

St Edward the Confessor Parish

Established 1978 104 Chatswood Road, DAISY HILL. QLD 4127

1 John 3: 1-2;

Readings: Acts 4: 8-12;

John 10: 11<mark>-1</mark>8

Next Week: Acts 9:26-31;

5-31; 1 John 3:18-24;

John 15: 1-8

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20th– 21st April 2024

4th Sunday of Easter - Year B/2

They too will listen to my voice

We continue our journey through Eastertide, experiencing the joy of the Risen Lord. This fourth Sunday of Easter traditionally features Jesus as the Good Shepherd, and is also kept annually as the World Day of Prayer for Vocations.

In the **First Reading**, Peter explains that the miracle he has been able to perform came not from him, but from the name of Jesus Christ, the keystone rejected by the builders. The **Psalm**, normally sung by pilgrims on their way to Jerusalem, is a thanksgiving prayer from someone who has been rescued from an ordeal. It uses the same cornerstone image as the First Reading. Like Peter, the psalmist acknowledges the Lord as his Saviour.

The writer of the **Second Reading** stresses that we are God's children. Although we might find the path difficult, and feel unsure of what the future holds, we will be transformed into God's likeness when we meet him. In the **Gospel**, Jesus describes himself as the Good Shepherd, who is prepared to lay down his life for us; he knows us intimately and wants to bring everyone into his fold.

On this Day of Prayer for Vocations, we might pray that everyone should be willing and able to fulfil their own vocation. We continue to pray for war-torn countries, that they will find a Good Shepherd to guide them out of conflict.

GOSPEL JOHN 10: 11–18 REFLECTION

Before starting to pray, I seek to come to quiet in whatever way works best for me. Perhaps I have my Bible, a cross or a well-loved picture near me. I take a few deep breaths. I then read the text slowly, stopping when I feel I need to reflect on its meaning. I may need to do this several times.

How does the image of Jesus as shepherd, and myself as one of his sheep, resonate with me? Perhaps I spend some time reflecting on the qualities needed to be a Good Shepherd: a shepherd who defends his charges, and defends me. I may want to express my gratitude to the Lord, who will not abandon me when I need his protection and help.

How do I feel when I realise Jesus the Good Shepherd knows me intimately, just as I am. Do I find this comforting . . . threatening . . . or . . .? Jesus is concerned for everyone, even if they are not of this fold. I ponder. How do I behave towards Christians who are not in full communion with my own church? Do I share Jesus's yearning for unity?

Finally, I may want to spend a few moments considering Jesus laying down his life of his own free will for me, and taking it up again. I speak to him openly about what arises in me. When I am ready, I thank the Lord for being with me today in my prayer. *Courtesy of St Bueno's Outreach in the Diocese of Wrexham, UK*



WE REMEMBER

In our prayers all who have died recently, Erika Mehler

Derrick Robert Desplace and those whose anniversaries are in

this month:

Theresa Rassey Joseph Henry

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen.

PLEASE PRAY

For all our Sick parishioners and family members:

Armando Bettiol Ioane (John) Tolu Margaret Wilson Carlos Guevarra Iakopo Tolu Narelle McCarthy Chervl Blanco Emerald Pereira Samayah Habid Maria Lourdes Villa Peter Howard Francesco Buenavista (Annabelle's Havelock's brother) Dan McNamara Angel Mactal Sheree Winchester Ian Littlewood Jana Bukovska Elizabeth Camav Frances Gibbs Jacques Ellio Telson Shirley Cumberland Ťoni Muir Felicidad Maniti (Rita Guevarra's Mum) Patricia Ioane Maletina Brown Mary Pereira (Jurolbe's Mum) Margaret Heath Bill Carroll Tess Wijesekera Anunciacion Buenavista Dawn Cooper Terri Eichperger (Helen Scully's twin) Albert Marzhew Dianne Redman-Stokes Winnifreda Postrado Eva Dillenseger Jennifer Tecson Dominic Bryant May you be wrapped up in God's love, Found deep in His everlasting wings, Carried and kept, safe and cherished. May the healing power of Christ Breathe across your being now.' www.lords-prayer-words.com

Care & Concern Home Communion on 22.04.2024 & 29.04.2024



BAPTISM We welcome into our Christian Community.

For Baptism information please contact the parish office on 3299 2000.

April 27 Saturday
April 28 Sunday
May 04 Saturday
May 05 Sunday

Week day Masses

There will be NO week day Masses next week. Neighbouring Parish's times are as below.

ANZAC Day

There will be NO Mass in our parish on Thursday 25th April for ANZAC Day however there will be a special Mass celebrated at St Peter's Rochedale at 9:00am. Other Mass times are below.

Keep safe and Well.

Fr Joseph



ANZAC Day is a national day of remembrance in Australia and New Zealand that broadly commemorates all Australians and New Zealanders "who served and died in all wars, conflicts, and peacekeeping operations" and "the contribution and suffering of all those who served".

Observed on the 25 April each year, ANZAC day was originally to honour the members of the Australian and New Zealand Army Corps (ANZAC) who fought at Gallipoli against the Ottoman Empire during World War 1. ANZAC Day is also observed in the Cook Islands, Niue, Pitcairn Islands, Tonga, and previously also as a national holiday in Papua New Guinea and Samoa. It is unofficially recognised and observed in Newfoundland, as they were the independent dominion and the Royal Newfoundland Regiment was the only North American unit to fight at Gallipoli.

