



# Welcome to St Edward the Confessor Parish

Established 1978



10th—11th November 2018  
32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

## CHURCH

104 Chatswood Road,  
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## SHE STILL GAVE!

Our Gospel story today, from Mark, is about the poor widow giving her last money as Temple offering.

Jesus' public ministry, in Mark, did not emphasize a mission to the economically impoverished. [This is not Luke's Gospel!] In fact, the specific language of "the poor" was uncommon in this Gospel. The first time Jesus expressed a direct interest was in a conversation with a wealthy individual who desired to know how to gain a more meaningful life (cf. 10:17-22). Jesus responded clearly: "sell what you own and give the money to the poor." The man couldn't do it.

This poor widow, however, did just that. She gave it all. Jesus' observation about the "poor widow" who sacrificed the only economic resources she had left was a natural progression from Jesus' critique of scribal abuse of the widows' homes. In the Greek text, this passage flows syntactically from the other one without any evident linguistic break. In light of the context of conflict between Jesus and the temple leaders, this story was more likely a condemnation, rather than a commendation; that is, it highlighted the ways the "treasury" (of the scribes) consumed the means of the poor.

So, what now? **The widow still gave!** Is it possible to understand this story from her perspective? Even while Jesus may be critiquing the financial strains religious leaders and their institutions place upon the impoverished, this widow gave ... out of a sense of obligation, perhaps. Perhaps, out of a sense of hope. In ancient Israel, the "poor" were not required to give; they simply did so because they believed in the goodness of the institution, the goodness of its leaders, and the need for the religious institution to remain. Perhaps she knew that once she gave it all, she would need to rely on the resources from the religious institution to provide for her.

To care for the orphan and the widow, that kind of "pure religion," as James would call it (cf. Mark 1:27) would hopefully touch the minds and hearts of her neighbours in her village when she was in her time of greatest need. And, perhaps Jesus knew that some of the scribes in charge would not carry out their end of the bargain. Yet, he also knew that there were some scribes, like the one in 12:28-34, who agreed with Jesus about the ultimate commands to love. And, perhaps, Jesus knew that this poor widow would be okay.

*Fr Marce Singson*





## WE REMEMBER

In our prayers all who have died recently,  
Marcelo Ordoyo  
Neil Estrella  
Fr Ray Kearney  
Bau-Van Nguyen  
Eugenio Sagun

and those whose anniversaries are in this month:

Francisco Garces  
Isabel Garces  
William Parry  
Concepcion Lopez  
Roterto Lapez Snr  
Ceava Bernal

*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:

Aileen Roman  
Lotda Maala  
Ronaldo Roman  
Epoy Maala  
Ginela Roman  
Claire Browning  
Yvonne Soliano  
Shanenue Jakubenko  
Kora Jakubenko  
James Clifford

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:*

Amilio Fortunato Turro

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

**Thank you**



## VISITATION/COMMUNION FOR THE SICK

12.11.2018; 19.11.2018; 26.11.2018

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

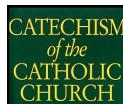


## **Men's Group Meeting "Getting to the Point"**

Men's Group meet every 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month. Next meeting 13th November @ 7.00pm Venue: Room at the back of the Church.  
For information contact:  
Ron Ferrall 3290 3110  
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## **PARISH UPDATE**

- Fr Marce will be participating in the annual Clergy Silent Retreat held at Ormiston for all of next week.
- Changes to the 2018 General Parish Activities—
  - # November 17—Altar Servers Day has been cancelled
  - # December 24—Christmas Vigil Mass Time is changed to 6:00pm



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

### **Q. What is set forth by the seventh commandment?**

The seventh commandment requires respect for the universal destination and distribution of goods and the private ownership of them, as well as respect for persons, their property, and the integrity of creation. The commandment also forbids the unjust keeping or taking of the good of one's neighbour, as well as wronging the neighbour in any way in respect to his/hers good's or property. The Church also finds in this Commandment the basis for her social doctrine which involves the correct way of acting in economic, social and political life, the right and the duty of human labour, justice and solidarity among nations, and love for the poor.

### **Q. Under what conditions does the right to private property exist?**

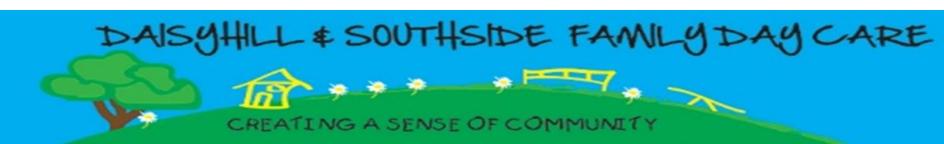
The right to private property exists provided the property is acquired or received in a just way and that the universal destination of goods for the satisfaction of the basic needs of all takes precedence.

### **Q. What is the purpose of private property?**

The purpose of private property is to guarantee the freedom and dignity of individual persons by helping them to meet the basic needs of those in their charge and also of others who are in need.

