

Jubilee Catholic Parish

EMBRACING THE COMMUNITIES OF:

St Ambrose's, Newmarket ~ St Brigid's, Red Hill ~ St Finbarr's, Ashgrove ~ St Joan of Arc, Herston ~
St Mary Magdalene, Bardon ~ St Thomas More's, Petrie Terrace ~ Sacred Heart, Rosalie

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Faith does not contradict reason. It transcends it. The Trinity is a mystery. It is a fact that we cannot understand everything about it, but we can learn from the love that exists in the three persons in one God- the Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

There is a beautiful icon of the Blessed Trinity, painted by a monk by the name of Rublev. It conveys an important truth about the relationship between the Trinity and ourselves. The picture depicts the three divine persons sitting at a table. A dish of food lies on the table. At the front of the table, there is a vacant place. What strikes me is the 'vacant place', meant to convey openness, hospitality and welcome towards strangers and outsiders. It signifies God's invitation to us to share in the life of the Trinity. Hospitality to a friend and family member is not a big deal. But hospitality to a stranger is a great thing. It is at the very heart of the Gospel.

I arrived at this parish on February 2, 2017. Fr Peter and Nibert came to pick me up at about 2am. This gave me a soft landing and welcome to my appointment as assistant priest in this parish. The first banquet I had with you in all the churches at the table of the Eucharist presented me with a 'vacant place'. Your greetings, smiles and kind gestures conveyed to me the immense hospitality of God. At the same time, it challenges me with the reality of the One, Apostolic and Universal Church.

As I was getting to know you, I received a new appointment to go to St Mary's, Beaudesert, to serve as their parish priest. I thank God for the opportunity to meet and work with you. I appreciate your love, care, openness, constructive feedback, hospitality and support in all ways. I remain grateful to Fr Peter for his brotherly support. We had good times together as brother priests. My thanks to the Marist priests and brothers, Parish Council, Finance Council, staff, Verbum Dei sisters, school principals, APREs and teachers. I sincerely thank our smart altar servers and parents for their support and encouragement of the children. I will miss you all.

As we celebrate the solemnity of the Holy Trinity today, let our response be one of trust in God and love towards one another. As one family in Jubilee Parish, may you continue to help one another. Be united; live in peace, the God of love and peace will be with you all. Amen.

Please, keep me in your prayers.

Fr. Kevin Njoku.

We wish Fr Kevin every blessing as he takes up his new appointment

You're Invited

We have been waiting 100 years and next Saturday we mark the centenary of the laying of the foundation stone of Sacred Heart church. Not wanting to let this important milestone slip by we are kicking off our countdown to the anniversary of the opening of the church after the 4:30pm vigil Mass next Saturday with light refreshments and a concert capturing some of the talent of our local community. Every member of our Jubilee Family is warmly invited to join the Rosalie community next Saturday, June 17.



Winter Appeal

Next weekend across our Jubilee Parish the annual **St Vincent de Paul Winter Appeal** will be held. We have 4 St Vincent de Paul conferences in our Parish and they respond to those who, for whatever reason, have come off second best in life and are in need of assistance and guidance. In many ways the St Vincent de Paul Society is the face of the church in the wider community. The poor boxes located at each of our churches and the Christmas and winter appeals are where our Vinnies members get the financial resources to respond. Your generosity is always appreciated. The money raised from the winter Appeal stays within our community helping those within our community. On behalf of our local St Vincent de Paul members and those they assist, "thank you" once again.

ADORE FOR 24

Regular organized prayer before the Blessed Sacrament was once a common practice in most Catholic parishes. Last year St Finbarr's school initiated and coordinated 24 hours of adoration during the week leading up to the Feast of Corpus Christi. Once again this year they are organizing **24 Hours of Adoration** at St Finbarr's church beginning at 9am on **Wednesday, June 21st** and concluding with the 9am Thursday morning Mass 24 hours later. The staff and students of St Finbarr's will be fully involved in this time of prayer but once again this year the entire parish is also invited to spend an hour before the Blessed Sacrament. This week at every church there will be sign-up forms so that we can cover the 24 hours – why not get together and commit for an hour?

Corpus Christi

The **Annual Corpus Christi** procession will take place on Sunday, 18th June, 2016. Celebration commences at 2:00pm at St Stephen's Cathedral – Elizabeth Street, Brisbane.

Bardon Sausage Sizzle:

Everyone is most welcome to join us for our sausage sizzle after Mass on Sunday 18th June. All welcome. Please bring a plate to share.

Expressions of Interest

In order to promote community awareness and education around particular health concerns and issues, I aim to provide a regular platform from which free community talks may take place. Through raising awareness and providing resources, we are better able to maintain a level of optimum health and wellbeing.

PLEASE CONTACT: Sarah Dunlop @ the office to express your interest.

