

Diocese of Broken Bay Under the Pastoral Care of the Discalced Carmelites since 2008

9 June 2024, Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Parish Mass Times:
Monday to Friday: 9am
Saturday: 9am, 6pm (vigil)
Sunday: 8am, 10am, 5pm
Public Holidays: 9am
Rock Mass: Once a term

Baptism: Third Sunday of each month by appointment
Wedding: Contact Parish Office at least 6 months prior notice
Morning Prayer: Monday - Friday: 8:30am
Anointing of Sick: 2nd Thursday of the month at 9am or by request
Eucharistic Adoration: Saturday 9:30 – 10am concluding with Benediction
Reconciliation: Saturday 9:30am
Rosary: Immediately after weekday Mass and Saturday (8:35am)



**Every Monday
(during term time)**
Divine Will Prayer Group
10-11:30am - Hall

Second Wednesday of Every Month
Parish Catch Up Coffee Morning
Archies, St Ives Village 10:30am

Thursday evenings
Fr Sunny's Bible Study Group
Book of Revelation
7:30-9pm in the Church

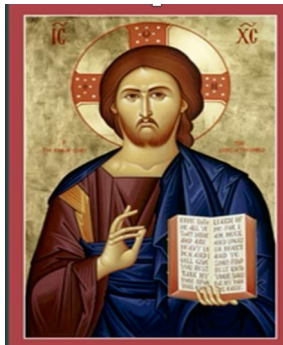
Every Sunday at 10am Mass
Children's Liturgy

**Every Friday
(during term time)**
Lectio Divina; Hall & Zoom 10am

Second Thursday of Every Month
Anointing of the Sick –9am

Wednesday 12th June
Parish Coffee Catch Up - Archies
Café at 10.30am

Sunday 16th June
Corpus Christi School Family
Rock Mass 5pm



**“For whoever does
the will of God is my
brother and sister
and mother .”
(Gospel)**

Dear Parishioners and visitors to the Parish,

The most successful sporting teams in history are the ones in which the players have high levels of trust in each other, inclusive communication and task-focused goals. For a long time, the New Zealand All Blacks have been the premier rugby team in the world. The key formula to this success was the attention given to completing small tasks such as ‘sweeping the sheds’ after games, practising the art of humility and being accountable to one another.

In today’s Gospel, we read how a solid household cannot be divided or destroyed. Jesus is clear in his message that a divided household (or team for that matter) will crumble under pressure. However, the good news is that Jesus invites us into a different pathway - a pathway of strength, inclusivity and hope. How strong is your household, whether it be your family, community or workplace? What little actions can you perform to raise the group’s morale and cohesion?

May God bless you,
Fr Greg Chee, OCD

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**You can now find us on Facebook: www.facebook.com/CorpusChristiChurchStIves and
Instagram www.instagram.com/CorpusChristiStIves**

Can you help with
photos from 1974 to
2024 ?

Photos of all celebrations,
fun and memories at the
Corpus Christi Parish,
including the early days
before the building of the
St Ives Church.
Please include a
brief description.

email to:
corpuschristi.stives@gmail.com
or submit to
Parish Office



PHOTOS FOR 50TH ANNIVERSARY

FEAST OF CORPUS CHRISTI—2 JUNE

Thank you to everyone who contributed to the success of our Feast of Corpus Christi celebration. Your dedication, hard work, and unwavering support were instrumental in making this event a memorable and spiritually enriching experience for our community.

A very special thank you to the Antao family and their team for providing the sausage sizzle and the delicious food for this special celebration. Each of you played a vital role, and together, we created a truly beautiful and sacred celebration.

May the blessings of the Holy Eucharist continue to inspire and guide us all.





Social Justice Corner

Save the Date

You are warmly invited to attend a film night and fundraising screening of the documentary LIMBO on Friday, June 21st, at Moore Park. The John Mac Foundation (JMF), a charity working to educate and empower refugees and people whose lives have been interrupted by war, is hosting the event.

