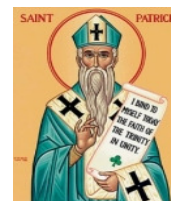


# KU-RING-GAI CHASE CATHOLIC PARISH

Parish Churches of St Bernard Berowra and St Patrick Asquith

## EASTER SUNDAY

23 March 2008



### THIS IS THE DAY THE LORD HAS MADE; LET US REJOICE AND BE GLAD

Readings Next Sunday:

Acts 2:42-47;

1 Pet 1:3-9

Jn 20:19-31

#### LITURGY TIMETABLE - Sunday

|              |  |
|--------------|--|
| Vigil 4pm    | Peace Chapel Brooklyn<br>21 Karoola Street |
| 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

#### Weekday Masses St Patrick's

8am Wednesday, Friday  
9am Monday Tuesday Thursday Saturday

#### 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:

Next one: 6 April 9.50am St Patrick's Hall

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



#### St Patrick's School 50th Anniversary

1958-2008: Celebrations on Saturday March 29 will commence with classroom tours from 2.30pm to 3.45pm. Tours, led by Year 6 students, will depart outside the Hall on the southern side every few minutes. The memorabilia display will also be open in the Hall during those times. From 3.00 pm the School Band will play in the main yard. At 3.30 pm the St Patrick's Choir, under the direction of Mrs Anne Vans-Colina, will perform, followed by the St Bernard's School Choir, both in the main yard. At 4.00 pm the official 50th Anniversary ceremony begins. The day will culminate with Mass at 5.00 pm, celebrated by Bishop David, also in the main yard.



Eucharistic Ministers are required for St Patrick's School 50th Anniversary Mass celebrated by Bishop David Walker at 5pm on Saturday 29 March. If you are able to assist please put your name on the list at the back of the Church and we will ring you with confirmation and details.



There will be no 4pm Vigil Mass at Brooklyn, 5.30pm Vigil at St Bernard's nor 6.30pm Vigil Mass at St Patrick's next Saturday 29 March because Bishop David will celebrate an outside Mass at St Patrick's at 5pm for the school's 50th Jubilee.

World Youth Day Cross and Icon is in our Parish on Sunday 13 April at 8am Mass and leaves after 10am Mass at St Patrick's. Veneration will take place between the Masses.



**ORDINATION OF KEVIN HALE TO THE ORDER OF DEACONS:** The Diocese of Broken Bay cordially invites you to the ordination of Kevin Hale from our Parish, to the Order of Deacons, by The Most Reverend David L Walker DD, Bishop of Broken Bay, at Our Lady of the Rosary Cathedral, 23 Yardley Avenue Waitara on Friday 18 April 2008 at 7pm.

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|-----------------|--------------------------------|
| Easter Monday   | Acts 2:14, 22-33<br>Mt 28:8-15 |
| Easter          | Acts 2:36-41; Jn 20:11-18      |
| Easter          | Acts 3:1-10; Lk 24:13-35       |
| Easter Thursday | Acts 3:11-26; Lk 24:35-48      |
| Easter Friday   | Acts 4:1-12; Jn 21:1-14        |
| Easter Saturday | Acts 4:13-21; Mk 16:9-15       |

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

**RECENTLY DECEASED:** Noreen O'Hanlon, Jack Abdo

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Edward James Lynch, Marcelli Pochyly, Emily Baynie, Bishop Patrick Murphy, Rev Dr Harry Davis

**OTHER:** deceased members of the Carney, Hinchey & Browne families

**PRAYERS FOR THE SICK:** John Macy, Brian Black, Donna Vogel, Pat McGoulrick, Domenico (Mick) Napoli, Isabella Fitzgerald, Mrs Billie Sumner, Sheila Simpson





**HAPPY EASTER:** Father Robert, Father Carmelo, Deacon David, Judy, Margaret, Maureen and Jan at the Pastoral Centre, wish you many Easter blessings and a safe and happy Easter season. The Pastoral Centre will be open as usual on Easter Tuesday morning at 9.30am.

