



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 in the New Parishioners book on the table near the church entrance so that Fr. Marce and a member of our Parish Pastoral Council can formally welcome you. Thank you.

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The Most Holy Trinity

21st - 22nd May 2016

A FAMILY OF PERSONS

by Fr. Marce Singson



Today is the feast of the Holy Trinity, the day on which we celebrate the magnificent truth that God is a family of persons. God is three persons. The first person is the Father; the second person is the Son. It is by means of these family names that God has revealed himself to us, because his life is essentially one of family-

type relationships. Between the Father and the Son, there is a bond, a bond of love. In God this bond is a perfect and complete that it is a person, the Holy Spirit. God the Father and God the son from all eternity are locked in personal, perfect love companionship through the love that is, the Holy Spirit.

All through his life Jesus, the Son of God, addressed God as “my Father.” But when Jesus taught us on how to pray, he instructed us to pray by saying: “Our Father.” His Father has become our Father as well. Today in our Holy Mass, we are gathered as the family of God in his home, the Church. We are one in Christ, our brother, and the Holy Spirit is within us so that we may love our Father as we should. In this Mass, as taught by our Lord, we will say, “Our Father who art in heaven..” Then God will invite us to his family banquet in Holy Communion.

Sometimes we may feel that we want to be free from God and his fatherly commands and directions, as a child sometimes yearns for independence from parental guidance. But deep down, that is not what we really want. We want and need to belong, to have a personal relationships with others. Our human families are only the reflection of our eternal destiny which begins now in the Church. For God has called us into the inner circle of his own family life, the Blessed Trinity!



<p><u>WE REMEMBER</u></p>  <p>In our prayers all who have died recently,</p> <p>Carma O'Reilly Pamela Schatz Donna Clark</p> <p>and those whose anniversaries are in this month:</p> <p>Simeon Abrique Snr Gladys Copson Helen Flannigan</p> <p><i>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.</i></p>	<div> <div> CATECHISM <i>of the</i> CATHOLIC CHURCH </div> <div> <p>Basic questions answered according to the Catechism of the Catholic Church.</p> <p><i>Let's get to know our faith.</i></p> <p>Question: What is the lay vocation?</p> <p>The laity are sent to engage in society so that the kingdom of God can grow among men. A lay person is not a second-class Christian, for he shares in the priestly ministry of Christ (the universal priesthood). He sees to it that the people in his walk of life (in school, family and work) come to know the Gospel and learn to love Christ. Through his faith he leaves a mark on society, business, and politics. He supports the life of the Church, for instance, by becoming a lector or an extraordinary minister, by volunteering as a group leader, or by serving on church committees and councils (for example, the parish council or the board of directors of an institution). Young people especially should give serious thought to the question of what place God might want them to have in the Church. (YOUCAT question 139)</p> <p>Question: - Why is the Church called apostolic? // How is the Church structured?</p> <p>Why is the Church called apostolic?</p> <p>The Church is called apostolic because she was founded by the apostles, holds fast to their Tradition, and is governed by their successors.</p> <p>Jesus called the apostles to be his closest collaborators. They were his eyewitnesses. After his Resurrection, he appeared to them repeatedly. He bestowed on them the Holy Spirit and sent them as his authoritative messengers to all the world. They assured unity in the early Church. They conferred their mission and authority upon their successors, the bishops, through the laying on of hands. This process is called apostolic succession.</p> <p>How is the one, holy, catholic, and apostolic Church structured?</p> <p>In the Church there are the laity and clerics (clergy). As children of God, they are of equal dignity. They have equally important but different tasks. The mission of the laity is to direct the whole world toward the kingdom of God. In addition, there are the ordained ministers (clerics), who have the duties of ecclesiastical governance, teaching, and sanctification. In both states of life, there are Christians who place themselves at God's disposal in a special way through celibacy, poverty, and obedience (for example, consecrated religious).</p> <p>Every Christian has the duty to bear witness to the Gospel by his own life. But God walks a special path with each person. Some he sends as laymen, so that they might build up the kingdom of God by their family and occupation in the midst of the world. For this purpose, he bestows on them in Baptism and Confirmation all the necessary gifts of the Holy Spirit. Others he entrusts with the pastoral ministry; they are to govern, teach, and sanctify his people. No one can take this duty upon himself; the Lord himself must send him on his way with his divine power through Holy Orders, so that he can act in the place of Christ and administer the sacraments. (YOUCAT questions 137-138)</p> <p>Question: Why is the Church not a democratic organization?</p> <p>Democracy operates on the principle that all power comes from the people. In the Church, however, all power comes from Christ. That is why the Church has a hierarchical structure. At the same time, however, Christ gave her a collegial structure as well.</p> <p>The hierarchical element in the Church consists in the fact that Christ himself is the one who acts in the Church when ordained ministers, by God's grace, do or give something that they could not do or give by themselves, in other words, when they administer the sacraments in Christ's place and teach with his authority. The collegial element in the Church consists in the fact that Christ entrusted the entire faith to a group of twelve apostles, whose successors govern the Church, with the Pope, the Petrine ministry presiding. Given this collegial approach, councils are an indispensable part of the Church. Yet even in other administrative bodies of the Church, in synods and councils, the manifold gifts of the Spirit and the universality of the Church throughout the world can be fruitful. (YOUCAT)</p> </div> </div>
 <p><u>PLEASE PRAY</u></p> <p>For all our Sick parishioners and family members:</p> <p>Elizabeth Camay Bob Smith Lorenzo Soriano Encarnacion Soriano</p> <p>Theresa Brady Would like to say THANK YOU to the community for your prayers. They have worked.</p> <p>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.</p> <p><i>Thank you.</i></p>	
 <p><u>BAPTISM</u></p> <p><i>We welcome into our Christian community:</i></p> <p>Ellie Ingrid Harvey Jason Carl Marurai Elma Ida Spooner-Marurai Noah Thomas Purcell</p> <p><i>Baptism 7 days a week. Please phone the parish office for information regarding Baptism.</i></p>	

