

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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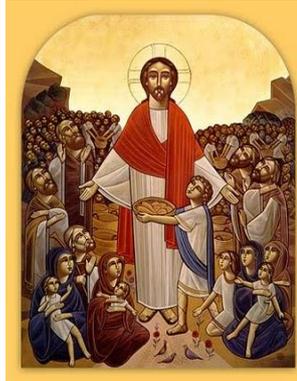
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Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time – 11 / 12 August 2018



The gospel continues reading John chapter 6. As John the evangelist does, he circles and circles broadening our understanding of Jesus as 'bread for the world'. The crowds have eaten physical bread and there is then 'bread' as the work of faith, and 'bread' of Jesus own being. The challenge to the crowd is to recognise Jesus as the presence of God. It is easy for us to say; a challenge for them in their understanding. They are stuck in 'knowing' where he comes from, and who they have boxed him in to be. They have to open their eyes, minds, and hearts to seeing that something more is at work in their lives that goes deeper, or beyond the obvious. When they come to this awareness, God enters in and becomes the source of enduring life.

Covering Communities: Fr George of the Korean Community remains recovering at present. Our prayers continue for him. In the interim the local clergy continue to preside at the Korean Sunday mass at Sacred Heart. This week this happens thanks to Fr Gerard Hall SM.

Welcome back to Fr James Spence who returns from holiday to preside with the Italian Community at St Thomas More Petrie Terrace. Ben tornato (which I hope is Italian for 'welcome back.')

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Wednesday 15 August: Holy Day of Obligation. "This feast originated in Jerusalem before the fifth century as the 'Falling-asleep of the Mother of God'. It was adopted in Rome in the mid-seventh century and was renamed the 'Assumption' in the next century. It celebrates Mary's passing over, body and soul, from this world into the glory of her risen Son." *Daily Mass Book 2018*. "For today the Virgin Mother of God was assumed into heaven to be the beginning and image of your Church's coming to perfection and a sign of sure hope and comfort to your pilgrim people; rightly you would not allow her to see the corruption of the tomb since from her own body she marvellously brought forth your incarnate Son, the Author of all life." Preface of The Glory of Mary assumed into heaven.

Mass times for the Solemnity of the Assumption:

Tuesday 14 August 5.30pm Vigil St Brigid's Red Hill
Wednesday 15 August 6.30am Sacred Heart Rosalie
Wednesday 15 August 9.00am St Finbarr's Ashgrove
Wednesday 15 August 9.00am St Mary Magdalene's Bardon

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NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – 12 AUGUST 2018 (YEAR B)

Proper of the Mass

First Reading: 1 Kings 19:4-8 **Second Reading:** Ephesians 4:30 – 5:2

Response: Taste and see the goodness of the Lord.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! I am the living bread from heaven, says the Lord; whoever eats this bread will live forever. Alleluia!.

Gospel: John 6:41-51

"Do all you can with the means at your disposal and calmly leave the rest to God." - St Mary MacKillop

Parish Pastoral Council: Meeting Tuesday night 14 August, 7pm at the parish office. The Council have generously attended an extra-ordinary meeting to work with the wisdom gathered from the parish listening sessions. The leaders of the core-groups of each community were also invited to this gathering. So the information garnered has been pondered by councillors for a few more weeks before this meeting which, with God's inspiration, be set as the areas to be pursued as the parish moves into the next few years. So that will be something of the content of the meeting.

- **The Who:** I am most grateful to the present group of councillors who have, at my request, continued on through my first year as pastor. They have generously and faithfully assisted the pastoral leadership of the parish. May God bless them for their good work. The next step is that there will be a new council that will follow through from the listening sessions. So the pastoral council will itself go through a transitioning process. An important dimension of the new council will be to animate the parish in its wisdom from the listening sessions.
- **The When:** between now and the end of the year there will be acknowledgement of the work of the present council. The pastoral council for 2019, the who and what their 'role' is to be will also be clarified through this time. It all means there will be exciting times ahead in 2019.
- Keep up the prayers, and keep up your living your discipleship in Jubilee Parish.

