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### PARISH TIMETABLE

**Weekend Mass:**  
Sat: 6.00pm (D/S); 5.00pm (winter)  
Sun: 9.15am & 6.15pm

**Mon - Fri Mass:**  
At: 9.15am

**Office Hours**  
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday:  
9.00am - 4.00pm

**Children's Liturgy**  
Most Sundays during School Terms

**Baptism**  
Every weekend at 10.45am, by appointment only.

**Reconciliation**  
Sat 5.30pm and any time by appointment.

**Marriage**  
By Appointment  
(at least 6 months notice)

**Sick Calls**  
Any time day or night.

# Holy Name Parish, Wahroonga

10TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
YEAR A

7th/8th June 2008

**First Holy Communion:** Next Saturday 14th June at the 5pm Vigil and Sunday 15th June at 9.15am Mass, 53 Year 3 children will be receiving Holy Communion for the first time. This will obviously be a memorable and joyful weekend for the children concerned and their families. As a faith-filled community let us please be with them in our prayers during the coming week. I thank you for this.  
Fr. Steve

### Feast Days During Week:

**Wednesday 11th June - St Barnabas (Apostle)** - a Cypriot Jew who introduced St Paul to the other apostles. He accompanied Paul in his first missionary journey and in the first Council of Jerusalem. Having converted many to Christianity, he suffered a martyr's death at Cyprus during Nero's reign. His name is included in the Roman Canon.

**Friday 13th June - St Anthony of Padua** - priest and doctor (1195 - 1231). Born in Lisbon, Portugal. A Franciscan who was known for his profound knowledge of theology and for his power of convincing. His preachings carried him from the north of Africa to Italy and France. He is known as the Evangelical Doctor because he based all that he said on the texts of the gospels. He died in Padua. He is the Patron Saint of finding lost or misplaced things (even cars!) and this person bears testimony to St. Anthony as being the 'miracle' saint many, many times in my life. My favourite Saint! Fr. Steve

**No children's liturgy this weekend**, due to it being a long weekend.

**Tea in the New Meeting room:** Wednesdays, after the 9.15am Mass

### Forgive and Forget – I WISH. Note change of dates

This wish can come true. Explore forgiveness as freedom, letting go, empowerment, the greatest gift I can give myself. And ask the question "where to from here"?

**Wednesday** June 11 and June 18, 7.30 – 9.30pm, Fr Hawe meeting room. Please contact Linda Power 9483 2308 or email [Linda.Power@dbb.org.au](mailto:Linda.Power@dbb.org.au)  
Our Lady of the Rosary Cathedral Parish, 23 Yardley Ave, Waitara.

**Charitable Works Fund - Thanks You:** We have reached our quota! Thank you to ALL for your GENEROUS donations.



**"Lectio Divina" by the Star of the Sea Ecclesial Women:** (A reading & reflection on the Scriptures which may lead to transformation of life). Beginning SUNDAY 25th May 11am - 11.30am, WEDNESDAY 7.30pm - 8pm, TUESDAY & THURSDAY 10am - 10.30am  
All welcome. Refreshments provided. No Bookings necessary.  
Venue: Bethany Centre, 39 Chilton Parade, Warrawee.



## LITURGY OF THE WORD

1st Reading: Hosea. 6:3-6  
Psalm Response: *To the upright I will show the saving power of God.*  
2nd Reading: Romans. 4:18-25  
Gospel Reading: Matthew. 9:9-13

### Next Week

#### 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year A

1st Reading: Exodus. 19:2-6  
2nd Reading: Romans. 5:6-11  
Gospel: Matthew. 9:36 - 10:8

### CARENET:

*Contact Person for June:*  
Rose Raward 9489 1802

### Parish Events:

Wed. Jun 11	6.00 pm:	First Communion Practice (Saturday group)
	6.30 pm:	First Communion Practice (Sunday group)
	8.00 pm:	St Vincent de Paul Conference in NEW Meeting Room (old Sunroom)
Thur. Jun 12	2.00 pm:	Senior Ladies Group meeting in NEW Meeting Room (old Sunroom)

### Spiritual Thought for the Week *Give yourself - and obtain admission to the Kingdom of Heaven:*

The Kingdom of Heaven is certainly worth a great deal. Yet you can obtain it by giving what you are. Give yourself and it is enough - for the merciful Lord is satisfied with that. – *St. Augustine*

### World Youth Day – Pilgrim Preparation



**38 DAYS  
TO GO!**

To get our WYD pilgrims ready to get the most out of the week, we're holding several preparation events, starting next Saturday afternoon. This will be a fantastic chance to meet the other pilgrims and learn more about what to expect from WYD. Afterwards, we will be having a youth Mass from 6pm, and then an Hour of Power with Adoration and a talk, followed by supper from 8:30 - 9:30pm and more social time. It's a huge day, so come to whatever you can. Open to all, regardless of whether you're registered for WYD or not, or which group you're a part of. If you know any young people in our area, encourage them to come along!

**When:** Sunday, 15th June, from 2pm.

**Where:** Our Lady Queen of Peace Parish, Normanhurst - 18 Stuart Ave, Normanhurst

**Bring:** Yourself, your friends, your WYD questions, an instrument if you'd like to help with music during Mass, and \$5 for dinner [kellyedmunds@gmail.com](mailto:kellyedmunds@gmail.com) / 9489 4701 / 0438 888 876

### World Youth Day HomeStay

What a fantastic effort it has been by all! Holy Name has now well and truly reached our target of hosting pilgrims! You have again demonstrated your community spirit! Thank you all once again. Stay tuned for more details on how we will properly welcome the pilgrims to Holy Name in July.



### Further news from outside the Parish (See Noticeboard for details):

- **Centacare Broken Bay** offers pre-marriage courses for couples over a Friday night and Saturday. The program provides couples with opportunities to discuss with their partner various aspects of relationships. Dates of next courses:  
Waitara: 20<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup> June  
Manly Vale: 27<sup>th</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup> June and 29<sup>th</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup> August  
This program covers topics such as Family of Origin, Communication and Managing Conflict, Spirituality, Roles and Expectations. To make a booking contact Centacare Broken Bay on 9488 2400. Gift certificates are available.
- **Catholics in Coalition for Justice & Peace (CCJP) Seminar:** Topic: *What can we do about climate change?* Speaker: *Lis Bastian*. Sunday 15th June at 9 Alexandra Ave, Croydon, from 9.45am - 12.30pm. Morning tea provided. Registration \$10. All welcome.
- **FOCUS - Diocesan Support Group for people with disabilities and their families:** Monday 16th June from 7.30 - 9.30pm, at Mt St Benedict Centre, Pennant Hills (Disabled Access) entrance from Hull Road.. All interested families, carers, friends and parishioners welcome. Contact 9481 0092