

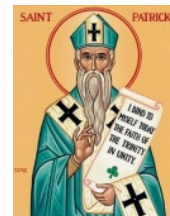


KU-RING-GAI CHASE CATHOLIC PARISH

Parish Churches of St Bernard Berowra and St Patrick Asquith

PENTECOST SUNDAY - YEAR C - 27 MAY 2007

LORD, SEND OUT YOUR SPIRIT AND RENEW THE FACE OF THE EARTH



Readings Next Sunday: Prov 8:22-31; Rom 5:1-5; Jn 16:12-15

LITURGY TIMETABLE - Sunday

Vigil 5.30pm St Bernard's
Vigil 6.30pm St Patrick's
8am St Patrick's
9am St Bernard's
10am St Patrick's
6pm St Patrick's

Weekday Masses St Bernard's

8am Monday, Tuesday, Thursday
9am Wednesday, Friday

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9am Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Sat.
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RECONCILIATION

Before Vigil Mass at St Bernard's
After 9am Morning Mass at St Patrick's

BAPTISM

See Brochure in Church Foyer

WEDDINGS

Contact the Pastoral Centre

FOR CHILDREN

27 May St Bernard's Hall 8.50am
Children's Liturgy of the Word
27 May St Patrick's Church Children's
Mass 10am

NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome! Please fill in the Parish Census
Form at the back of the Church

SEQUENCE FOR PENTECOST

Holy Spirit, Lord of light, From the clear celestial height
Thy pure beaming radiance give.



Come, thou Father of the poor, Come with treasures which endure;
Come, thou light of all that live!

Thou, of all consolers best, Thou, the soul's delightful guest,
Dost refreshing peace bestow;

Thou in toil art comfort sweet; Pleasant coolness in the heat;
Solace in the midst of woe.

Light immortal, light divine, Visit thou these hearts of thine,
And our inmost being fill.

If thou take thy grace away, Nothing pure in man will stay;
All his good is turned to ill.

Heal our wounds, our strength renew; On our dryness pour thy dew;
Wash the stains of guilt away.

Bend the stubborn heart and will; Melt the frozen, warm the chill;
Guide the steps that go astray.

Thou, on us who evermore, Thee confess and thee adore,
With thy sevenfold gifts descend.

Give us comfort when we die; Give us life with thee on high;
Give us joy that never end.

20th ANNIVERSARY OF THE DIOCESE OF BROKEN BAY



Saturday of this weekend is the 20th Anniversary of the
Diocese. Please pray for the Bishop, priests and deacons of our
Diocese, as they gather for the Clergy Conference this week.

READINGS THIS WEEK

Monday 28 Sirach 17:24-29; Mk 10:17-27
Tuesday Sirach 35:1-12; Mk 10:28-31
Wednesday Sirach 36:1,4-5,10-17; Mk
20:32-45
Thursday Zeph 3:14-18; Lk 1:39-56
Friday Sirach 44:1,9-13; Mk 11:11-26
Saturday Marcellinus & Peter, martyrs
Sirach 51:12-20; Mk 11:27-33

We pray for those who have died in the hope of the Resurrection

RECENTLY DECEASED: Jack McNamara, husband of Marie,
Jim Canavan, husband of June

ANNIVERSARIES: Jack Stirling, Jim McArdle

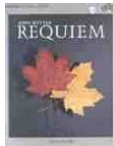
OTHER: Michael and Kathleen Hinchey

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK: Thelma Burke (who has had a
fall and is undergoing surgery), Peter Walsh, John Macy, Christine Upton,
Father Terry O'Brien, Sonya Brown, Kathy Goodwin, Ryta Zawodzinski, Norma
O'Keefe (nee Buckley)



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REQUIEM MASS TIMES - Jack McNamara, Jim Canavan

There will be two funerals at St Patrick's this week:

On Monday 28 May at 11am there will be a Requiem Mass for Jack McNamara.

On Wednesday 30 May at 11am there will be a Requiem Mass for Jim Canavan

DIOCESAN COUNT OF MASS ATTENDANCE

—JUNE 2007



Next weekend, there will be a head count of parishioners at each Mass and this will continue each weekend in June. The Council of Priests has determined that these counts of Mass Attendance will be an annual event in this Diocese.

LOST: Reading glasses at St Patrick's. Please ring the Pastoral Centre if you find them.



There are a number of amazing men and women who give time each week to go and share our Faith with the children in the Government Primary Schools in our area. Please, we still need more to come forward, either as teachers or class helpers during one 30 minute weekly class. Everyone has the potential - we will help you by providing support, resources and training. Call Coral 3837 or Rosetta on 9476 1234 for a chat. GOD is the message - become His messenger.

