



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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Pentecost Sunday (Year B)

23rd—24th May 2015

GIFTS OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

by Fr. Marce Singson



American psychoanalyst Dr. William Menninger, who died in 1966, listed seven qualities one should possess to qualify as an adult person. And it is surprising how closely his list coincides with the seven gifts of the Holy Spirit. Menninger said that to be emotionally mature, one should:

Have the ability to deal constructively with reality. The gift of WISDOM enables us to distinguish reality from fantasy and live accordingly.

Have the capacity of adapt change. UNDERSTANDING helps one to accept changes, seeing them as being for the common good. Most people don't like change but favor progress. There can be no progress without change.

Have relative freedom from symptoms that are produced by tensions and anxieties. COUNSEL leads us to delve beyond the visible to discover

the hidden causes and symptoms of tensions and fears.

Have the capacity to find more happiness in giving than receiving. PIETY warns us against selfishness. The Acts of the Apostles, which describes the coming of the Holy Spirit, also contains Jesus' adage: "There is more happiness in giving than in receiving." (Acts 20:35)

Have the capacity to relate people in a consistent manner, with mutual satisfaction and helpfulness. KNOWLEDGE gives consistent direction to our lives, lest we be shattered by every passing emotion.

Have the capacity to direct our instinctive hostile energy into creative and constructive outlets. FEAR OF THE LORD is beneficial and prods us to accomplish good deeds which otherwise may be left undone. Fear of the Lord is NOT negative. It means awe and reverence to God.

Have the capacity to love. FORTITUDE is necessary for true love, for it gives us courage to make a solemn commitment in spite of the risk of being rejected.

The Spirit of Pentecost moves us from fear to courage; from weakness to strength; from grabbing to giving. It dares us to live a faith-filled, love-inspired life each day.



COME HOLY SPIRIT, AND
FILL OUR LIVES WITH YOUR
PRECIOUS GIFTS!

WE REMEMBER



In our prayers all who have died recently, Peter Nehler, Hulita Tavita, Keith Jean Pierre *and* all whose anniversaries occur about this time- Mrs Ellen Abayasekera (28/5/2014), Francisco Gener, Patricia MacKay, Giselle Proudfoot, Mary Cassidy (anniversary 6/4/15), Manuel Beltran, Edna Buagas, Pelenato Seumanu, Terry Lloyd.



PLEASE PRAY

For all our sick parishioners and family members:

Fetu Hodgson, Margie Ausling, Carolyn Winter, Edna Buagas, Vincent Sarahena, Benedicta Alvarez, Michael Abraham, Jeff Jones, Carmel Andrews, Donald Ross, Victor Yerre, Zacarias Beltram, Benedicta Alvarez, Zacarias Manuel, Christopher Hamilton, Tom McCormack, Moira Roberts, Kevin Healy, Michael Abraham, Ekuoti Tupi, Cecilia Tia, Ava Gomes, Joy Moy, Maria Tautua, Franco Milaudi, Kate Muller, Maria de Jesus, Rachael Oस्पiv, Romeo Lopez, Benjoe Estubo, Shirley Roberts, Pat Mey, Elizabeth Toh, Bruce Walker, Eliza Yunzal, Virgilio Lopez, Fernando Lopez, John Lines, Brendon Vine, Rita Torio, Rani Kreknbech, Henie Sagun, Eugene Sagun, Joseph Hatch, William Hatch, Roberto Lopez Jr. Paula Tauta, Lily Marques, Marie Claire, Mel Raileigh, James Carsen, Carmilita Lopez, Joan Hickey, Sinead McClaulan, Ed Concepcion, Desiree Soliano, Alice & Mike Blackmore, Carmel Andrews, Thelma Nichoson, Alice & Keiran Blackmore, Michael Reyes, Joe Kindermann, Ken Robson, Paulo Roble, Jay Dotta, Elario De Jesu, Cath Futchler Cynthia Abanil, Adelaide Mackenzie, Corazon Darby, Rosa Montgrande, Allan Kingston, Mary McNeil, Val Temple, Tyrone Lamb, Evelyn Legge, Ann Carroll, Peter Chow, Harry Phillips, Margaret Phillips, Maria Fernadez, Glenda Fowler, Denise Risson, Gary Trevena, Eileen Lamarque, Don Newcombe.



BAPTISM

We welcome into our Christian community:

Ryder James Anton Kelly
Lucinda Nicole Woodley
Travis Samuel Woodley

Amelia Rose-Minette Wahrlich Storey who is being baptised here this weekend. Please pray for these Family and Friends as we welcome them into our Faith Community here at St. Edwards.