**PROJECT COMPASSION**

**ENVELOPES:** If you still have Project Compassion envelopes at home please return them next Sunday as it is important that we now finalise our returns to Caritas Australia.



**CATECHISTS:** There was a lovely Easter Service at Hornsby North Public School on Holy Thursday morning and we thank the children for their beautiful presentation. **Well done!**



**Senior Choir** will be practising next Thursday, 27th March, after 9 o'clock Mass, in St Patrick's school hall, with the school children, in readiness for the 50th anniversary celebration on 29th March.

**Parish Children's Choir**

Today we congratulate seven children who have been singing with the Children's Choir for one year, Robin, Alex, Alyson, Sarah, Isabel, Meg and Georgia. We also express our appreciation to three amazing children who have been singing with the choir for two years, Brigita, Ambrose and Thomas. These children are marvels of consistency and hard work and commitment. We thank their parents for their unfailing support: without their dedication, the choir would not exist. We also say good bye and thank you to Jay and Robin, who will be returning very soon to their families in Korea. Happy Easter, everyone! Children's Choir will be practising this Friday, 28th March for the 50th anniversary on 29th March. Enquiries: Patricia Smith 9482 7935

**Parish Musicians:** Practice on Wednesday evening, 26th March, at 7.30pm in St Patrick's church, for the 50th anniversary Mass for St Patrick's School, on Saturday 29th March. This is our one and only practice, except for a sound check on Saturday 29th at noon, in the school grounds. Please come and make this celebration even more special. RSVP Patricia Smith 9482 7935

**Enrolments**



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**ENROLMENT TO HIGH SCHOOL**

**2009/2010:** The Parish 'Reference Form for Entry into Catholic Secondary School' is at the back of the church. This form must accompany the 'Parish Priest's Reference Form' which comes from

the Catholic high school of your choice, and both are forwarded to the Pastoral Centre. A Parish Census Form should also be completed if the Parish does not have your up-to-date details on its records.

**Senior's Ministry**

The meeting this month will be at the home of Teresa Ashton, 153B Galston Road, Hornsby Heights on Friday 28 March at 10.30am.

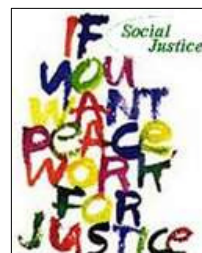


**HADCEA (Hornsby & District Christian Education Association)**

On Saturday 29 March at 6.30pm there will be a Commissioning Service for Ainslie Hodgson and Peter Thomsett, to continue their work at Hornsby Girls and Hornsby Boys High Schools.

There will be a meal beforehand and suggested donation is \$20-\$25.

**TO SOCIAL JUSTICE GROUP**



A reminder that our next meeting is at Clare's home on this Tuesday 25 March at 8pm. If new members would like to join us please ring

the Pastoral Centre for details on Tuesday.



## WORLD YOUTH DAY '08 - EVENTS IN OUR PARISH

**Homestay:** Your family can be part of World Youth Day Sydney 2008 by hosting pilgrims from 14-21 July 2008. Register now. Registration forms are at the back of the church with return details at the bottom of the form, or you can register by logging on to [www.wyd2008.org/homestay](http://www.wyd2008.org/homestay) or phoning (02) 9390 5994.

**World Youth Day Committee Meeting:** There will be a meeting on Wednesday 26 March at 6.30pm at the Pastoral Centre, with *everyone* in the committee, so we can get an update on what is happening and plan for the World Youth Day Cross and Icon in our Parish. It is very important to have everyone attend so please make the effort to come.

