



Parish of St Edward the Confessor



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Welcome!

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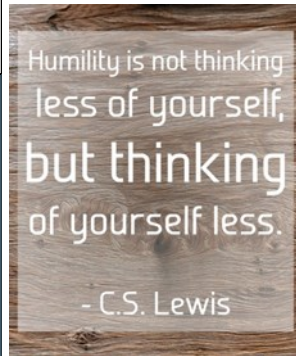
Daisy Hill & Southside Family Day Care
Phone: 3208 0463

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

27th - 28th August 2016

Humility is Balance

Fr. Marce Singson



What comes to your mind when you hear the word “humility?” Many of us often associate humility with self-depreciation: our eyes cast downward; our shoulders are slumped; our walk is slow and hesitant; and our words do not come easy; we must defer to others who are superior to us. Humility is not self-depreciation. It is not self-hatred or denial of God-given talents. Our failure to appreciate our gifts and talents and use them to praise and serve God and help others is anything but humility. It is a denial of God’s love and a failure to take responsibility for the gifts and skills which have been entrusted to us.

In our first reading in today’s Mass, the wise man of the Bible, Sirach, teaches the way of humility because it is grounded on truth. The Book of Sirach says: “My son, conduct your affairs with humility, and you will be loved more than a giver of gifts. The greater you are, humble yourself the more, and you will find favour with God.”

We see ourselves as we are and with no illusions of greatness or destructive images which evoke self-hatred or self-depreciation. The humble person has a truthful self-image in relation to God and others; they do not try to claim knowledge or strength beyond what is reasonable; they know limits and respects boundaries; the humble person is always open to wisdom. Our reach does not exceed its grasp; neither do we refrain from extending ourselves and developing our talents we have been given. Humility is balance.

The humble person is prudent. He does not grab places of honour or first seats in social gatherings. The humble person is sensitive to the achievements and success of others and is not threatened by them. The humble person is sensitive to the needs of others and knows how to judge a character. He gives without thinking of a reward nor does he demand words of appreciation from the crowd or from the leader.

A humble person gives freely his love to others without dictating or manipulating or controlling others.

A humble person is a balanced person.



WE REMEMBER

In our prayers all who have died recently,



Marcelina Pahilanga
Thelma Mary Nicholson

and those whose anniversaries are in this month:

Lammert Van der Meer
Barbara Bettiol
Conchita Bucar Gallardo
Concepaon Lopez
Chisler Lloyd Panganiban
William Darby

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.



PLEASE PRAY

For all our Sick parishioners and family members:

Phil Jones
Tess Villar
Jonas Tajon
Henie Sagun
Betty Smith
Su Cooper

Joseph Anthonisz

Jonas Tajon
Henie Sagun

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**

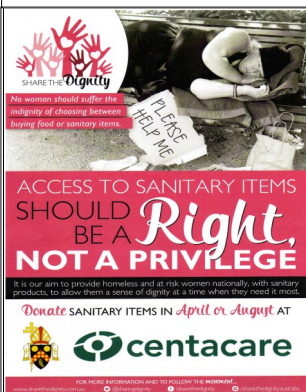


BAPTISM

We welcome into our Christian community:

Christine Joy Nate
Naledi Rose Chamo
Scarlett Anne Beckmann

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



Share the Dignity provides nationally to homeless and at risk women, sanitary products to allow them a sense of dignity at a time when they need it most.

No woman should suffer the indignity of choosing between eating and buying sanitary items. This program will run for the month of August. Please give generously. A box will be placed in the Church where you can place your donation. **Thank you.**

CATECHISM of the CATHOLIC CHURCH

Basic questions answered according to the Catechism of the Catholic Church.

Let's get to know our faith.

Question: What is liturgy?

Liturgy is the official divine worship of the Church.

A Liturgy is not an event that depends on good ideas and great songs. No one makes or invents a liturgy. It is something living that grew over millennia of faith. A Mass is a holy, venerable action. Liturgy becomes exciting when one senses that God himself is present under its sacred signs and its precious, often ancient prayers.