Established in 2016, JMF aims to remove some of the barriers to education and access to meaningful employment for refugees in Australia. The foundation provides scholarships to those from refugee and humanitarian backgrounds, opportunities to help scholars transition to meaningful employment in their chosen field and mentoring by connecting scholars with career advice. The Chair of the Foundation is Judith Preston, a member of our parish's Social Justice Group. To learn more about the work of the JMF go to <https://johnmacfoundation.org/about/>

Nominated for two BAFTA® awards for Best British Film and Best Debut by a British Writer, Director or Producer, LIMBO is a wry and poignant observation of the refugee experience, set on a fictional remote Scottish island where a group of new arrivals await the results of their asylum claims. It centres on Omar, a young Syrian musician who is burdened by his grandfather's oud, which he has carried all the way from his homeland.

Date: Friday, 21st June 2024

Time: 6pm- 8.30pm

Venue: Palace Cinemas Moore Park, The Entertainment Quarter, Shop/215/122 Lang Rd, Moore Park

Cost: \$50. To purchase a ticket, go to:

https://events.humanitix.com/john-mac-foundation-film-night-fundraiser?_gl=1*_gijlv*_gcl_au*NjM3MTk1NDg1LjE3MTI3NDQxMTg.*_ga*NjAwMzgyNTA2LjE2OTk5MTU1NzI.*_ga_LHKW5FR9N6*MTcxNzAyOTIwMS44LjEuMTcxNzAyOTIxNS40Ni4wLjA

For those who cannot make the night, you can donate directly to the JMF at <https://johnmacfoundation.org/donate/>.

Prayer Zone



Recently Deceased: Donald Jambu

Please pray for the ill:

Michelle Fisher; Fr Sergio Chauira; Jessie Chang; Amy O'Connell; James Frederick Riley; Tom Brewer; Sylvia Fishburn; Nicolette Harris; Marshall O'Brien; Helen McCarthy; Quentin Stewart; Rob Sanders; Anne Jardane; Naomi Upton; Vanessa Park; Rebecca Davies; Grace Cheah; Elizabeth Walsh; Maria Garcia; Jose Mestres; Meacheal; Estelle Sok; Thi Nguyen; Carmel Hadley; Fergus O'Brien; Michelle Soumier; Gracie Spencer; Brendan Stone

If you know of anyone who can no longer attend mass due to illness; or if you have noticed one of our parishioners is no longer attending mass, could you please let Michelle or Christina know.

FEAST DAYS JUNE

Tues 11th June, St Barnabas, apostle
Thurs 13th June, St Anthony of Padua, priest, doctor
Fri 21st June, St Aloysius Gonzaga, religious
Sat 22nd June, Sts John Fisher, bishop and Thomas More, martyrs
Mon 24th June, The Nativity of St John the Baptist
Fri 28th June, St Irenaeus, bishop, martyr



Our Deepest Sympathy Donald Jambu

The Corpus Christi parish family would like to extend its prayerful sympathy to the family, relatives and friends of Donald. Donald's funeral will be held at Corpus Christi on Tuesday 11 June 2024 at 10.30am. May Donald experience the fullness of Christ's peace.

Acknowledgement of Traditional Owners

We wish to acknowledge the traditional custodians of these lands on which we gather and show our respect to the Elders past and present . We also wish to pay our respects to all Aboriginal people.



FAMILY ROCK MASS

Please join us on Sunday 24th March at the 5pm mass.

The family rock mass will be led by the children from Year 3 & 4.



PASTORAL WORKS Broken Bay

Pastoral Works Broken Bay is the pastoral charity of the Catholic community in Broken Bay.

Every gift makes a difference to someone in hospital, school, a parish or the wider community.