Baptism 7 days a week. Please phone the Parish Office for information regarding Baptism

COMMUNION OF THE SICK



Next date for Communion to the Sick is 8th June. Please phone the office if you would like to be added to our Communion list.

MASS TIMES

Sunday, 24th May 2015
Pentecost Sunday
.. Mass: 8.30 am
.. Mass: 6 pm

Monday, 25th May 2015
Our Lady Help of Christians
.. Rosary 7.00 am
.. Mass: 7.30 am

Tuesday, 26th May 2015
St Philip Neri
.. Mass: 7.00 pm
.. Adoration

Wednesday, 27th May 2015
.. Rosary 7.00 am
.. Mass: 7.30 am

Thursday, 28th May 2015
.. Mass: 7.30 am

Friday, 29th May 2015
.. Rosary 7.00 am
.. Mass: 7.30 am

Saturday, 30th May 2015
.. Mass: 7.30 am
.. Mass 6.00 pm

Sunday, 31st May 2015
Trinity Sunday
.. Mass: 8.30 am
.. Mass: 6 pm

READINGS

1st Reading
Psalm
2nd Reading
Gospel Reading
Genesis 11: 1-9
Ps 103: 1-2, 24, 27-30, 35
Lord, send out your Spirit and renew the face of the Earth.
Romans 8.22-27
John 7: 37-39

1st Reading
Psalm
2nd Reading
Gospel Reading
Proverbs 31: 10-13, 19-20, 31—31
Judith 13: 18-20
James: 3:13-18
Luke 1: 39-56

1st Reading
Psalm
Gospel Reading
Sirach 35: 1-12
Ps 49: 5-8, 14, 23
Mark 10: 28-31

1st Reading
Psalm
Gospel Reading
Sirach 36: 1, 4-5, 10-17
Ps 78: 8-9, 11, 13
Mark 10: 32-45

1st Reading
Psalm
Gospel Reading
Sirach 42: 15-25
Ps 32:2-9
Mark 10: 46-52

1st Reading
Psalm
Gospel Reading
Sirach 44 : 1, 9-13
Ps 149: 1-6, 9
Mark 11: 11-26

1st Reading
Psalm
Gospel Reading
Sirach 51 : 12-20
Ps 18 : 8-11
Mark 11: 27-33

1st Reading
Psalm
2nd Reading
Gospel Reading
Deut 4:32-34, 39-40
Ps 32: 4-6, 9, 18-20, 22
Romans 8 : 14-17
Matthew 28: 16 –20

EVANGELII GAUDIUM

THE JOY OF THE GOSPEL



POPE FRANCIS

Date Claimer: 18th June 2015

Walking the path of joy, mercy and compassion with Pope Francis.
From 6pm to 7.45pm
At St Edward's Church
By : Rob Cosgrove
(Evangelisation Brisbane)

It is now over two years since our new pope first graced us with his smile and infected us with his joy. Through images and video this presentation will highlight significant events in the life of Pope Francis. We will also explore some of his vision – his dream – **for the Church** in the 21st century through his writing in *The Joy of the Gospel*.

This presentation is for anyone in the parish who is interested in the words and actions of Pope Francis and what these mean for us today.



SVDP DAISY HILL WINTER APPEAL

We are having our SVDP DAISY HILL WINTER APPEAL on the second weekend of June (13th and 14th June). We ask and plead that you be generous in your contributions.

I realise that in recent weeks we have been called upon to contribute to places suffering natural disasters; this time we are asking to help the poor in our Daisy Hill community. There are far more families with little children living below the poverty line than we realize. Sorry to be the bearer of bad news but the number of these families is increasing; people are being retrenched from work, others cannot find work. These are the stories we are hearing in each visit.

How can you help: Give a monetary donation, which is tax deductible. Put your donation in the envelope found on the seat in the church, put your name and address on it and put it on one of the collection plates. Your receipt can be collected from the piety stall at a later date. You can also donate non perishable foods items. At present we are in great need of food as our pantry is almost empty. Put items in the SVDP box at the entrance to the church. All donations will go directly to helping the poor as we have little overhead expenses.

Do not bring clothes to the church as we have no storage for them. Take them to the SVDP shop on the service road. We give vouchers for people to go there. If you have furniture or bedding contact us and we will arrange to have the items picked up. Let us give generously and not judge but rather reflect on St Philip Neri's words when he saw an alcoholic walking the streets of Rome. "There go I but for the grace of God".



Next weekend, please make welcome **Fr Trevor Trotter**. He will join us for all the weekend masses. He is a Columban priest, who served in the Philippines, then taught at the Columban Mission Institute and the Catholic Theological Union in Sydney. Currently he is in-charge of the Diaconate program of the Archdiocese of Brisbane.