GET CAUGHT IN OUR WEB

The internet has transformed all our lives and we depend upon it for a whole range of information and services. There is nothing more frustrating than visiting a web page and discovering that it is out of date. "Thank you" to parishioner and web designer, Justin Lynch (Netvantage Internet) for updating and improving our Jubilee Parish Web Page. Hopefully for visitors and parishioners the parish web page will provide easy information about Mass times and parish events. You can also download details about our endowment fund, sacraments and other services of the parish.

PARISH DIARY

Monday 12 June

Mass (**Red Hill**) 6:30am

Tuesday 13 June

Mass (**Ashgrove**) 6:30am

Class Mass (Newmarket) 9:15am

Wednesday 14 June

Mass (**Rosalie**) 6:30am

Mass (**Bardon**) 9:00am

Thursday 15 June

Mass (**Red Hill**) 6:30am

School Mass (Ashgrove) 9:00am

Community Mass (Kennedy Terrace) 10:00am

Mass at Hilltop Nursing Home (Herston) 10:30am

Friday 16 June

Mass (**Ashgrove**) 6:30am

Class Mass (Bardon) 9:00am

Woodlands Mass (Newmarket) 10:30am

Saturday 17 June

Mass (**Red Hill**) 6:30am

Saturday Vigil

Individual Reconciliation (**Rosalie**) 4:00pm-4:20pm

(**Ashgrove**) 5:15pm-5:45pm

Mass (**Rosalie**) 4:30pm

Mass (**Ashgrove**) 6:00pm

Corpus Christi 18 June

Sunday Mass

Mass (**Herston**) 7:30am

Mass (**Bardon**) 8:00am

Mass (**Ashgrove**) 8:30am

Mass (**Petrie Terrace**) 8:30am (Italian)

Mass (**Newmarket**) 9:30am

Mass (**Red Hill**) 10:00am

Mass (**Rosalie**) 10:00am (Korean)

Mass (**Bardon**) 10:15am (Emmanuel)

Mass (**St Paul's Villa**) 10:30am

Mass (**Ashgrove**) 11:30am

(Latin American)

Mass (**Rosalie**) 5:30pm

This Wednesday, June 14th, at St Stephen's cathedral, Rev Ken Howell will be ordained as the new **Auxiliary Bishop of Brisbane**. Many of us know Ken from his many years as Administrator of St Stephen's and more recently, parish priest of Burleigh Heads. Norman Shrubsole, Chair of our Pastoral Council, will be representing our Jubilee Parish.

Nobert Eltran has become a very friendly and familiar face here in our Jubilee Parish. Indeed he has become very much a part of the fabric of our parish and community life. Nobert is a Tamil who arrived in Australia by boat via Christmas Island in 2013. Last week we were informed that Nobert's application for a protection visa had been rejected by the Department for Immigration and Border Protection. There is now an automatic internal review being carried out by the Department of his protection visa refusal and we are waiting for the outcome of that decision before we can seek further advice regarding the next stage of his immigration process. In the meantime, what we would like to do is compile a data base of those who would be willing to write a letter of support for Nobert. If you would be willing to provide a letter of support could you please send an email to noberteltran@gmail.com leaving your name and contact details, and when the time comes we will get in touch with you in due course. Thank You



GRIEF & LOSS SEMINAR
 Hosted by **The Compassionate Friends Qld**
 Saturday 17 June 2017 8.45am—3.00pm
 O'Shea Centre, 19 Lovedale Street, Wilston
 Online booking: www.trybooking.com/PTFI
 Or contact the Drop In Centre:
 3254 2657 (Monday, Tuesday, Friday)
info@CompassionateFriendsQld.org.au
 For the full programme of speakers & workshops, please visit:
www.CompassionateFriendsQld.org.au

Book & pay by Monday 12th June



Supporting family after a child dies
At any age & from any cause

When you first walk into Sacred Heart church since the restoration what captures your attention is the pews – they look fantastic! We are calling for volunteers to restore the 26 pews of Joan of Arc church back to their original beauty. No skill or equipment needed; only the generosity to give a couple of hours a week. The restoration will once again take place in the undercover area below the Fr Power Building at Rosalie. For more information please contact Ray or Fr Peter

Brisbane had two priests called John McCarthy; both were made Monsignors and both have a connection to our Jubilee Parish. Not to be confused with last week's anniversary of the death of Monsignor John Francis McCarthy, the builder of St Brigid's church (who died on 29th of May, 1941) this week marks the 36th anniversary of the death of the other Monsignor John McCarthy, who was parish priest of Sacred Heart church from 1945 to 1970. (For obvious reasons he was always known as Justin or Juddy) Born in Dungarvin, County Waterford, in 1893, he studied for the priesthood at the Irish College, Rome, where he was ordained in 1919. John McCarthy served the parishes of Bundaberg, Coorparoo, Kangaroo Point, Gordon Park, and Wynnum before his appointment to Rosalie. His great achievement was the building and paying off of the debt incurred in the building of the Marist Brothers College at Rosalie. At the ripe old age of 88, Monsignor McCarthy died on the 12th of June, 1981 and is buried in the clergy section of Nudgee Cemetery. We remember with gratitude the faith and dedication of all our former priests and religious who have served our parish community.