Exhibition Holiday: for those who are having a holy-day going to the Royal National Show I wish you well. Enjoy the country coming to the city. We remain ever mindful of the tough time our farmers are going through with the drought. Hopefully "the show" is a time of our showing our support for them. Prayers for their needs will continue.

Kennedy Terrace Community Morning Tea: Thursday 16th August. Mass 10am followed by morning tea for the locals. A neighbourly gathering of friends to which you are most welcome to attend.

Formation for Ministers for Communion of the Sick: Thursday 16th August at 10am at the parish office. A time for prayer, formation and practicality. The gathering is for those who already are taking Communion to the sick, and for those who would like to be involved in this ministry. Based in God's inspiration, our understanding of our role and how we minister will be nurtured. It will be a fruitful gathering of everyone's wisdom and experience.

Friday 17th August: No 9am mass at Bardon. There will be mass at Woodlands Nursing home Newmarket at 10.30am.

For your diary:

- **Parish Property information night. Thursday 23rd August** there will be an information evening at **7pm** at the Lavalla Centre to let you know the parish property portfolio and its current usage. There will also be a conversation of what the parish sees as its areas of mission in the present and into the future.
- His Excellency the Honourable Paul de Jersey AC, Governor of Queensland and Mrs Kaye de Jersey has graciously invited the parish to Morning Tea at Government House to celebrate the 100th Anniversary of the Sacred Heart Church. The date is **Friday 26 October from 10.30 to 11.30am**. The number of guests is limited to 50. Those wishing to attend if you could please contact the parish office during office hours and the guest list will so be developed.

PARISH DIARY

Monday 13 August

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

Tuesday 14 August

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

Mass (**Newmarket**) 9:15am

Feast of the Assumption (**Red Hill**)
5:30pm

Wednesday 15 August

Feast of the Assumption (**Rosalie**)
6:30am

Feast of the Assumption (**Bardon**)
9:00am

Feast of the Assumption (**Ashgrove**)
9:00am

Thursday 16 August

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

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

Mass & Morning Tea
(**Kennedy Tce**) 10:00am

Friday 17 August

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

No Mass (**Bardon**) 9:00am

Woodlands Mass 10:30am

Saturday 18 August

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

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

20th Sunday In Ordinary Time

19 August 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

Fr Jerry

2018 Year of YOUTH

In acknowledgement of the Church's Year of the Youth, Branch 1 of the Knights of the Southern Cross are hosting a talk by Teresa McGrath, Youth Project Consultant with the Archdiocese of Brisbane, on the subject of YOUTH in the church on Thursday 6th September at 7.30pm in St. Michael's Church Hall, 250 Banks Street, Dorrington. Hopefully there will be some flyers in the church which will provide more information. Please advise Stuart Beavis (0408 321 582 or bsb_himself@optusnet.com.au) on numbers attending.

Children's Liturgy at St Brigid's

The number of young families has been growing at the 10am Mass at St Brigid's, so we would like to offer Children's Liturgy from Term 4.

Some volunteers are needed! It is expected that each team would be rostered no more than two or three times per term. No experience necessary, just a heart for Jesus and a willingness to serve. Volunteers will be assisted in the process of obtaining a Blue Card, Police Check, and completing Archdiocesan Safeguarding training.

Please contact Lisa at ljf4066@gmail.com, or the parish office. for more information.

Jubilee Community Morning Tea & Mass

This Thursday, our parishioners of Jubilee parish gather together for Community mass and morning tea. Please come along and join us this **Thursday, 10:00am, 16th August** at the old St Bernard's church, ('Dancing' Dance Studio) on Kennedy Terrace; a great opportunity for you to meet new parishioners from the other local communities within our Jubilee family. Everyone is welcome.



We invite all Australians to engage in an open and inclusive process of listening, dialogue and discernment about the future of the Catholic Church in Australia.

Your voice is needed to, so:

- **Have your say!** Get your friends together to talk about "what do you think God is asking of us in Australia?" Then send in your response online.
- **Speak boldly** and **with passion!**
- **Listen** with an **open** and **humble** heart!
- Everyone is welcome!

