



Synod Prayers

Lord,
we ask you to inspire all members of the Diocese of Broken Bay
to participate in our Synod with passion,
imagination and love.

Grant us
the knowledge to identify the issues which will en-
liven our faith,
the tolerance to hear and embrace different views,
the wisdom to resolve issues and formulate
actions in accordance with your holy will and
the courage to accept changes which will enrich our
lives.

Send your Holy Spirit to guide us
as we joyfully involve ourselves in this unique
opportunity
to lay the foundations of the future direction for our
Diocese.

May the sharing of the skills and experiences of our
people
inspire the creation of plans which will support our
congregations,
ignite our enthusiasm and strengthen our faith.

We ask this through Christ, Our Lord.

Amen

Our Lady, Star of the Sea, R. Pray for us.

*Submitted by Tim Irwin
North Harbour Parish*

O God,
You call us to be your People,
And to live as Disciples of Jesus.
Bless our Synod and enable us to live as the Baptised.
Under the protection of Mary, Star of the Sea,
may all in our Diocese live the Gospel to the full.
Amen.

*Submitted by Fr Robert Borg
Ku-ring-gai Chase Parish*

Gathered in your name, O God,
we ask the guidance of the Holy Spirit
on the Church of Broken Bay.

United by the death and resurrection of your Son,
You call us to be your People;
To be a sign and witness to the world.

Bless our Synod.
May we be evangelisers of Word and Sacrament
cooperating with your grace
to fulfill the longings of the human heart.

Mary, Star of the Sea, pray for us.

*Submitted by Fr Robert Borg
Ku-ring-gai Chase Parish*

Eternal Father, we gather as Your people,
thankful that You have planted us in the Diocese of
Broken Bay.

Please renew us all in Your Holy Spirit
that we may become more diligent disciples of Your
Son Jesus
and more zealous witnesses to Your Love.

Make us aware of the gifts and talents you have given,
And how You desire them to be used
to build Your Kingdom.
We ask this through Jesus Christ Our Lord, by the
power of the Holy Spirit.

Our Lady, Star of the Sea, R. Pray for us.

*Submitted by CM Cavanagh
Woy Woy Parish*