



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.

CHURCH

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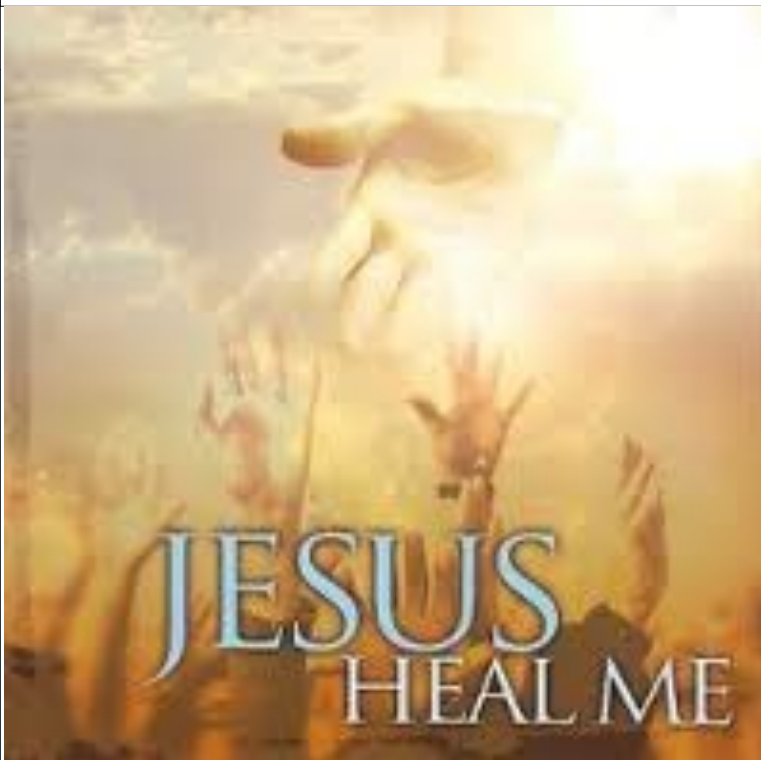
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13th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday (Year B)
27th - 28th June 2015

FAITH IS REQUIRED

by Fr. Marce Singson



Jesus spent many days in his ministry healing the sick and crippled. He did not practice medicine but did perform genuine cures. His reputation spread and people flocked to him. In today's gospel, a man begs Jesus to come and "lay his hands" on his little daughter, "so that she may get well." On

the way, a woman, sick of hemorrhage for twelve years, pushes through the crowd to merely touch Jesus' cloak, convinced a cure will result. She is healed on the spot, because of her faith in Jesus' curative power. When news arrives that the little girl has died, Jesus never breaks his stride but continues to the house and gives her a new lease of life. True religion and good medicine are joined in the person of Jesus. Today they continue to work together for the benefit of society.

Through the sacraments, the Church reaches out to heal. Reconciliation is meant to leave a person feeling better and stronger, ready to begin anew with a better outlook. The sacrament of the sick, approached with faith, consoles, strengthens and cures the recipient on many hurts and fears. It is an example of faith healing at its best. In the Church, we pray for the sick, interceding on behalf of others. Much depends not only on the disposition of the sick person but also on the faith of the one asking for prayer. Jairus' daughter in today's gospel, did not ask Jesus for the cure; her father did. Possibly the little girl herself had no knowledge of Jesus, but her dad believed and Jesus came and worked a miracle because of his faith.

The cures of Jesus were neither magical nor automatic. They flowed directly from religious conviction. Faith is required. Therefore, faith must be present before every prayer we pray; before every sacrament we receive; before every healing we seek.



Happy Birthday & Happy Anniversary

To all the members of our Parish Community who are celebrating their Birthdays and Wedding Anniversaries in this Month.

Congratulations for your Special Day and Many blessings to you.