SCHOOL NEWS

Week 5 Parish Newsletter

On Thursday the Year One students celebrated a beautiful liturgy taking time to be thankful for the gift of families. It was wonderful to see so many of our mums, dads, grandmothers, grandfathers and carers who could join with us for this special occasion! The children did a fantastic job with their acting and singing, adding a great spirit to the celebration. After the liturgy the students performed some great hip hop dances in the hall, provided tours of their learning in the classrooms and shared a morning tea with their families.

Friday saw the Year Four students and teachers attend a matinee performance of Alice in Wonderland at Clairvaux MacKillop College. It was a real treat as the students enjoyed this beloved story- watching an extraordinary adventure performed by the talented Clairvaux students.

Throughout the Religion Curriculum prayer is a key component. This week we have had the pleasure of visiting the Year Two classrooms to talk and share some meditative practises. In Year Two meditative prayer focuses on silence and stillness to listen and talk to God. The students took some time to focus on centered breathing and mindful movements. Some Reflections from the Year Two students:

"In meditation we pray to God and it brings us closer to him"

Ciara

"We focused on our breathing and had to really concentrate to do this slowly. It helps be calm" Piper

John, Bronwyn and Danielle



Church Ministers' Rosters for next weekend 30th & 31st May 2015

	Saturday 6.00pm	Sunday 8.30am	Sunday 6.00pm
Holy Mass Coordinators	John Wood	Rita Blacker	Gavin Clancey
Parish Choirs	Spiritus Choir	Frankie's Choir	Miguel & Ana
Overhead Projectionist	Volunteer	Volunteer	Volunteer
Proclaimers of the Word: 1	Edmund Lai	John Winter	Heather Cooper
Proclaimers of the Word: 2	Cecilia Lai	Tim Trainor	Colin or Mal Clancy
Communion Ministers	David McLean	Laura Ferrall	Denise Clancy
	Ann Hannaby	Samantha French	Sandra Senevirantne
	Edmund Lai	Rita Blacker	Joanna Roche
		Denise Love	
		Carmel Burgess	

Other Parish Rosters for the month of June- Plant watering: Ann Mackay - Washing Purifiers: Rita Blacker

The Catholic Leader: Keeping faith with you

In this week's issue:

- * US visitor Bobby Schindler, determined that his sister Terri Schiavo's death will not be in vain, alerts Australia to 'death culture'
- * Caritas leader slams foreign aid cuts
- * Catholic welfare agencies claim Budget fails the vulnerable
- * 12-year-old Padua College student is only Australian player chosen for prestigious tennis tournament in Paris
- * Pope Francis recommends three key phrases for families – 'May I?', 'Thank you' and 'Forgive me'

- * NET Ministries to hold four-day formation training event for young adults, especially university students
- * Catholic schoolgirls chip in to 'save man's best friend'
- * 'Pray for Aleppo. People are fearful as never before,' says religious sister ministering among a community under attack
- * Talking point: Fr Brian Vale on freedom of speech and the responsibility that follows

PLUS: A regional focus on Northern NSW.

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COLLECTIONS ON WEEKENDS

We sincerely thank you, our Parishioners for your contribution towards the Parish Planned Giving Program and the Loose collection, collected last weekend. We collected \$2460.75. God bless you for your generosity.

If you would like to join the Parish Planned Giving program, please contact the Parish office. We have various payment options: Envelopes, Direct Debit or Credit Card Payment.

Vocation View

Be guided by the Holy Spirit, because with the Spirit comes love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, trustfulness, gentleness and self control. With God's help, come forward to proclaim to those who are searching for meaning in life. As the Spirit is our life, let us be directed by the Spirit.



Seniors Luncheon

All are welcome to join with the Seniors for Lunch at The Windaroo Tavern
159 Beaudesert-Beenleigh Road Mt Warren Park On : 29th May 2015
Meet at Church at 11.30 am, Lunch at 12.00pm, Lift can be arranged
RSVP by 28th May 2015, Call: Noelene Magee, Ph. 3208 5304, Mob: 0409 261 639

St Eddies Men's Group

Scheduled meeting on the 27th May
Is **CANCELLED**
Next meeting will be 10th June
Contact – Danny 32082305

"Christians should have their heart fixed on the Holy Spirit. The only one that gives firmness to our hearts is the Holy Spirit. It is good to think that we have this great gift that Jesus left us, the spirit of fortitude, of counsel, who helps us to move forward in the midst, surrounded by everyday trials. "

Pope Francis - May 19 - 2014