



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, Narrabeena,
2099, N.S.W.

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9th February 2020 : 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time — Year A

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Principal: **Mrs Lorraine Vincent**
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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

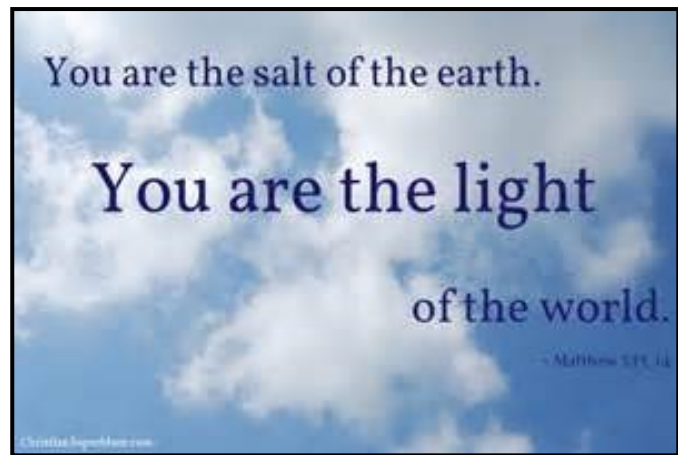
Prayers to the Sacred Heart for the Sick

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.



In today's Gospel, Jesus uses two domestic images, salt and light to teach the disciples how important they are in sharing his mission. Notice that Jesus uses the emphatic phrase "You are..... " Not, you can be, or you might be, or maybe, you will be.

No, he is very direct in naming them as salt and light, they are change agents.

Just as salt adds flavour to food and light dispels the darkness, so will they transform the world by their witness and their good deeds.

In accepting this identity, we bring glory to God.

"Your light must shine before others, that they may see your good deeds, and glorify your Heavenly Father"

PARISH NEWS/EVENTS

FEDERAZIONE CATTOLICA ITALIANA

Mass Intentions for the Week

St. John's, Narraweena

Saturday	5.00pm	8	
Sunday	8.00am	9	Dec Vincenzo Melia, Rosa Isabella (an-niv) , Michele, Raffaella, Giovanna, Bruno & Mario Tomaino
	10.00am		Dec Giuseppe Paola (1st anniv) , decd members of Paola family, Benito Arbace (1 month)
Tuesday	9.30am	11	
Wednesday	9.30am	12	
Thursday	9.30am	13	
Friday	9.30am	14	
Saturday	9.30am	15	

St. Kevin's, Dee Why

Saturday	6.00pm	8	
Sunday	8.00am	9	Special intentions Mary McCabe
	9.15am		Special intentions for successful operation & healing: Ernest Panis & Zorabel Reyes
	10.30am		Dec Giuseppe Paola (1st Anniv) , deceased members of the Paola family, Dec Vincenzo Melia, Pietro Lorenti, Antonietta Lorenti, Immacolata Lorenti, Benito Arbace (1 month)Francesca Princi, Maria Teresa & Domenico Calabrese, Giuseppe, Assunta & Maria Murace,
	6.00pm		
Monday	8.30am	10	Dec Elisabetta Polito, Peter Fitzgerald (8th Anniv), Special intentions for successful operation & healing: Ernest Panis & Zorabel Reyes, Spec intentions Mary McCabe
Tuesday	8.30am	11	Dec Vincenzo Polito & Elisabetta Polito. Special intentions for successful operation & healing: Ernest Panis & Zorabel Reyes, Special intentions Mary McCabe
	10.30am		Funeral Mass Brendan Harmon
Wednesday	8.30am	12	Dec Clementina Polito. Special intentions for successful operation & healing: Ernest Panis & Zorabel Reyes, Special intentions Mary McCabe
Thursday	8.30am	13	Special intentions Mary McCabe. Special intentions for successful operation & healing: Ernest Panis & Zorabel Reyes
Friday	8.30am	14	Special intentions Mary McCabe. Special intentions for successful operation & healing: Ernest Panis & Zorabel Reyes. Decd Ted Bradstreet (birthday)
	12 Noon		All Souls in Purgatory
Saturday	8.30am	15	Special intentions Mary McCabe. Special intentions for successful operation & healing: Ernest Panis & Zorabel Reyes.