At the end of 1915, the Allied forces were evacuated after both sides had suffered heavy casualties and endured great hardships. The Allied casualties included 21,255 from the United Kingdom, an estimated 10,000 dead soldiers from France, 8,709 from Australia, 2721 from New Zealand, and 1358 from British India.

ANZAC Day marks the anniversary of the first campaign that led to major casualties for Australian and New Zealand forces during the First world war. The acronym ANZAC stands for Australian and New Zealand Army Corps, whose soldiers were known as ANZACS.

ANZAC Day remains one of the most important national occasions of both Australia and New Zealand, a rare instance of two sovereign countries not only sharing the same Remembrance Day, but making reference to both countries in its name.

The actions of the Australian and New Zealand troops during the campaign bequeathed an intangible but powerful legacy. The creation of what became known as an "ANZAC legend" became an important part of national identity in both countries.

We gather, as we shall always gather, not to glorify war, but to remind ourselves that we value who we are and the freedoms we possess, and to acknowledge the courage and sacrifice of those who contributed so much in shaping the identity of this proud nation, and those that continue to serve. Tim Trainor 2022

PARISH UPDATE 2024 Dates to Remember

6:00pm	Confirmation-Rite of Enrolment Mass
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	<i>St George,</i> martyr <i>St Adalbert,</i> bishop, martyr	St Fidelis of Sigmaringen, priest, martyr 9:00am –9:30pm	ANZAC L	Day	<i>St Mark,</i> evangelist	<i>St Louis</i> <i>Grignion de</i> <i>Montfort</i> , priest	7:45am—8:00am Rosary 8:30am Mass
		Corpus Christi Adoration				6:00pm Vigil Mass	6:00pm Mass
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Preparation Session 1: Thursday 9 May 2024 6:00 - 7:00 pm			prepare to celebrate the Sesquicentenary				
		Thursday 16 May 2 6:00 - 7:00 pm	2024	of St Stephen's Cathedral.			
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Week day Masses in our Neighbouring Parish's.			Thank you for your support.				
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Weekdays: Monday: 7:00 (followed by A		St Paul's We Weekdays: Mon.Wed.–F Saturday 8:0	Fri.9:00am	X			ood shepherd sunday

Church Ministers' Rosters for next week 27 th - 28 th April 2024							
	Saturday @ 6:00pm	Sunday @ 8:30am	Sunday @ 6:00pm				
Mass Coordinator	Renato Guevarra	Denise Love	Miriam Silva				
Welcome Team (at entrance) Commentator (from lectern)	Rose George Volunteer	Brian Ridder Volunteer	Pat McCaffery Volunteer				
Parish Choirs	One Himig	Jaimes Family Choir	Volunteer				
Overhead Projectionist	Rose George	Tim Trainor Cheryl McCaffery					
Communion Minister (Bread & Wine)	Renato Guevarra & Volunteer x 3	Denise Love, Ana Fidow, Carmel Burgess, Jess Gregorio, Greg Gregorio & Volunteer x 2	Miaiam Silva & Volunteer x 3				
Proclaimers of the Word: 1	Gaby Guevarra	Chi Gardner	Volunteer				
Proclaimers of the Word: 2	Tia Peres	Kathleen Layton	Mattie Sarmiento				
Prayers of the Faithful	Belmira D'Souza	Chloe Gregorio	Volunteer				
Hospitality	PPC	El Shaddai Group	РРС				
WE BELONG FAMIL CREATING A SENSE OF CO Phone: (07) 2103 5777 E: W W:www.we belong far	OMMUNITY vebelongfdc@gmail.com	Catholic support services. providing help. creating hope. Child care services Outside School Hours Care T: 07 3208 9470 E: daisyhilloshc@bne.centacare.net.au					
C & C Creations Next get together will be on 01.05.2024. Contact: Noelene Magee I	Mobile: 0409 261 639	Senior Group Update Liturgy of the Word on 14 th May 2024 @ 9:00am					
St Edward's Parish R Steven Richard Cheryl McCa	ble Adults epresentative— dson 0401 696 696 affery—Assistant 07 3299 2000 obtained at: <u>au/support/safeguard/</u> provided for the	Seniors Lunch Outing: Friday 26 th April 2024 @ 12 noon Today we're going to Club Hotel Waterford, Cnr Loganlea Road and Kingston Road Waterford. If you require a lift please let me know. We will meet at the church at 11:15am. Numbers to me by 24 th April 2024. Contact: Noelene Magee Mobile: 0409 261 639 Email: daisyhill@bne.catholic.net.au					
can be made anonymously. P: 1 E: AOB@stopline.com.au		If you are new to the Parish or ar	e visiting, Welcome!				
can be made anonymously. P: 1	300 304 550 <u>ANE</u> <u>East Queensland</u> rance for all forms of eguarding everyone stries and services. The	If you are new to the Parish or ar We are glad you have come to s today. Please leave your details 3299 2000 so that our Parish Pr our Parish Pastoral Council can formal welcome. <i>Thank you.</i>	hare Eucharist with us with the parish office on riest and a member of				