Catch up with Corpus Christi Parishioners!
Coffee Morning

WEDNESDAY 12 JUNE
ARCHIES / 10:30 AM

EVERYONE WELCOME



RSVP to Andrena | 0438 698 993 or just turn up

Thank you for your generosity

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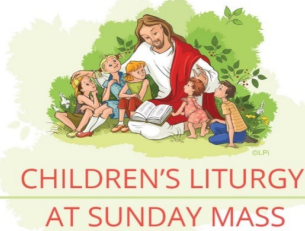
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All donations over \$2 are tax deductible.
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Or go online by scanning the QR code or visiting: bbcatholic.org.au/pastoralworks. Thank you.



At every Sunday 10am Mass, children are invited to go to the Church Hall during Mass to participate in Children's

Liturgy. There, they read the Gospel for the week and do activities related to that Sunday's gospel.

Morning tea is served afterwards for everyone!



Join our Facebook group

Keep updated with our latest news and photos on our Facebook Group

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/CorpusChristiStIves>

or scan the QR code to go directly to the Facebook group



Pray and Play is for families with children aged 0-12years. It is an opportunity for the families to spend time together once a month after Sunday 10am Mass for some simple games for the children while parents mingle and chat. **Our next gathering will be on 7 July.**

Please keep an eye out on Facebook (<https://www.facebook.com/Groups/CorpusChristiStIves>) for our latest news and photos.

WAITARA
26-29 September 2024

CATHEDRAL PRECINCT
(at St Leo's Catholic College)



EARLY DISCOUNT ENDS SOON!

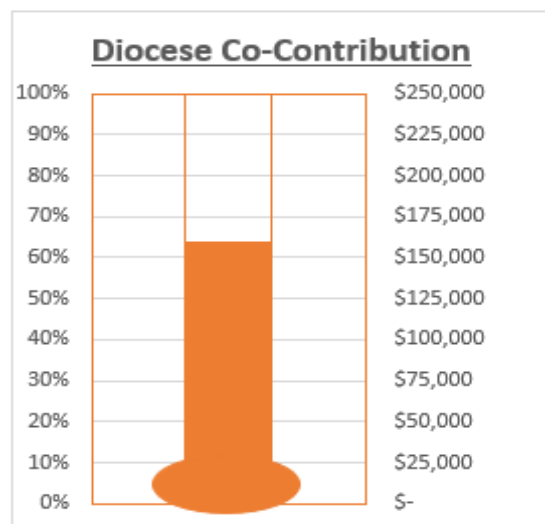
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Join the Corpus Christi group!

info - <https://bit.ly/CorpusChristi8834>

PRESBYTERY BUILDING PROJECT FUNDRAISING



Thank you for your generosity! Our updated total raised is **\$318,700!** We have achieved 64 percent of our \$500,000 goal. **For every \$100 donated the Diocese will give us another \$50.** You can donate directly to our bank account as below:

Please reference: **New Presbytery Build** in your payment message. This will ensure that the entire amount will be used for the presbytery and the Parish won't be subject to Diocesan tax on these donations.

Account Name: St Ives Catholic Parish BSB: 062 784 Account No: 100001798

Please note, any donations made are **NOT** tax deductible.

Regards the Parish Finance Committee



VOCATIONS!

**IS GOD CALLING YOU TO
MAKE A DIFFERENCE
IN VOCATIONS MINISTRY?**

SERRA VOCATIONS MASS AND DINNER MEETING

Father Stephen Wayoyi, Assistant Priest at St Agatha's Parish Pennant Hills and Assistant Diocesan Vocations Director will be celebrating Mass for Serra at **Our Lady of Dolours Church 94 Archer Street Chatswood** on Thursday 27th June 2024.

The evening commences with Mass at **6.00 PM** followed by a light meal and a short meeting.

Following the meeting Father Stephen and Vocations Officer Michelle Chahine will be providing a Diocesan Vocations Update and Father Joey Frez will be speaking about the vocations activities of Chatswood Parish.

