

Jubilee Catholic Parish

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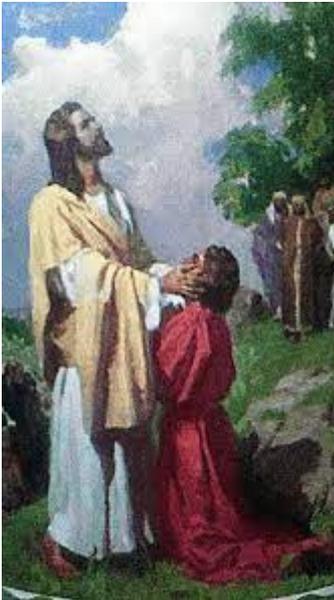
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23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

As a kid, can you remember a time you directly disobeyed your father figure? Maybe you stole another biscuit? Refused to eat your dinner? Or never did that homework?

In the Gospel today Jesus is performing yet another miracle and the witnesses were amazed, they truly believed Jesus was the Messiah. When Jesus saw this, He ordered them not to tell anyone. Imagining ourselves in this situation, we'd probably act like excited little children too and tell everyone we could find. Even though they disobeyed Jesus, God, like a father understood why. He understands His children's excitement and joy and lovingly protects and guides them. "He [God] has done everything very well", one of the greatest understatements we've ever heard. We know God's power and how much He cares for each and every one of us even in our own spiritual deafness and silence. He has shown



over and over again the desire to be in a personal relationship, to take us out of the crowd and show us the unconditional love of God.

Today, in a special way, let us be grateful for our fathers and father figures who love us and support us through life, The Church leaders who paternally guide us through life, and God our Father who will always love recklessly and grant us boundless mercy.

Sinead Fitzgerald (Youth Coordinator)

Happy Fathers' Day! Today is a day to be grateful for the gift of life, and for the man who did his best to show us love and helped us to learn how to live. There is no definitive explanation why Father's Day is celebrated in Australia and New Zealand on the first Sunday in September, though it is clear that the custom of that date began in the mid-1930s. A 1964 article in the Western Herald said that, across the Commonwealth, the first Sunday in September was officially designated as Father's Day, and chosen for commercial reasons to distance it from other celebrations. Around the world, Father's Day is celebrated on different dates, though in a similar manner, usually involving personal acknowledgment to fathers, and family activities.

A father's unconditional love gives security and safety. Dads can teach us persistence and perseverance, and, with their encouragement, help us find ourselves more ready for life on our own.



23RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – 5 SEPTEMBER 2021 (YEAR B)

Proper of the Mass

First Reading: Isaiah 35:4-7 **Second Reading:** James 2:1-5

Response: Praise the Lord, my soul!

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! Jesus preached the Good News of the kingdom and healed all who were sick. Alleluia!

Gospel: Mark 7:31-37



So, today we give thanks for them. We give thanks for their best efforts and their confidence in us, their children. As we honor them, we also pray for them. We pray that dads, who know how to give help, will have the courage to ask help from a loving Father who sent his own Son to show us His great love. We remember in our prayer those dads who have completed their work on earth. May they rest now in peace with the Father of us all, our loving God, who gives us life and teaches us love.

Thanks to fathers, grandfathers and all father figures in our lives. Fr Rony



Congratulations to **Stella Shaxson, Xavier Gleeson, Joseph Celm, Jacob Watson, Alasdair Coghill & Ada Clare** who celebrated their reception of First Holy Communion this weekend. Stella, Xavier, Joseph, Jacob, Alasdair and Ada are welcomed into the common union we share in at the table of the Lord. May they always know, experience and live our communion with Christ. Thanks to their parents for their ongoing formation of their child in the faith.



From Pope Francis in the Season of Creation 1 September to 4 October 2021: Extracts from 'Laudato Si! Praise Be! On Care for Our Common Home. 2015.

