



Catholic Parish of Warringah

Diocese of Broken Bay, NSW— Scalabrinian Fathers

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2099, N.S.W.

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2099, N.S.W.

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3rd March 2019 : Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time — Year C

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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

Brazilian Mass: 2nd & 4th Sundays of the month
at 7.30pm

Spanish Mass : Every Saturday at 7.30pm.

Divine Mercy : 7pm every Friday except 1st
Friday

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.



Jesus told his disciples a parable, " Can a blind person guide a blind person? Will not both fall into a pit? No disciple is superior to the teacher; but when fully trained, every disciple will be like his teacher. Why do you notice the splinter in your brother's eye, but do not perceive the wooden beam in your own? How can you say to your brother, 'Brother, let me remove that splinter in your eye', when you do not even notice the wooden beam in your own eye! You hypocrite! Remove the wooden beam from your eye first; then you will see clearly to remove the splinter in your brother's eye.

" A good tree does not bear rotten fruit, nor does a rotten tree bear good fruit. For ever tree is known by its own fruit. For people do not pick figs from thornbushes, nor do they gather grapes from brambles. A good person out of the store of goodness in his heart produces good, but an evil person out of a store of evil produces evil; for them the fullness of the heart the mouth speaks".

Lord, it is good to give thanks to you.

PARISH NEWS/EVENTS

FEDERAZIONE CATTOLICA ITALIANA

RADUNO MENSILE Martedi prossimo alle 7:30pm

MERCOLEDI DELLE CENNERE 6 MARZO. Santa messa alle 8am, 12pm e 7pm

VIA CRUCIS IN ITALIANO , VENERDI PROSSIMO ALLE 6:30PM E OGNI VENERDI FINO A PASQUA

St John's Hall Narraweena

A letter concerning the future of St John's Church hall is available for parishioners to read on the notice board at St John's church. Printed copies are also available at the back of both St John's and St Kevin's churches, for all parishioners of the parish to read.

Project Compassion 2019

Please take home a Project Compassion box and/or a set of donation envelopes and support Caritas Australia this Lenten season, which is themed "Give Lent 100%".

Catholic Mission

The Catholic Mission Annual Appeal will be held in our parish this weekend . Envelopes are available in both churches. Please support this life giving mission. Thank you

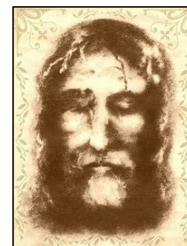


Anointing of the Sick Mass

Will take place on **Thursday 28th March 2019** in **St Kevin's church Dee Why** at 11am.

Holy Face Novena

Holy hour & Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, will take place between 7-8PM on Shrove Tuesday 5th March, the feast of the Holy Face of Jesus in St Kevin's Church. All welcome .



FOOTSTEPS OF ST PAUL :

Journey with St. Paul as you relive the Acts of the Apostles and the various letters of the New Testament. Explore Greece and Greek islands in this 14-day pilgrimage lead by Catholic Priests that features Athens, Corinth, Ephesus, Patmos, Crete, Santorini, Thessaloniki, Philippi and Meteora for an all-inclusive price of \$5990. The group departs on 1st October 2019. The fare includes Return Economy Airfares + Local Transfers in Deluxe coaches + Stay in Premium Hotels + 4 day cruise with Lunch + All Breakfast & Dinners + Catholic Priest + English speaking professional guides + Entrances as per itinerary and more. For inquiries & bookings call **03 8839 6615** or **1300721561** or email us pilgrimage@magiholidays.com.au.

Mass Intentions for the Week		
St. John's, Narraweena		
Saturday	5.00pm	2
Sunday	8.00am	3
	10.00am	
Tuesday	8.00am	5
Wednesday	9.30am	6
	7.00pm	
Thursday	9.30am	7
Friday	9.30am	8
Saturday	9.30am	9
St. Kevin's, Dee Why		
Saturday	6.00pm	2
Sunday	8.00am	3
	9.15am	
	10.30am	
	6.00pm	
Monday	8.30am	4
Tuesday	8.30am	5
	7.00pm	
Wednesday	8.30am	6
	12 Noon	
	7.00pm	
Thursday	8.30am	7
Friday	8.30am	8
	12 Noon	
Saturday	8.30am	9

Baptisms

The next Baptism Workshop will take place on **Wednesday 13th March**. Please contact the office for more information.

This weekend we welcome the Goosen and Pancho families for Baptism. Congratulations



Rosters Next Week:

1st Sunday in Lent
St Kevin's Cleaning Team : A



PARISH NEWS/EVENTS



Catechist Sunday

We ask for God's blessing for our catechists this year as they teach over 600 children in the 4 public schools in our parish.

Prayer for Catechists

Loving God, Creator of all things,
You call us to be in relationship
with you and others.

Thank you for calling our parish catechists
and for giving them the opportunity to share
the gift of your love by serving others.
May all those with whom they share the gift of
faith discover how you are present in all things.

May they come to know you, the one true God,
and Jesus Christ, whom you have sent.
May the grace of the Holy Spirit guide
their hearts and lips so that they may remain
constant in loving and praising you.

