

# 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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19th January 2020 : 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time — Year A

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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

<u>Filipino Mass</u>:  $\mathbf{1}^{\mathrm{st}}$  Sunday of the month 4pm & 3<sup>rd</sup> 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 **<u>Legion of Mary</u>**: 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 7pm-8pm

#### 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 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

**<u>Indian Prayer Service</u>** 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of the month

## **Prayers to the Immaculate Heart**

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



There is a good chance that today many parish communities will sing one of the well known versions of Psalm 39, "Here I am Lord" based on the ancient hymn of David.

While we may sing this hymn enthusiastically our reality is that we are usually not here in the present.

Instead we carry burdens from the past and are troubled with anxiety about the future. Often the one place we struggle to be, is in the present moment. This does not mean we should forget the pain from the past or ignore our anxiety about the future, since emotion (pain, anxiety or other) can only exist in the present.

While what has happened in the past has already happened, our present feelings of guilt, grief, hurt or pain about a past experience, are an opportunity for us today to experience the healing of God in the present. In the same way, anxiety about the future is a present feeling and can be healed by God in the present.

The only moment God has with us now, is the present reality of the circumstances of this day.

Let our prayer from this present reality be simply "Jesus: Here J am"

	Mass	Inte	ntions for the Week
St. John's, Narraweena			
Saturday	5.00pm	18	
Sunday	8.00am	19	
	10.00am		
Tuesday	9.30am	21	
Wednesday	9.30am	22	
	II.00am		Funeral Mass Elizabeth Miceli
Thursday	9.30am		
Friday	9.30am	24	
	7.00pm		Memorial Mass Bruno Romeo
Saturday	9.30am	25	
St. Kevin's, Dee Why			St. Kevin's, Dee Why
Saturday	6.00pm	18	Private special intentions
Sunday	8.00am	19	Dec Teresa Pelli, Saverio Pelli, Maria Rosa Monteleone
	9.15am		Private special intentions
	10 .30am		Dec Sebastian Ucchino, Xavier Ucchino,
	6.00pm		
Monday	8.30am	20	Spec int Mary McCabe.
	7.00pm		Memorial Mass Domenico Panetta
Tuesday	8.30am	21	Special intentions Mary McCabe. Deceased Mona Delores Mahr (1st anniversary)
Wednesday	8.30am	22	Special intentions Mary McCabe,
Thursday	8.30am	23	Special intentions Mary McCabe,
Friday	8.30am	24	Special intentions Mary McCabe,
I	12 Noon		All Souls in Purgatory
Saturday	8.30am	25	Special intentions Mary McCabe,

#### **Baptisms**

The next Baptism
Workshop will take place on
Wednesday 12th February
Please contact the office for
more information. This
weekend we welcome the
Wood family for Baptism.
Congratulations.





Lenten Listening 2020 has been developed by the Diocese of Broken Bay to reflect on the Plenary 2020 themes in conjunction with the Lenten Year A texts. Please consider using this resource, as a way of breaking open and discerning the Plenary themes within your own local community.

A soft copy is now available at <a href="https://www.bbcatholic.org.au/parish-community/plenary-council/our-resources">https://www.bbcatholic.org.au/parish-community/plenary-council/our-resources</a>

For further information or assistance please contact <a href="mailto:faith.formation@bbcatholic.org.au">faith.formation@bbcatholic.org.au</a> or Pina Bernard 8379 1627

# PARISH NEWS/EVENTS

#### **FEDERAZIONE CATTOLICA ITALIANA**

#### FESTA DI MARIA S.S. MAMMA NOSTRA – DOMENI-CA 9 FEBRAIO

SANTA MESSA ALLE 10-30AM SEGUITA DA UN DELIZIOSO PRANZO NELLA NOSTRA SALA Quest'anno il prezzo e` \$30-00 per persona e tutto il ricavo della giornata sara' spedito per aiutare I pompieri voluntary ed i vittimi dell'incendo che ha distrutto tante parte dell'Australia. E' importante di prennotate il vostro posto con Angela dopo la messa o via telefono 80680651.

TRIDUO Mercoledi 5, Giovedi 6 e Venerdi 7 Febraio alle 7pm.



# **Anointing of the Sick Mass**

The anointing of the Sick Mass for January will take place in St Kevin's church on Thursday 30th January at 11am.

#### **Weekend Collections:**

The weekend collections for the parish were:

**St Kevin's** 1st coll: \$1955 2nd coll: \$2805

St John's 1st coll: \$630 2nd coll: \$665

#### Alan Ames - Catholic Evangelist with Gift of Healing.

Please share with friends and family Alan Ames Healing Services listed below. All are welcome. Each person will have the opportunity to be prayed over

individually. Many reported physical, emotional and spiritual healings have occurred during these healing services all over the word. Testimonies are listed on his website:www.alanames.org

Alan has travelled extensively over the last 24 years visiting 50 countries and 6 continents giving witness to his conversion from a man of sin to one who is very close to God and the Roman Catholic Church.

Tuesday, February 4th - 7:00 p.m. Mass, Talk, Healing at Sacred Heart Church, 1 Keenan Street Mona Vale NSW

Wednesday, February 5th - 7:00 p.m. Mass, Talk, Healing at Holy Cross Church 10 Humphreys Rd South Kincumber N.S.W

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**Ordinary Time** 

St Kevin's Cleaning Team : E



# PARISH NEWS/EVENTS

My Gift to Jesus

Ways to Serve God this 2020



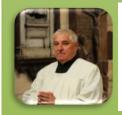
### **CHURCH CLEANING**

Volunteer to clean our House of Worship once a month in your desired schedule.