Whether believers or not, we are agreed that the earth is essentially a shared inheritance, whose fruits are meant to benefit everyone. For believers, this becomes a question of fidelity to the Creator, since God created the world for everyone. Saint Pope John Paul II forcefully reaffirmed this teaching, stating that 'God gave the earth to the whole human race for the

sustenance of all its members, without excluding or favouring anyone.'

The rich and the poor have equal dignity, for the 'Lord is the maker of them all.' (Proverbs 22; 2)

The natural environment is a collective good, the patrimony of all humanity and the responsibility of everyone.. If we make something our own, it is only to administer it for the good of all.

Jesus took up the biblical faith in God the Creator, emphasising a fundamental truth : God is Father. In talking with his disciples, Jesus would invite them to recognise the paternal relationship God has with all His creatures. 'Are not five sparrows sold for two pennies? And not one of them is forgotten before God.' (Luke 12: 6.)

We pray: All - powerful God, you are present in the whole universe and in the smallest of your creatures. Touch the hearts of those who look only for gain at the expense of the poor and the earth. Teach us to discover the worth of each thing, to be filled with awe and contemplation. Encourage us, we pray, in our struggle for justice, love and peace. Praise be to You ! *Br Neville*

The Jubilee Catholic Parish would like to thank the generous bequest from the estate of the late Cecilia Brazil for the conservation of St Brigid's Catholic Church of Red Hill in memory of Patrick Brazil and Anne Beryl Brazil and families.



National Child Protection Week: Runs from 5-12 September 2021. The theme this year is:

Every child, in every community, needs a fair go.

To treat all of Australia's children fairly, we need to make sure every family and community has what kids need to thrive and be healthy.

To support the theme, a series of webinars, designed by the National Association for Prevention of Child Abuse and Neglect (NAPCAN), are available for all to view during National Child Protection Week. Topics covered include what does a community need for every child to thrive, how communication can shape early childhood outcomes, supporting pride in culture, respectful

relationships, the impact of COVID-19 on children's mental health and ensuring children and young people with disability receive a fair go. There are also special resources for parents.

To find out more about the webinars and register visit www.napcan.org.au

Jennifer Cahill (Local Safeguarding Rep)

Preparation for celebration of the First Rite of Reconciliation in Year 5 and above in 2021

is going ahead as scheduled. This is preparation and celebration of the **FIRST RITE** of Reconciliation. This is the one-to-one celebration with the priest.

(A short Second Rite was celebrated before their reception of First Holy Communion.)

Parent Information Night: Sacred Heart Church, Rosalie 7pm, Tuesday 12th October 2021.

Ceremony: Saturday 13th November

Enrolment forms are available on the parish website under "Sacraments".

PARISH DIARY

Monday 6 September
Mass (Red Hill) 6:30am

Tuesday 7 September
School Mass (Newmarket)
9:00am

Wednesday 8 September
Mass (Rosalie) 6:30am
No Mass (Bardon)

Thursday 9 September
Mass (Red Hill) 6:30am
School Mass (Ashgrove) 9:00am

Friday 10 September
Mass (Bardon) 9:00am

Saturday 11 September
Individual Reconciliation
(Rosalie) 4:00pm-4:20pm
(Ashgrove) 5:15pm-5:45pm

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time
12th September 2021

Saturday Vigil
Mass (Rosalie) 4:30pm
Mass (Ashgrove) 6:00pm

Sunday
Mass (Herston) 7:30am
Mass (Bardon) 8:00am
Mass (Ashgrove) 8:30am
Mass (Newmarket) 9:30am
Mass (Red Hill) 10:00am
Mass (Rosalie) 10:00am
(Korean)
Mass (Rosalie) 5:30pm





THIRD Episode: In this episode David Brennan reads the third section of *Cry of the Earth, Cry of the Poor* the Australian Catholic Bishops Conference's Social Justice Statement 2021-22. In this section the Bishops commit to a seven-year journey towards total sustainability guided by the Laudato Si' Goals. They encourage Catholic families, parishes, schools, dioceses and organisations to join them by signing up on the [Laudato Si' Action Platform](https://socialjustice.catholic.org.au/2021/06/24/social-justice-statement-2021-22/). Click [here](#) for the episode: <https://open.spotify.com/episode/60ge5v3PMitsraEHhDvp1q> Download the Statement and associated resources [here](#).