Question: Why does the liturgy have priority in the life of the Church and of the individual?

"The liturgy is the summit toward which the activity of the Church is directed; it is also the font from which all her power flows" (Second Vatican Council, Sacrosanctum concilium 10).

During Jesus' lifetime, multitudes of people flocked to him, because they were seeking his healing presence. Even today we can find him, for he lives in his Church. He assures us of his presence in two places: in service to the poor and in the Eucharist. There we run directly into his arms. And when we let him get close to us, he teaches us, feeds us, transforms us, heals us, and becomes one with us in the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. (YOUCAT questions 167-168)

IMPORTANT NOTICE

The Parish Office will be **closed on Tuesday 30th August** due to training at the Archdiocesan office in the City. If you have an queries please send an email to daisyhill@bne.catholic.net.au and it will be attended to when the office re-opens on Thursday 01st September.

Sorry for any inconvenience.

Thank you for your understanding.



I write to thank Fr Marce, Fr Quentin and all the parishioners of St Edwards for their visits, messages and prayers during my recent stay in hospital. I am home again now and well on the mend. Thank you all most sincerely. God bless you all. **Phil Jones**



**Happy Birthday &
Happy Anniversary**

To all the members of our

Parish Community who are celebrating their Birthdays and Wedding Anniversaries in this Month.

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

NOW...


**Available for purchase
2017 Columban Art Calendar**

It is an amazing fact that after almost 95 years, and with generosity of our parish, the Calendar still supports the activities of Columbans working to bring the Good News to poor communities and to make our local Church more missionary. The Columban Art calendar is accompanied by an in-depth Art Guide, a free downloadable audio visual and written resource which gives an insightful explanation of each painting featured in the Calendar - www.columban.org.au/2017artguide
Recommended retail price is \$9.00.
Available from the Parish Office or SVDP Store.



2017 Columban Art Calendar

MASS TIMES 28th August - 03rd September 2016						
Sunday, 28th August	Monday, 29th August	Tuesday, 30th August	Wednesday, 31st August	Thursday, 1st September	Friday, 2nd September	Saturday 3rd September
8.30am Mass 6.00pm Mass	<i>NO MASS</i>	<i>NO MASS</i>	<i>NO MASS</i>	<i>NO MASS</i>	<i>NO MASS</i>	<i>NO MASS</i>
<i>22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>						5.30pm Reconciliation 6.00pm Mass



This week our Year 6 students ventured to Bilambil to Camp Goodenough. They had three days of filled activities. They were lucky to have fine weather for most of the trip, enjoying teamwork activities of team pursuits, billy cart building, crate stacking and high ropes.

At this week’s Brisbane Catholic Education Leadership Forum the next strategic Plan for 2017-20 was launched. This plan is our roadmap to a future in which all Brisbane Catholic Education students have a love of learning and a heart of hope, which empowers them to shape and enrich our world. It has evolved from our previous Strategic Renewal Frameworks and office strategy. The Strategic Plan will steer our work over the next four years, as we continue in our mission to teach, challenge and transform. Our commitment remains on achieving strong Catholic identity and excellent learning and teaching, and building a sustainable future.

We hope you had a great week
Bronwyn, Brendan and Danielle





Bequests to St. Edwards Parish

We all know the importance of having a properly written will. It saves confusion in a family and also most importantly allows your personal wishes to be legally fulfilled.


So when you are writing or updating your will the Parish Finance Council of St Edward the Confessor Catholic Parish would like to invite you to consider making a bequest to help us with our needs for future projects. This will help keep our parish alive and flourishing.

We are blessed to belong to prayerful, friendly, caring and growing church community so we must make provisions and plan ahead so we can grow and keep up with our communities in needs.

Any bequests no matter how big or small would gratefully be received and applied to Parish projects to ensure the continued future of our parish and to enable the upkeep of our beautiful church and surrounding buildings.

Please take time to consider making such a bequest. Thank you.

*The Parish Finance Council
St. Edward’s Parish*



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.