May they be a witness to the Gospel
and a minister of your truth.
May all their words and actions
reflect your love. Amen.



Youth Group meeting

Fr Francis will hold the next Youth Group meeting in the old meeting room behind St Kevin's church on **Sunday 10th March at 4pm**. The discussion will be "Discerning the Way of Jesus : The Way of Extravagant Love "

World Day of Prayer Friday March 8th 2019 .

This year's World Day of Prayer ecumenical service will be held in St John's Anglican Church, Oaks Ave, Dee Why on Friday 8th March at 10.30am followed by morning tea.

All parishioners are invited to attend . Warringah Parish will lead the Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession (Prayers of the Faithful) .

Please contact Pauline Byrne on 9971 6837 if you would like to take part.



Lent is the Christian season of preparation before Easter. The Lenten season is a time when many Christians observe a period of fasting, repentance, moderation, self-denial and spiritual discipline. The purpose is to set aside time for reflection on Jesus Christ—his suffering and his sacrifice, his life, death, burial, and resurrection. During the six weeks of self-examination and reflection, Christians who observe Lent typically make a commitment to fast, or to give up something—a habit, such as smoking, watching TV, swearing, or a food or drink, such as sweets, chocolate, or coffee. Some Christians also take on a Lenten discipline, such as reading the Bible and spending more time in prayer to draw nearer to God. Strict observers do not eat meat on Fridays, often opting for fish instead. The goal of these spiritual disciplines is to strengthen the faith of the observer and develop a closer relationship with God.

Ash Wednesday Masses – March 06

8:30 am – Dee Why

9:30 am – Narraweena

12:00 pm – Dee Why

7:00 pm – Dee Why

7:00pm – Narraweena

Stations of the Cross

Every Friday during Lent

Dee Why

8:00 am

6:30 pm (Italian)

Narraweena

7:00 pm



Both St John's and St Kevin's churches will be open for prayer and Reconciliation between 7-8pm on Friday March 8th, 15th, 22nd, 29th, April 5th & 12th

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SCRIPTURE READINGS

Entrance Antiphon

The Lord became my protector. He brought me out to a place of freedom; he saved me because he delighted in me.

First Reading: Sirach 27:4-7

A reading from the book of Ecclesiasticus

In a shaken sieve the rubbish is left behind, so too the defects of a man appear in his talk. The kiln tests the work of the potter, the test of a man is in his conversation. The orchard where the tree grows is judged on the quality of its fruit, similarly a man's words betray what he feels.

Do not praise a man before he has spoken, since this is the test of men.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm: Ps 91:2-3, 13-16

R. Lord, it is good to give thanks to you.

It is good to give thanks to the Lord to make music to your name, O Most High, to proclaim your love in the morning and your truth in the watches of the night. **R.**

The just will flourish like the palm-tree and grow like a Lebanon cedar. **R.**

Planted in the house of the Lord they will flourish in the courts of our God, still bearing fruit when they are old, still full of sap, still green, to proclaim that the Lord is just.

In him, my rock, there is no wrong. **R.**

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:54-58

A reading from the first letter of St Paul to the Corinthians
When this perishable nature has put on imperishability, and when this mortal nature has put on immortality, then the words of scripture will come true: Death is swallowed up in victory. Death, where is your victory? Death, where is your sting? Now the sting of death is sin, and sin gets its power from the Law. So let us thank God for giving us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

Never give in then, my dear brothers, never admit defeat; keep on working at the Lord's work always, knowing that, in the Lord, you cannot be labouring in vain.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation: Philippians 2:15-16

Alleluia, alleluia!

Shine on the world like bright stars; you are offering it the word of life.

Alleluia!

Gospel: Luke 6:39-45

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke
Jesus told a parable to his disciples, 'Can one blind man guide another? Surely both will fall into a pit? The disciple is not superior to his teacher; the fully trained disciple will always be like his teacher. Why do you observe the splinter in your brother's eye and never notice the plank in your own? How can you say to your brother, "Brother, let me take out the splinter that is in your eye," when you cannot see the plank in your own? Hypocrite! Take the plank out of your own eye first, and then you will see clearly enough to take out the splinter that is

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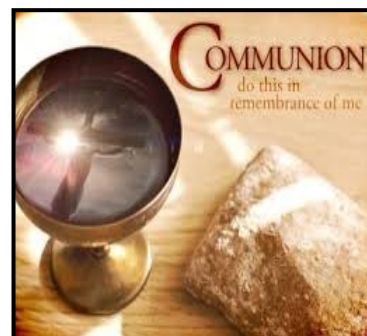
'There is no sound tree that produces rotten fruit, nor again a rotten tree that produces sound fruit. For every tree can be told by its own fruit: people do not pick figs from thorns, nor gather grapes from brambles. A good man draws what is good from the store of goodness in his heart; a bad man draws what is bad from the store of badness. For a man's words flow out of what fills his heart.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Communion Antiphon

I will sing to the Lord who has been bountiful with me, sing psalms to the name of the Lord Most High.



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