



Parish of St Edward the Confessor



If you are new to the Parish or are visiting, **Welcome!**

We are glad you have come to share Eucharist with us today. Please leave your details with the Parish Office so that Fr Marce and a member of our Parish Pastoral Council can reach out to you with a formal welcome. **Thank you.**

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32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
05th - 06th November 2016

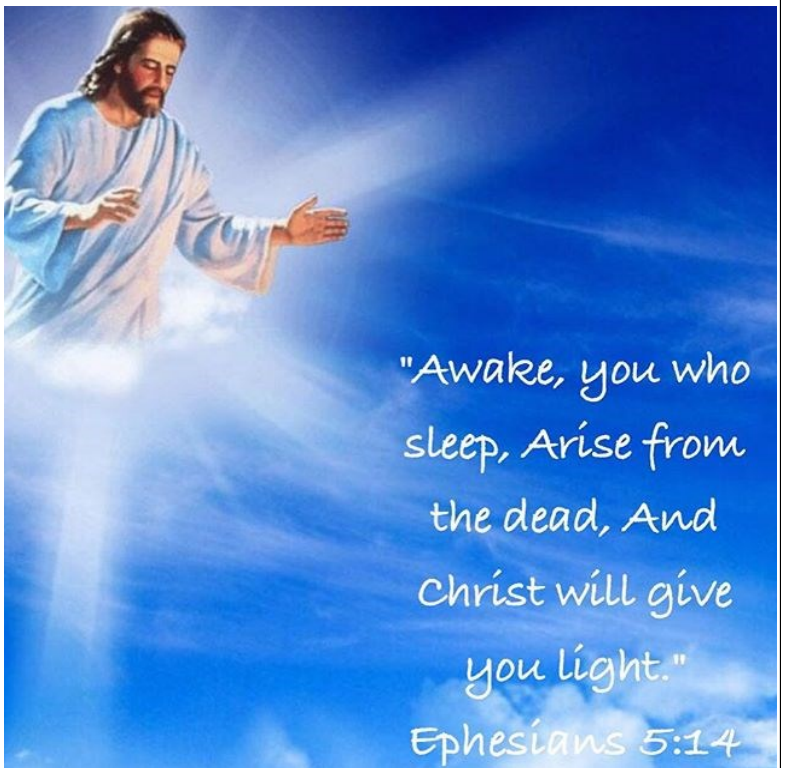
Our Faith in the Resurrection
Fr. Marce Singson

The Sadducees in today's Gospel reading, did not believe in the resurrection from the dead. When they asked Jesus, "Whose wife would the woman be who had had seven husbands after the resurrection?" They were not looking for an answer at all. They were trying to reduce the idea of resurrection to be absurd, to show that it was ridiculous. Some people today are like the Sadducees. They ask how God can put together the body that has been disintegrated in the grave, or worse those dead bodies that were cremated. We have to realise that our resurrected bodies, though real and physical, will exist in a newer and better manner far beyond our powers to imagine. As Jesus stated in today's Gospel: "They become like angels and are no longer liable to death."

Our faith in the resurrection should influence our lives. The first reading today is very inspiring. The seven brothers and their mother were asked by the pagan king to abandon their faith in God. But their faith in the resurrection from the dead was so strong that, rather than giving up their faith, they eagerly went to their deaths. One brother said to the king: "You are depriving us of this life, but the KING of the world will raise us up to live again." Another brother said to the pagan king: "It is my choice to die at the hands of men with the God-given hope of being restored to life by him."

Such is the influence faith in the resurrection should have on us – the willingness to suffer death rather than abandon God. As we go about the daily duties of our lives, we should do so with a certain lightness and happiness that comes from the expectation of our resurrection from the dead.

Our faith in the resurrection should colour our otherwise drab lives in joyful hues. That faith, remember, is both a belief that God has almighty power, and a confidence that in his goodness he will use that power to raise us from the dead to a new life with him forever!





WE REMEMBER

In our prayers all who have died recently,

Maureen O’Brien
Peter Reynolds
Barry Lawson

and those whose anniversaries are in this month:

Dili Kabishi
Barry Atkin

Names of recently deceased or anniversaries for the deceased will be displayed for a period of 3 weeks only. For privacy reasons these inserts will only be accepted from a family member. Thank you.



PLEASE PRAY

For all our Sick parishioners and family members:

Maria Teresita Villar
Geoffery McArthur
Neonila Constantino

If you would like our community to remember you or a family member in our prayers please complete the information in the register on the table at the back of the Church. These will be displayed for 3 weeks only. **Thank you**

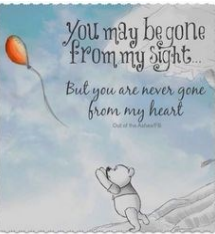


BAPTISM

We welcome into our Christian community:

Eloise Brea Cook
Anthony James Sutton
Kourtney Diprose

Baptism is 7 days a week. Please phone the parish office for information regarding Baptism.