#### EXTRAORDINARY MINISTRY

Visits sick people bringing Holy Communion and offering prayers. Become a member of Legion of Mary.





#### SENIOR ALTAR SERVER

Helps the priest in the Celebration of the Holy Mass and other liturgical service.

# **ALTAR SOCIETY**

Volunteer to care for the flower arrangement of the Church as well as washing the sacred clothes and vessels use for the Mass.





#### **CHURCH CHOIR**

Assemble a group to build a friendly community of singers to animate the Mass and other Liturgical Service.

#### **CATECHIST**

Continue to use your gift of teaching by guiding and inspiring children in school about our Christian Faith.





## CHURCH MAINTENANCE

Share your skills in fixing things by being one of the handymen to look after our Church.

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED TO SERVE GOD PLEASE CALL OR SMS FR. EMMAN 0400 431 491

#### Friends of Jesus

The next meeting will take place in St Kevin's church on Thursday 23rd January at 7.30pm in St Kevin's Church.

Come & join us in prayer, praise, fellowship and conversation about God's offer of friendship and our response to it.



#### Interested in becoming Catholic?

Are you wondering what life is all about, perhaps asking yourself, "What is my purpose? or Why am I here?" You are welcome to seek answers with us in our conversation through the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) group. RCIA is the formation process by which non-Catholic adults learn about the Catholic faith journey and gradually become full members.

We start our meetings in the Prayer Room of St .Kevin's Church, Dee Why on Thursday 30th January at 7.30pm. For more information on the RCIA program, or if you are interested in being a sponsor or helping in some way, please contact Warringah Catholic Church, Tel: 02 9982 6536 Email: office@warringahcatholicparish.org.au or Fr Francis on frankyangminta@gmail.com.

# AUSTRALIA DAY BUSHFIRE APPEAL

Vinnies bushfire appeal has been running for some weeks and received good support from business and community leaders. Our diocesan Bishop, together will all the other Australian conference bishops, has asked that all parish congregations on the Australia Day weekend be encouraged to make a donation to this appeal in support of volunteers assisting people in need

Our conference members in fire affected areas are desperate for additional resources to assist people whose lives have been devastated.

Donations can be made in 2 ways:

A deposit in our poor boxes at the entrance to the church

Or Online at www.vinnies.org.au

Many thanks and God bless: John Colby and Bill Eyre

#### **GRANNY FLAT / STUDIO**

Active semi-retired female, non smoker, no pets, very quiet, looking for accommodation on or near bus route. Dee Why areas preferred but no further than Mona Vale. Willing to share if right conditions.

Contact: gerrymcculloch48@gmail.com mobile: 0451 353 506

# **SCRIPTURE READINGS**

## **Entrance Antiphon**

All the earth shall bow down before you, O God, and shall sing to you, shall sing to your name, O Most High!

### First Reading

Isaiah 49:3, 5-6

A reading from the prophet Isaiah The Lord said to me, 'You are my servant, Israel, in whom I shall be glorified';

I was honoured in the eyes of the Lord, my God was my strength. And now the Lord has spoken, he who formed me in the womb to be his servant, to bring Jacob back to him, to gather Israel to him:
'It is not enough for you to be my servant, to restore the tribes of Jacob and bring back the survivors of Israel; I will make you the light of the nations so that my salvation may reach to the ends of the earth.'

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

#### **Responsorial Psalm**

Ps 39:2, 4, 7-10

#### R. Here I am, Lord; I come to do your will.

I waited, I waited for the Lord and he stooped down to me; he heard my cry. He put a new song into my mouth, praise of our God. R.

You do not ask for sacrifice and offerings, but an open ear. You do not ask for holocaust and victim. Instead, here am I. R.

In the scroll of the book it stands written that I should do your will. My God, I delight in your law in the depth of my heart. R.

Your justice I have proclaimed in the great assembly.
My lips I have not sealed;

you know it, O Lord. R.

# **Second Reading**

1 Corinthians 1:1-3

A reading from the first letter of St Paul to the Corinthians I, Paul, appointed by God to be an apostle, together with brother Sosthenes, send greetings to the church of God in Corinth, to the holy people of Jesus Christ, who are called to take their place among all the saints everywhere who pray to our Lord Jesus Christ; for he is their Lord no less than ours. May God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ send you grace and peace.

The word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

## **Gospel Acclamation**

John 1:14, 12

Alleluia, alleluia!
The Word of God became flesh and dwelt among us.

He enabled those who accepted him to become the children of God. Alleluia!

## Gospel

John 1:29-34

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John Seeing Jesus coming towards him, John said, 'Look, there is the lamb of God that takes away the sin of the world. This is the one I spoke of when I said: A man is coming after me who ranks before me because he existed before me. I did not know him myself, and vet it was to reveal him to Israel that I came baptising with water.' John also declared, 'I saw the Spirit coming down on him from heaven like a dove and resting on him. I did not know him myself, but he who sent me to baptise with water had said to me, "The man on whom you see the Spirit come down and rest is the one who is going

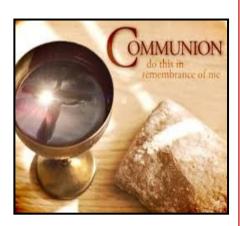
to baptise with the Holy Spirit." Yes, I have seen and I am the witness that he is the Chosen One of God.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

#### **Communion Antiphon**

You have prepared a table before me, and how precious is the chalice that quenches my thirst.







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