Everyone is welcome. Please "come and see" and learn about the activities of the Vocations Office and Chatswood Parish and receive an update on the progress being made by our now 9 young men on their journey to priesthood.

Please remember to pray every day for vocations to the priesthood, diaconate, the consecrated life, ecclesial women, all seminarians, and novices and for the perseverance of existing vocations.

For catering purposes kindly telephone Henry or Anna Leung on **0478 083 116** or email henrywk@yahoo.com.au or telephone Terry Scanlan on **0438 887 295** or email terry_scanlan@bigpond.com if you are planning to attend.

Carmel House Retreats 2024

MAR 1-3	Consecrated Life Weekend Discernment Retreat	JUN 15	Awake Day Retreat
MAR 28-31	Light To The Nations Easter Pilgrimage	AUG 23-25	Wildfire Holy Spirit Retreat
APR 1-5	Disciples School of Mission Formation for Ministry	OCT 11-13	Springtime Creative Retreat
APR 19-21	Emmaus Silent Retreat	NOV 2	Alight Women's Day Retreat
MAY 17-22	Banquet Pentecost Intensive	<p>Carmel House 345 St Andrew's Rd, Varroville NSW 2566 mglcisters.sydney@gmail.com mglcisters.org</p>	

A time for single women aged 16-35 to listen for the voice of Jesus, ask questions and experience prayer, talks, sisterhood and sharing to help discern your vocation. mglcisters.sydney@gmail.com

Awaken to a renewed experience of God's love and rediscover the joy of your life with the Risen Jesus during this day retreat with the MGL Sisters. trybooking.com/CNTCH

Young people come on pilgrimage from all around Australia camping under the open skies and joining in a awesome celebration of the Easter liturgies. facebook.com/light.to.the.nations.pilgrimage

Feel the Holy Spirit's transformative power, igniting a wildfire within. Immerse in a retreat deepening your connection with God and unleashing Love's fiery passion. trybooking.com/CN2WT

Be formed in mission through fellowship, powerful inputs, workshops and times of prayer, taking your new skills back to your local context or out on short-term mission. facebook.com/discipleschoolofmission

Experience the healing power of creativity. Nurture your inner self and watch the boundless possibilities that emerge from spending time co-creating with God. trybooking.com/CN2WN

Embark on the sacred journey to Emmaus, discovering God's victorious love through Jesus' abiding presence. Renew in solitude and let your heart ignite. trybooking.com/CN2XK

Rekindle the flame of faith and prepare for Advent through a day of reflection, prayer and fellowship. This retreat is being supported by the Catholic Women's Network in the Archdiocese of Sydney. trybooking.com/CNTCL

Explore God's love and the gifts of the Spirit in our Banquet Intensive. Feast on the powerful gifts of God's love and charismatic generosity through fellowship, inputs, prayer, and practical workshops. trybooking.com/CN2XA

Catholic Vocations Broken Bay Young Adult Event

ENCOUNTER

ADORATION | FORMATION | COMMUNITY

Special Guest Speaker

Broken Bay Seminarian
Shayne D'Cunha
"WHY THE CHURCH NEEDS YOU"

FRIDAY JUNE 21 | WOY WOY PARISH | 6PM
VENUE: ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CATHOLIC CHURCH
125 BLACKWALL ROAD, WOY WOY NSW 2256
RSVP TO: P: 0418 522 449 | 02 83791626
E: vocations.ministry@bbcatholic.org.au

EVENTS @ BROKEN BAY



POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER INTENTION FOR JUNE

For those fleeing their own countries

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The Word

Sunday 9 June 2024: Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Collect

O God, from whom all good things come, grant that we, who call on you in our need, may at your prompting discern what is right, and by your guidance do it. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

First Reading

From the Acts of the book Genesis Gen 3:9-15

I will make you enemies of each other: your offspring and her offspring.

