

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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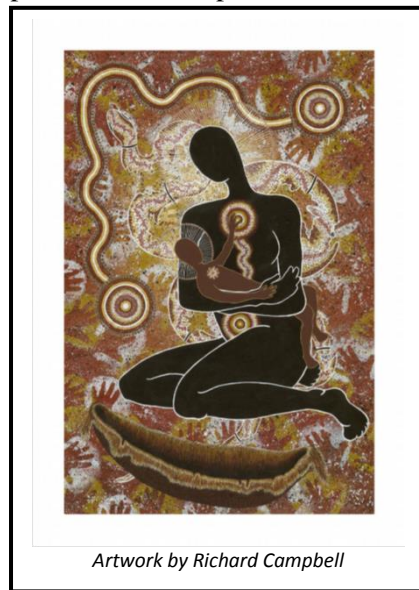
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Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time – 7 / 8 July 2018

Australian culture delights in the 'tall poppy syndrome', of cutting people down to size. In today's gospel, when Jesus is invited to teach in his home town synagogue, he fails to meet their expectations. We are not told his actual words, but they are the words of one who has exorcised, healed, raised from the dead, and proclaimed the Good News. In some way the listeners consider that Jesus' words go against their own comfortable interpretation of family custom or established religion. Here is the Nazareth version of the 'tall poppy'. Nazareth think they know everything about Jesus and his family. Jesus has to be cut down to hometown size as the local carpenter. Jesus embodies the 'scandal' of the ordinary. Familiarity breeds contempt in the hometown whose perceptions are limited to the domestic and parochial. They are closed to any surprising presence and action of God that would challenge their own perception. They consider their own wisdom superior to that of Jesus. They ask the right questions, but their prejudice supplies them with the wrong answers. Amazement deteriorates into offense and rejection. It sorrows Jesus. He in turn is amazed at their lack of faith that leads to his powerlessness. For Jesus' deeds of power to be effective they need to be worked with the cooperative faith of those gathered. May our faith open us to the possibilities God provides.



Artwork by Richard Campbell

NAIDOC Week July 8-15: "Because of her we can." This year's theme celebrates the essential role that women have played - and continue to play - as active and significant role models at the community, local, state and national levels. In their annual message, the Australian Catholic Bishops Conference praised the role of women, especially mothers and grandmothers, in the life of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities. It also speaks of the role model of the Virgin Mary in the life of the Catholic Church.

Aboriginal Thanksgiving Prayer: God of Holy Dreaming, Great Creator Spirit, from the dawn of creation you have given your children the good things of Mother Earth. You spoke and the gum tree grew. In the vast desert and the dense forest, and in the cities and at the water's edge creation sings your praise. Your presence endures at the rock at

the heart of our Land. When Jesus hung on the tree you heard the cries of all your people and became one with your wounded ones: the convicts, the hunted, the dispossessed. The sunrise of your Son coloured the earth anew, and bathed it in glorious hope. In Jesus we have been reconciled to you, to each other and to your whole creation. Lead us on, Great Spirit, as we gather from the four corners of the earth; enable us to walk together in trust from the hurt and shame of the past into the full day which has dawned in Jesus Christ. Amen. *Permission to use this prayer was given by Lenore Parker.* *Cont. next page*

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – 8 JULY 2018 (YEAR B)

Proper of the Mass

First Reading: Ezekiel 2:2-5 **Second Reading:** 2 Corinthians 12:7-10

Response: Our eyes are fixed on the Lord, pleading for his mercy.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! My sheep listen to my voice, says the Lord I know them, and they follow me.

Gospel: Matthew 9:14-17

'My grace is enough for you: my power is at its best in weakness.' 2 Cor. 12:9

Mass roster changes this week:

- Monday 9 July: no 6.30am mass Red Hill
- Wednesday 11 July: no 9am mass Bardon
- Wednesday 11 July: 10am Anointing Mass Newmarket
- Friday 13 July: no 9am mass Bardon

Listening Development: This Tuesday 10 July at 7pm there is an extraordinary meeting of the Pastoral Council, along with the Core Group leaders from the various communities to ponder the various responses provided at the parish listening sessions. The different church communities and ethnic communities have gathered and had their say. This is a second step in the discernment of what has been put forward. At the Pastoral Council's last meeting they began to ponder what had been put forward. This special gathering, to which the leaders of the various listening sessions have also been invited, will spend the meeting distilling what parishioners see as the strengths, opportunities and where God might be calling us into the future. Please do keep this process in your prayers.