### Black and White Dinner: A Fundraiser for World Youth Day



Come and enjoy a cocktail style dinner—seafood hors d'ouvres, champagne, hot finger foods, desserts, tea & coffee. BYO alcohol. You will be entertained by our very talented young people and parishioners. There will be a silent auction of artworks and different prizes. Please buy your tickets from The Pastoral Centre, St Bernard's School Office, St Patrick's School Office or, from anyone on our fundraising Committee: Adrian Gomez, Sue Lum, Laura Dunkley, Megan Dunkley, Yvette Griffiths, Catrina Birrell, Andrew Introna, Matt Cross and Moauli Griffiths. Limited number of tickets. Buy your ticket now so you don't miss out. **COST \$40 BLACK & WHITE DINNER Date: 11 April Time: 6.30pm Place: St Bernard's School Amphitheatre. Dress: Semi-Formal/Cocktail/Black & White**

## FROM OUR SCHOOLS

**St Patrick's:** The St Patrick's 50th Anniversary Memorabilia Display is now open for viewing after Mass times listed below.



After both the Easter Vigil (unguided) and the 8am and 10am Easter Masses at St Patrick's Church (Guided).



Last Friday's St Patrick's Day celebrations were a wonderful testament to the spirit, feel and warmth of our community. In this our 50<sup>th</sup> year, the Feast took on special significance. The fun, laughter and participation from our children, and the many parents in attendance served to remind us that although schools are places of learning in the classrooms, it is these types of experiences that have the most impact.

### St Bernard's:

**HOLY WEEK PRESENTATION:** A BIG thank you to the children of Year 6 for their amazing talent and reverence as was displayed in the re-enactment of Jesus' last few days leading to his death. This was performed on Monday 17<sup>th</sup> March, and allowed for a meaningful context through which you, as parents, and us, as teachers, could talk with the children about these events and how they relate to us as Christians. We hope that the joy and spirit of the Easter Season beginning this Sunday will remain with you.



### St Bernard's and St Patrick's

**World Youth Day 2008 - Invitation to walk 800m to St Leo's on April 9 with the St Bernard's WYD Cross - Walking from the small park on the corner of Unwin Rd and Clarke Rd, Waitara:**



The "Official" World Youth Cross and Icon will be at St Leo's Catholic College on Wednesday April 9 (4pm-8:30pm) for local schools. This will be a lovely opportunity for our children to see the WYD Cross and Icon which will feature heavily in Pope Benedict's visit in July. It will also be a lovely opportunity for us to take our special St Bernard's WYD Cross to stand beside the "Official" WYD Cross". (I add that we will also be taking our St Bernard's WYD Icon too). Children in Years K-6 are invited to walk an 800m "pilgrimage" with teachers and parents on the afternoon of April 9. **We will meet in the little park on the corner of Unwin Rd and Clarke Rd Waitara at 3:40pm.** We will hopefully be joined by students from St Patrick's as they also embark on their pilgrimage. We will have some afternoon tea on arrival at St Leo's, and participate in a Liturgy with St Patrick's, before processing to the WYD Cross and Icon in St Leo's Chapel.



**LITURGY OF SIGNING OF THE DIOCESAN COVENANT**  
**Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> April at 7.45 pm at Christchurch Cathedral in Newcastle:** On this date Bishop David Walker, along with the Bishops of the Anglican Diocese of Newcastle and the Catholic Diocese of Maitland/Newcastle, will preside over an historic liturgy for the signing of a covenant binding our three Diocese to a range of shared initiatives and pastoral and liturgical

activities. This is a profound step forward in the ecumenical relationship between the Catholic and Anglican Churches in the part of our nation covered by our three Diocese. Bishop David is extremely keen that as many members of the diocese attend this liturgy which promises to be a moving and significant celebration. Please come along. The Cathedral is located in Church St (near Newcastle city centre) between Newcomen and Wolfe Streets (close to Newcastle railway station). Refreshments will be available in the Cathedral Hall both before and after the liturgy.


**250 CLUB. Week No.14**  
 drawn on Monday 17 March  
 Ticket number 629  
 Mrs M Bourke Stephen Street



Congratulations. Your cheque will be posted.



