



St Edward the Confessor Parish

Established 1978

104 Chatswood Road, DAISY HILL. QLD 4127

Readings: Sirach 27: 30-28:7; Romans 14: 7-9; Matthew 18: 21-35

Next Week: Isaiah 55: 6-9; 1 Philippians 1: 20-24, 27; Matthew 20: 1-6

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16th—17th September 2023

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time —Year A/1

The Lord is compassion and love, slow to anger and rich in mercy.

The readings for this Sunday remind us again of God's boundless love and compassion. God's unconditional love for us, and the sacrifice of Jesus's death, mean there is no limit to the mercy we receive; nor can there be to the compassion and forgiveness we show to others.

The **First Reading** from Ecclesiasticus exhorts us to avoid resentment, anger and hatred, and live by God's commandments. Showing true forgiveness and having compassion for others, whatever the hurt we have experienced ourselves, will set us free. The **Psalm** is a hymn of praise and thanksgiving to the Lord. We are reminded that we are not treated according to our sins: we receive the unimaginable depth and breadth of God's love and forgiveness.

In the **Second Reading**, St Paul teaches the Romans how the life we live influences those around us. We belong to Christ, Lord of the dead and the living, and it is through the way we live and die that we lead others to him. The **Gospel** parable of the merciful king and his unforgiving servant reiterates the key message that we must love and forgive others because of the love and compassion God has shown us, in spite of the depth of our sins.

This week, perhaps we can pray for those who are unable to forgive. We think of those who remain trapped in the cycles of bitterness and division, which in so many parts of the world, lead to violence and war.

GOSPEL Matthew 18: 21–25 REFLECTION

I read the Gospel through slowly. I notice what thoughts and feelings the words evoke in me. Would I be most likely to show the compassion of the king if this were me, or would I let anger and bitterness of the servant dominate?

Do I Have To Forgive
_____?



Matthew 18:21-35

Maybe I've struggled to forgive? I ask the Lord to help me find the strength to let go, and free myself from the resentment and hurt. I look back on the times in my life when I'd been in the wrong and was forgiven. How would I describe the feelings I now recall? Joy? Lightness? Relief . . . ? or . . . ?

Perhaps it's myself I need to forgive? Opening my heart, I ask the Lord to help me with this, and to teach me how to show the same compassion that he does. I place myself at the feet of the Lord, and thank him for the gift of his presence, using whatever words feel best.

Courtesy of St Bueno's Outreach in the Diocese of Wrexham, UK



WE REMEMBER

In our prayers all who have died recently,

*Tuarangi Michael (Rose George & Rachel Porio's brother)
David Robinson
Amelia Josephine Brand*

and those whose anniversaries are in this month:

*Bill Owsnett
Stephen Charles Roth
David Little
Carmel Neylan
James Scully
Noel Layton
Peter Marrinan
Ake Karati
Restituta Bongas
Thressiamma Vattaparambil*

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:

*Armando Bettiol
Erika Mehler
Ioane (John) Tolu
Margaret Wilson
Carlos Guevarra
Iakopo Tolu
Narelle McCarthy
Cheryl Blanco
Helen Gainey
Emerald Pereira
Samayah Habid
Cameron Blacker
Maria Lourdes Villa
Chris Hunt
Peter Howard
Francesco Buenavista
(Annabelle's Havelock's brother)
Dan McNamara
Angel Mactal
James Eichperger
Sheree Winchester
Ian Littlewood
Pauline Allen*

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.

Sophie Ellyse Went

For information regarding Baptism please contact the office on 3299 2000. *Thank you.*

PARISH UPDATE 2023

Dates to Remember

October 13 @ 9:00am Mass—Feast of St Edward the Confessor
(Parish & whole School Mass)
October 15 @ 9:30am Parish feast day event after 8:30am Mass only.
October 21-22 @ All Masses—Catholic Missions
November 01 @ 9:00am Mass—All Saints Day
November 02 @ 9:00am Mass—All Souls Day—Columbarium Service
November 28 @ 6:00pm Mass—Rite of Passage (School Graduation)
December 01 @ 11:00am Mass—End of School Year
December 03 @ All Masses—1st Sunday of Advent

Parish Office Update

The parish secretary will be on Annual Leave commencing 20.09.2023 until 29.09.2023.

