

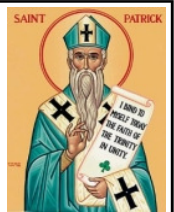


# KU-RING-GAI CHASE CATHOLIC PARISH

Parish Churches of St Bernard Berowra and St Patrick Asquith

## TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR B

11 October 2009



### FILL US WITH YOUR LOVE, O LORD, AND WE WILL SING FOR JOY!



A Year for Priests

Readings Next Week: Is 53:10-11 Heb 4:14-16 Mk 10:35-45

### LITURGY TIMETABLE

#### SUNDAY MASS TIMES

Vigil 4pm	Peace Chapel Brooklyn 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 MASS TIMES

St Bernard's 8am Monday to Friday  
St Patrick's 9am Monday to Saturday

#### RECONCILIATION

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

#### EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

First Saturday of month at St Patrick's  
after Holy Communion at 9am Mass

BAPTISM See Brochure in Church Foyer

WEDDINGS Contact the Pastoral Centre

FOR CHILDREN: Liturgy of the Word  
25 October 8.50am Pastoral Centre

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

**THANK YOU** to Father James for supplying for Father Robert while he was on Retreat and Annual leave.



11-17 October 2009, was established in Australia as an expansion of the UN's annual International Anti-Poverty Day on October 17. The main aims of Anti-Poverty Week are to:

strengthen public understanding of the causes and consequences of poverty and hardship around the world and in Australia; encourage research, discussion and action to address these problems, including action by individuals, communities, organisations and governments. For information on events or activities that can be organised, see

<http://www.antipovertyweek.org.au/index.html>



**LITURGY ROSTERS ST BERNARD'S** from 17 October 2009 to 31 January 2010 are now available at the back of the Church. If you are on these rosters please take a copy home with you.

**Jesus. All About Life** Invite people to one of our JAAL events this month:



- Friday 16 Oct 8pm 'Christ Our Light' Taize evening  
St Patrick's Church
- Wednesday 21 Oct 8pm "Footy the La Perouse Way"  
(See Social Justice Comment) Father Patrick McMaugh Hall

Take a card from the back of the Church to use as an invitation!



### READINGS THIS WEEK

Monday	Rom 1:1-7; Lk 11:29-32
Tuesday	Rom 1:16-25; Lk 11:37-41
Wednesday	Callistus 1, pope, martyr Rom 2:1-11; Lk 11:42-46
Thursday	Teresa of Jesus (Avila), virgin, doctor Rom 3:21-30; Lk 11:47-51
Friday	Hedwig, religious Margaret Mary Alacoque, virgin Rom 4:1-8; Lk 12:1-7
Saturday	Ignatius of Antioch, bishop, martyr Rom 4:13, 16-18; Lk 12:8-12



to Father Robert for arranging to have us renew our wedding vows on our 60th Wedding Anniversary at the 6.30 Mass on 19 September and also to our many friends who helped us enjoy our special occasion .

From Sheila and Laurie Smith

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

**RECENTLY DECEASED:** Nancy Ireland

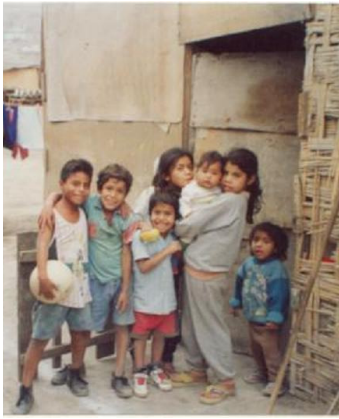
**ANNIVERSARIES:** Pat O'Halloran

**OTHER:** John and Catherine Hinchey, Patrick and Sarah Carney, Anthony D'Cunha

**PRAYERS FOR THE SICK:** Billie Sumners, Christopher Spalding, John Macy, Brian Black, Sam Vella, Pat McGoulrick, Sam Biberian, Karen Aiken, Spiro Borg, Neil Mickelson, Fr. John Wakeling, Andrew Reid, Michael McCarthy, Louie Simpson, Laurie Smith, Jane Kohlwes, Gina Wicks, Jim Hale, Kenneth Gomez, Felicity Fone, Peter McBride, Michael Hibbard, Rev Ted Shepherd, Julia Healy, Margaret Williams, Oscar Buhajiar, Kerrie McArdle



## SALE OF HANDICRAFTS FROM CANDELA:



On the weekend of October 17/18 Mary Rajca will speak briefly at all Masses about the work of the Sisters of Mercy in the shanty town of Candela in Lima, Peru. Your generosity over the past years has helped in many ways by providing the families with a dignified and fair way of earning an income. The

sale of the handicrafts that the women have made has done so much for their self esteem and their ability to provide the basic necessities for their children.

