

### St Edward the Confessor Parish

Established 1978

104 Chatswood Road, DAISY HILL. QLD 4127

Readings: Jer.38: 4-6, 8-10; Hebrews 12: 1-4; Luke 12: 49-53

Next Week: Isaiah 66: 18-21; Hebrews 12: 5-7, 11-13; Luke 13: 22-30

### 13<sup>th</sup>—14<sup>th</sup> August 2022 20<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time —Year C/2

### **Prince of Peace?**

Wow. Some Prince of Peace this guy was. Splitting up families, causing division. You sure you want in on this?

Jesus almost sounds sad in this Gospel passage. Maybe this story recalls one of the first times he realised people wouldn't accept his Good News. Maybe that reality crushed him.

I've seen that happen to a lot of young people after youth group meetings, retreats, or community service trips. They feel filled with Good News but run into friends and family members who call them unrealistic, naïve, or Bible-bashers. I've also seen conflict sparked when young people stand up for what's right, in front of friends or classmates.

Yeah, Jesus was right. Conflict is definitely part of the package. The peace Jesus brings isn't a calm in which no one gets angry. Jesus makes it clear he stands for the peace that can come only when all people find respect and justice. But the people who call others to respect all people and to live justly – hopefully, you and me – quite often spark conflict.

So the real question is: *How will you deal with conflict as a Christian?* 

Here are some tips from a guy who has faced it, made some mistakes, and learned from them.

**First**, don't back down from it. Conflict can strengthen relationships if you deal with it non-violently. Every time you stand up non-violently for your beliefs despite conflict, your self-esteem grows.

**Second**, remember that our God is non-violent. Resolve conflict without name-calling, yelling, or becoming physically violent. That can be hard. But the more you practice, the better you get.

**Third**, you're not alone. Pray for strength to remain faithful, even during conflict, and reach out to other Christians – especially those who can walk with you – for support and advice when times get tough.

So, yeah, conflict is part of the deal for Christians. And it can get ugly. But the Lord had been through it and won't leave you in the lurch.

When have you seen
Christian living spark
conflict with friends and
family?

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#### WE REMEMBER

### In our prayers all who have died recently,

Margaret George France Mercieca Lesbia Espejo Cathy Maree Herbert

and those whose anniversaries are in this month:

Thomas Wilson Shaun Stewart Teresa Wiswell Leslie Condon Oliver Patrick Brian Baird

Eternal rest grant unto them, 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
Faaleo Tupi
Ioane (John) Tolu
Margaret Wilson
Carlos Guevarra
Iakopo Tolu
John Guiton
Narelle McCarthy
Ann Wade
Monika Consolati
Rosemary Hetherington

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



### **BAPTISM**

We welcome into our Christian Community.

George John Kabashi

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 14.09.2022 @7:00pm.

For information contact: Ron Ferrall Mobile: 0447 954 947 referrall@optusnet.com.au



Thank you to our Care and Concern Group

**Home Communion next visit:** 

15.08.2022 & 22.08.2022

#### Prayer for Clergy Convocation 2022

Have you considered praying for your Clergy? Deacons, Priests and Bishops? Why not pray for them in the lead up to the 2022 Clergy Convocation from the 16<sup>th</sup> to the 17<sup>th</sup> of August at the Brisbane Convention Centre. Clergy Convocations are a positive time for Archdiocesan Clergy to come together and discuss matters of importance to the Church and enjoy fellowship and worship.



It's been a while but Archbishop Mark Coleridge resumed his official duties to bless the plough at the opening of Brisbane's famous Ekka.

The Catholic and Anglican Archbishops take turns each year in blessing the plough, drawn by two Clydesdales (named Pearl and Opal!).

This year, it was Archbishop Mark's turn again after an absence due to the COVID19 pandemic preventing the Ekka from occurring in 2020 and 2021. He officiated at the Ekka opening last weekend.

Archbishop Mark said the ceremony was based on tradition, calling down God's blessings on all that farmers did and all of the animals and equipment that they worked with.

"It may seem a bit antiquated but it's a simple and effective way of remembering that everything is a gift - the land and all it produces," Archbishop Mark said.

Ekka organisers describe their event, which attracts about 400,000 people, as "bringing country and city together for a true celebration of agriculture".