PPC Hospitality

Next week end is the last week end of the month and as such we will be celebrating the birthdays and wedding anniversaries with a blessing and hospitality after all our Masses. If you wish to bring a plate to share it would be appreciated. Thank you.

Safe and Well.

Fr Joseph

Did You Know?

St Edward the Confessor

Edward the Confessor was the son of King Ethelred III and his Norman wife, Emma, daughter of Duke Richard I of Normandy. He was born at Islip, England, and sent to Normandy with his mother in the year 1013 when the Danes under Sweyn and his son Canute invaded England.



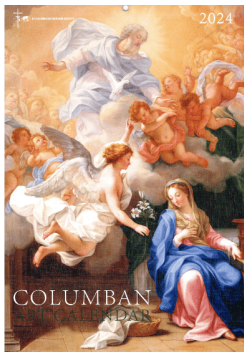
CORPUS CHRISTI ADORATION

Every Wednesday 9.30am to 9.30pm at
St Edward the Confessor Parish Blessed Sacrament Chapel
104 Chatswood Rd, Daisy Hill.

All are welcome to spend time in front of the Blessed Sacrament any time during these times.

“Of all the devotions, that of adoring Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament Is the greatest after the Sacraments, the one dearest to God and the one most helpful to us.” St Alphonsus Liguri

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The Columban Art Calendar is an iconic Catholic Calendar, well-known for its traditional religious paintings and liturgical information and is a major fundraiser for Columban Missionaries. 2024 marks the 102th edition.

The Columban Art Calendar is now available at our St Vincent de Paul Piety Store.

Price: \$10 per copy.

MASS TIMES 18 th - 24 th September 2023						
Monday, 18 September	Tuesday, 19 September	Wednesday, 20 September	Thursday, 21September	Friday, 22 September	Saturday, 23 September	Sunday, 24 September
9:00am Mass	9:00am Mass <i>St Januarius, bishop, martyr</i>	9:00am Mass 9:30am – 9:30pm Corpus Christi Adoration <i>Sts Andrew Kim Tae-gŏn, priest, martyr, Paul Chŏng Ha-sang & companions, martyrs</i>	NO Mass <i>St Matthew, apostle, evangelist</i>	9:00am Mass	9:00am Mass <i>St Pius of Pietrelcina,</i> 6:00pm Vigil Mass	<i>25th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> 8:00am Rosary 8:30am Mass 6:00pm Mass



Archbishop Mark has a message for you

This week the City Markets made their debut in the cathedral precinct. By lunchtime the precinct was abuzz with people everywhere, reminding me of the great spaces around cathedrals in Europe, where you find caf  s, markets, musicians and more. We might think of our precinct as a kind of monastic space for religion alone, but the Word became flesh, which is why Christianity and the buzz of life are a good mix...like those Italian cribs where the Child is born not in an empty countryside but in the thick of village life where it's all happening. See you at the markets next Tuesday.

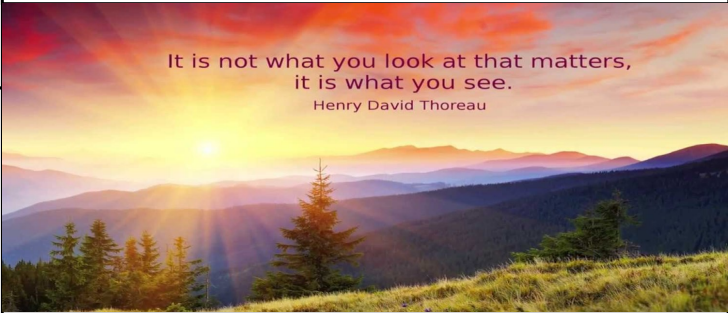
As Term 3 draws to a close, we reflect on another remarkable term with much happening on ‘The Hill’. The term has had many opportunities for the community to gather such as: Mary McKillop Day Liturgy, Celebration of Learnings, Father’s Day Celebrations including the Stall, Class Liturgies, Athletic Carnivals, Disco, Book Parade, Dance demonstrations to name some. May the term break be rejuvenating for your families.

Rick Sheehan, Principal . Phone: 3208 0922

The Holy Rosary—The Month of September

The Sorrowful Mysteries:

1. The Agony in the Garden
2. The Scourging at the Pillar
3. The Crowning with Thorns
4. The Carrying of the Cross
5. The Crucifixion



C & C Creations

Next get together will be on **04th October 2023**. It is held on the first Wednesday of the month from 9:30am – 12 noon in the Church meeting room. Enjoy a cuppa and a chat.

The Christmas Stall will take place at all the Masses over the week end of 09th—10th December 2023.

Contact: Noelene Magee Mobile: 0409 261 639

Children's Liturgy

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

There will be no Children’s Liturgy during school holidays.

Thank you to our Care and Concern Group

Home Communion next visit:
18.09.2023 & 25.09.2023

Senior Group Update

Mass with anointing of the sick
10th October 2023 @ 9:00am
Join us for Morning Tea afterwards.

Seniors Lunch

Friday 29th September at 12 noon
We are going to lunch at the Logan City Recreational & Sporting Club
4 Alba Lane, Kingston.
All welcome. Numbers to me by Thursday 28th September.

Contact: Noelene Magee Mobile: 0409 261 639

Church Ministers' Rosters for next weekend 23rd —24th September 2023

	Saturday @ 6:00pm	Sunday @ 8:30am	Sunday @ 6:00pm
Mass Coordinator	Volunteer	Denise Love	Miriam Silva
Welcome Team (at entrance) Commentator (from lectern)	Rose George Volunteer	Brian Ridder	Volunteer Volunteer
Parish Choirs	One Himig	Jaimes Family Choir	Volunteer
Overhead Projectionist	Volunteer	Tim Trainor	Volunteer
Communion Minister (Bread & Wine)	Volunteer x 4	Denise Love, Ana Fidow, Jess Gregorio, Greg Gregorio & Volunteer x 3	Miriam Silva & Volunteer x 3
Proclaimers of the Word: 1	Volunteer	Chi Gardner	Jeff Sommers
Proclaimers of the Word: 2	Tia Peres	Kathleen Layton	Sagaya Fernando
Prayers of the Faithful	Volunteer	Chloe Gregorio	Volunteer
Altar Servers			
Hospitality	PPC	El Shaddai	PPC

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

Men's Group meet 2nd Wednesday of the month
in St Declans.

Next meeting 11.10.2023 @ 7:00pm.

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**Safeguarding Children &
Vulnerable Adults**

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Full policy can be obtained at:

<https://brisbanecatholic.org.au/support/safeguard/>

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Thank you so much to all who support our Parish financially.

Weekly budget for our parish... \$4,000.00

09th—10th September 2023

Envelopes: \$ 418.75
Loose: \$ 795.50
Direct Deposit: \$ 205.00
Eftpos: \$ 180.00
Giving App: \$ 88.05
Credit Card: \$ 40.00
Grand Total: \$1,727.30

Thank you.



Postage Stamps from your mail

Your stamps go towards funding for the Girl Guides Association to help children who live in the outback. You will find a collection box in our Parish Office or pass them onto Fr Joseph.

Thank you for your continued support.

WE BELONG FAMILY DAYCARE



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W: www.webelongfamilydaycare.com

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.**



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.stedwardsdaisyhill.org.au

We are also compelled to adhere to the **Policy of the Safeguarding Children & Vulnerable Adults**

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