### **Q. What does the seventh commandment require?**

The seventh commandment requires respect for the goods of others through the practice of justice and charity, temperance and solidarity. In particular it requires *respect for promises made and contracts agreed to, reparation for injustice committed and restitution of stolen goods, and respect for the integrity of creation* by the prudent and moderate use of the mineral, vegetable, and animal resources of the universe with special attention to those species which are in danger of extinction.



Daisy Hill and Southside Family Day Care are very honoured to have been awarded the

**National Family Day Care Service of the Year 2018,** by Family Day Care Australia. We would like to thank our team of educators, families, Field Officers, support services and the community for all they do for the education and well-being of the children in our service.

**If you would like more information about our service, including becoming an Educator or Childcare enquiries please contact the office on: 3208 0463.**

# MASS TIMES 11th — 17th November 2018

Sunday, 11 November	Monday, 12 November	Tuesday, 13 November	Wednesday, 14 November	Thursday, 15 November	Friday, 16 November	Saturday 17 November
8.30am Mass	NO MASS	NO MASS	NO MASS	NO MASS	NO MASS	NO morning MASS
6.00pm Mass						5:30pm Reconciliation
<b>32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>						6:00pm Mass



Rick Sheehan  
Principal  
Phone: 07 3208 0922

**VOLUNTEER'S BREAKFAST**

Volunteers - Join Us for Breakfast!

Friday November 16

Breakfast 7.30am to 8.30am in the St. Edward Centre Followed by Assembly

This invitation is open to anyone who has volunteered in the school this year in any capacity, eg. parent help, excursions, fete, school banking etc.

Children of volunteers will be supervised during breakfast!

We would like to say 'Thank You' to all our volunteers who have helped us during 2018!

Please RSVP for catering purposes by Tuesday 13 November to the school office.

## Youth United meeting

Sunday, 25 November 2018, right after our 8:30am Mass  
All youth come along and have an input plus hear all exciting plans for 2019.



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

**18.11.2018 @ 8:30am Mass**  
Emma Talatonu's Team

**25.11.2018 @ 8:30am Mass**  
Nanete Atkinson & Ludy Barr's Team

**Birthday & Anniversary Celebrations**  
24th—25th November 2018



## Senior Group Update Mass

**13 November @ 9:00am. CANCELLED**

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



## Tuesday 4th December 2018

Christmas Breakup Lunch.

Our special last lunch for the year is at the Southern Cross Sports Club, 51 Klumpp Road Mt Gravatt.



Cost for the Lunch \$30pp.

Numbers and money to be paid by **Tuesday 27th of November**.

No bookings or refunds after this date.

We will meet at the church at 11:15am for Lunch at 12 noon.

## Contact:

Noelene Magee  
Home: 3208 5304 Mob: 0409 261 639



## Available for purchase NOW... 2019 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.

Recommended retail price is \$9.00.

## Church Ministers' Rosters for next weekend 17th—18th November 2018

	Saturday @ 6:00pm	Sunday @ 8:30am	Sunday @ 6:00pm
<b>Holy Mass Coordinators</b>	David & Judi McLean	Francis Oliva	Edgar Ferrer
<b>Parish Choirs</b>	Spiritus	St Cecilia	Voices of Praise
<b>Overhead Projectionist</b>	Volunteer	Volunteer	Volunteer
<b>Proclaimers of the Word: 1</b>	Eleanor Noorli	Kristelle Jaimes	Christine Ferrer
<b>Proclaimers of the Word: 2</b>	Chuchay Bandola	Ethan Ganggangan	Aaron Browell
<b>Communion Ministers</b>	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
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Jonathan Wessling	Grace Bampton	Jamie Medina
	Lucas Wessling	Simeon Bampton	Christina Vega
<b>Children's Liturgy</b>		Katrina Abi-Fares & Anita Peres	



Parish SVDP  
President: Mrs. Maureen Thornton  
Phone: 3290 1959  
**SVDP HELPLINE: 1800 846 643**

**St Vincent de Paul Daisy Hill - Christmas Appeal**  
It is that time of year when we start our Christmas preparations. It is a time of joy and giving at the birth of Jesus Christ. For those who are doing it tough let us work to bring a little joy to their lives. We hope to deliver a hamper to these families – a total of 50. To do this we need your help. We are holding our Christmas Appeal on the weekend 24/25<sup>th</sup> November. You can help by putting a donation in the envelope on the seat. You can also help by putting Christmas foods in the St Vincent de Paul food box at the back of the Church. A list of the foods required is on the table at the entrance to the Church. Please take one and give one to a friend/neighbour. We have only one weekend for the appeal so we ask you to be generous.

Maureen Thornton



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. We have placed a collection box for tamps in the parish office. Thank you.



**Children's Liturgy**  
November 18, December 02



**Outside School Hours Care** T: 07 3208 9470  
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**Safeguarding Children & Vulnerable Adults**  
**John Guiton 0499 105 146**  
**St Edward's Parish Representative**  
**Cheryl McCaffery—Assistant**  
Phone: 07 3299 2000



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](http://www.bne.catholic.net.au) or [www.stewardsdaisyhill.org.au](http://www.stewardsdaisyhill.org.au)  
We are also compelled to adhere to the **Policy of the Safeguarding Children & Vulnerable Adults** <https://brisbanecatholic.org.au/support/safeguard/>