



Catholic Parish of Warringah

Diocese of Broken Bay, NSW— Scalabrinian Fathers

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St Kevin's Church

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

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

Spanish Mass : 1st & 3rd Saturday at 4.30pm.

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

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 (with Children's Liturgy)

Reconciliation: Sat: following the 9.30am Mass

Cenacle of Prayer: 9.45am Wednesday

Eucharistic Adoration: Monday 7pm-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.



The account of Thomas' doubt overshadows the other experience in today's reading, namely the gathering of the disciples' "on the first day of the week."

This is an image of our gathering within our own parish communities. Like the first disciples, we need each other to believe and to celebrate that belief. We are truly the signs and wonders of Christ the Risen Lord in the world. Our catechumens came to faith because of others who were witnesses of the Lord.

Even when we doubt, the witness of others strengthens our hope and renews the peace Christ promised.

*"Give thanks to the Lord for he is good,
his love is everlasting."*

Mass Intentions for the Week

St. John's, Narraweena : All Masses Suspended

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| Saturday | 5.00pm | 18 | |
| Sunday | 8.00am | 19 | |
| | 10.00am | | Dec Grazia Perri Soteriou, Saverio Colosimo |
| Tuesday | 9.30am | 21 | |
| Wednesday | 9.30am | 22 | |
| Thursday | 9.30am | 23 | |
| Friday | 9.30am | 24 | |
| Saturday | 9.30am | 25 | |

St. Kevin's, Dee Why : All Masses Suspended

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| Saturday | 6.00pm | 18 | Special intentions John Beninati |
| Sunday | 8.00am | 19 | Special intentions John Beninati |
| | 9.15am | | Special intentions John Beninati |
| | 10.30am | | Dec Grazia Perri Soteriou, Saverio Colosimo |
| | 6.00pm | | Special intentions John Beninati |
| Monday | 8.30am | 20 | Special intentions John Beninati |
| Tuesday | 8.30am | 21 | Special intentions John Beninati |
| Wednesday | 8.30am | 22 | Special intentions John Beninati |
| Thursday | 8.30am | 23 | Special intentions John Beninati |
| Friday | 8.30am | 24 | Special intentions John Beninati |
| | 12 Noon | | Special intentions John Beninati |
| Saturday | 8.30am | 25 | Special intentions John Beninati |

Mass Intentions.

All Masses are currently suspended. All Mass intentions will be honoured by our priests in their private capacity. Thank you for your understanding.

Divine Mercy Sunday



Eternal God, in whom mercy is endless and the treasury of compassion - inexhaustible.

Look kindly upon us and increase Your mercy in us, that in difficult moments, we might not despair, nor become despondent, but with great confidence, submit ourselves to Your holy will, which is Love and Mercy itself.

Amen.

KEEP *calm*
& PRAY

Almighty and all-merciful God, lover of the human race, healer of all our wounds, in whom there is no shadow of death, save us in this time of crisis; grant wisdom and courage to our leaders; watch over all medical people as they tend the sick and work for a cure; stir in us a sense of solidarity beyond all isolation; if our doors are closed, let our hearts be open. By the power of your love destroy the virus of fear, that hope may never die and the light of Easter, the triumph of life, may shine upon us and the whole world. Through Jesus Christ, the Lord risen from the dead, who lives and reigns for ever and ever.

Amen.

Holy Mary, health of the sick, pray for us.

St Joseph, guardian of us all, pray for us.

Thank you!

Thank you to all parishioners who are continuing to drop in their Planned Giving Envelopes to the Parish office. We thank you for continuing to financially support the parish during these uncertain times. If any parishioner wishes to move to online / credit card giving please let any of the priests or the Parish office know. Thank you so much.

Digital Liturgy Resources

Laudate (App) This free App has a large number of resources at hand, including the day's Readings; the Liturgy of the Hours; the Rosary, Stations of the Cross, Prayers, Catholic documents including the Catechism of the Catholic Church, and even links to many Catholic media sites. Download for Apple and Android.



Pray As You Go Start the day with a reflection on the day's Reading, with music, Scripture reading, and guided reflection. A simple way to connect with the Church's liturgy and to bring God into your day. Approximately 15 minutes. <https://pray-as-you-go.org/> or download App on Apple or Android.