State of Origin 3: This time Queensland! Raucous cheering that the maroons bring home a win at Suncorp on Wednesday night.

Proclaim Conference Brisbane July 12 -14:



It is finally here! For the first time, the Brisbane Archdiocese will host the national Proclaim Conference. PROCLAIM 2018 focuses on inspiring, equipping and encouraging parishes to engage in Evangelisation and Renewal. The theme is "Make your home in me" (Jn 15:4)

PROCLAIM 2018 will run across three days from 12-14 July, 2018 at The Edmund Rice Performing Arts Centre (St Laurence's College, South Brisbane). "Proclaim 2018 will inspire Catholics to explore new ways of contemplating the face of Christ in community and so empower them to set out on the new paths of mission which the Holy Spirit is tracing for us at this crucial time" - Brisbane Archbishop Mark Coleridge. Conference speakers include Cardinal John Dew (Archdiocese of Wellington, New Zealand), Ron Huntley (Divine Renovation – Canada), Ms Lana Turvey-Collins (Plenary Council 2020 Facilitator), Karolina Gunsser (Community Leader - Citipointe Church), Mons Enrique Fiquaredo SJ (Cambodia) and host of PROCLAIM 2018 Archbishop Mark Coleridge (Archdiocese of Brisbane).

Deacon Brendan Gormley: Brendan is a Brisbane man who, in discerning God's call, was invited by Archbishop Coleridge to study for the priesthood at the Beda College in Rome. During these years he would come home for his summer break and be involved pastorally in various parishes around the Archdiocese. Last year he was ordained Deacon. Now, he has finished his study in Rome and the Archbishop has appointed him to Jubilee Parish. He will begin here next weekend and will continue his pastoral formation as he looks towards ordination to the priesthood sometime in the future. He will be living with Fr Marty and I at the presbytery and we look forward to welcoming him into the community.

Enrolment for Confirmation is now available: If your child is in Year 3 or upwards at the present time they are eligible for enrolment in the formation process that is about to begin. Enrolment Forms are available on the parish website www.jubileeparish.com. There is a compulsory Parent Information night at Sacred Heart Church Rosalie on Thursday night 19 July at 7pm that will explain all the practicalities. Please share with parents and advise them they need to be prepared.

Enrolment for First Holy Communion for children in Year 4 and upwards: If your child has ALREADY CELEBRATED THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION, and has **not yet** received First Holy Communion, you can also go onto the parish website www.jubileeparish.com and use the same enrolment form for your child for First Holy Communion. You will be asked to provide a copy of your child's Confirmation certificate. Explanation of the formation process will be provided at the compulsory Parent Information night at Sacred Heart Church Rosalie on Thursday night 19 July at 7pm. Practicalities will be explained on this evening.

Understanding: The second week of the holidays and the parish office is transitioning through these changing times. Jane Cameron is covering the first half of the week, and Cathy Currie is back for the second half. Wonderful women whom I am sure you will assist.

Fr Girvan: is still on his annual holidays, so the parish is one priest down. May he be refreshed in his holidays.

Fr Jerry

PARISH DIARY

Monday 9 July

No Mass – Red Hill 6:30am

Tuesday 10 July

Mass (Ashgrove) 6:30am

Wednesday 11 July

Mass (Rosalie) 6:30am

No Mass (Bardon) 9:00am

Anointing Mass (Newmarket) 10am

Thursday 12 July

Mass (Red Hill) 6:30am

Mass (Ashgrove) 9:00am

Friday 13 July

Mass (Ashgrove) 6:30am

No Mass (Bardon) 9:00am

Saturday 14 July

Individual Reconciliation

(Rosalie) 4:00pm-4:20pm

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

15th Sunday In Ordinary Time

15 July 2018

Saturday Vigil

Mass (Rosalie) 4:30pm

Mass (Ashgrove) 6:00pm

Sunday

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 (St Paul's Villa) 10:30am

Mass (Ashgrove) 11:30am (Spanish)

Mass (Rosalie) 5:30pm

**Adoration of the
Blessed Sacrament,
Sacred Heart
Rosalie
Sunday 8 July,
4:15pm – 5:00pm.
Is part of the
Marists Spirituality
day.
All are Welcome.**

If you were given \$100, what could you do with it?