YOU WON'T BE ON YOUR OWN

For those people still deciding to respond to the inner urge to be received as full members of the Catholic Church, we can assure them that, if they do decide, they won't be on their own! For others have already come forward to join the 'Becoming Catholic journey' this year, starting late July/early August. The practice of initiating adult candidates into Christian life dates back to the earliest days of the Church. Through the centuries, however, baptism of infants became the prevailing practice, and the important process of Christian initiation of adults was de-emphasised. In more modern times, the practice has been revived, and the Jubilee Parish 'Becoming Catholic Program' is all a part of this revival. If you decide to join, we can assure you that you won't be on your own!

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As a parish family we welcome into the church Nathaniel Heyse, Makylny Fernance, Scarlett Rennick, Flynn Hanley, Henrietta McDonald, Olive Stehn and Jacob Darnell, who were baptised this week.

We also celebrate with the families of Yuri Oh and Simon Park, who celebrated their wedding this weekend.

We pray for Ross Cope, whose funeral will be celebrated next Thursday, at Sacred Heart, Rosalie.

WE PRAY FOR THE SOUL OF ROSS COPE, AND FOR THE SOULS OF ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED; THROUGH THE RICH MERCY OF GOD – MAY THEY REST IN PEACE.

In Transition

TRINITY SUNDAY ~ 11TH JUNE (Y.R.A) 2017

Proper of the Mass

First reading: Exodus 34:4-6, 8-9 **Second Reading:** 2 Corinthians 13:11-13

Response: You are blest, Lord God of our fathers.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! Glory to the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit: to God who is, who was, and who is to come. Alleluia!

Gospel: John 3:16-18

The Education Ministry of Jubilee Catholic Parish

St Finbarr's School, Ashgrove ~ St Joseph's School, Bardon ~ St Ambrose's School, Newmarket



Adventures Away From School



This week has seen our Year 5 students attend their annual camp. It is a time where students enjoy the challenges of independence and each other's company. During their time away they engage in many and varied activities which not only build self confidence, but builds on their ability to work as a team.

In two weeks our Year 6 students will travel to the national capital, Canberra.

We wish all our students and staff safe travels and that they enjoy the experience.



READERS' CUP - Congratulations to our Readers' Cup Team of Madeleine, Hayley, Mathilda and Eva who competed this week against 26 other schools and finished a commendable second. The annual Readers Cup Challenge is organised by the Qld Branch of the Children's Book Council of Australia and is a state wide competition for young readers. Teams of four students together read a set of books, and then compete with other school or public library teams to answer quiz questions from the books. Thank you to our Teacher Librarian Mel Green who prepared the team for this challenge and understandably is very proud of the result.

PREP LOVE - Prep Love did an amazing job with their 'Good Night, Sleep Tight' assembly this week. They worked so hard practising their lines and reading in front of everyone. Well done Prep! A big thank you to all of the parents and friends that came to watch their first performance.

This week Preps have had such a busy week. Miss Wilson, our school Guidance Counsellor, came in to talk to Preps about 'Keeping Our Selves Safe'. Everyone was so sensible and learnt lots. Miss Olsen also came to visit, and Preps got to learn how to use the 'Bee-Bots'. Everyone had the opportunity to use the 'Bee-Bots', which are programmable floor robots. We got to programme them to move forwards, left, right and backwards. In Show and Tell this week, it was free choice, and we had some VERY interesting Show and Tell talks, ranging from a magic trick to delight us to a deer's antler to wow us!



Making Jesus Real (MJR) in Prep at

St Ambrose's

St Ambrose's school has adopted the "Making Jesus Real" program, which is about the ways we seek to look for Jesus in ourselves and in those around us.

MJR has a simple message; Jesus is part of our lives and can change the way we live, and we can make Jesus live through our actions and our words.

Prep have been learning about "gentle hands and feet". It is through our actions, that we can reflect on the values of Jesus, and have a positive effect on others. When we make other people happy, then we can truly be "happy chappies and chickies".



Penitential Act

Brothers and sisters, let us acknowledge our sins, and so prepare ourselves to celebrate the sacred mysteries.

Lord Jesus, you call your people to turn away from sin:

Lord, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

You teach us wisdom,

and write your truth in our inmost heart:

Christ, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy.

You forgive sins through the ministry of reconciliation:

Lord, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

May almighty God have mercy on us,

forgive us our sins,

and bring us to everlasting life.

Amen.

Gloria

Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people of good will.
We praise you, we bless you,
We adore you, we glorify you,
We give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King, O God, Almighty Father.
Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
You take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us;
You take away the sins of the world,
receive our prayer;
You are seated at the right hand of the Father,
have mercy on us.
For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
You alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father.

Amen.

Apostles Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ,
his only Son, our Lord, who was
conceived by the Holy Spirit,

(all bow)

born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under
Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried;
he descended into hell; on the third day he rose
again from the dead; he ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father
almighty; from there he will come to judge
the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy Catholic Church, the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body,
and life everlasting.

Amen.