Baptisms

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



Friends of Jesus

Thursday 20th February at 7.30pm in St Kevin's Church. All welcome!

CARTE E TOMBOLA - Martedi prossimo alle 7:30pm

PIZZA PASTA E ITALIAN MOVIE NIGHT – Sabato 29 Febraio alle 6:30pm.

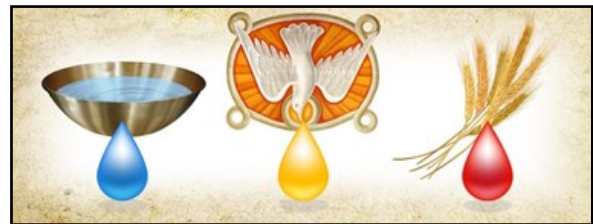
Costo \$30.00 per persona e tutto il ricavo sara` spedito per aiutare I pompieri volontari ed i vittime dell'incendo che ha distrutto tante parte dell'Australia. E` importante di prenotate il vostro posto con Angela dopo la messa o via telefono 80680651.

Weekend Collections;

The weekend collections for the parish were ;

St Kevin's 1st coll: \$1635 2nd coll: \$1810

St John's 1st coll: \$735 2nd coll: \$675



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.

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.

The next session will take place on Thursday 13th February at 7.30pm in St Kevin's Prayer Meeting Room (behind the church).

Reconciliation Program

If your child has received the sacrament of Confirmation, he/she is able to receive Reconciliation this year.

The commitment meeting will be held on **Thursday 27th February at 7pm at St John's church.**

At this meeting you will be told how to enrol for the sacrament and when the lessons will be held.

If you have any questions please email Mary Baldwin, baldwin.mary.50@gmail.com.



Do you have a Drum Kit (in good repair) in your house?

St John's church would love a better drum kit. The present one is old and in need of lots of repair. If you do have one that is not in use and is languishing in the garage St John's will make good use of it.

Please contact Jenny Donoghue 0410570398.

The Lenten Group Journey

Feb.26 - Apr. 10

6 sessions, 90 mins/Wk
discussion and reflection
about the Word of God

following the Lenten Group Program
of Wollongong Diocese.

Booklets can be ordered online @ \$9.00

<https://www.dow.org.au/product/grace-lenten-program-2020-book/>

1. **Monday 9:30am** - Hosted by Divine Will Group
@ Mary Fleming Residence - 53 Oaks Ave.
Coordinator: John Colby
2. **Tuesday 7:00pm** - Hosted by Men's Group
@ St. John's Church Presbytery
Coordinator: Tony Ishac (For Men Only)
3. **Wednesday 10:00am** - Hosted by Bible Study Group
@ St. John's Church Presbytery
Coordinator: Ron De Fina
4. **Wednesday 6:00pm** - Hosted by Perpetual Help Group
@ St. Kevin's Church Meeting Room
Coordinator: Natty Rutten & Florida Enriquez
5. **Thursday 7:30pm** Hosted by FILCOS
@ St. Kevin's Lower Hall
Coordinator: Joan Cabilao
6. **Sunday 4:00pm** - Hosted by Couples for Christ Group
@ St. Kevin's Church Meeting Room
Coordinator: Mo Taneo (not yet confirmed)
7. **Italian Community-** (not yet Finalized)



Catechist Courses Level 1

SRE (Special Religious Education) 2020. This introduction to teaching our Catholic children in the state schools will be held at **St Kieran's Manly Vale**.

Mon 17 Feb Ministry of the Catechist SRE in the Parish and the School

Mon 24 Feb Safeguarding Children Lesson Planning

Mon 2 Mar Development of the Child Classroom Management

Mon 9 Mar Introduction to the Bible Teaching Strategies: Interactive Whiteboards

(1st session 9.30am – 12 noon, 2nd session 12.30pm – 2.30pm) EMAIL: registrations@bbcatholic.org.au to enrol.

We hope to have 3 new catechists this year and would welcome more as we have 600 children at the 4 state primary schools keen to hear about God and more in the high school. We are called.

For more information contact: Mary Morris 9451 0920

St Vincent de Paul Dee Why

Our conference would like to thank the parishioners of St Kevin's church for their continuing support in a time of devastation and stress for many people, when many organisations were seeking financial help.

Our Christmas appeal raised \$4050.00 and the recent Bushfire appeal \$630.