Our parish weekend Holy Masses on **Nov 5 and 6** will be offered for all the deceased members of our families, relatives and friends.

FOUNDBabies gold bracelet was found on the pathway between the 2 school building leading to the school parking. It has a butterfly with the name ‘Jea’ on it. If you have lost it please call the parish office to claim it 3299 2000.

Reflections from a World Youth Day Pilgrim

A few months ago, a little Catholic event called World Youth Day happened. A triennial event, this year it was held in Kraków, Poland. I wasn’t quite sure what to expect from WYD but I imagined it as a massive Catholic church service with loads of youth and lots of activities throughout the day. My dream for WYD 2016 was to see the global church in action. And I certainly was not disappointed. From the millions of youth (there were 3 million of us), singing and dancing in the streets, flags waving everywhere, to dancing of nuns and priests and the endless sea of smiles, the energy was electrifying and I was so proud to call myself a Catholic and be a part of it all.

WYD is a week-long event, and each day begins with catechesis and mass lead by a cardinal followed by activities such as tours of local shrines and monuments, praise and worship, prayer gatherings, and inspirational talks.

As I was on pilgrimage with the QLD St Vincent De Paul group, we followed in the footsteps of Blessed Frederic Ozanam their founder, and went to Poland via Paris, France. Seeing Frederic’s crypt was amazing and gave us an insight to how the vision of one man could inspire the society. While there, we even met with some French Vincentian Youth and did some homeless outreach with them too!

My highlight of the pilgrimage was being 10 metres from Pope Francis as he whizzed past atop the Pope Mobile on his way to celebrate Stations of the Cross on Friday. His ability to lead 1.2 billion Catholics and yet be so humble is truly inspirational to me.

Our visit to Auschwitz, Poland was a very solemn experience. There we learnt about the atrocities of genocide and saw what living conditions were like. We shared a moment praying the angelus prayer at The Death Wall. This experience impacted me deeply and it was there that I prayed that the peace and mercy of Jesus would reign throughout the world and deeply inside every human being, and that atrocities like this would never happen again.

Going to Poland for WYD was a life-changing experience that I highly recommend to everyone to participate in at least once in their life.

I will conclude with the paraphrased words of Pope Francis during the Prayer Vigil on the second last day of WYD:

"Let us trade in our glum faces and live with a purpose. Let us not be couch potatoes but instead trade the couch for running shoes. Life is always beautiful when we choose to live it fully, when we choose to leave a mark. So today, my friends, Jesus is inviting you, calling you, to leave your mark on life and to leave a mark on history."

WYD is an experience I’m glad I put my running shoes on for, and certainly left a bright mark on my heart. I hope my experience can leave a little glow on yours too. If you have any questions, feel free to see me at mass or email: gerardlai15@gmail.com

Blessings,
Gerard Lai

Description for photo 1:
The QLD St Vincent de Paul WYD pilgrims at the crypt of Frédéric Ozanam, in Paris, France.



Description for photo 2:
Gerard befriending some priests and seminarians from South America and giving them a blessing.

Description for photo 3:
Vincentian youth days in Piekary prior to World Youth Day in Krakow with the Vincentian youth from around the world.



MASS TIMES 06th - 12th November 2016

Sunday, 06 November	Monday, 07 November	Tuesday, 08 November	Wednesday, 09 November	Thursday, 10 November	Friday, 11 November	Saturday 12 November
8.30am Mass 6.00pm Mass 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time	7.00am Rosary 7.30am Mass	9.00am Mass - Seniors 7.00pm Mass Adoration	7.00am Rosary 7.30am Mass The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica	7.30am Mass St Leo the Great	7.00am Rosary 7.30am Mass St Martin of Tours	7.30am Mass 5.30pm Reconciliation 6.00pm Mass



The term is certainly going quickly and we cannot believe we have hit the half way mark already! They do say time flies when you're having fun! This week at St Edward's we had some fun with the Melbourne Cup. Many gathered in the hall to watch the race.

A highlight last week was when we were wandering around the rooms and talking to students about their learning. In year three they were so excited to show me their model of the "Holy Land". It was part of a co-operative learning team activity in their Messiah unit. They told us it was a challenging activity, but very rewarding, which you could see with their excitement and pride. A student's reflection:

Building Our Holy City! By Abby F

Making our Holy City was hard. I think we used creative, persistence, self-managing and co-operative. I think we used creative because we used our imagination to think of different ways to build the city. I think we used persistence because we tried and tried to make the city. I think we used co-operative because we had to get along with the people in our group. I think we used self-managing because we had to keep all the pieces together and not muddle them up. I think Chloe, Scott, Pete and Crystal would be proud of our work! It was a lot of fun making the Holy City. It took a lot of co-operation, self-managing, creative and persistence. I think we should get a golden ticket! The city looks amazing!

Next week we welcome our new prep families to the 2017 Prep orientation night. (10th November) We look forward to meeting with new and existing families within our school as we look at the theme of preparing your child for Prep and how best to support them in their first year of schooling. This is followed by Prep open morning on the 11th November. Children have the chance to experience their new school for 2017 and meet the teachers. Both events also provide a great chance for parent to meet each other. Many thanks to our current Prep families for helping with morning tea and welcoming our new families.