<https://socialjustice.catholic.org.au/2021/06/24/social-justice-statement-2021-22/>



URGENT: Please join us in saying NO to the Qld assisted suicide Bill.

MARCH FOR LIFE BRISBANE

SATURDAY 11 SEPTEMBER, 2021

Speakers' Corner
Parliament House, George St, Brisbane

2:30pm to check-in & collect signs

3pm rally, with a March afterwards



A HOME FOR ALL?

SEASON OF CREATION



Reflection 1 – Our Rivers & Trees

God, you fill the earth with life. We commit to living in harmony with the earth you have created. We choose to respect all life from the smallest of plants to the tallest of trees, the tiniest insects to the wildest beasts; our vast oceans and our smallest streams. We do so in your name

DATE CLAIMER—GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

The Annual Golden Wedding Anniversary Mass will be celebrated with Archbishop Mark Coleridge on Saturday 25th September commencing at 11.30am. The invitation is extended to family and friends. Unfortunately, due to the COVID restrictions, refreshments following the Mass will not be offered. Bookings will be available from **Monday 13 September** and can be made via the following link: <https://goldenweddinganniversarymass.eventbrite.com.au> or telephone the Cathedral office on 07 3324 3030.



We need you to help us ensure the euthanasia Bill is defeated. We need your action – **NOW.**

HOW YOU CAN HELP

1. Pray all Queenslanders might respect Church teaching that life is sacred from conception until natural death and that our MPs support a fully funded palliative care system, negating the need for assisted suicide.
2. Arrange a meeting with YOUR local Member of Parliament
To find who they are
[CLICK HERE OR TYPE IN https://www.parliament.qld.gov.au/members/current/list](https://www.parliament.qld.gov.au/members/current/list)
3. Please also email your views to YOUR local Member of Parliament
[CLICK HERE OR TYPE IN https://www.noethanasia.org.au/petition_2105_ocp_qld](https://www.noethanasia.org.au/petition_2105_ocp_qld)

Please stand with the Queensland Bishops and medical experts in opposing this legislation.
Dying with dignity already exists - it lies in being able to access high quality palliative care statewide.

FINDING NEW LIFE IN THE SPIRIT

An invitation is extended to the people of the Archdiocese to participate in 'Finding New Life in the Spirit' each Friday evening for five Fridays at St. Mary Magdalene's Church, Cecil Road, Bardon commencing on Friday, 10th September at 7.30pm. Mass will be celebrated on 1st October with personal prayer during Mass. Contact Len Airey on lenpatairey@gmail.com or 0421977849 for more details.

www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au/fanthefflame

FAN THE FLAME

Towards the Plenary Council First Assembly, October 2021



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Fan the Flame

Towards Plenary Assembly One October 2021
'He makes the deaf hear and the dumb speak.' Mark 7:31-37
The Church hears the cries of the poor and the groans of the earth. It seeks to stand in solidarity with the poor and the marginalised, and to exercise good stewardship of the fragile ecosystems that support life on earth.
(Australian Catholic Social Justice Council, "A New Earth: The Environmental Challenge. Social Justice Statement 2002", accessed 23 April 2021,

<https://socialjustice.catholic.org.au/wp-content/uploads/2019/11/Social-Justice-Statement-2002.pdf>, 10.)
www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au/fanthefflame/

The Education Ministry of Jubilee Catholic Parish

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



Last week across three services, a little over 60 students from St Joseph's Year 3 cohort celebrated their Confirmation. This is a special time in their religious journey. This Sacrament is the second Sacrament of Initiation, the first being Baptism. The Year 3 students gathered with Fr Rony, Sinead (Jubilee youth Minister) and the St Joseph's Year 3 teachers in the St Mary Magdalene Church. During this session we explored the fruits and gifts of the spirit and how they help us to live like Jesus. We shared our Confirmation names and the reasons we chose this name. It was a great way to get together as a Joey's group before the Jubilee services to share some of the wonders of the Sacrament of Confirmation.