## R O S T E R S F O R 29 and 30 March 2008

| Ministry   | St Bernard's Church   |  | St Patrick's Church  |   |                                       |  |
|--|---|--|--|---|---------------------------------------|--|
|  | 5.30pm  | 9am  | 6.30pm   | 8.00 am                                 | 10.00 am                              | 6.00 pm                                  |
| <b>Acolyte/\$nr Server</b>                       | <b>Michael O'Neill</b>  | <b>Vince Hughes</b>  | <b>Mani Subramany</b>  | <b>Trevor McAdam</b>                    | <b>Karen Leavy</b>                    | <b>Matthew Cross</b>                     |
| <b>Server</b>                                    | <b>Jessica O'Neill<br/>Daniel O'Neill<br/>Luke O'Neill</b>  | <b>Callum Birrell<br/>Mitchell Trott<br/>Daniel Trott</b>                  | <b>Francesca Subramany</b>   | <b>Stephanie Harant<br/>Adam Harant</b> | <b>Thomas Messina</b>                 | <b>Rory Halliday<br/>Oliver Halliday</b> |
| <b>Reader</b>                                    | <b>Marie Haag<br/>Jerome Gomez</b>  | <b>Paddy Gunning<br/>Barbara Mc Mullen</b>                                 | <b>Les Fogden<br/>Helen Chui</b>   | <b>Maureen Covey<br/>Angela Smith</b>   | <b>Rosemary Dwyer<br/>Simone Noel</b> | <b>Denise Harant</b>                     |
| <b>Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion</b> | <b>Cecilia Waite<br/>Kay Brogan<br/>Brian Tutill<br/>Kathryn Webster</b>  | <b>Margaret Griffin<br/>Joan Tunny<br/>Georgina Hughes<br/>Rose Formby</b> |  |   |                                       |  |
| <b>Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion</b> | <b>Jenny Prideaux<br/>Jane Hunter</b>   |  | <b>Malcolm Cross, Sue Host, Joe Da Silva<br/>(Malcolm Cross is recovering from surgery if someone else would like to volunteer)</b>  |   |                                       |  |
| <b>Children's Liturgy of the Word</b>            | <b>Next One:<br/>4 May 8.50am Pastoral Centre</b>   |  | <b>6 April at 9.50am in St Patrick's Hall<br/>Phil Ledlin</b>  |   |                                       |  |
| <b>Altar Society</b>                             | <b>Joan Tunny<br/>Paul Waite, Amanda &amp; Rebecca Saunders, Joan Tunny, Sylvia Fermin, Marlene Moloney (f)</b>   |  | <b>Group 4 (Saturday)<br/>Jo Barton, Else Burke, Maria Yardley, Janine O'Keefe, Janice Cooper, Cathy Stevens, Chris Hayman, Kim Fitzgerald</b>   |   |                                       |  |
| <b>Maintenance:</b>                              | <b>Next One: 5 April Team A</b>   |  | <b>March: Malcolm Cross, David Chui, Bob Nicholls</b>  |   |                                       |  |
| <b>Morning Tea</b>                               | <b>Next one: 20 April Genevieve's Group</b>   |  | <b>Next one: 6 April Catechists (Catechist Sunday)</b>   |   |                                       |  |
| <b>Counter:</b>                                  | <b>Bill Sharpe, Barbara McMullen, Lyn Beacom</b>  |  | <b>Margaret Acret, Chris Newnham, Jan Bennett, Henry Sylvester</b>   |   |                                       |  |
| <b>Rosary</b>                                    |  <b>Monday 24 Easter Monday No Rosary<br/>Monday 31 Bill McDonagh<br/>4 Kimbarra Close</b><br><br><i>Anyone wanting to be on the Roster, phone co-ordinator Bill McDonagh on 9456 3883.</i> |  | <b>Tuesday 25 March</b><br><b>Group 1 Jessica &amp; Mark Formby 57 Baldwin Avenue Asquith</b><br><b>Group 2 Carmela &amp; Joseph Locciano 102 Galston Road Hornsby</b><br><b>Group 3 Rosalinda &amp; Roland Vergara 6 Stratford Close Asquith</b><br><br><i>Anyone wanting to be on the Roster, phone co-ordinator Cheri Mangrai on 9476-3610.</i> |   |                                       |  |

**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**

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