WE REMEMBER



In our prayers all who have died recently, Fetu Hodgson, Rob Lee, Denice Risson, Franklin Caeiro (India), Robert George Ridgeway, Moira Roberts, John Patrick Keane, Crispin Merto, Peter Nehler, Hulita Tavita, Keith Jean Pierre



PLEASE PRAY

For all our sick parishioners and family members:

Scott Bearon, Elaine Liddon, 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, Kevin Healy, Michael Abraham, Ekuoti Tupi, Cecilia Tia, Ava Gomes, Joy Moy, Maria Tautua, Franco Milaudi, Kate Muller, Maria de Jesus, Rachael Osyv, 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 Fatcher 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, Gary Trevena, Eileen Lamarque, Don Newcombe.



BAPTISM

We welcome into our Christian community:

Those baptised during this week. Please pray for these Family as we welcome them into our Faith Community.

Sophie Louise Doyle

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 6th July. Please phone the office if you would like to be added to our Communion list.

MASS TIMES

Sunday, 28th June 2015
13th Sunday in Ordinary time

.. Mass: 8.30 am
.. Mass: 6 pm

Monday, 29th June 2015
Feast of St Peter & St Paul

.. Rosary 7.00 am
.. Mass: 7.30 am

Tuesday, 30th June 2015
.. Mass: 7.00 pm
.. **Adoration**

Wednesday, 1st July 2015
.. Rosary 7.00 am
.. Mass: 7.30 am

Thursday, 2nd July 2015
.. Mass: 7.30 am

Friday, 3rd July 2015
Feast of St Thomas the Apostle
.. Rosary 7.00 am
.. Mass: 7.30 am

Saturday, 4th July 2015
.. Mass: 7.30 am
.. Mass 6.00 pm

Sunday, 5th July 2015
14th Sunday in Ordinary time

.. Mass: 8.30 am
.. Mass: 6 pm

READINGS

1st Reading
Psalm
2nd Reading
Gospel Reading

Wisdom1: 13-15; 2:23-24
Psalm 29:2, 4-6, 11-13
I will praise you Lord, for you have rescued me.
2 Corinthians 8:7,9,13-15
Mark 5:21-43

1st Reading
Psalm
2nd Reading
Gospel Reading

Acts 12:1-11
Psalm 33:2-9
2Timothy 4: 6-8, 17-18
Matthew 16: 13-19

1st Reading
Psalm
Gospel Reading

Genesis 19: 15-29
Psalm: 25:2-3, 9-12
Matthew 8: 23-27

1st Reading
Psalm
Gospel Reading

Genesis 21:5, 8-20
Psalm 33: 7-8, 10-13
Matthew 8: 28-34

1st Reading
Psalm
Gospel Reading

Genesis 22: 1-19
Psalm: 114: 1-6, 8-9
Matthew 9: 1-8

1st Reading
Psalm
Gospel Reading

Ephesians 2: 19-22
Psalm 116
John 20: 24-29

1st Reading
Psalm
Gospel Reading

Genesis 27: 1-5, 15-29
Psalm 134:1-6
Matthew 9:14-17

1st Reading
Psalm
2nd Reading
Gospel Reading

Ezekiel 2: 2-5
Psalm 122
2 Corinthians 12: 7-10
Mark 6: 1-6



The SVDP has a regional meeting every two months. At these meetings we have a prayer and reflection time followed by a sharing of ideas and finding solutions to problems encountered in our work in the community. These meetings are stimulating and at the same time challenging to continue the work of the society.

The priority of the society is the spiritual development of members as it is only when members are embed with the spirit of the love and compassion of Jesus Christ will they be effective in doing His work. To help members in their faith journey the Region is conducting a retreat day for all Vincentians, Volunteers and staff along with friends and family on the:

29th June at the Marian Valley Shrine of Our Lady Help of Christians.

The program and the peaceful environment are conducive to relaxation and meditation.

God bless all and have a great week.



Love. Grow. Serve.

CATECHISM of the CATHOLIC CHURCH

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

Let's get to know our faith.

Question: Why Are We Here?