The Lord God called to the man after he had eaten of the tree. 'Where are you?' he asked. 'I heard the sound of you in the garden;' he replied 'I was afraid because I was naked, so I hid.' 'Who told you that you were naked?' he asked. 'Have you been eating of the tree I forbade you to eat?' The man replied, 'It was the woman you put with me; she gave me the fruit, and I ate it.' Then the Lord God asked the woman, 'What is this you have done?' The woman replied, 'The serpent tempted me and I ate.' Then the Lord God said to the serpent, 'Because you have done this, 'Be accursed beyond all cattle, all wild beasts.

You shall crawl on your belly and eat dust every day of your life.

I will make you enemies of each other: you and the woman, your offspring and her offspring. It will crush your head and you will strike its heel.'

The Word of the Lord.

Responsorial Psalm Ps 129. R. v.7

(R.) With the Lord there is mercy and fullness of redemption.

1. Out of the depths I cry to you, O Lord, Lord, hear my voice! O let your ears be attentive to the voice of my pleading. *(R.)*
2. If you, O Lord, should mark our guilt, Lord, who would survive? But with you is found forgiveness: for this we revere you. *(R.)*
3. My soul is waiting for the Lord, I count on his word. My soul is longing for the Lord more than watchman for daybreak. *(R.)*
4. Because with the Lord there is mercy, and fullness of redemption, Israel indeed he will redeem from all its iniquity. *(R.)*

Second Reading

From the second letter of St Paul to the Corinthians 2 Cor 4:13-5:1

We believe, and therefore we speak.

As we have the same spirit of faith that is mentioned in scripture – I believed, therefore I spoke - we too believe and therefore we too speak, knowing that he who raised the Lord Jesus to life will raise us with

Jesus in our turn, and put us by his side and you with us. You see, all this is for your benefit, so that the more grace is multiplied among people, the more thanksgiving there will be, to the glory of God.

That is why there is no weakening on our part, and instead, though this outer man of ours may be falling into decay, the inner man is renewed day by day. Yes, the troubles which are soon over, though they weigh little, train us for the carrying of a weight of eternal glory which is out of all proportion to them. And so we have no eyes for things that are visible, but only for things that are invisible; for visible things last only for a time, and the invisible things are eternal.

For we know that when the tent that we live in on earth is folded up, there is a house built by God for us, an everlasting home not made by human hands, in the heavens.

The Word of the Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

The prince of this world will now be cast out, and when I am lifted up from the earth I will draw all to myself, says the Lord. Alleluia!

Gospel

From the holy Gospel according to Mark Mk 3:20-35

It is the end of Satan.

Jesus went home with his disciples, and such a crowd collected that they could not even have a meal. When his relatives heard of this, they set out to take charge of him, convinced he was out of his mind.

The scribes who had come down from Jerusalem were saying, 'Beelzebul is in him,' and, 'It is through the prince of devils that he casts devils out.' So he called them to him and spoke to them in parables, 'How can Satan cast out Satan? If a kingdom is divided against itself, that kingdom cannot last. And if a household is divided against itself, that household can never stand. Now if Satan has rebelled against himself and is divided, he cannot stand either - it is the end of him. But no one can make his way into a strong man's house and burgle his property unless he has tied up the strong man first. Only then can he burgle his house.

'I tell you solemnly, all men's sins will be forgiven, and all their blasphemies; but let anyone blaspheme against the Holy Spirit and he will never have forgiveness: he is guilty of an eternal sin.' This was because they were saying, 'An unclean spirit is in him.'

His mother and brothers now arrived and, standing outside, sent in a message asking for him. A crowd was sitting round him at the time the message was passed to him, 'Your mother and brothers and sisters are outside asking for you.' He replied, 'Who are my mother and my brothers?' And looking round at those sitting in a circle about him, he said, 'Here are my mother and my brothers. Anyone who does the will of God, that person is my brother and sister and mother.'

The Gospel of the Lord.