Over the weekend the handicrafts that the women have made will be on sale. Some of the goods include: Dolls (\$10-\$15), keyrings (\$5), handbags (\$10-\$20), hats (\$5), clowns (\$10), glass cases (\$10), Christmas decorations (\$5-\$10).

As this is the only source of income for these families your continued generous support of the mission is greatly appreciated.

**SENIORS MINISTRY MEETING** will take place in the home of Camille Way, 2 Preston Way, Illoura, Berowra (off Pacific Highway) at 10.30 a.m. on Friday, 16 October.



## BUS/FERRY CRUISE – PALM BEACH TO BOBBIN HEAD.

This most enjoyable outing will take place on Thursday, 22<sup>nd</sup> October, 2009. We leave St. Bernard's at 9.00 a.m and travel via the Northern Beaches to Palm Beach, along Pittwater and Barrenjoey Roads. We join the ferry at Pittwater Wharf and then cruise into Broken Bay, around West Head into the Hawkesbury River to Cowan Creek and onto Bobbin Head. Morning Tea is provided on the cruise and a Fish & Chips Lunch while we enjoy the magnificent scenery. We will spend some time at Bobbin Head where we can relax, or take a short bush walk before the Coach picks us up and brings us home by 5.00 p.m., with a stop at West Head Lookout. Cost of outing is \$50.00 per person all inclusive. Please book asap by ringing Ruth Doran on 9456 4764 or Teresa Ashton on 9987 4708. Please forward money either to the Pastoral Centre or place on the plate in an envelope clearly marked Bus/Ferry Cruise and your name. Looking forward to another chance to get-together.



## Weekday Masses at OLOR Cathedral

OLOR Cathedral is offering some new Mass times to provide alternatives for people who work or study during the day. Monday night Mass at 7.30pm followed by Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction, with reconciliation available. Tuesday morning Mass at 7am.



## St Vincent de Paul

**Asquith Conference** meets every Tuesday night at 7.30pm in the Parish Meeting Room at St Patrick's. We are always hopeful of new members so please come along and see what we do.

The 2010 Columban Calendar is now available at the piety stall for only \$7.00. Buy one of the best religious calendars in the world and you will be helping our Columban missionaries at the same time! This calendar also makes a great gift for family and friends. Christmas cards are now also on sale at the Piety Stall and cost \$2.00 for a pack of 8 cards – various styles available.

## STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

Jesus makes a dramatic statement regarding the rich in today's Gospel. We are all rich compared to most in the world. Our society causes us to occasionally develop a misplaced trust in our money and our possessions instead of trusting in God's generosity. When we seek security in at-risk things, like our possessions, we are vulnerable to anxiety and fear. As good stewards we know that our possessions must not possess us, lest they get in the way of our discipleship.



**ANOINTING MASS – Ku-ring-gai Chase Catholic Parish.** A special Mass will be celebrated at St. Bernard's Church, Berowra on Thursday, 29 October, 2009 at 12.00 noon. A light luncheon will be served outside the Church after Mass. If you wish to benefit from this special Blessing please ring Ruth Doran (9456 4764) or Teresa Ashton (9987 4708). Also please let Ruth or Teresa know if you will need transport, or can assist with transport.

## How can your family be part of JAAL?

Check out the website and be informed! [www.allaboutlife.com.au](http://www.allaboutlife.com.au)  
October 11 "Look, we have left everything and followed you." Mark 10:28



**Question:** Can we say that following Jesus is our top priority each day?

**Prayer:** God of the promise of life to the full, be our encouragement to see the beauty of your will and the realisation of your rule of peace, as we live each day. We ask this through Christ our Lord Amen.