We are here on earth in order to know and to love God, to do good according to his will, and to go someday to heaven.

To be a human being means to come from God and to go to God. Our origin goes back farther than our parents. We come from God, in whom all the happiness of heaven and earth is at home, and we are expected in his everlasting, infinite blessedness. Meanwhile we live on this earth. Sometimes we feel that our Creator is near; often we feel nothing at all. So that we might find the way home, God sent us his Son, who freed us from sin, delivers us from all evil, and leads us unerringly into true life. He is "the way, and the truth, and the life" (Jn 14:6). (YOUCAT question 1)

Question: Why did God create us?

God created us out of free and unselfish love. When a man loves, his heart overflows. He would like to share his joy with others. He gets this from his Creator. Although God is a mystery, we can still think about him in a human way and say: Out of the "surplus" of

his love he created us. He wanted to share his endless joy with us, who are creatures of his love. (YOUCAT question 2)

Question: Why do we seek God?

God has placed in our hearts a longing to seek and find him. St. Augustine says, "You have made us for yourself, and our heart is restless until it rests in you." We call this longing for God **Religion**. It is natural for man to seek God. All of our striving for truth and happiness is ultimately a search for the one who supports us *absolutely*, satisfies us *absolutely*, and employs us *absolutely* in his service. A person is not completely himself until he has found God. "Anyone who seeks truth seeks God, whether or not he realizes it" (St. Edith Stein). (YOUCAT question 3)

Question: Can we REALLY know that God exists?

Yes. Human reason can know God with certainty. The world cannot have its origin and its destination within itself. In everything that exists, there is more than we see. The order, the beauty, and the development of the world point beyond themselves toward God. Every man is receptive to what is true, good, and beautiful. He hears within himself the voice of conscience, which urges him to what is good and warns him against what is evil. Anyone who follows this path reasonably finds God. (YOUCAT question 4)

Material as published in: Catechism in a year/ <https://uno.flocknote.com/list>



SCHOOL NEWS

We have come to the end of another term. This week we have had two wonderful athletics days. The weather was kind to for our field and track events on Tuesday and Thursday. Our library Carnival Book Fair came to a close. Students had a fabulous time choosing books and we are sure they will enjoy reading them over the holidays. On our last day we heard the wonderful sounds of music from those students in the Musicorp program under the instruction of their teacher Mr Benjamin. Thanks to all the students, staff, parents and Fr Marce for all your hard work and support during the term. We all are looking forward to the holidays and sharing more wonderful learning Term Three.

John, Bronwyn and Danielle

ALIVE IN THE SPIRIT FUN DAY FOR CHILDREN



St Matthew's Parish Community will be offering a day of fun on Friday 3rd July from 9am—3pm led by Carol Danby and supported by parish volunteers.

A special invitation is extended to those who will have been confirmed this year and the previous year, however all children from confirmation age (Year 3) up to Year 6 will be most welcome.

The cost is \$5 which is for materials used on the day. Children need to bring morning tea, lunch, a drink bottle, hat and don't forget the sunscreen! Please

Reflection

Probably everyone reading this knows of the shame and humiliation a woman with a fistula suffers. We are familiar with the amazing transformation that the Hamilins and their co-workers have brought to women with that condition in Ethiopia. Knowing that, we should realise that the woman in the Gospel story suffered an even greater taboo...that of menstrual bleeding. The fact that she was using her own resources meant that she was probably divorced, or at least dismissed from her marriage. She probably had no contact with her children, or at least she couldn't touch them. There was no-one she could care for. Her furtive, and it had to be very furtive, dash through the crowds was a desperate act. She had nothing left to lose. A touch, a healing... and then a quick dash out...that was the plan. Then Jesus does what he never does anywhere else in Mark's Gospel. He makes a fuss, asks a question and pointedly draws attention to the miracle that has occurred. Jesus, who normally orders silence regarding miracles! So why does he do his best to make an example of her (and risk criticism, at least, for the woman who would have made some of the crowd unclean)? And why does the woman answer with 'her whole story' and not just slip away? The woman did not view Jesus as just a miracle worker. She may have come in desperation but what passed into her when she touched him was more than healing. She received faith! When she fell trembling before him it was not from fear but from awe. Of course she told her whole story – the works of God are to be proclaimed...and Jesus calls her 'daughter'. In her the Kingdom of God has come.