Students have started practicing for our end of year gathering- our **Carols Night**. It is on the **24th November on our court area at 7.00pm**. It is always a great opportunity to come together as a community and celebrate. Please put this date in your diary.

Have a great week

Bronwyn, Brendan and Danielle



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October 17, 2016

MS THERESA RASEY

Dear Theresa and St Edward's Parish,

Thank you for your recent envelope of used stamps. Funds raised are sent to various Salesian educational and relief works in developing nations.

Your continued support is much appreciated for this fundraiser.

As you will be aware, many of our Salesians abroad are working in very challenging situations assisting people hit by disasters of one kind or another. We remember them and all who support the missions in our prayers and Masses.

Kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

Olga Elliott

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Salesian Missions Australia



Parish Hospitality Teams

Join us and the Parish Community for a cuppa and refreshments in the covered area at the side of the Church. Every Sunday morning after the 8.30am Mass then the 4th weekend of the month on Saturday (team needed) and Sunday.

13th November 2016

Denise Love's Team

20th November 2016

Vange Munn's Team

Senior Group Update

Mass : Tuesday 08th November 2016 at 9.00 am

At this Mass Fr Marce also holds an Anointing of the Sick. A cuppa Morning tea will be served after Mass.

Transport can be arranged if required



**Outing: Tuesday 6th December .
CHRISTMAS BREAKUP LUNCHEON.**

Bus trip to Beaudesert. Cost \$30 for the bus.

Morning tea provided. Lunch at the Beaudesert RSL Services Club, 23-25 William Street, Beaudesert. Lunch Price is \$20 per person. After lunch, time to stroll through the town. Then back on the bus for more site seeing. Meeting at the church at 8:45am returning about 3pm. Numbers to me by Tuesday 29th November. No refund on bookings after the 29th.

Any enquiries please contact:
Noelene 3208 5304 or 0409 261 639

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Church Ministers' Rosters for next weekend 12th - 13th November 2016

	Saturday 6.00pm	Sunday 8.30am	Sunday 6.00pm
Holy Mass Coordinators	John Wood	Steve/Maria	Joey Nicolas
Parish Choirs	Voice of Praise	Youth Choir	Voice of Praise
Overhead Projectionist	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers
Proclaimers of the Word: 1	Belinda Castillo	Esther Isbon	Colin Clancy
Proclaimers of the Word: 2	Tristram Garbelotto	Evelina Afoa	Claire Nicolson
Communion Ministers	Jan McMahon	Sulianz Patterson	Jed De Chavez
	Joseph Weerasighe	Isidore Storey	Ian Seneviratne
	Marj Weerasinghe	Mary Alphonse	Eldrin Dee
		Maricel Tejada	Anna O'Brien
		Johann Xavier	Shane McCaffery
		Denise Love	
		Francis Oliva	
Alter Servers	Candice Wessling	KC Sebial	Job Villadolid
	Annabelle Wessling	Kim Silagan	Christine Ferrer



The celebration of Christmas is already in the stores with heightened advertising and a strong sale pitch but with little knowledge or reference of what we are really celebrating. Let us as a Christian Community bring the real message of Christmas into our lives. We are celebrating Our Heavenly Father's great love for us by sending His only Son, Jesus Christ, to save us. Christmas is a time when families come together: it gives us an opportunity to reflect on the blessings bestowed on us.

To remind us of the significance of this great feast St Paul's Book Store has sent us a number nativity scenes for sale. These scenes will be placed on the noticeboard at the back of the church. If you would like to purchase one of these sets you can do so by placing your order at the Piety Store or by visiting St Paul's Book Store in Elizabeth St next to the cathedral.

If ordering here we will need the following information: Name, Phone number, Code of your selected item. The purchased items cannot be returned so we ask for payment up front.



We can use your postage stamps from your mail

The Salesian Missions use the old stamps that are passed on to them to raise funds. This goes towards Salesian Education and relief work in developing nations. Yes, the Post man does not have to stop by often, but on that rare occasion he does, and on that envelope, if there is a stamp, can you please pass this on to us, instead of throwing it in the bin? A small gesture, lending a big helping hand. We have placed a collection box for stamps in the parish office.



Grandparent's Day

Daisy Hill and Southside Family Day Care celebrated the wonderful contribution that grandparents make to their families and to the community as a whole at Play sessions this week. Grandparents Day is a chance for children and the community to thank grandparents for their love and support.



If you would like more information about our service, including becoming an Educator or Childcare enquiries please contact the office on: 3208 0463.



Children's Liturgy takes place during the Sunday 8.30am Mass. Upcoming Dates are: November 13th & 27th; December 4th.

CARE AND CONCERN

If you are aware of a sick parishioner who may appreciate a visit or a meal or requires transport to medical appointments. Please contact the Parish Office so a member of our Care and Concern or Pastoral Council can respond.

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