



Welcome to **St Edward the Confessor Parish**

Established 1978



09th—10th February 2019
5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

WHAT'S IN OUR NETS?

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Our Gospel today reports a scenario where Peter and other Apostles were fishing the whole night but caught nothing. Their nets were just filled with debris and rubbish instead of fish.



And what are those nets? Those nets are the way that the apostles make their living. Those nets are their instruments for their relationship to the world and to life and they get dirty. They accumulate all sorts of completely useless things that get in the way. These men are feeling frustrated this morning. They've worked all the night and taken nothing. They've caught no fish, but their nets are filled of useless debris, and the men feel frustration and failure. Now there are times, and it's important to recognize the times, when each of us is called to sit down and clean out the net—all the useless things that our hearts and minds have accumulated.

You know, our minds are a lot like crows. They pick up anything that glitters to put in the nest and before long the nest is not even liveable. There are people whose souls are that way, whose hearts have that affliction. It comes from living in the world and doing the things that we must do in the world. We accumulate all manner of useless nonsense. The apostles had an advantage over us. We have things like computers and televisions, other things to keep pouring into our souls what most of the time, at least lot of the time, is simply raw garbage, worse than empty beer cans. We become aware that our nets are full of trash. Our lives are full of junk, and junky thoughts, junky sentiments, and junky attachments. It's important from time to time that we sit down and *clean out the nets*.

The Church, for example, gives us liturgical seasons which are devoted to net cleaning. We'll be starting one of those in mid-November. The church gives us that time to clean our nets—not to put up Christmas trees. That's for Christmas, it's not for Advent. Advent is a time for cleaning the net. Lent is a time for cleaning the net. In fact the church even has a net cleaning session twice a week on Wednesdays and Fridays. These are times to examine the conscience, go through the soul and find out what in here is just a waste of time getting in my way and keeping me from catching fish and living a life that is pleasing to God.

Besides these seasonal times for cleaning nets each of us has particular times when we know it's the occasion to clean the net. It's important that we recognize these times in our lives when the Lord wants us to make an evaluation, to take an inventory of our souls, and to get rid of things that don't belong there, should not be there and that are of no use to us.

Fr Marce





WE REMEMBER

In our prayers all who have died recently,

Alfred Peterson
Lidurk Asman
Geoff Skewes
Huyen Ty
Colin Willis
Eugino Sagun

and those whose anniversaries are in this month:

Muriel Wyatt
Averil Lay
James Ratuyagone
Jane Rickmell
Noelene Munns

*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:

Koreti Talatonu
Misiona Togafau
Suliana Elizabeth Wise
Deirdre Roberts
Janet Felicidadario
Wayne Richards
Aloina Maulupe

*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. **Thank you***



BAPTISM

***We welcome into our
Christian community:***

Benjamin Antonio Reyes Zhang
William Harvey Giles
Hannah Madondo
Alexander Michael Horatio Carlowe
Abhainn Sajan

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



VISITATION/COMMUNION FOR THE SICK

11.02.2019: 18.02.2019 & 25.02.2019

Please contact the office if you require a
visitation/ home communion.



Men's Group Meeting "Getting to the Point"

Men's Group meet every
2nd and 4th Tuesday of the
month. Next meeting
12 February 2019 @ 7.00pm
Venue: Room at the back of the
Church.

For information contact:
Ron Ferrall 3290 3110
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THE IMPORTANCE OF SILENCE BEFORE HOLY MASS

*"At church, Catholics should spend their time in silence before Mass, preparing to meet with Jesus instead of engaging in chitchat," the pope said in November 15, 2018 during his weekly general audience at the Vatican. **THE HOLY MASS** is the highest form of prayer and not an appropriate moment for talking with friends inside the church, Pope Francis said.*

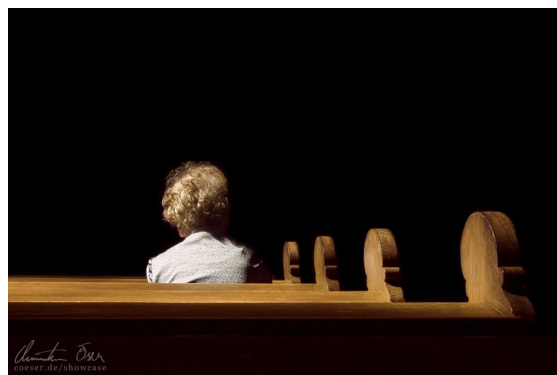
We need to pray in silence before the liturgy begins to prepare ourselves to encountering the presence of God, and our difficulty in doing so is because of worshippers being greeted and greeting each other as they assemble, choirs warming up, and other preparations being made.

