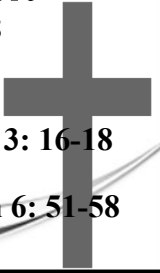




# St Edward the Confessor Parish

Established 1978

104 Chatswood Road, DAISY HILL. QLD 4127



**Readings:** Exodus 34: 4-6, 8-9; Corinthians 13: 11-13; John 3: 16-18

**Next Week:** Deut. 8: 2-3, 14-16; Corinthians 10: 16-17; John 6: 51-58

## Parish Priest

Fr Joseph Vattaparambil CMI

## Parish Office

Secretary  
Cheryl McCaffery

Phone: 3299 2000

## Emergency

**Please contact the parish office**

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## Parish Website:

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## Office Hours

9.00am – 2.00pm on Monday,  
Tuesday, Thursday and Friday.

Parish Finance Council, Chairperson

John Winter

Mobile: 0410 589 567

Parish Pastoral Council, Chairperson

Steven Richardson

Mobile: 0401 696 696

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St Edwards

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Phone: 07 3208 9470

**03<sup>rd</sup>—04<sup>th</sup> June 2023**

**The Most Holy Trinity—Year A-1**

## *A God of tenderness and compassion*

**Today we celebrate the mystery of the Trinity: one God in three persons.** God is the Lover (Father, Creator), the Beloved (Son, Saviour), and the Love which flows between them (Holy Spirit, Counsellor). Our readings help us see who God is, and what God does for us.

Moses's obedience and humility are revealed as he calls on God from the top of Mount Sinai (**First Reading**), pleading for the headstrong people of Israel. In responding, the Lord describes himself as '*a God of tenderness and compassion, slow to anger, rich in kindness and faithfulness*'.

In the **Gospel**, Jesus tells Nicodemus of the overwhelming love God has for the world in sending his Son to be its Saviour. Through Jesus's death and resurrection, we are given the gift of the Holy Spirit. Paul's wish for the discordant Corinthians (**Second Reading**) is peace, unity, fellowship and love. Paul encourages them (and us) to reveal the qualities of God seen in Jesus, gifted to us through the Holy Spirit, and gifted to others through our behaviour. The **Psalm**, taken from the book of Daniel, gives praise and glory to God, exalting him above all forever.

Rublev's famous icon (above) suggests the love the Holy Trinity has for us in the humility, harmony and mutual love of the three persons. I notice the space at the front of the table inviting me to share in this love and life. In thanksgiving, let's pray St Paul's blessing this week, that 'the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with us all'.

## **GOSPEL John 3: 16–18 REFLECTION**

I gradually become still, handing over any concerns or desires to the Lord so that I can focus all my attention on God. I ask for the guidance of the Spirit as I read the Gospel passage slowly, a few times.

In my mind's eye, I may picture this night-time meeting between Jesus and his secret admirer, Nicodemus, a member of the Sanhedrin. Perhaps I place myself in the darkness beside Nicodemus, who is seeking out Jesus, the light of the world. Is there something I'm really looking for in my own life? I speak openly with Jesus about whatever it may be.

Jesus begins to explain the truth about himself to Nicodemus. I listen as Jesus reveals God's plan to send his Son into the world to save it . . . and to save me. God's invitation is for us to be with God forever. How do I feel as I hear these words?

I ponder the Father's pain in sacrificing his Son, and Jesus's willingness to accept the cross. I sense the enormous depth of God's love for me. Where do I see God's love at work in my life and in the world around me? How do I respond?

I rest awhile with Jesus. When ready, I slowly draw my prayer to a close. I may like to use a prayer of my own choice OR the words adapted from the '*Suscipe*' of St Ignatius (below).



*Lord, I offer you my whole self,  
my memory, my liberty, my entire will  
that you may grow in me and through me.  
I want you to live and work and play and pray in  
and through me.  
Your love and your grace are all I need.*

*Courtesy of St Bueno's Outreach in the Diocese of Wrexham, UK*



## WE REMEMBER

In our prayers all who have died recently,

*Christina Aspel (nee Roche) Johanna's sister*  
*Isabel Patricia Smith*  
*Erik Dominguez*  
*Suzette Julia Godwin*  
*Cushla Walken (Ed Havelock's sister)*

and those whose anniversaries are in this month:

*Gladys Copson*  
*Robert Ridgway*  
*Jeremy Howard*

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*  
*Erika Mehler*  
*Ioane (John) Tolu*  
*Margaret Wilson*  
*Carlos Guevarra*  
*Iakopo Tolu*  
*Narelle McCarthy*  
*George Gibbs*  
*Cheryl Blanco*  
*Helen Gainey*  
*Emerald Pereira*  
*Samayah Habid*  
*Elizabeth & Luca Camay*  
*Cameron Blacker*  
*Maria Lourdes Villa*  
*Katharine Lawlor*  
*Chris Hunt*  
*Denise Guiton*  
*James Neve*  
*Peter Howard*

*Francesco Buenavista*  
*(Annabelle's Havelock's brother)*  
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](http://www.lords-prayer-words.com)