With faith and guided by God's Holy Spirit, we journey together, toward the future.

Want to know more? Visit plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au

Fresh Fruit and Vegetables Delivery

Centacare's Impari disability centre has a work-ready program delivering fresh fruit and vegetables to supporters in the Jubilee community every 2nd Wednesday.

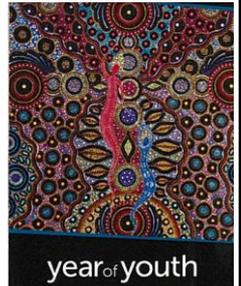
Boxes cost \$20 and include a selection of staples and seasonal favourites; as all produce is purchased wholesale freshly, the boxes provide excellent value (the small profit made from each box funds the Centre's annual Christmas party).

MULTICULTURAL MASS 2018

Don't forget that the annual Multicultural Mass is coming up at the Cathedral on **Sunday August 26.**

This year the Mass will again see Archbishop Mark celebrating with a number of pastors and chaplains to the various communities.

The liturgy is always one of the most colourful and energetic throughout the year. Afterwards there is fellowship and a sharing of different foods and cultural performances on the lawns of the Cathedral precinct.



Help Our Farmers

Date Claimer: Sunday, 26 August, 8am mass at St Mary Magdalene Church, there will be a special plate collection to assist St Joseph's school raise much needed funds to 'help our farmers'. Please think about donating and thank you for your generosity.

Notice to St Finbarr's Parishioners

Daphne Beattie, who was a resident of Anderson Avenue in the 1950s-1980s, passed away in a Sydney nursing home where she had been a resident for over 10 years.

The more senior and long-term parishioners of St Finbarr's may remember Daphne and her husband Jim together with their family of 3 children. Jim was a bookmaker to the racing industry and both Daphne and he were very active in and good to St Finbarr's school and the church when living in Ashgrove. Jim passed away several years ago.

May she rest in peace.

Housekeeper wanted - A permanent part time housekeeper is required for work on Tuesday, Wednesday and possibly Thursday at various, regular locations in inner Brisbane. There would be a regular roster of work at the same house each week. This roster includes working alone to wash personal clothing, bed linen and towels, ironing of personal clothes, cleaning kitchen, bathroom, bedroom and living areas thoroughly, vacuuming, dusting etc. An eye for detail, going the extra mile and a genuine interest in doing a good job to leave a sparkling home is more important than previous experience. If this sounds like you, please call 0428 989 171 to find out more.

The Education Ministry of Jubilee Catholic Parish

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



Help our farmers – call to action!

Our three year 3 classes have been learning about changing weather patterns in science and as a focus examined the drought that is occurring in Australia, in particular Queensland. From that investigation the students became very aware of the huge impact that the drought is having on our friends west of the Great divide. They have been saddened to see all the images of dead and dying stock with farmers trying desperately to get feed to their animals. Year 3 decided that they needed to do something, so that has led to action. Just like Mary MacKillop, “never see a need without doing something about it!” Year 3 has rallied and has everyone at St Joseph’s ‘doing something’. They have planned many ways to raise awareness and money to help our farmers.

- We have prayed as a whole school for rain at Assembly
- Each family will receive an envelope for donations that includes a prayer for our families to say together to end the drought
- “Dress as a farmer” day with a gold coin donation
- Lunchtime competitions
- Find a needle in a haystack
- A special assembly has been arranged with guest speaker, past student Ellen Gett, who created a film clip about drought when a student at St Joseph’s. This clip was shown on ABC TV show “Landline”, with a follow up by Landline at our school to interview our students about the impact of Ellen’s clip about the drought at her grandfather’s property north west of Brisbane. Ellen will show her films again and talk about the impact of the latest drought. (Now a high school student.)
- In conjunction with the Parish, a special plate collection has been arranged at St Mary Magdalene Church during Sunday 26 August 8am mass. Thank you to the Parish for helping us!

