



# Welcome to **St Edward the Confessor Parish**

Established 1978



**05th—06th January 2019**  
**The Epiphany of the Lord**

## **CHURCH**

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## **OUR SEARCH FOR TRUTH**

What does this story of the magi have to say to about our search? Finally they arrive at Bethlehem and offer Jesus their homage, but they need all sorts of help to get there. First of all there is their own wisdom and expertise, the astronomical knowledge that sets them off on the journey and points them in the right



direction. But that was not enough. It got them only as far as Jerusalem. Then they needed the help of King Herod, who told them to go to Bethlehem. He, in turn, needed the expertise of the chief priests and the scribes, who had studied the scriptures and so knew where the Messiah was to be born.

None of these would have been enough by itself. Without their own wisdom, they would never have set off to look for ‘the newborn king’; without the knowledge of the religious authorities, they would not have known where to find him. Even Herod had his part to play.

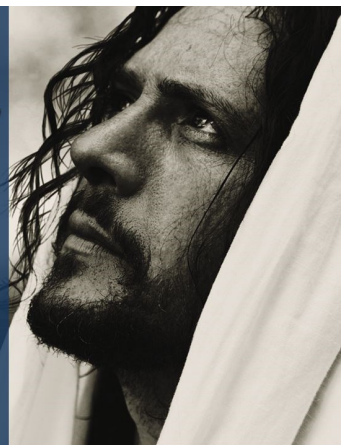
So it is with us in our own search for the meaning of our lives. First of all we Christians have the wisdom of our Scriptures, the Word of God. It is to this Word, who is ultimately the person of Jesus, that we owe our primary obedience. Here we hear the summons to take to the road.

But if we just rely on our own interpretation of the Bible, then we may easily misunderstand what it says. So we listen to the scriptures as members of the Church, a community which stretches across two thousand years. We listen to the wise and holy men and women who have wrestled with the Word, and learn from them.

Even in this age which profoundly distrusts any claims for absolute truth, there remains in the human heart a deep desire for the truth. We believe that the child born in Bethlehem is the truth for which human heart hungers. Like the magi, we need to be attentive to the truth wherever it is to be found, for ultimately it is one in him who said, ‘I am the truth.’

**Jesus:**  
**“I Am...  
the Truth”**

**John 14:6b**



*Fr. Marce Singson*

# MASS TIMES 06th—12th January 2019

Sunday, 06 January	Monday, 07 January	Tuesday, 08 January	Wednesday, 09 January	Thursday, 10 January	Friday, 11 January	Saturday 12 January
8.30am Mass 6.00pm Mass  <i>The Epiphany of the Lord</i>	7:00am Rosary 7:30am Mass	7:30am Mass	7:00pm Mass Adoration	7:30am Mass	7:00am Rosary 7:30am Mass	7:30am Mass  5.30pm Reconciliation 6.00pm Mass

## Church Ministers' Rosters for next weekend 12th—13th January 2019

	Saturday 6.00pm	Sunday 8.30am	Sunday 6.00pm
<b>Holy Mass Coordinators</b>	John Wood	Steve Richardson	Joey Nicolas
<b>Parish Choirs</b>	Friends Choir	Parish Youth	Voices of Praise
<b>Overhead Projectionist</b>	Volunteer	Volunteer	Volunteer
<b>Proclaimers of the Word: 1</b>	Priya or Nina Pereira	Esther Isbon	Matthew Sarmiento
<b>Proclaimers of the Word:</b>	Annabelle Wessling	Evelina Afoa	Ella O'Brien
<b>Communion Ministers</b>	Jan McMahon	David Newey	Jed De Chavez
	Donna Smith	Isidore Storey	Ian Seneviratne
	David McLean	Mary Alphonse	Eldrin Dee
	Shirley D'Mello	Jess Gregorio	Anna O'Brien
	Lorie Angcay	Jayne Neylan	Cheryl McCaffery
		Denise Love	Celi Arreza
		Paula Vaise	Rita Sarmiento
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Deandra Ganggangan	KC Sebil	Job Villadolid
	Deona Ganggangan	Kim Silagan	Christine Ferrer
<b>Children's Liturgy</b>			



If you are new to the  
Parish or are visiting, **Welcome!**



### Parish Hospitality Teams

**Join us and the Parish  
Community for a cuppa  
and refreshments in the covered  
area at the side of the Church.**

**13.01.2019 @ 8:30am Mass  
Emma Talatonu's Team**



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

08th January @ 7.00pm  
Venue: Room at the back of  
the Church.

All men welcome. 2nd & 4th Tuesday  
of the month. Open discussion on:

- Scripture.
- Future meetings.

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### PLEASE PRAY

For all our Sick parishioners  
and family members:

Winnie Postrado  
Louie Rodriguez  
Deirdre Roberts  
Maleting Brown

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:**

Hamish John Walsh

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

**Thank you**



### VISITATION/COMMUNION FOR THE SICK

14.01.2019; 21.01.2019 & 28.01.2019  
Please contact the office if you require a  
visitation/ home communion.



**Senior Group Update  
No January Mass  
Mass : 12th February  
2019 at 9am.**



### WE REMEMBER

*In our prayers all who  
have died recently,*

Joan Thompson

Harry Peterson

Mina Drew

Graham Caslemore

Jane Marcella (Stella) Phillips

*and those whose anniversaries are in this  
month:*

Laurel (Joy) Oliver

Eddie Koyo

Emmanuel Palupe

Brian Collins

Mary Stewart

*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.*

**Thank you.**



### Children's Liturgy

Children's Liturgy takes place  
every second Sunday during the  
8.30am Mass. Children's Liturgy  
commences again February 2019.