## BAPTISM

**We welcome into our Christian Community.**

*Malina Joy Bella Duncan*  
*Arrabella Mae Rathenbury*

For information regarding  
Baptism please contact the office on  
3299 2000. **Thank you.**



## Men's Group Meeting "Getting to the Point"

Men's Group meet 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of  
the month in the hospitality area.  
**Next meeting 14.06.2023 @ 7:00pm.**  
For information contact:  
Ron Ferrall Mobile: **0447 954 947**  
[referrall@optusnet.com.au](mailto:referrall@optusnet.com.au)



Thank you to our Care and Concern Group  
**Home Communion next visit:**  
**05.06.2023 & 12.06.2023**

## PARISH UPDATE 2023

### Dates to Remember

June 04 The Most Holy Trinity  
June 11 The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi) - Procession  
June 25 Annual Collection of Peter's Pence  
June 29 Sts Peter & Paul, Apostles  
July 29 & 30 'Rite of Enrolment' for candidates for Sacrament of First Holy Communion  
August 08 St Mary of the Cross  
August 14 Logan Show Holiday  
August 15 Solemn Mass of the Assumption of Mary (Holy Day of Obligation)  
August 16 Brisbane Public Show Holiday  
August 19-20 Annual Catholic Campaign 2023  
August 20 Mass of All Nations  
August 27 @ 10:30am First Holy Communion

In the event of an emergency please contact the Parish Office. *Thank you.*



## SVdP Winter Appeal Everyone deserves a safe home.

Every day, Vinnies is a beacon of hope for thousands of individuals in need. As we approach the winter season, we urgently request your support in assisting the homeless and victims of domestic violence.

With dropping temperatures, their vulnerability intensifies. Your monetary contributions will help provide warm clothing, blankets, and essential supplies to protect them from the cold. Additionally, we gratefully accept donations of non-perishable food items like canned goods, rice, pasta, and dried fruits, which will nourish those in need.

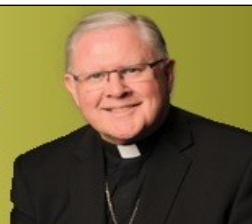
Together, we can make a significant impact by offering warmth, hope, and dignity to those facing challenging circumstances. Please consider making a donation by using the envelopes available on the pews or at the entrance of the church. Your support will directly improve the lives of those in our community who are most in need.



Thank you for your generosity and compassion.

Daisy Hill SVdP Conference.

## The Good News from the Archdiocese of Brisbane



This week we focus on Indigenous reconciliation and what it requires. Everyone agrees there's a need for reconciliation and that the current state of affairs is unacceptable. But not all agree on what needs to happen. Much of what we've tried in the past has achieved little or nothing, and sometimes it's been clearly counterproductive. At times there have been gestures that make some of us feel better but change nothing on the ground. We need not the aesthetics of change but real change at a deeper level. That's why the Uluru Statement from the Heart proposes a triple path of voice, truth-telling and treaty. It's a serious attempt to go beneath the symptoms to treat the cause of chronic Indigenous disadvantage. A politician said to me recently that we don't need a voice to parliament but more services on the ground. All I could say in reply is that we need both.



## MASS TIMES 05<sup>th</sup>—11<sup>th</sup> June 2023

| Monday,<br>05 June   | Tuesday,<br>06 June   | Wednesday,<br>07 June                                | Thursday,<br>08 June | Friday,<br>09 June                           | Saturday,<br>10 June         | Sunday,<br>11 June   |
|--|---|--|----------------------|--|------------------------------|--|
| NO 9:00am Mass<br>9:45am Yurana Nursing Home, Springwood.<br>Liturgy of the Word with Communion<br><i>St Boniface</i> , bishop, martyr | NO Mass<br><i>St Norbert</i> , bishop<br><i>St Marcellin Champagnat</i> , religious | NO Mass<br><i>11:30am Year 2 Liturgy of the Word</i> | NO Mass              | NO Mass<br><i>St Ephrem</i> , deacon, doctor | NO Mass<br>6:00pm Vigil Mass | <i>The Most Holy Body &amp; Blood of Christ</i><br>8:00am Rosary<br>8:30am Mass<br>6:00pm Mass |

### SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMME 2023

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION** will be held  
Sunday 27 August 2023 at 10.30am



July 29 & 30 'Rite of Enrolment'  
for First Holy Communion

Further information for *First Holy Communion* will be available via the Parish Website.

<http://flameoffaith.org.au> is a great resource for an initial understanding of the Sacraments.

Denise Love – Sacramental Co-Ordinator  
[Deniselove1@optusnet.com.au](mailto:Deniselove1@optusnet.com.au)



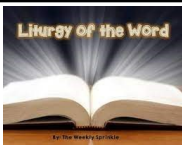
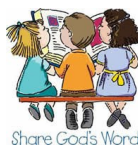
This National Reconciliation Week Brisbane Catholic Education shared its approach to teaching First Nations language across its 146 schools. Full story in The Catholic Leader.