So from learning came social action. Who said young people cannot make a change? This group of wonderful hearts and minds have motivated us all to action. Please feel free to give to this wonderful cause. Wow Year 3, what a future Australia has with you in the world!



Act of Kindness Day was a wonderful way to conclude Catholic Education Week. Students, classes and teachers were busy surprising others with an *Act of Kindness*. These very thoughtful acts which included, personalised messages of why one brings joy to another, messages of gratitude, handmade gifts, scripture quotes, have highlighted for us all, the importance of enjoying and sharing the little things in life, for they truly can make a difference.

Pope Francis reminds us. ‘that Jesus calls you to leave your mark on life, to leave a mark on history, your own and that of many others as well.’

Thank you to Mrs Fiechtner and her beautiful Year 1 Class for leading the Liturgy of The Word to celebrate Catholic Education Week. Highlights of this liturgy were posted not only on the school’s Facebook page but also the Facebook page for Queensland Catholic Education Council.

<https://www.facebook.com/CatholicEducationWeekQLD/>

BOOK WEEK - This year, as a continuation of our celebration of Book week we will be holding our Inaugural St. Finbarr’s Literature Festival. We will be welcoming authors Morris Gleitzman, Michael Bauer, Christine Bongers, Sheryl Gwyther and Josie Montano. These authors will discuss the writing and editing process with the students

FASHIONS ON PARADE - Our Fashions on Parade event has been advertised, Fashion and Glamour at Ashgrove’, in this month’s edition of Style Magazine on page 35. This year’s event will be held on **Sunday 9 September 2018** at the Champagnat Centre, Marist College Ashgrove. Tickets are available through the Mastercard QKR app or by contacting: fashionsonparade@hotmail.com \$55 per ticket, sold in tables of ten (\$550 per table).



St Mary of the Cross a teacher to learn from.

This week we celebrated the Feast of St Mary of the Cross (MacKillop), Australia’s own saint. This feast is of great significance for Catholic Education, as Catholic schools share in the rich history and legacy of St Mary of the Cross.

The universal Church holds up Saint Mary of the Cross as an example to all of us because of the exceptional way in which she lived her life. In her unique way, St Mary recognised God’s gift in each one she met and tried to respond appropriately. She recognised whatever came her way as the gift of God; despite all the trials in her life, she was not weighed down by burdens, but continued to grow in gratitude towards Him. She recognized God’s plan and could take her part with energy and trust.

Of particular interest to our school community is Mary MacKillop’s desire to educate disadvantaged young people. The hundreds of schools she started during her lifetime is a manifestation of this desire. These schools were created with the aim to educate poor children so that they could gain an education that they would otherwise have not received.

As teachers in a Catholic school we strive to model ourselves on Jesus and his ability turn various real-life situations into teaching opportunities. Throughout the Bible there are various examples of Jesus as the Teacher. Even as a child, Jesus taught in the temple. At the age of 30, Jesus began his public life as Teacher. The Gospels describe His style as Teacher.

Jesus taught through storytelling

“The people all stood on the beach and he told them many things in parables.” (Matt 13:3)

Jesus wished to empower people to go out in their newly found strength

“Go home to your people and tell them what the Lord in his mercy has done for you.” (Mark 5:19)

Jesus taught as a person in service to others

“And anyone who wants to be first among you must be your slave just as the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve.” (Matt 20:28)

Jesus took time away in solitude to reflect and pray before teaching

“In the morning, long before dawn, he got up and left the house, and went off to a lonely place and prayed there.” (Mark 1:35)

Jesus taught with love

“This is my commandment, love one another as I have loved you. A man can have no greater love than to lay down his life for his friends”. (John 15:13)

Jesus was a shepherd to the people he taught

“I am the good shepherd, I know my own and my own know me.” (John 10:14)

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.**

In Transition

As a parish family we welcome into the church **Emily Sharp, Anneke Kirberg and Aria Downs**, who were baptised this weekend.

We celebrate with the families of **Benjamin Waters & Nicole Brouard**, who celebrated their weddings this weekend.

We pray for the soul of **Daphne Beattie** who died recently.

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