We need silence before Mass starts ***so that all may dispose themselves to carry out the sacred action in a devout and fitting manner.*** Here we have the wisdom of the Church, as the Holy Spirit leads us to eschew all human priorities outside of God and to draw our hearts to the reality of this sacred encounter. The Mass finds its ultimate purpose in the condescension of God to meet with us and nourish us — and for us to respond in a manner worthy of this gift of all gifts. Silence is not limited to the absence of words; rather, we open ourselves to hearing other voices: that of our heart, and above all, that of the Holy Spirit,"

Our prayerful silence before Mass will help our fellow worshippers who do their personal prayer to go down into the depth of their inner recesses and dispose themselves to the God whom we encounter in the Eucharistic celebration. Our keeping silent before Mass commences is our sign of giving respect not only because we are inside the holy place, the House of God, but we are also giving respect to those who wish to pray silently. Perhaps some of them would like to air out their problems and concerns, and their fears and anxieties to God. Some of them might have been fed up of the noise in their house, in their families, in the environment where they live or even in their workplace. And the only place to experience this precious silence is in the Church, the House of God.

Therefore, as we enter into the Church, we have to be sensitive to the needs of others. Look at those people sitting on the pews before the Mass and feel what they feel. Most of these parishioners who sit on the pews before the start of the Mass are praying silently. They need a silent environment! And they deserve our respect!

Fr. Marce



Sacramental Program 2019

Confirmation is offered for those in Grade three or 8 years of age and will be held on Thursday 14 March 2019. Applications are available on our webpage www.stedwardsdaisyhill.org.au or from the back of the church or our parish office.

MASS TIMES 10th—16th February

Sunday, 10 February	Monday, 11 February	Tuesday, 12 February	Wednesday, 13 February	Thursday, 14 February	Friday, 15 February	Saturday 16 February
8.30am Mass 6.00pm Mass <i>5th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	7:00am Rosary 7:30am Mass <i>Our Lady of Lourdes</i>	7:30am NO Mass 9:00am Mass— Seniors— All Welcome	7:00pm Mass Adoration	7:30am Mass <i>Sts Cyril & Methodius</i>	7:00am Rosary 7:30am Mass	7:30am Mass 5:30pm Reconciliation 6:00pm Mass



St Edward's
Catholic Primary School, Daisy Hill

This is only the second week of school though teachers have been back for a month, not only preparing their classrooms for the year but also engaging in professional learning. We have four days prior to school commencing for professional learning. Each year one of those days is for us to focus on our religious ethos for the year and in 2019 it is “Let Love Be Our Lantern”. Teachers spent a day at Santa Teresa’s Spirituality Centre contemplating this focus for the year ahead.

Rick Sheehan
Principal
Phone: 07 3208 0922



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

*17.02.2019 @ 8:30am Mass
Vange Munn’s Team*

*23.02.2019 @ 6:00pm Mass
Anita & Neville Peres’s Team*

Birthday & Anniversary blessing 23rd—24th February 2019



Senior Group Update Mass
12th February @ 9:00am.



At this Mass Father also will have an Anointing Of The Sick. Join us for morning tea afterwards in the hospitality area.

Welcome back to all the seniors.

Seniors Lunch: Friday 22nd March.
Lunch at 12 noon.

We will be going to the newly renovated Easts League Club, Langlands Park, 40 Main Avenue, Coorparoo for lunch. Meeting at the church at 11.15am. Numbers to me by Wednesday 20th March. Looking forward to seeing you all. Noelene.



Noelene Magee Home: 3208 5304
Mob: 0409 261 639



Position Vacant – Music Administrator

Applications are open for a position at the St Stephens Cathedral. A person with excellent administration and organisational skills is required for a casual position of Music Administrator.