### Children's Liturgy

Children's Liturgy takes place each Sunday during the 8:30am Mass.  
**Sunday 04.06.2023.**

Leaders: Aurora O'Neill and Mark D'Mello



### Senior Group Update

**13<sup>th</sup> June 2023 @ 9:00am**  
**Liturgy of the Word**  
**Morning Tea afterwards.**



**Contact: Noelene Magee Mobile: 0409 261 639**



### SVdP DONATIONS

We would like to thank those parishioners who have made donations of cash or kind to the Daisy Hill Conference of SVdP, whether it be food in the SVdP box near the Piety Store, donations into the Poor Box or payments directly into the SVdP bank account. For those wishing to make online donations into our Conference Account, the account details are:

**BSB** 064786  
**A/C No** 100026098  
**Name** SVDP St Edward's Conference Daisy Hill



Last Friday we gathered in the Church for the celebration of Pentecost. Congratulations to our Year 5 students and their teacher who prepared the and led the liturgy.

**Rick Sheehan, Principal.**  
**Phone: 3208 0922**



## CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION

"HE WHO FOLLOWS ME WALKS NOT IN DARKNESS" - JOHN 8:12

**Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> June 2023 @ 2:00pm.**  
**Cathedral of St Stephen, Brisbane City.**  
**Brochures at the Entrance of the Church.**



**C & C Creations**

Next get together will be on **07<sup>th</sup> June 2023.**  
It is held on the first Wednesday of the month from 9:30am – 12 noon in the Church Meeting Room.  
From beginners to experienced. Many types of crafts are explored. Enjoy a cuppa and a chat.  
Please enter the room through the back door of the Church. Everyone Welcome.  
Our next stall/raffle will be held in time for Fathers Day 27<sup>th</sup> August 2023. Monies raised go to our SVdP Conference. So Save the Date.  
**Contact: Noelene Magee Mobile: 0409 261 639**

Church Ministers' Rosters for next weekend 10<sup>th</sup>—11<sup>th</sup> June 2023

|                                   | Saturday @ 6:00pm                               | Sunday @ 8:30am  | Sunday @ 6:00pm                                |
|-----------------------------------|---|--|--|
| Mass Coordinator                  | Rose George                                     | Denise Love  | Edgar Ferrer                                   |
| Welcome Team (at entrance)        | Rose George                                     | Brian Ridder   | Pat McCaffery                                  |
| Commentator (from lectern)        | Volunteer                                       |  | Volunteer                                      |
| Parish Choirs                     | Spiritus  | Volunteer  | Volunteer                                      |
| Overhead Projectionist            | Volunteer                                       | Tim Trainor  | Volunteer                                      |
| Communion Minister (Bread & Wine) | Renato Guevarra<br>Jan McMahon<br>Volunteer x 2 | Laura Ferrall,<br>Ed Havelock, Volunteer<br>Volunteers x 4 | Leah Cortez, J<br>eff Sommers<br>Volunteer x 2 |
| Proclaimers of the Word: 1        | Valerie Iosefo                                  | Sue Neve   | Charmi Cortez                                  |
| Proclaimers of the Word: 2        | Volunteer                                       | Shirley D'Mello  | Jurolbe Pereira                                |
| Prayers of the Faithful           | Leah Morshead                                   | Denise Guiton  | Volunteer                                      |
| Altar Servers                     | Evie Perrett<br>Archie Perrett                  | Emma Larsen<br>Hazel Gauder                                |  |
| Hospitality                       |   | Anabelle Havelock's Group                                  |  |

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**Week day Mass Times for our Neighbouring Parishes.**

*St Paul's, Woodridge*— Monday—Friday 9:00am  
Tuesday and Friday 9:30am  
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

*St Peter's Rochedale*— Monday and Tuesday 8am,  
Wednesday 6.30am,  
Friday 9.30am.

*St Matthew's Cornubia*— Monday: 7:00 pm (followed by Adoration )  
Tuesday - Friday: 8:00 am



**Safeguarding Children & Vulnerable Adults**

**St Edward's Parish Representative—**  
**Steven Richardson 0401 696 696**

**Cheryl McCaffery—Assistant**  
**Phone: 07 3299 2000**

Full policy can be obtained at:  
<https://brisbanecatholic.org.au/support/safeguard/>

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Thank you so much to all who support our Parish financially.

**Weekly budget for our parish... \$4,000.00**

**27<sup>th</sup>—28<sup>th</sup> May 2023**

|                     |                    |
|---------------------|--------------------|
| Envelopes:          | \$ 307.30          |
| Loose:              | \$ 692.85          |
| Direct Deposit:     | \$ 370.00          |
| Eftpos:             | \$ 195.00          |
| Giving App:         | \$ 126.85          |
| Credit Card:        | \$ 60.00           |
| <b>Grand Total:</b> | <b>\$ 1,752.00</b> |

**Thank you.**






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**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 with the parish office on 3299 2000 so that our Parish Priest and a member of our Parish Pastoral Council can reach out to you with a formal welcome.

**Thank you.**



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](http://www.bne.catholic.net.au) or [www.stedwardsdaisyhill.org.au](http://www.stedwardsdaisyhill.org.au)  
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