GOOD FRIDAY COLLECTION 2007 FOR THE HOLY PLACES



We have received a letter of thanks from the Holy Land Commissariat (Franciscan Provincial Office). Our Parish donated \$1,949.80. This money, together with donations from all Australian Dioceses will be used

to promote the missionary work of the Church by providing welfare assistance to local Christians in areas such as health, education, employment and housing. The collection is also used to maintain over seventy churches and shrines associated with the life of Jesus.



KEEP THIS DATE FREE re the up and coming "Big Ku-ring-gai Chase Catholic Parish Social Shindig" **Saturday Night 28 July 2007.**

SOCIAL JUSTICE COMMENT

What do you know of our near neighbours? Fr Claude Mostowik, SM will answer this question and many more when he comes to St Patrick's Hall to talk to us on West Papua on Wednesday, 6 June. Have a look at the flyers around both churches. Father is an excellent and very knowledgeable speaker and if you make the effort to come along you will learn a great deal, be very impressed and pleased you came. Hope to see you there.



If you are looking for something different to do Sunday afternoon how about this forum. **Voices of Hope! New Pentecost Forum.** Rev Dr Jojo Fung, a Malaysian Jesuit priest will be joined by Josephite Sr Susan Connelly, former Australian diplomat Mr Tony Kevin, Indigenous Christian leader Mr Graeme Mundine, peace activist Ms Donna Mulhearn, Columban and ecologist Rev Dr Charles Rue at ACU North Sydney, 40 Edward St. 1-6.30pm (registration at 12.30pm). Cost: \$20/\$40 (or whatever you can afford). Public Lecture at 4.30pm (entry by donation). Details: (02) 9557 3197 or www.newpentecost.com.

40th Anniversary of the 1967 Referendum occurs this weekend and marks the anniversary of Australia's most successful referendum and a defining event in our nation's history in that it granted citizen rights to indigenous Australians; it saw the highest **YES** vote ever recorded in a Federal referendum. You are invited to participate in a Mass of celebration at 9am Sunday 3 June at St Anthony in the Fields, Terrey Hills. An open invitation and a concise background to the referendum is on the SJ noticeboard.

Dates to note this week: ***25 May** - Commencement of Week of Solidarity with the Peoples of non-self-governing Territories Fighting for Freedom, Independence and Human Rights [remember the Saharawi people of West Sahara in their struggle for independence from Morocco; **the people of West Papua**, and peoples in other lands] ***26 May** - National Sorry Day ***27 May** - 40th Anniversary of the 1967 Referendum. (Refer to the SJ noticeboard for details of these latter two dates)



Next youth group gathering will be on 26 May at 5.30pm at St Bernard's Church. Meet for Mass.



Next month we will be having the official Parish launch of WYD08. As part of this we will be looking for volunteers to become a part of the Parish WYD08 Planning Team - could involvement in this important event be for YOU? Stay tuned for more information. As part of the preparation for World Youth Day a Cross and Icon have been sent by the Pope on pilgrimage around the world. In July the Cross and Icon will be in Broken Bay and the focus of some important Diocesan events, such as the "1 Year to Go!" Youth Mass at Pennant Hills, 9.00am Sunday 15 July. Our WYD08 representative is member Paul Saunders (0435 575 380 or pdms_516@yahoo.com.au) who, with Adrian Gomez (9476-5951 or agomez@msben.nsw.edu.au) from the Youth Ministry, are the contacts. For more information keep reading the Broken Bay News and check out www.wyd2008.org



The Parish Children's Choir sings at 10am Mass every 2nd

and 4th Sunday during school terms, and we practise every Friday from 4pm to 5pm, and there's always something new and exciting happening. This weekend at St Patrick's, we are supporting Year One children in a beautiful liturgy celebrating Pentecost. If you have children in Year 3 and above who would like to come sing with us, ring Patricia Smith 9482 7935, or bring them along to the next practice.

FROM OUR SCHOOLS

St Bernard's: Interviews will commence next week for prospective Kindergarten 2008 students. Enrolment packages are still available - these can be collected from the School Office or call the Office on 9456-2104 to have a package sent via post.

St Bernard's will be increasing the time spent doing Physical Education. Commencing next week, staff will be co-ordinating (with student assistance) two whole-school health hustles each week.

St Patrick's: Enrolment packages are now available from the School Office for Kinder 2008. If you are considering enrolling an older child in Year 1-6 for 2008, please also collect a package. It would be appreciated if all applications could be completed and returned as soon as possible, but no later than 31 May 2007.

St Bernard's and St Patrick's - Westfield: Shop for your School

This competition will run for 11 weeks until 5 August 2007. For every dollar you spend at any Westfield Shopping Centre you will earn 1 point for our school. Simply register online at www.sfys.com.au or at the Concierge Desk at Westfield Shopping Centre and start shopping! You can drop in your receipts at the Concierge desk or receipts barrel at Westfield Hornsby or alternatively there will be a receipts box in our school office and in the church. These dockets will be collected and delivered to Westfield Hornsby. There will be bonus points up for grabs along the way.