I am a big believer in random acts of kindness (RAOK). However, I also believe that it needs to be done in private and never spoken about.

I say this because there needs to be a level of humility involved. If you go around bragging to people that you are being generous to others, then it becomes self-serving. This is the last thing RAOK should be about. It should be done where it is only between you and the person and God.

If you were given \$100, how could offer a random act of kindness to someone? Could you stand in the line at the shops and then simply offer to pay the person in front of you their bill? Could you just walk up to someone and simply give them the money? Could you leave it in a library book and wait for someone to borrow the book?

ROAK leaves you feeling good about the world you live in and it will help you to be generous not only with others, but also in your prayer life.

Blessings for the week,

Fr Marty

Next Bus Trip On Tuesday 17 July. Join us when we visit the Summerland Camel Farm at Harrisville for a tour. Morning tea on the way at Colleges Crossing. Roast lunch at Commercial Hotel, Harrisville. Cost \$40. Departure time 8.15am from St Michaels Dorrington. 8.30am from St Finbarr's Ashgrove. For bookings please phone Margaret on 3366 4114.

Marist Spirituality Day for Young Adults (18 – 30s)

Come and discover how Marists live out the Gospel in the way of Mary. We are a religious family of Brothers, Sisters, Fathers and Laity praying and working throughout the world.

Where: La Valla Centre
58 Fernberg Rd, Rosalie,
Brisbane

**When: 12pm-5.30pm Sun
8th July** Parish Eucharist 5.30 pm

Presenters: Fr Gerard Hall SM,
Sr Noreen Dunne SMSM;
Br Neville Solomon fms,
Hien Le & Paulo Rezende
RSVP: 5th July



Parish Property Manager: Paul Toohey is currently on annual leave. Long-time Parish contributor Kevin Price has generously agreed to act in his stead, where required, during his absence. Any matters of a property nature can be sent firstly to the parish office for attention and follow up by Kevin as appropriate. Thanks Kevin.

“ROOTED IN GOD – GROWING IN FAITH”

Catholic Charismatic Renewal Brisbane's DISCIPLESHIP DAY at the CCR Brisbane Centre, 688 Nudgee Rd, Northgate on Saturday 21 July from 9.30am – 3.30pm.

A day of Praise and Worship, talks and reflection. ALL welcome. BYO lunch. Morning tea provided. Enquiries: Miriam (3202 6856)

The Latin American Catholic Community of Brisbane and Fr. Ignacio Gutierrez welcome you to the

NEW LIFE RETREAT

Mark 16:15

And He said to them: "Go out to the world; proclaim the Gospel to all creation"

8:30AM - 5:00PM
(A TWO-DAY EVENT)

28 - 29 JULY 18

Holy Spirit Hall
16 Villiers Street, New Farm

Registration: Hugo Varela 0435 749 390
Liliana Ortiz 0401 926 614

Donation: \$30 (includes lunch/Morning/Aftn Tea)

Anointing Mass – Newmarket:

An invitation to all Jubilee parishioners. You are invited to an Anointing Mass at St Ambrose's on Wednesday, 11 July at 10:00am. Morning tea will be served after Mass. **All welcome.**

Position Vacant – Parish Secretary (Full-Time)

Applications are open for the position of Parish Secretary at the Jubilee Catholic Parish, Paddington, Brisbane. The person will need excellent clerical/administrative skills together with up to date computer skills. You will also require highly developed interpersonal skills and the ability to communicate effectively and work as part of a team. This is a full-time position Monday to Friday.

Applications close: Wednesday 11 July, 2018. For additional information, please email Fr Gerry Kalinowski at the parish office or visit the Archdiocese of Brisbane website <https://brisbanecatholic.org.au/> and to careers.

The Archdiocese of Brisbane has standards of conduct for employees and volunteers to maintain a safe and healthy environment. Our commitment to these standards requires that we conduct background referencing for all persons who will engage in direct and regular involvement with children, young people and/or vulnerable adults.

