

Church

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 with the Parish Office so that Fr Marce and a member of our Parish Pastoral Council can reach out to you with a formal welcome. Thank you.

> **CHURCH** 104 Chatswood Road, Daisy Hill, Qld, 4127

Parish Priest Fr. Marce Singson

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> DIVISION AND PEACE Fr. Marce Singson

We cannot dispute the fact that Jesus was a peacemaker. He proclaied peace, prayed for it and counselled others to pursue it. He called the peacemakers: "blessed," and promised them the Kingdom of God. Contrary to this congenial image, we hear in today's Gospel reading that Jesus said: "I come to cast fire upon the earth." And he adds: "Do not think that I have come to bring peace...but division." He declares that because of him, people and families will be divided. How do we reconcile these two contradictory images?



The Letter to the Hebrews pictures Jesus as a Priest, Prophet and King.

As **King**, he calls for order and peace that the Kingdom may be strong.

As **Priest**, he wants to unify people in faith and worship and establish harmony in the community.

The role of **Prophet**, however, causes him to speak a different language – for a prophet is on the cutting edge of society, expressing views which people do not want to hear! Therefore as Priest and King, Jesus is a peacemaker; but as Prophet he causes division.

The aim of a genuine prophet is to achieve peace. The person who never objects or criticises is less a peacemaker than the outspoken critic who is sincerely trying to improve the world. If we ignore a curable ill in our Church, family or society, we are not acting as Christians. It sounds strange to say but it takes a brave person to do it, but sometimes we have to be "troublemakers" in order to heal, reform and restore peace.

WE REMEMBER

In our prayers all who have died recently, Mark Richardson Leigh Vincent Marj Bray

and those whose anniversaries are in this month:

Thomas Wilson Leslie Oliver Lammert Van der Meer Barbara Bettiol Conchita Bucar Gallardo

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.



PLEASE PRAY

For all our Sick parishioners and family members:

Kenneth Zinck Michael Abraham Shirley Patterson Phil Jones Tess Villar

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:

Joyce Tien-Ern Kuik Li Yeong Diong Swee Siong Kuik

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



Dignity provides nationally to homeless and at risk women, sanitary products to allow them a sense of dignity at a time when they need it most.

Share the

No woman should suffer the indignity of choosing between eating and buying sanitary items.

This program will run for the month of August. Please give generously. A box will be placed in the Church where you can place you donation. **Thank you.**

The Battle of Long Tan

18 August 1966 Phuoc Tuy Province, South Vietnam



Long Tan Cross Vietnam; Memorial erected by 6th Battalion ,Royal Australian Regiment on 18 August 1969

We remember the 50th anniversary of the Battle of Long Tan on Thursday **18 August 2016**.

Outnumbered by 20 to 1 the Australian soldiers fought in a blinding monsoon thunderstorm, where 18 were killed and 24 wounded.

We remember the ex servicemen from this Parish who fought in the Vietnam War and thank them for their contribution to serving their Country...Australia.



Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary into Heaven. Monday 15th August 2016

It is a holy day of obligation, which means, all Catholics are urged to come to Church for **Holy Mass**. The Mass in our parish is set at **6:30pm**, to accommodate those who are working. There is no Mass in the morning on that day.

Available for purchase NOW... 2017 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.

The Columban Art calendar is accompanied by an indepth Art Guide, a free downloadable audio visual and written resource which gives an insightful explanation of each painting featured in the Calendar www.columban.org.au/2017artguide Recommended retail price is \$9.00. Available from the Parish Office or SVDP Store.



MASS TIMES 14th - 20th August 2016							
Sunday, 14th August	Monday, 15th August	Tuesday, 16th August	Wednesday, 17th August	Thursday, 18th August	Friday, 19th August	Saturday 20th August	
8.30am Mass 6.00pm Mass 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time	6.30pm Mass Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary into Heaven	9.00am Mass - Yurana 7.00pm Mass Adoration	7.00am Rosary 7.30am Mass	7.30am Mass	7.00am Rosary 7.30am Mass	7.30am Mass 5.30pm Reconciliation 6.00pm Mass St Bernard	
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Love Growth

future Olympians relish the opportunity to take part in the P-2 Athletics carnival. The weather was

magical and many parents joined in this great day. It was a pleasure to watch our Year 6 students lead the group activities of tug of war, high jump, sprints, sack races, relays, hurdles and many more.

There were a few excursions this week. Our Year 5 students have been learning about the people and events that have bought change to the Australian colony. They visited the 'Eureka-Gold Rush' at the back of Beenleigh. They were face with a scenario of diggers arriving at the goldfields to try to find their fortune. It was a great interactive and authentic learning experience for the children.



Our Prep students have been learning about animals and walked to the Daisy Hill Koala Centre to learn more about koalas. This was a great walk and there were many tired little and big legs! Our Year 2 students have been learning about past and present transport and communication. They have been amazed by some of the artefacts that we know so well yet were so new to them- I am sure you all remember dial up telephone, typewriter....!! They have a visit from "Living History" where they had an opportunity to see, hear and explore more changes in transport and communication.