DEVOTION PRAYERS AND MASS TO THE SACRED

HEART OF JESUS, Friday 1st June (and every 1st Friday of the month) at 7.00pm at St Kevin's Catholic Church, 50 Oaks Ave. Dee Why and at St John's Narraweena at 9.00am. The Mass is offered for people afflicted with cancer and/or heart conditions. Please write names in the book on arrival (only Christian name OK).



CATALYST FORUM—'World Youth Day'

With Bishop Anthony Fisher op. May 31st, 6pm-8pm in the The Crypt of St Patrick's Church Hill, The Rocks - all welcome - entry by donation. Further Enquiries, call 9816 4262.



Filipino Chaplaincy - June Mass: The Filipino Chaplaincy sponsored Mass will be held at 12:00 noon on 3 June 2007 at Our Lady of Dolours Parish, Chatswood. The Mass will offer prayers to commemorate the Philippine Declaration of Independence which occurred on 12 June 1898. The Mass is celebrated in English and organised by the Filipino Chaplaincy-Chatswood Parish (FC-CP) in conjunction with the Chatswood Parish. The FC-CP invites the general community to participate in the celebration. For more information, visit the FC-CP website at www.filipino-chaplaincy.org.au.



Catholic Institute of Sydney Registrations close on 22 June for the Catholic Institute's Winter School and 2nd Semester courses . For further information, see the church noticeboard or contact the Institute on 9752 9500 or visit their website at www.cis.catholic.edu.au.

HSC STUDENTS: An outstanding Year 12 HSC English day is being held on Friday 8th June 2007 for students doing the Advanced course. It brings together the writers ,directors and leading professors from universities across Australia to present the HSC English texts studied. The venue is the Wesley Conference Centre Sydney. Enquiries and bookings Phone 1800 624 430 or e-mail hsceng@bigpond.net.au to find out about the session choices and speakers

250 CLUB - WEEK 11
Drawn Monday 21 May
Ticket Number 243
Winner Hedy Stahel
Pacific Highway Hornsby
Your cheque is in the mail.



RO S T E R S F O R 2/3 JUNE

Ministry	St Bernard's Church		St Patrick's Church			
	5.30pm	9am	6.30pm	8.00 am	10.00 am	6.00 pm
Acolytes/Snr Servers	Garth Graham	Gus Davis	Mani Subramany	Trevor McAdam	May Gomez	Matthew Cross
Servers	Thomas Graham Aiden Arnold Alec Arnold	Lauren Hutchins Elaine Formby Callum Birrell				
Lectors	Sylvia Fermin Marie Haag	Julia Healey Mary Dorahy	Les Fogden Helen Chui	Maureen Coves Angela Smith	Rosemary Dwyer Simone Noel	Denise Harant
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Kathryn Webster Cecilia Waite, Yvonne Graham Jill Graham	Rose Formby Margaret Collins Georgina Hughes				
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Mt Wilga Gus Davis Chris Enright		To Housebound Rosetta Stipo, Jenny Prideaux, May Gomez			
Children's Liturgy of the Word	Next one: 25th June, 8.50am at St Bernard's Hall		Next one: 30th July @ 9.50am at St Patrick's Hall			
Altar Society	Sacristy Care: Brenda Brooks Ted Cook, John Mak, Anne Lewis, Diane Andrew		Group 3 (Saturday) May Bailey, Clare Glendenning, Pat Menzies, Pauline McClelland, Greta Wickham, Lorraine Champ			
Maintenance	Next One: 16 June Team B Chris de Graaf, Graham Leslie, Ray Saunders, Matthew Waite, Denis Steiner, Andrew Wood		Maintenance June: Peter Hourigan, David Hartman, Matthew Tancred			
Morning Tea	Next one: 3 June Genevieve's Group		Next One: 3 June Muldoon Family Group			
Counters	Matthew Waite, Les Graham & Roger Okell		Mary & Peter McAleer, Imm & Thomas Lui, Andrew Browne			
Rosary	<p>Monday 28 May Gwen Wood 7 Boundary Street Berowra Monday 4 June Gai Burke 114 Yallambee Road B <i>Anyone wanting to be on the Roster, phone co-ordinator Bill McDonagh on 9456 3883</i></p>		<p>Tuesday 29 May Group 1 Rina & Chris Gomez 20 Stokes Avenue Asquith Group 2 Carmela & Joseph Loccisano 102 Galston Road Hornsby Group 3 Maria Ysolde Kelly Marysal 7 Myall Road Mt Colah <i>Anyone wanting to be on the Roster, phone co-ordinator Cheri Mangrai on 9476- 3610</i></p>			

St Patrick's: If you can't make your duty and have not been able to find a replacement please call St Patrick's Church Sacristy on 9476-6904