Surprise guest at dinner for Rome's homeless



Pope Francis dines with the poor and homeless on Friday (Vatican Media)

Pope Francis was the surprise guest at a dinner for poor and homeless people in Rome on Friday. Source: *Vatican News*. Some 280 poor people were invited to a dinner at the Vatican by new Cardinal Konrad Krajewski, the official almsgiver of the Pope, who was made cardinal by Pope Francis at the Consistory the previous day. Pope Francis surprised Cardinal Krajewski, his guests and volunteers with a visit and joined them at table at the Vatican employees' canteen. "I came for the poor, not for you," a smiling Pope told Cardinal Krajewski, popularly known as Fr Corrado (instead of Konrad) to the poor he serves on behalf of the Pope. Francis dined with the poor and spent about two hours chatting with them as if in a family, listening to their stories that often told of suffering but also of hope. There were about 60 volunteers serving dinner to the poor, including Carlo Santoro of the Community of Sant'Egidio of Rome, who collaborates with Cardinal Krajewski's Office of Papal Charities, to assist the homeless in Rome. "It was an especially warm visit because it was a dinner of the new cardinal with the poor," Mr Santoro said. "To the surprise of all, the Holy Father arrived. We thought it was a simple greeting and he would be off soon," he said. The new cardinal turned to Mr Santoro asking him to make room close to him for the Pope. Mr Santoro said the Pope greeted everyone with great affection. At the Pope's table were several Syrian refugees who had arrived through the efforts of the Sant'Egidio Community. One of them travelled to Rome with the Pope after his visit to the Greek island of Lesbos in 2016. The man told the Pope he is now working and is integrated in Italy.

The Lord Calls – (excerpt from the Apostolic Exhortation *Gaudete Et Exsultate*)

10. All this is important. Yet with this Exhortation I would like to insist primarily on the call to holiness that the Lord addresses to each of us, the call that he also addresses, personally, to you: "Be holy, for I am holy" (*Lev 11:44*; cf. *1 Pet 1:16*). The Second Vatican Council stated this clearly: "Strengthened by so many and such great means of salvation, all the faithful, whatever their condition or state, are called by the Lord – each in his or her own way – to that perfect holiness by which the Father himself is perfect".
11. "Each in his or her own way" the Council says. We should not grow discouraged before examples of holiness that appear unattainable. There are some testimonies that may prove helpful and inspiring, but that we are not meant to copy, for that could even lead us astray from the one specific path that the Lord has in mind for us. The important thing is that each believer discern his or her own path, that they bring out the very best of themselves, the most personal gifts that God has placed in their hearts (cf. *1 Cor 12:7*), rather than hopelessly trying to imitate something not meant for them. We are all called to be witnesses, but there are many actual ways of bearing witness. Indeed, when the great mystic, Saint John of the Cross, wrote his *Spiritual Canticle*, he preferred to avoid hard and fast rules for all. He explained that his verses were composed so that everyone could benefit from them "in his or her own way". For God's life is communicated "to some in one way and to others in another".
12. Within these various forms, I would stress too that the "genius of woman" is seen in feminine styles of holiness, which are an essential means of reflecting God's holiness in this world. Indeed, in times when women tended to be most ignored or overlooked, the Holy Spirit raised up saints whose attractiveness produced new spiritual vigour and important reforms in the Church. We can mention Saint Hildegard of Bingen, Saint Bridget, Saint Catherine of Siena, Saint Teresa of Avila and Saint Thérèse of Lisieux. But I think too of all those unknown or forgotten women who, each in her own way, sustained and transformed families and communities by the power of their witness.
13. This should excite and encourage us to give our all and to embrace that unique plan that God willed for each of us from eternity: "Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and before you were born I consecrated you" (*Jer 1:5*).

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.

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.**

In Transition

As a parish family we welcome into the church
**Edward Anderson, Jenson McDonald,
Lincoln Greene, Liljana Tontodonat, Ivy
Dobos, Elijah Dobos and Patrick Reaves,**
who were baptised this weekend.

We celebrate with the families of **Apaioka
Strickland and Janet Vaaga,** who celebrated
their wedding this weekend.

We pray for the soul of **Patricia Kirby,** whose
funeral was celebrated last Friday at St Mary
Magdelene.

**WE PRAY FOR THE SOULS OF ALL THE FAITHFUL
DEPARTED; MAY THEY REST IN PEACE.**