Just some updates.... The fete was a huge success raising over \$20,000.. Our students in the Quota Eisteddfod – were our gold winning choir!

We hope you have a great week



Our parish will conduct the Catholic Mission Church Appeal this weekend

August 13-14, 2016

When Jesus talks in the opening of this weekend's Gospel, about bringing "fire to the earth", we can easily mistake His promise as a threat. But consider all the ways fire brings life. Flames remove dross, crack open seeds and lead to regrowth in vegetation. In our relationships, we speak of the fire in our heart, our loins, our thoughts...so perhaps it's not so much as a threat, as a yearning to see people ablaze with a passion for their relationship with God. It is this passion that drives missionaries, like Sr Eulie, in countries where God is little known or where life circumstances need to be reshaped by the blaze of the Gospel. Your contributions, through the Catholic Mission appeal campaign, will help light fires in more than 160 countries around the world, including Cambodia. In anticipation of your generosity, we thank you!

> David McGovern, Diocesan Director Archdiocese of Brisbane

Bronwyn, Brendan and Danielle



Parish Hospitality Teams

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

Every Sunday morning after the 8.30am Mass then the 4th weekend of the month on Saturday and Sunday.

> 21st August 2016 After Sunday morning 8.30am Mass Denise Love's Team

> 28th August 2016 After Sunday morning 8.30am Mass Vange Munn's Team

> After Sunday evening 6.00pm Mass Cheryl McCaffery's Team

Senior Group Update Mass : Tuesday 13th September 2016 at 9.00 am At this Mass Fr also holds an Anointing of the Sick. A cuppa Morning tea will be served after Mass. Transport can be arranged if required Friday 19th August



Lunch at Capalaba Sports Club, 113 Ney Road, Capalaba. Meet at the church at 11am.

Numbers to me by Thursday 18th August. Any enquiries or to book please contact Noelene 3208 5304 or 0409 261 639

Church Ministers' Rosters for next weekend 20th - 21st August 2016								
	Saturday 6.00pm	Sunday 8.30am	Sunday 6.00pm					
Holy Mass Coordinators	David & Judi	Francis Oliva	Gavin Clancy					
Parish Choirs	Spiritus	St Cecilia	Voice of Praise					
Overhead Projectionist	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers					
Proclaimers of the Word: 1	Charles Telles	Kristelle Jaimes	Violet Taulunga					
Proclaimers of the Word: 2	Ashton D'Mello	Ethan Ganggangan	Pesi Silao					
Communion Ministers	Lorie Angcay	Sue Neve	Pat Ferrer					
	Amorita Wessling	Ed Morassuti	Violet Taulunga					
	Paul Wessling	Kim Thomson	Pesi Silao					
		Scott Perrett	Lyn Alitin					
		Patrick Villar	Johanna Roche					
		Vange Munn						
		Terry or Anthony						
Alter Servers	Annabelle Wessling	Volunteer	Elijah Alitin					
	Jonathan Wessling	Sienna Morassuti	Drew Tabones					



Our world today is not a happy one. The increased crime, violence and terrorism tend to create fear in many of us, a fear which prevents us from enjoying and celebrating the gift of life. The Current Olympic games is demonstrating that the forces that unite us are greater than the forces that divide

us. Let us think positively and work to bring about the dream of the poet Langston Hughes.

> I Dream A World I dream a world where man No other man will scorn. Where love will bless the earth And peace its paths adorn I dream a world where all Will know sweet freedom's way. Where greed no longer saps the soul Nor avarice blights our day. A world I dream where black or white Whatever race you be, Will share the bounties of the earth And every man is free Where wretchedness will hang its head And joy, like a pearl, Attend the needs of all mankind. Of such I dream, my world.



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. This goes towards Salesian Education and relief work in developing nations. Yes, the Post man does not have to stop by often, but on that rare occasion he does, and on that envelope, if there is a stamp, can you please pass this on to us, instead of throwing it in the bin? A small gesture, lending a big helping hand. We have placed a collection box for stamps in the parish office. DAISYHHLL & SOUTHSIDE FAMILY DAY CARE





National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Children's Day (Children's Day) was celebrated at Play Sessions to recognise the strengths and culture of their children. The day is an opportunity to show support for Aboriginal children, as well as learn about the crucial impact that community, culture and family play in the life of every Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander child. This year's theme is *My Country, Our Country, We All Belong*. It is about helping children to feel connected and proud in culture, to ensure they feel like they belong.

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

Children's Liturgy takes place during the Sunday 8.30am Mass. Upcoming Dates are: August 14th & 28th; September 11th; October 16th & 30th; November 13th & 27th; December 4th.

CARE AND CONCERN

If you are aware of a sick parishioner who may appreciate a visit or a meal or requires transport to medical appointments. Please contact the Parish Office so a member of our Care and Concern or Pastoral Council can respond.

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