MASS TIMES 22nd - 28th May 2016

Sunday, 22nd May The Most Holy Trinity	Monday, 23rd May	Tuesday, 24th May	Wednesday, 25th May	Thursday, 26th May	Friday, 27th May	Saturday 28th May
8.30am Mass 6.00pm Mass	7.00am Rosary 7.30am Mass	7.00pm Mass Adoration	7.00am Rosary 7.30am Mass	7.30am Mass	7.00am Rosary 7.30am Mass	7.30am Mass
		Our Lady Help of Christians - Patron of Australia		St Phillip Neri	St Augustine of Canterbury	5.30pm Reconciliation 6.00pm Mass



We are now half way through the term, and they do say time flies when you are having fun! We have returned from our New Zealand trip to many excited students and teachers wanting to hear about our adventures. During our time we visited 6 schools and shared many learning practises and strategies. We gained some great ideas but also got some high acclamation for the work we are doing at St Edward's.

Our Year 3 and 5 students spent 3 days last week undertaking the NAPLAN testing. The National Assessment Program – Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN) is an annual assessment for students in Years 3, 5, 7 and 9. It has been a part of the school calendar since 2008. Our student did take time to celebrate after these days. Some other highlights have been:



Classes also participated in a chocolate drive to support the upcoming fete in Term 3. Groups had fun designing chocolate creations - see some photos here!

St Edward's had three netball teams participate in the QC Netball Cup. Congratulations to our 10/11 Division 2 winners on the day who played all games undefeated.

Our Year 5 took time to celebrate mass with Fr Marce and their parents on Thursday. The theme for the mass was "Come Holy Spirit" as they have spent time in class learning about how the Holy Spirit is at work within our community.

Have a great week

Bronwyn, Brenden and Danielle



Catholic Community Organising Gathering

People from Catholic parishes across Logan are gathering to learn more about how community organising can help us build stronger parishes and a better community in Logan City. Join us Tuesday 7th June, 6.30-8pm at St Maximillien Kolbe Parish, Marsden.

Devett Kennedy
Community Organiser
Queensland Community Alliance
Mobile 0467 563 796



*Happy Birthday &
Happy Anniversary*

**To all the members of our
Parish Community who are celebrating their Birth-
days and Wedding Anniversaries in this Month.**

*Congratulations
for your Special Day
and Many blessings to you.*



Parish Hospitality Teams

Join us and the Parish Community in 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 Saturday and Sunday of the Month.

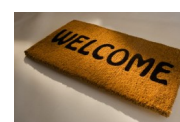
21st May 2016

After Saturday evening 6.00pm Mass

22nd May 2016

After Sunday Morning 8.30am Mass

After Sunday Evening 6.00pm Mass



Church Ministers' Rosters for next weekend 28th - 29th May 2016

	Saturday 6.00pm	Sunday 8.30am	Sunday 6.00pm
Holy Mass Coordinators	Jim & Fay	Rita Blacker	Gavin Clancy
Parish Choirs	Couples of Christ	St Cecilia	Hispano-American
Overhead Projectionist	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers
Proclaimers of the Word: 1	Camille Sonido	Tim Trainor	Heather Cooper
Proclaimers of the Word: 2	Dylan Peres	Enzo Cruz	Colin Clancy
Communion Ministers	Neville Peres	Laura Ferrall	Denise Clancy
	Anita Peres	Scott Perett	Sandra Seneviratne
	Fleur Garbellotto	Rita Blacker	Joanna Roche
		Denise Love	
		Carmel Burgess	
		Brian Ridder	
		Johann Xavier	
Alter Servers	Candice Wessling	Simeon Bampton	Job Villadolid
	Jonathan Wessling	Virginia Isbon	Elijah Alitin



SVDP Winter Appeal

The Daisy Hill SVDP Conference is running its Winter Appeal next weekend 28th & 29th May and the following weekend 4th & 5th June. St Vincent de Paul envelopes will be placed on the pews and you are asked to place your donation in the envelope and seal it. Then place it in one of the collection plates. If you need a receipt for tax purposes put your details in the place provided in the envelope. Your donation will be used to provide the essentials of life – shelter, food, clothing and furniture for the poor in our community. A big thank you to all those who bring donations of food each week. Your contribution is greatly appreciated.



Senior Group Update

Mass : Tuesday 14th June 9.00 am

At this Mass Fr also holds an Anointing of the Sick.

A cuppa Morning tea will be served after Mass.

Transport can be arranged if required

Friday 17th June Lunch at Logan City

Recreational & Sporting Club, Kingston

Meet at church 11.30am Numbers to Noelene by
16th June

Enquiries to Noelene 32085304 or 0409261639



Daisy Hill and Southside Family Day Care, would like to welcome Sanja, a new Educator. Sanja is located at Shailer Park and holds a Diploma of Child Care. Sanja has been working in England as an Educator in Family Day Care for several years and is very warm and enthusiastic and we are pleased to have her join our team. Welcome Sanja!

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:

29th May

12th June

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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The Privacy Act impacts upon us all today and if you wish to peruse the Compliance Requirements and the Privacy Act, please go to the Archdiocesan Website www.bne.catholic.net.au or www.stewardsdaisyhill.org.au