For additional information, please visit the Archdiocese of Brisbane website
<https://brisbanecatholic.org.au/> and to careers.

Closing date 22nd February 2019

The Archdiocese of Brisbane has standards of conduct for employees and volunteers to maintain a safe and healthy environment. Our commitment to these standards requires that we conduct background referencing for all persons who will engage in direct and regular involvement with children, young people and/or vulnerable adults.

The message below has been sent to us by the Archdiocese of Brisbane asking for your support.

Please support flood-affected families in North Queensland.

The flood that is devastating North Queensland is affecting the lives of many families in the Diocese of Townsville. You can make a tax-deductible gift online or by calling:

The Catholic Foundation on 07 3324 3200.

Your donation will be designated to individuals and families in hardship situations whose homes and businesses have been affected by the floods.

URL: <https://catholicfoundation.org.au/how-we-help/flood-relief-appeal/>

Church Ministers' Rosters for next weekend 16th—17th February 2019

	Saturday @ 6:00pm	Sunday @ 8:30am	Sunday @ 6:00pm
Holy Mass Coordinators	David & Judi McLean	Francis Oliva	Edgar Ferrer
Parish Choirs	Spiritus	Arcel's Choir	Voices of Praise
Overhead Projectionist	Volunteer	Volunteer	Volunteer
Proclaimers of the Word: 1	Eleanor Noorli	Kristelle Jaimes	Charmi Cortez
Proclaimers of the Word: 2	Chuchay Bandola	Ethan Ganggangan	Aaron Browell
Prayers of the Faithful	Chloe Gregorio	Nick Bailey	Jurolbe Pereira
Communion Ministers	Trevor Carsas	Randa Abi-Fares	Pat Ferrer
	Amorita Wessling	Pete Silagan	Aaron Nicolson
	Paul Wessling	Theresa Vaise	Claire Nicolson
	Scott Perrett	Carmel Burgess	Lyn Alitin
	Sally Carsas	Dan Bampton	Johanna Roche
		Vange Munn	Babsy Raveendrakumar
		Charity Oporto	Sheanda Peries
Altar Servers	Jonathan Wessling	Grace Bampton	Jamie Medina
	Lucas Wessling	Simeon Bampton	Christina Vega
Children's Liturgy			



Parish SVDP
SVDP HELPLINE: 1800 846 643

Safeguarding Children &
Vulnerable Adults

John Guiton 0499 105 146

St Edward's Parish
Representative

Cheryl McCaffery—Assistant

Phone: 07 3299 2000



Outside School Hours Care

T: 07 3208 9470

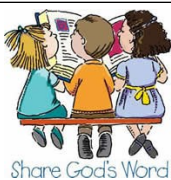
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W: www.centacarebrisbane.net.au

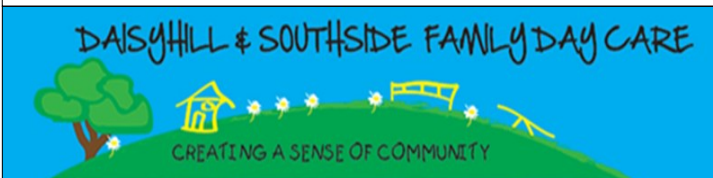


Children's Liturgy
Commences again

10th February 2019.



Share God's Word



Phone: 3208 0463 E: dhssfdc@gmail.com

W: www.daisyhillfdc.com.au/

YOUTH GAME NIGHT & PIZZA!

Event : Board Game Night (10—25 yrs)

Date: Friday 1 March 2019

Time: 6pm to 9pm

Venue : St Edwards School Hall

Bring :

- Friends
- your competitive edge!
- Completed sign-in sheet for each participant.

(Avail online at youthunited.life)

- \$5 Voluntary Donation

Please RSVP for catering - either sign on at the back of the church or

email : info@youthunited.life with your

- ♦ **name,**
- ♦ **DOB**
- ♦ **contact details.**

Looking forward to reuniting in 2019!



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 Fr. Marce 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 or www.stewardsdaisyhill.org.au
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