SCRIPTURE READINGS

Entrance Antiphon

Receive the joy of your glory, giving thanks to God, who has called you into the heavenly kingdom, alleluia.

First Reading Acts 2:42-47

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles
The whole community remained faithful to the teaching of the apostles, to the brotherhood, to the breaking of bread and to the prayers. The many miracles and signs worked through the apostles made a deep impression on everyone. The faithful all lived together and owned everything in common; they sold their goods and possessions and shared out the proceeds among themselves according to what each one needed. They went as a body to the Temple every day but met in their houses for the breaking of bread; they shared their food gladly and generously; they praised God and were looked up to by everyone. Day by day the Lord added to their community those destined to be saved.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 117:2-4, 13-15, 22-24

R. Give thanks to the Lord for he is good, his love is everlasting.

Let the sons of Israel say:
'His love has no end.'

Let the sons of Aaron say:
'His love has no end.'

Let those who fear the Lord say:
'His love has no end.' **R.**

I was thrust, thrust down and falling
but the Lord was my helper.
The Lord is my strength and my song;
he was my saviour.
There are shouts of joy and victory
in the tents of the just. **R.**

The stone which the builders rejected
has become the corner stone. This is the
work of the Lord, a marvel in our eyes.
This day was made by the Lord;
we rejoice and are glad. **R.**

Second Reading 1 Peter 1:3-9

A reading from the first letter of St Peter
Blessed be God the Father of our Lord
Jesus Christ, who in his great mercy has
given us a new birth as his sons, by
raising Jesus Christ from the dead, so
that we have a sure hope and the
promise of an inheritance that can never
be spoilt or soiled and never fade away,
because it is being kept for you in the
heavens. Through your faith, God's
power will guard you until the salvation
which had been prepared is revealed at
the end of time. This is a cause of great
joy for you, even though you may for a
short time have to bear being plagued
by all sorts of trials; so that, when Jesus
Christ is revealed, your faith will have
been tested and proved like gold - only it
is more precious than gold, which is
corruptible even though it bears testing
by fire - and then you will have praise
and glory and honour. You did not see
him, yet you love him; and still without
seeing him, you are already filled with a
joy so glorious that it cannot be
described, because you believe; and
you are sure of the end to which your
faith looks forward, that is, the salvation
of your souls.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation John 20:29

Alleluia, alleluia!

You believe in me, Thomas, because
you have seen me;
happy those who have not seen me,
but still believe!
Alleluia!

Gospel John 20:19-31

A reading from the holy Gospel
according to John

In the evening of that same day, the first
day of the week, the doors were closed
in the room where the disciples were, for
fear of the Jews. Jesus came and stood
among them. He said to them, 'Peace
be with you,' and showed them his
hands and his side. The disciples were
filled with joy when they saw the Lord,
and he said to them again, 'Peace be
with you. 'As the Father sent me, so am I
sending you.'

After saying this he breathed on them
and said: 'Receive the Holy Spirit.

For those whose sins you forgive,
they are forgiven; for those whose sins
you retain, they are retained.'

Thomas, called the Twin, who was one
of the Twelve, was not with them when
Jesus came. When the disciples said,
'We have seen the Lord,' he answered,
'Unless I see the holes that the nails
made in his hands and can put my finger
into his side, I refuse to believe.' Eight
days later the disciples were in the
house again and Thomas was with
them. The doors were closed, but Jesus
came in and stood among them. 'Peace
be with you,' he said. Then he spoke to
Thomas, 'Put your finger here; look,
here are my hands. Give me your hand;
put it into my side. Doubt no longer but
believe.' Thomas replied, 'My Lord and
my God!' Jesus said to him:

'You believe because you can see me,
Happy are those who have not seen and
yet believe.'

There were many other signs that Jesus
worked and the disciples saw, but they
are not recorded in this book. These are
recorded so that you may believe that
Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and
that believing this you may have life
through his name.

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Communion Antiphon

Bring your hand and feel the place of the
nails, and do not be unbelieving but
believing, alleluia.



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