## Broken Bay Parish Internship Program

In preparation for a pilgrimage to WYD11 in Madrid Spain, Bishop David launched the Parish Internship Program, a new initiative in the Diocese of Broken Bay. Each applicant has to be willing to engage in ministry within their local Parish that equates to about 4 hours per week. Applications are open until 30 October 2009. To find out more and to download the application package, visit the Internship website: [www.brokenbay.catholic.org.au/youth/wy](http://www.brokenbay.catholic.org.au/youth/wy) We still have one intern position available at Ku-ring-gai Chase Parish. If you have any questions please ring Margaret Browne at the Parish Pastoral Centre.

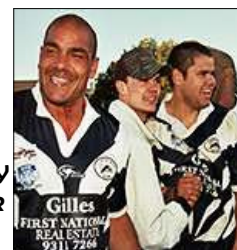


## SOCIAL JUSTICE COMMENT

**Natural Disasters:** Caritas Australia pledged \$250,000 for its initial response to communities throughout the earthquake, tsunami and typhoon hit areas of the Asia-Pacific. However, Mr Kenny from Catholic Resources has stated: "The scope of this disaster is becoming clearer by the hour. But what is also becoming clear is that there is no time to waste time wondering what to do so we must support Caritas Australia and their local partners in a very practical way, with money. This will allow their partners to continue delivering food, clean water and shelter while offering counselling to those traumatised by the tsunami." In their statement, Caritas Australia has outlined the various efforts it is undertaking in Samoa, Philippines, Cambodia, Vietnam and Indonesia where the situation is "desperate". In the Philippines, a second typhoon lashed the northern tip of Luzon Island, causing more destruction. If you can help financially contact Caritas - 1800 024 413 - [www.caritas.org.au](http://www.caritas.org.au) or GPO Box 9830, Sydney.

### **MOST IMPORTANT ON THE LOCAL FRONT!!** Remember **Wednesday, 21 October** and join us in the Fr Patrick

McMaugh Hall at 8.00 pm for a screening of the 25 minute movie "Footy the La Perouse Way" followed by a talk from the film's Director Michael Longbottom, then learn from Natalie Taylor of the Hornsby Aboriginal Corporation what is happening in our local area. The evening is being hosted by the Social Justice Group as part of our parish's JAAL programme. Full details are on the flyer at Brooklyn, Berowra and Asquith.



After the 10am Mass at Asquith on **Sunday, 18 October** we will be holding our annual STAND UP event (again tying in with JAAL activities). We will stand, join the worldwide

**Stand Up campaign** and show our solidarity with people around the world in their fight to end global poverty. So, please keep fifteen minutes free to join other parishioners and friends in this worthwhile action.

You will still have to visit and purchase goods from Mary Rajca's Peruvian Stall.

A reminder that the Social Justice Statement may be downloaded at [www.acsqc.org.au](http://www.acsqc.org.au)

## *Come to the Table* – with St Luke! eConference 4 November 2009

Following the overwhelming success of the inaugural eConference on St Paul, the Broken Bay Institute, in partnership with the Australian Catholic Bishops' Conference, will again be hosting an eConference. To be held Wednesday 4 November, Keynote Speakers Archbishop Mark Coleridge and Sr Elizabeth Dowling RSM will this time open our world to the words and mission of St Luke. This is a wonderful opportunity for parish community groups to come together to share their faith and learn in a warm and inviting environment. If you would like to know more about running a group – it could be for 2 people or 200 please contact Virginia Ryan at the Broken Bay Institute (BBI) on 9847 0556. Further details about the eConference can be found at [www.bbi.catholic.edu.au](http://www.bbi.catholic.edu.au)



## Have Fun with Your Faith

The Year of Luke is coming. Learn more about Luke as we enter Cycle C.

VIRGINIA RYAN will be presenting 3 sessions on Luke, 14, 21 AND 28 October 7.30 pm TO 9 pm this will culminating on 4 November with the E-Conference on Luke 10 am to 3.30 pm. All sessions will be held in the Centacare Building 29 Yardley Avenue, Waitara. If you would like to attend any or all of the sessions please contact Joan on 94832300 by 7 October.



## BEROWRA CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY SCHOOL BIENNIAL PET SHOW

All families are warmly invited to the Pet Show on 31 October 10am to 3pm. Further information regarding the Pet Show contact Jacquie Alley on 9481 8191 or [alleyj@thermediastore.com.au](mailto:alleyj@thermediastore.com.au).