Has anyone picked up a ring besides the sink inside the church back meeting room. It happened on Sunday, 31 July 2022. It was taken off to wash her hands and she removed her silver ring with a crystal stone. After drying her hands she forgot to pick-up her ring. She remembered when she arrived home. We checked the next morning and could not find it. If you have

located it please call the office 3299 2000. Thank you.



MASS TIMES 15 <sup>th</sup> —21 <sup>st</sup> August 2022								
Monday, 15 August	Tuesday, 16 August	Wednesday, 17 August	Thursday, 18 August	Friday, 19 August	Saturday, 20 August	Sunday, 21 August		
9:00am Mass	NO Mass	NO Mass	NO Mass	9:00am Mass	9:00am Mass St Bernard.	21 <sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time		
The Assumption of	St Stephen of Hungary			St John Eudes, priest	abbot, doctor	8:00am Rosary 8:30am Mass		
the Blessed Virgin Mary	Clergy Convocation	Clergy Convocation			6:00pm Vigil Mass	6:00pm Mass		

## 2022 SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMME UPDATE

### **FIRST HOLY COMMUNION** will be held Sunday 6 November at 10am (*full*

details on Parish website)





The Catholic Church in Australia will mark **Social Justice Sunday** on **August 28** this year.

The title of the 2022-2023 Social Justice Statement is Respect: Confronting Violence and Abuse; it addresses the issue of domestic and family violence.

The statement and related resources, including prayer and liturgy materials, bulletin notices and images/social media graphics, will be available a www.socialjustice.catholic.org.au

A local launch will be hosted in Brisbane at St James' Parish at Coorparoo (in St James' Hall) on Tuesday evening 23 August, starting at 7.30pm.

Karyn Walsh from Micah Projects will talk about the critical support they offer through the Brisbane Domestic Violence Service (BDVS), a first port of call for women and children experiencing or at risk from domestic and family violence.

Please RSVP at cjpc@bne.catholic.net.au if you wish to attend.



It is a busy week on "the Hill with P -2 Carnival. Our P -2 classes were very excited about the carnival today especially preps, being their first carnival.

It was wonderful to see so many parents enjoying the apricity of the day.

Rick Sheehan Principal Phone: 3208 0922





Heavenly Father, we continue to pray for our brothers and sisters in Sri Lanka. God bring your comfort to those grieving today. Bring your peace to those in fear. We pray for government leaders and medical professionals to be given great strength and wisdom. In Jesus' name, Amen.



### We Are Hiring!

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Church Ministers' Rosters for next weekend 20th—21st August 2022							
	Saturday @ 6:00pm	Sunday @ 8:30am	Sunday @ 6:00pm				
Mass Coordinator	Volunteer	Denise Love	Cheryl McCaffery				
Welcome Team Commentator	Rose George Volunteer	Brian Ridder Volunteer	Pat & Cheryl McCaffery Nieva Hageman				
Parish Choirs	Couples for Christ	St Cecilia	Familia Choir				
Overhead Projectionist	Volunteer	Tim Trainor	Volunteer				
Communion Minister	Bassania Perrett  Volunteer	Isidore Storey Shirley D'Mello Brian Ridder	Sandra Seneviratne  Ian Seneviratne				
Proclaimers of the Word: 1 Proclaimers of the Word: 2	Evie Perrett Layla Perrett	Kristelle Jaimes Sue Neve	Volunteer  Mattie Sarmiento				
Prayers of the Faithful	Prayers of the Faithful Perrett Family		Nieva Hageman				
Hospitality		Ana Fidow Team					





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

### **STOPline Service**

STOPline is an external service provided for the Archdiocese to receive confidential disclosures. Disclosures can be made anonymously. **P:** 1300 304 550 E: AOB@stopline.com.au

### 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.



#### THANKSGIVING DONATIONS \$4,000.00 Weekly budget for our parish...

06<sup>th</sup>—07<sup>th</sup> August 2022

Envelopes: \$ 766.30 Loose: \$ 511.95 Credit Card: \$ 247.00 Direct Deposit: \$ 210.00 Eftpos: \$ 230.00 Giving App: 48.65 **Grand Total:** 





### Senior Group Update

Seniors Mass 13<sup>th</sup> September 2022 @ 9:00am

Join us for light refreshments socialising, chatting and having a lot of fun afterwards. All welcome.

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



#### **Outside School Hours Care**

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### **Children's Liturgy**

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



14<sup>th</sup> August 2022 Leaders: Anita Peres and Denise Clancy

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