Vinnies will continue to support people needing help and is encouraged by your generosity. God bless Bill Eyre

SAVE THE DAY WORLD DAY OF PRAYER MARCH 6TH 2020

This year St Kevin's is hosting the interdenominational World Day of Prayer for the Dee Why/Narrabeena area. Parishioners from six neighbouring churches will be our guests at 10.30am on Friday morning, March 6th.

Everyone who is able to attend is invited, and there will be opportunities to help on the morning. Watch out for further details.



 National Catholic Safeguarding Standards:
Leadership, monitoring & improvement

Standard 1 – Committed leadership, governance and culture

Key Elements of Standard 1:

- A commitment to Safeguarding
- Promoting a Safeguarding Culture
- Safeguarding Policies
- Code of Conduct

Rosters Next Week: 6th Sunday of Ordinary Time
St Kevin's Cleaning Team: B



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 58:7-10

A reading from the prophet Isaiah
Thus says the Lord:

Share your bread with the hungry,
and shelter the homeless poor,
clothe the man you see to be naked
and turn not from your own kin.
Then will your light shine like the dawn
and your wound be quickly healed
over.

Your integrity will go before you
and the glory of the Lord behind you.
Cry, and the Lord will answer;
call, and he will say, 'I am here.'
If you do away with the yoke,
the clenched fist, the wicked word,
if you give your bread to the hungry,
and relief to the oppressed,
your light will rise in the darkness,
and your shadows become like noon.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 111:4-9

R. A light rises in the darkness for the upright.

He is a light in the darkness for the upright: he is generous, merciful and just. The good man takes pity and lends, he conducts his affairs with honour. **R.**

The just man will never waver: he will be remembered for ever. He has no fear of evil news; with a firm heart he trusts in the Lord. **R.**

With a steadfast heart he will not fear; open-handed, he gives to the poor; his justice stands firm for ever. His head will be raised in glory. **R.**

Second Reading

1 Corinthians 2:1-5

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

When I came to you, brothers, it was not with any show of oratory or philosophy, but simply to tell you what God had guaranteed. During my stay with you, the only knowledge I claimed to have was about Jesus, and only about him as the crucified Christ. Far from relying on any power of my own, I came among you in great 'fear and trembling' and in my speeches and the sermons that I gave, there were none of the arguments that belong to philosophy; only a demonstration of the power of the Spirit. And I did this so that your faith should not depend on human philosophy but on the power of God.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation

John 8:12

Alleluia, alleluia!

I am the light of the world, says the Lord; the man who follows me will have the light of life.

Alleluia!

Gospel

Matthew 5:13-16

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew

Jesus said to his disciples: 'You are the salt of the earth. But if salt becomes tasteless, what can make it salty again? It is good for nothing, and can only be thrown out to be trampled underfoot by men.'

'You are the light of the world. A city built on a hill-top cannot be hidden. No one lights a lamp to put it under a tub; they put it on the lamp-stand where it shines for everyone in the house. In the same way your light must shine in the sight of men, so that, seeing your

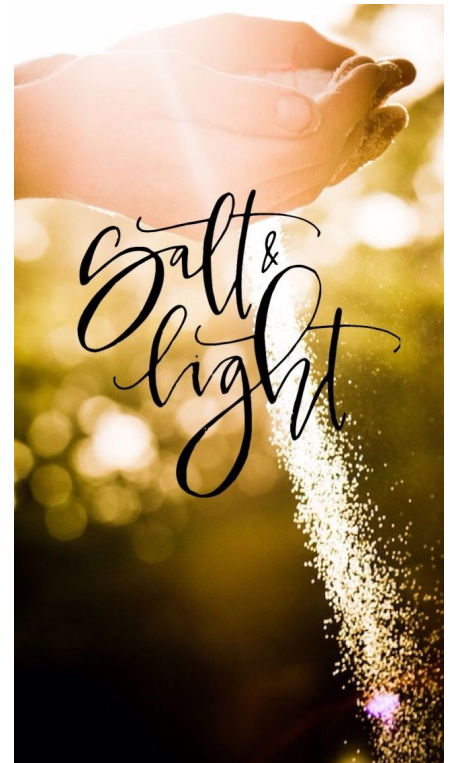
good works, they may give the praise to your Father in heaven.'

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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