Baptisms

The next Baptism Workshop will take place on Wednesday 12th June. Please contact the office for more information.

This weekend we welcome the Daly family for Baptism. Congratulations.





The Pious Society of St Charles, Scalabrinian priests, is promoting throughout the world a Solidarity Campaign for Venezuela. Any donation is appreciated and important for making a difference in the life of those lacking the most basic things in life. Donations to: Westpac Bank Name: Pious Society of St Charles BSB: 033-364 Bank Account Number: 935289. On behalf of the Scalabrinians, Fr Fransiskus Yangminta CS Fr Reinaldo Vassoler CS

Northern Beaches Deanery Parish Training – (Pittwater, The Lakes, Frenchs Forest, Warringah, Manly Freshwater and North Harbour)

This year The Office for Safeguarding will be running training in each Deanery throughout the year, and will be available to all staff and volunteers from each Parish. The first for 2019 is in the Northern Beaches Deanery.

Learn about Safeguarding – Training for all Parish Staff and Volunteers

Please register for <u>one</u> of the following training sessions;

Wednesday 22 May 2019: 2.00pm – 4.00pm Saturday 25 May 2019: 10.00am – 12noon Location: Manly Freshwater Parish 6 Raglan Street, Manly. Please RSVP to <u>safeguard-</u> <u>ing@bbcatholic.org.au</u> (Attention: Lucy) or phone 8379 1605.

The Bishop's Blend: Looking to network with other young Catholic professionals and learn how to live your faith in the workplace? Then join the Most Reverend Bishop Richard Umbers, Auxiliary Bishop of Sydney on **Monday, 27 May 2019 at 7:00am at the Radisson Blu Plaza Hotel Sydney** for The Bishop's Blend, a quarterly breakfast series for young professionals. Online booking is essential. For more information and to purchase tickets go to <u>https://</u>

thebishopsblendeighthedition.eventbrite.com.au or contact us at bishopsblend@sydneycatholic.org



SCRIPTURE READINGS

Entrance Antiphon

The merciful love of the Lord fills the earth; by the word of the Lord the heavens were made, alleluia.

First Reading Acts 13:14, 43-52

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles

Paul and Barnabas carried on from Perga till they reached Antioch in Pisidia. Here they went to the synagogue on the sabbath and took their seats.

When the meeting broke up, many Jews and devout converts joined Paul and Barnabas, and in their talks with them Paul and Barnabas urged them to remain faithful to the grace God has given them.

The next sabbath almost the whole town assembled to hear the word of God. When they saw the crowds, the Jews, prompted by jealousy, used blasphemies and contradicted everything Paul said. Then Paul and Barnabas spoke out boldly. 'We had to proclaim the word of God to you first, but since you have rejected it, since you do not think yourselves worthy of eternal life, we must turn to the pagans. For this is what the Lord commanded us to do when he said: I have made you a light for the nations, so that my salvation may reach the ends of the earth.'

It made the pagans very happy to hear this and they thanked the Lord for his message; all who were destined for eternal life became believers. Thus the word of the Lord spread through the whole countryside.

But the Jews worked upon some of the devout women of the upper classes and the leading men of the city and persuaded them to turn against Paul and Barnabas and expel them from their territory. So they shook the dust from their feet in defiance and went off to Iconium; but the disciples were filled with joy and the Holy Spirit.

The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Responsorial Psalm Ps 99:1-3, 5

R. We are his people, the sheep of his flock.

Cry out with joy to the Lord, all the earth. Serve the Lord with gladness.

Come before him, singing for joy. **R**.

Know that he, the Lord, is God. He made us, we belong to him, we are his people, the sheep of his flock. **R**.

Indeed, how good is the Lord, eternal his merciful love. He is faithful from age to age. **R**.

Second Reading Revelation 7:9, 14-17 A reading from the book of the Apocalypse

I, John, saw a huge number, impossible to count, of people from every nation, race, tribe and language; they were standing in front of the throne and in front of the Lamb, dressed in white robes and holding palms in their hands. One of the elders said to me, 'These are the people who have been through the great persecution, and because they have washed their robes white again in the blood of the Lamb, they now stand in front of God's throne and serve him day and night in his sanctuary; and the One who sits on the throne will spread his tent over them. They will never hunger or thirst again; neither the sun nor scorching wind will ever plague them, because the Lamb who is at the throne will be their shepherd and will lead them to springs of living water;

and God will wipe away all tears from their eyes.'

The word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation John 10:14

Alleluia, alleluia! I am the good shepherd, says the Lord; I know my sheep, and mine know me. Alleluia!

Gospel John 10:27-30

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John

Jesus said:

'The sheep that belong to me listen to my voice; I know them and they follow me. I give them eternal life; they will never be lost and no one will ever steal them from me. The Father who gave them to me is greater than anyone, and no one can steal from the Father. The Father and I are one.' The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Communion Antiphon

The Good Shepherd has risen, who laid down his life for his sheep and willingly died for his flock, alleluia.





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