28th August 2016
After Sunday morning 8.30am Mass
Vange Munn’s Team

After Sunday evening 6.00pm Mass
Cheryl McCaffery’s Team

04th September 2016
After Sunday morning 8.30am Mass
Rose George’s Team

Senior Group Update

Mass : Tuesday 13th September 2016 at 9.00 am



Outing: Friday 9th September

Bus Trip. Laidley Spring Festival.

Meet at the church at 8:45am. Depart 9am and return 4pm. Cost \$30 per person for bus. Meals available at many hotels and cafes in town. Numbers and money to me for bus by Friday the 2nd September. No refund on bookings after the 2nd.

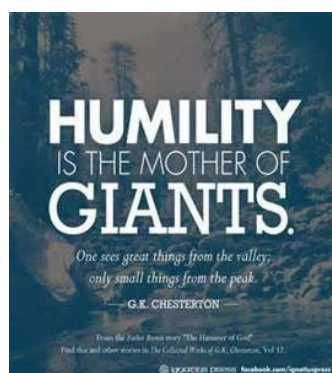
Any enquiries or to book please contact Noelene
3208 5304 or 0409 261 639

Church Ministers' Rosters for next weekend 03rd - 04th September 2016

	Saturday 6.00pm	Sunday 8.30am	Sunday 6.00pm
Holy Mass Coordinators	Iona & Ronet D'Mello	Brian Ridder	Jeanne Medina
Parish Choirs	Spiritus	St Cecilia	El Shaddai
Overhead Projectionist	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers
Proclaimers of the Word: 1	JR Bandola	Ella Villar	Celi Arezza
Proclaimers of the Word: 2	Sharon Biasillo	Vange Munn	Marinel or Marian
Communion Ministers	Muriel Mairhofer	Steven Richardson	Cheryl McCaffery
	Chriselle D'Mello	John Guiton	Nix Arezzaq
	Glenn Hallorina	Maria Beck-Richardson	Sean O'Brien
		Reece Healy	Ferdi Alitin
		Chi Gardner	Ica Medina
		Sio Afoa	
		Ed Havelock	
Alter Servers	Annabelle Wessling	Shannon Oporto	Caleb O'Brien
	Jonathan Wessling	Virginia Mirago	Ella O'Brien

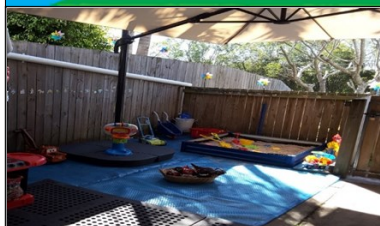


This week in the Gospel we are asked to reflect on the virtue of humility:- what is true humility as opposed to false/fake humility? Dom Bede Griffiths in his contemplative diary entries openly confesses that "He is no better than anyone else in the world". What did he mean? Fr Ron Holeiser (OMI) explains. Don Bede is looking at the core of his being, the depth of his heart. He realises that he like everyone else in the world: he is vulnerable, alone, fearful, naked, self-centred, inadequate, helpless just as much in need of God and others as much as every other person on this earth, and thus, no better than anyone else. He is acknowledging that ultimately we are all equally helpless to give ourselves life. Let us listen to the deeper yearnings of our heart to accept our dependence on the "dinner host" God who nourishes and gives life.



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.



We would like to welcome Lilian to our Family Day Care team. Lilian's philosophy is based on providing the best care for your children's wellbeing and nurturing them in a learning environment during the important early years of their lives. Lilian is based in Slacks Creek.

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: **August 28th; September 11th; October 16th & 30th; 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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We here at the Parish of St Edward the Confessor, as part of the Archdiocese of Brisbane MUST ABIDE BY AND ADHERE TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE PRIVACY ACT AND THE AUSTRALIAN PRIVACY PRINCIPLES. Archdiocesan Website www.bne.catholic.net.au or www.stewardsdaisychill.org.au
We are also compelled to adhere to the **Policy of the Safeguarding Children & Vulnerable Adults**
<https://brisbanecatholic.org.au/support/safeguard/>