♦ by Sr Kym Harris osb
www.prayasyoucan.com.au

VACATION CARE

Vacation Care starts on Monday 29th June for two weeks.. If you would like to book your children into vacation care, please contact Outside school hours care on 32089470 . Booking forms can be downloaded from the school website ,or contact us directly.

Church Ministers' Rosters for next weekend 4th and 5th July 2015

Ministries	Saturday 6.00pm	Sunday 8.30am	Sunday 6.00pm
Holy Mass Coordinators	Bob and Donna	Brian Ridder	Jeanne Medina
Parish Choirs	Spiritus Choir	Frankie's Choir	El Shaddai
Overhead Projectionist	Volunteer	Volunteer	Volunteer
Proclaimers of the Word: 1	Kristelle Jaimes	Kate Morgan	Celi Arezza
Proclaimers of the Word: 2	Jason Rattansey	Marian Hoad	Sharon Biasillo
Communion Ministers	Keiko Ueda	Steven Richardson	Rosziel De Chavez
	Chriselle D'Mello	John Guiton	Nix Arezza
	Eve Douglas	Maria Beck-Richardson	Sean O'Brien
		Evelyn de Jesus	
		Chi Gardner	

The Catholic Leader: Keeping faith with you

In this week's issue:

- * Pope Francis' encyclical on the environment lauded throughout the Catholic and wider community
 - * Brisbane woman sleeps rough at Suncorp Stadium to remember homeless grandmother
 - * Free abuse response phone service a "doorway to ongoing healing"
 - * Pope offers young people positive life message about chaste love
 - * Primary school students donate lemonade stand money to Ugandan charity
 - * Pamela Hayes tells her story of love and the gift of life that meant adopting out her first-born
 - * Gympie gatherings honour Webb brothers lasting legacy
 - * Archbishop Mark Coleridge on the history of marriage
 - * Kingaroy's first youth Mass praised by parishioners
- 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.

We collected \$3279.50

God bless you for your generosity.

We invite you to consider joining the Parish Planned Giving Program. Your contribution provide essential funds for Parish Services including funding the Parish Infrastructure, Care & Concern Ministry, Adult & Children Faith Education and other Parish groups. Forms are available at the back of the Church. You can put them in the weekend collection or drop it off at the Parish office.



The Planned Giving Envelopes for the new Financial Year are now available at the back of the Church for collection.

Please update our records of any change

St Eddies Men's Group

Scheduled meeting for the 8 Jul is **CANCELLED**
Next meeting will be 22 Jul (4th Wed)
Contact – Danny 32082305

Date Claimer: 4th – 6th September 2015 :

Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend for married couples

A weekend away for married couples in peaceful, picturesque surroundings – away from the distractions of everyday living. Take time out of your busy schedule, to invest in your most precious asset . . . your Marriage! This is a unique opportunity to recharge your relationship batteries, refocus on each other and fall in love all over again!

At Santa Teresa Spirituality Centre,
Ormiston QLD (on Brisbane's bayside)

For bookings/details contact: Maria and David Murphy,
ph (07) 3342 1456, dandmmurphy@optusnet.com.au

Information website: www.wwme.org.au



**All are welcome
To join with the
Seniors for Lunch
At Chatswood Hills
Tavern**

On : 3rd July 2015

**Meet at Church at
11.30 am, Lunch at
12.00pm,**

Lift can be arranged

RSVP by 2nd July 2015,

Call: Noelene Magee,

Ph. 3208 5304, Mob: 0409 261 639

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.

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