Also, within our Jubilee Parish, many of our Year 4 students have or are beginning to celebrate their First Holy Communion. This sacrament is the child's first experience of the Sacrament of the Eucharist. It is also the final Rite of Initiation into our Catholic Church.

A huge thank you to Emma, Jubilee Sacramental Coordinator for all her wonderful organisation. We also thank Fr Gerry (presider), Fr Rony, Sinead, Therese and the Jubilee Parish staff for their wonderful support and spiritual direction. The St Brigid's choir were also magnificent as they led us with their beautiful singing.

Please keep all these students and their families in your prayers as they continue to grow their faith.

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.



This year Pope Francis announced the "Year of Saint Joseph," in his apostolic letter entitled "Patris Corde" (With a Father's Heart). In this letter, Pope Francis highlighted some wonderful attributes of Saint Joseph. "The greatness of Saint Joseph is that he was the spouse of Mary and the foster father of Jesus." Saint Joseph "employed his legal authority over the Holy Family to devote himself completely to them in his life and work." He lovingly placed himself and all his ability at the "service of the Messiah who was growing to maturity in his home," noted the Pope. Saint Joseph has always been revered as a father by all Christians around the world.

What a courageous, dedicated and loving man Joseph was. With Father's Day approaching this Sunday we can't but make comparisons between Joseph and the wonderful father figures in our lives. Fathering is not an easy job and raising children, especially in these changing times requires a strength of character, commitment, love and a want to be a good person who leads by example. This Sunday when you take time to acknowledge your Dad, Grandfather or other important males in your life think of St Joseph and all he gave to the vocation of Fatherhood, so willingly and unselfishly.

It was lovely to celebrate our Fathers and the special males in our lives at the Prep and Year 6 Buddy Mass and at the Year 3 Assembly last Thursday. Wishing all our Dads and special males in our lives an exceptional day on Sunday, enjoying all there is to being a Father.

'To the world you are a dad. To our family you are the world.'

Unknown

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.

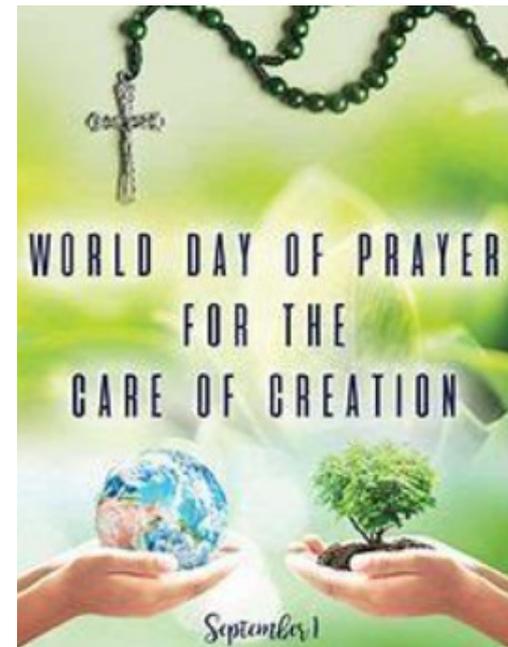


Last Wednesday was World Day of Prayer for Creation.

Did you know that St Ambrose is the Patron Saint of bees and beekeepers, which are vital to our earth's ecological balance?

At St Ambrose's School we are trying to play our part as stewards of God's creation by encouraging the growth of the native bee population with our school native beehive and we are dedicating the last week of the term to "Care for Creation Week", with a specific focus on being more energy efficient.

Let us come together inspired by the words of Pope Francis, "let us work and pray".



In Transition

We especially pray for Margaret Cranitch & Joan Long whose anniversaries fall at this time.

WE PRAY FOR THE SOULS OF ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED; AND ESPECIALLY THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES FALL AT THIS TIME.

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE.