



# Parish of St Edward the Confessor



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## CHURCH

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Parish Priest  
Fr. Marce Singson

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*Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe*

**19th - 20th November 2016**

## A TOTALLY DIFFERENT KING

*Fr. Marce Singson*



The idea of Christ the King is one that is very familiar to us, and yet Christ is very different from earthly kings. The kings we have heard of and read about in books have often had to win their kingdoms in

the blood of battle. Frequently, one king met another in individual, mortal combat. The survivor was the victor. Though some kings displayed benevolence to their subjects, many kings became tyrants to their subjects. One thing all kings, no matter how powerful or extensive their kingdom, have had in common is this: death has been the end of their kingship.

How different is Christ the King! To begin with, Jesus did not win his kingdom in the blood of a battlefield, but “through his blood on the cross.” His enemy was not another king, but sin itself. Though Christ died in the struggle, it was Christ and not sin who was the victor. After his victory, Christ, far from being a tyrant, has shown that he is most benevolent to his subjects.

If Christ has already won the battle of his kingdom, and if his kingdom has so much good to offer to his people for their happiness, why is it that many people still fail to recognise and accept Christ as their King? Why is it that Christ’s peace, his love and his justice are not in great evidence in our world today? The reason is that sin, despite the victory of Christ, still has power in the world because people opt to do their will instead of God’s will.

The situation is like the one following the war with Japan. In that war, the decisive battle had been fought and won by the United States in the summer of 1945. On August 14, 1495, Japan officially surrendered. Though there was no doubt then that United States had won the war, some fighting continued in a few islands of the Pacific in what the military referred to as “mopping-up” operations. We are like people in the final stages of a war. Christ has fought and won the decisive battle against sin and evil, and we are now in the mopping-up period. We long for the day when this struggle will be over and done with, so that all people may enjoy the peace, love and justice of Christ’s kingdom. The Second Coming of Christ will mark the end of this transition period, and then will begin in all its perfection the eternal and universal reign of Christ the King!



## **WE REMEMBER**

In our prayers all who have died recently,

Barry Lawson  
Les Riding  
Lil Fogarty

and those whose anniversaries are in this month:

Barry Atkin

***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. Thank you.***



## **PLEASE PRAY**

For all our Sick parishioners and family members:

Neonila Constantino  
Beryl Kowtan  
Kathleen Hanlon  
Se Rebobon

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**

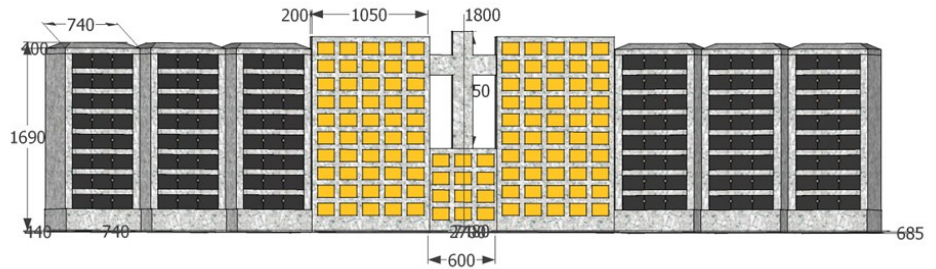
***We welcome into our Christian community:***

Jessica Faena Mah-Kwan  
Isaac Jacob Simpson

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



## **ST EDWARD'S PARISH COLUMBARIUM**



In October 22, 2016 Pope Francis has released an official guideline on how we care for the ashes of the deceased. The Vatican document says: *"The ashes of the deceased must be laid to rest in a sacred place, such as in a cemetery or columbarium". It goes on to state that "it is not permitted to keep the ashes in a home or to scatter them in the air, on land, at sea, or in some other way. Nor may they be preserved in mementos, pieces of jewellery, or other objects."* In short, the Vatican says YES to cremation but NO to scattering of ashes anywhere.

The release of the above Vatican Guideline was very timely because it has been my dream in this parish at St. Edward's to establish a Columbarium. I presented this dream when I called for a joint meeting with the Pastoral and Finance Councils late last year. It was unanimously approved with great delight. The above photo is the impression of our future parish Columbarium. It is not made of bricks but granite. It is now being manufactured by National Granite Pty Ltd in Sydney and will be transported from Sydney to Daisy Hill and the whole structure will be mounted at the nominated site. The location of where the Columbarium will stand is very important to me because it faces the Altar and this will remind the priest who celebrates the Mass, to pray for the souls named on the Columbarium; and the congregation, too, will be reminded to pray for the deceased members of their families, relatives and friends.

This Columbarium is divided into two parts: the 140 niches or holes where we place the ashes of the deceased; and the memorial wall (yellow part) which is composed of small plaques, around 150 plaques, where we put the names of our departed. I hope to finish this project before Christmas. I have appointed John Winter to supervise the construction of the Columbarium. And once the project is finished, John Guiton (who is a member of our Parish Finance Council) will take over as Parish Manager of our Columbarium. This means John Guiton is the first contact person for those who are interested to make reservations or for any concerns about the Columbarium. His contact number is 3299 5233, strictly during office hours only.

Application forms and Terms and Conditions are now ready for pick up, either at the Church, or from the Parish Office. For your convenience they are also available on our Parish website [www.stedwardsdaisyhill.org.au](http://www.stedwardsdaisyhill.org.au). I am greatly indebted to our Parish Office Administrator Cheryl McCaffery, who was so quick in formulating the Terms and Conditions and other paper work, with the assistance of John Guiton and John Winter. Some sources of our Terms and Conditions and other paper work were drawn from the Archdiocese of Brisbane and from other surrounding parishes who have been managing a Columbarium for so many years.

Fr. Marce



# MASS TIMES 20th - 26th November 2016

Sunday, 20 November	Monday, 21 November	Tuesday, 22 November	Wednesday, 23 November	Thursday, 24 November	Friday, 25 November	Saturday 26 November
8.30am Mass 6.00pm Mass	7.00am Rosary 7.30am Mass	7.00pm Mass Adoration	7.00am Rosary 7.30am Mass	7.30am Mass	7.00am Rosary 7.30am Mass	7.30am Mass
<i>Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe</i>	<b>The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary</b>	<b>St Cecilia</b>		<b>St Andrew Dung-Lac &amp; Companions</b>		5.30pm Reconciliation 6.00pm Mass



Last Thursday and Friday we welcomed our 2017 Prep families and students. On Thursday night we shared some of the big picture information about our school and the Prep teachers for 2017 and on Friday the students shared a liturgy together and then had a go at classroom activities, heard a story and had a play on the playground. It was a wonderful opportunity to meet our new members of our community.



With only two week of school to go and there are so many wonderful celebrations coming up. You may want to mark our Christmas Play and Carols night in your diary. It is on Thursday 24th November at 7.00pm on the courts and is always a great community night. This year the students are performing a delight modern Christmas play.



Each Week 8 of the term we take time to think about ourselves, others and the wider community. Next week's events are around the theme "Putting the Pieces Together". It is a chance to reflect on some successful moments, think about how "Letting Love Live" has impacted each class and join together as a community to share some wonderful student talent! Below is a look at the week ahead....

We hope you all have a great week.....

Bronwyn, Brendan and Danielle

## Putting the Pieces Together

"It's always the small pieces that make the big picture."

Term 4 Wellbeing Week is all about the magical pieces we have put together in our year of 'Letting Love Live' 2016

**Trying Tuesday**  
Puzzles can challenge...today is your chance to try a few different puzzles and test your persistence!

**Wonderful Wednesday**  
What wonderful symbols can you LOVE BOX? Each class will bring their box forward with their class heart at our last mass.

**Magical Jigsaw Time Thursday**  
Christmas Carols Celebration

**Finale Friday**  
The last piece of our Wellbeing Week puzzle is to sit back and enjoy the some performances: Music Corp & The Star Potential Play

Staff Tuesday: review and relax

Staff Jigsaw Game: For a piece and a prize!

Staff Takeout Thursday

## Parish Hospitality Teams

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

27th November 2016 @ 8.30am Mass  
Rose George's Team

27th November 2016 @ 6.00pm Sunday Mass  
Sorry Cancelled

04th December 2016 @ 8.30am Mass  
Al Silagan's Term



## Senior Group Update

**Mass : Tuesday 13th December 2016 at 9.00 am**

At this Mass Fr Marce also holds an Anointing of the Sick. A cuppa Morning tea will be served after Mass. Transport can be arranged if required



**Outing: Tuesday 6th December . CHRISTMAS BREAKUP LUNCHEON.**

Bus trip to Beaudesert. Cost \$30 for the bus.

Morning tea provided. Lunch at the Beaudesert RSL Services Club, 23-25 William Street, Beaudesert. Lunch Price is \$20 per person. After lunch, time to stroll through the town. Then back on the bus for more site seeing. Meeting at the church at 8:45am returning about 3pm. Numbers to me by Tuesday 29th November. No refund on bookings after the 29th.

Any enquiries please contact:  
Noelene 3208 5304 or 0409 261 639



## Church Ministers' Rosters for next weekend 26th - 27th November 2016

	Saturday 6.00pm	Sunday 8.30am	Sunday 6.00pm
<b>Holy Mass Coordinators</b>	Jim & Fay	Denise Love	Vange Munn
<b>Parish Choirs</b>	Voice of Praise	Northside Choir	El Shaddai
<b>Overhead Projectionist</b>	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers
<b>Proclaimers of the Word: 1</b>	Camille Sonido	Karizza de Jesus	Dilu McCaffery
<b>Proclaimers of the Word: 2</b>	Dylan Peres	Viano Taschke	Jesmine Medina
<b>Communion Ministers</b>	Neville Peres	Rose George	Corrie Wall
	Anita Peres	Jamie Cruz	Miriam Silva
	Eve Douglas	Brian Ridder	Ason Medina
		Angela de Jesus	Sandra Seneviratne
		Rachel Porio	Denise Clancy
		Ray Hughes	
		Laura Ferrall	
<b>Alter Servers</b>	Candice Wessling	Ugala Isbon	Isabelle McCaffery
	Jonathan Wessling	Natalie Isbon	Ella O'Brien



This weekend the Daisy Hill SVDP Conference is launching its Christmas Appeal, a project that helps the poor and marginalized in our community experience the joy and peace of the birth of our Saviour, Jesus. So far this year we have visited 166 families. Unfortunately we are not in a position to give every family a Christmas hamper, so we have decided to help families with children only. To do this we need your help to fill 60 baskets. We ask you for donations of Christmas food in the next couple of weekends as we are packing the hampers on Monday 28<sup>th</sup> November (the last week of school). We will be doing this on the school hall veranda starting at 9.00am (28<sup>th</sup> November) and again we would appreciate a couple of hours of your time to help with the packing.. Also SVDP Christmas Appeal envelopes are on the church pews if you would like to make a donation which can be used to purchase food items. Thank you for your continued support during the year and look forward to working together to help the needy in our community.

*Christmas is a time for giving*



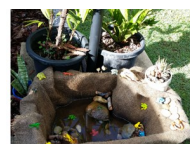
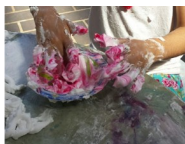
*We can use your postage stamps from your mail*

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.



### Invitations to Play!

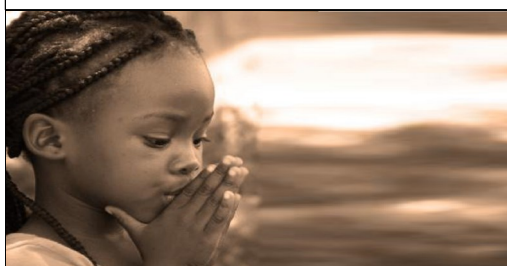
Educators at Daisy Hill and Southside Family Day Care offer a range of interesting experiences to promote children's learning and development!



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:  
**November 27th;**  
**December 4th.**



*God in Heaven*  
hear my prayer,  
**KEEP ME**  
IN  
THY *loving care.*  
**Be My GUIDE** *in all I do.*  
*bless all those*  
who **LOVE** me too.  
**AMEN.** †  
Veronica Angel  
First Communion  
April 13, 2015

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We are also compelled to adhere to the **Policy of the Safeguarding Children & Vulnerable Adults**  
<https://brisbanecatholic.org.au/support/safeguard/>