**Mount St Benedict Centre** Discovering the Artist Within: *Working With Oils*  
Come & give it a go! Whether you are experienced or a beginner you are welcome to spend some time discovering the artist within you. When: Six Fridays beginning 16 October, 9.30 – 12.30. Cost: \$10.00 per session. Where: Mt St Benedict Centre Pennant Hills. Facilitator: Judith Souter sgs Registration: 0408 435 782 or [mtstbenedict@bigpond.com](mailto:mtstbenedict@bigpond.com)



**Bring Peace to Every Heart** *Sacred Dance for Men & Women* Join in a prayerful day of easy to learn sacred dances to the songs of Taizé. When: Saturday 24 October, 10.00 – 3.30 Cost: \$30.00. BYO lunch, M Tea provided. Where: Mt St Benedict Centre Pennant Hills. Facilitator: Judith Keller Registration: 4945 5343 or [mtstbenedict@bigpond.com](mailto:mtstbenedict@bigpond.com); Ph: 9484 6208

## Ecumenical Service of Reconciliation

on Wednesday, 11 November, 2009 at 7.45 pm at  
St John the Baptist Catholic Church, Cnr Blackwall  
and Victoria Rds, Woy Woy.

This service is part of the Diocesan Covenant between the Catholic Diocese of Broken Bay and the Anglican Diocese of Newcastle. In symbol, prayer and song the service will express our pilgrimage together. Come and join in taking this next step towards reconciliation.



### 250 CLUB - WEEK 15

Drawn Tuesday 6 October

Number: 000

Unsubscribed



Please Note: If the numbers 997 - 000 had been subscribed to, the holder of ticket number 000 would have received \$500. Please consider joining the next series of the 250 Club commencing in six weeks.

## ROSTERS FOR 17/18 OCTOBER

Ministry	St Bernard's Church		St Patrick's Church (Sacristy Phone 9476 6904)			
	5.30pm	9am	6.30pm	8am	10am	6pm
Acolyte/ Snr Server	Michael O'Neill	Denis Steiner	Malcolm Cross	Teresa Ashton	Mary Jo Ison	Margaret Steele
Server	Jessica O'Neill Monique Placko Luke O'Neill	Ben McCarthy Kain Palmer Georgia Macdonald	Ambrose Wong Daniel Cronin	Volunteers please	Alisha Eveleens Thomas Messina Erica Messina Thomas Peregrina	Katie Hunter
Reader	John Ryan Marie Haag	Peter Collins Barbara McMullen	Edwina Subramany Laurie Smith	Teresa Ashton Jim Fitzgerald	Timo Godbold Jacques Godbold	Diana Ball Matthew Cross
Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion	Brian Tutill Cecilia Waite Isabel Henson Philippa Ryan	Joan Tunny Margaret Griffin Rose Formby Margaret Collins				
Extraordinary Ministers	Ruth Doran Chichi Datoc	Andrew Browne, Tina O'Sullivan, Pat Longworth, Jan Kachel, Rhoda Murdoch				
Children's Liturgy	25 October 8.50am Pastoral Centre		1 November @ 9.50am Father Patrick McMaugh Hall Simone Cullen, Margaret O'Donnell			
Altar Society	Sacristy Care: Jenny Jaques Roger Okell, Glen & Annette Shapter, Cornel Arnold, Carol Barlow, Mary Tutill (f)		Group 1 (Saturday) Colleen Goudie, Marie Bright, Imm Lui, Mary McDonald, Pat Crosdale, Jeanette Hester, Maria Hon			
Maintenance	17 October Team A		October 2009 Bill Holmes, Bill Hester, John Hajduk			
Morning Tea	Next One: 1 November Genevieve's group		11 October Ball Family Group			
Counters	Barbara McMullen Lyn Beacom		Bill Smitheram, Henning Schneider, Elizabeth Fernandes, Coral Thaddeus			
Rosary	Monday 12 October Bill McDonagh 4 Kimbarra Close Monday 19 October Eulalie Hailstone 53 Hillcrest Road  Please phone co-ordinator Bill McDonagh on 9456 3883 if you wish to be on the Rosary Roster.		Tuesday 13 October Group 1 Vacant Group 2 Rhoda & Robert Murdoch 21 Silvia Street Hornsby Group 3 Crescy & Allan De Souza 10 Bass Place Mount Colah  Please phone co-ordinator Cheri Mangrai on 9476 3610 if you wish to be on the Rosary Roster.			



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