



Welcome to **St Edward the Confessor Parish**

Established 1978



24th—25th August 2019

21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

Next Week: Ecclesiasticus 3:17-20, 28-29, Hebrews 12:18-19, 22-24, Luke 14:1, 7-14.

Remember Your Dinner Partner

Was Jesus talking about the church car park in this Gospel? Watch a church car park after Mass. See who lets others go first and who races to be the first out, cutting off other parishioners.

Or maybe Jesus was talking about the sign of peace. I remember one parishioner who refused to offer it to another because he was angry with him.

Or maybe Jesus was talking about who is welcome at church. I remember a parishioner who was angry when her church let homeless people spend the night in a parish building.

I think Jesus was talking about all of the above in this week's Gospel. You see, going to church, where we eat and drink in Jesus' company, is really pretty easy. It takes about an hour. But after the final blessing, some people think they've done their part for the week and don't connect that "meal" with their behaviour for the next six days.

But following Jesus requires much more. The challenge we face is letting the Sunday Eucharist shape our lives all week long. How does your weekly meal with Jesus shape how you play sports, treat outsiders, live with family, work at your job, and act at school?

There's another challenge in this reading. We might be surprised, Jesus says, by who we meet at God's banquet in heaven. I've met homeless people who never go to church but are more compassionate than some people I know who go to church daily.

So go to church. Eat and drink in Jesus' company. But remember your dinner partner for the rest of the week. And also remember he dines with a lot of people we'll never see in church.

If you were on trial for being a Christian, would the prosecution find enough evidence if they looked only at the way you live your life Monday through Sunday?



CHURCH

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WE REMEMBER

In our prayers all who have died recently,

Daisy Sunn
Angelo Rotondo

and those whose anniversaries are in this month:

Leslie Condon Oliver

*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:

Peter Gunner
George Gibbs
Rita Blacker
Shirley Koers

*“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

*Names of sick, 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.
Envelopes to request Masses to be offered
for the sick, dying, deceased or for special
intentions are available at the back of the
church.*

Thank you.



BAPTISM

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

Mitchell John Cornwell
Poppy Mason-Hall

*Please phone the parish office 3299 2000 for
information regarding Baptism. Thank you*



**VISITATION/COMMUNION FOR
THE SICK**

26.08.2019, 09.09.2019 & 16.09.2019

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



***Men's Group Meeting
“Getting to the Point”***

Men's Group next meeting TBA

Venue: St Declan's

For information contact:

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referrall@optusnet.com.au

PARISH UPDATE

This week end the Archdiocese is celebrating the National Migrant and Refugee Week. Prayers for this day are remembered in our Prayers of the Faithful. We, here at St Edwards celebrate our Multi-cultural Day on the feast of St Edward on 20th October. On this day we commence our celebration with parishioners/descendants of their particular country of birth proudly marching their country's flag and presenting it to be placed at the Altar. The readings are spoken in many languages. Please keep an eye open for when we start calling for participants to help make this day a memorial one.

Upcoming Events:

07 & 08.09.2019

Annual Catholic Campaign

28 & 29.09.2019

Social Justice Sunday



Thank you
Fr Joseph



“In my life I want to become better and do a little good...”

Blessed Frederic Ozanam

In 1833 when Frederic Ozanam gathered in Paris with his friends in an attempt to show the relevance of the Catholic faith, he was inspired to simply ‘do a little good’. Who would have thought that the small gesture of collecting remaining firewood and delivering it to a widow would have been the birth of the St Vincent de Paul Society. The desire to ‘do a little good’ spread like a fire.

Ozanam simply wanted to live his faith by making a difference. The desire to simply, ‘do a little good’ continues to inspire us.

At St. Vincent De Paul we carry firewood every time we;

- visit families and listen to their needs;
 - help resettle people fleeing domestic violence and refugees
 - help people with no interest loans;
 - advocate for the rights of those who are being discriminated against;
 - meet as a conference to share our stories of service;
- work behind the scenes in so many different ways to facilitate the process so that others can meet the poor face to face.

Whilst the appearance of the firewood has changed, the same passion to help others, that same passion to live our faith in action, that same passion to love God with the sweat of our brow and the strength of our arms, lives on.

As we carry firewood into the future, we are not sure of the emerging poverties that await us. We are not sure of the nature of how we might be called upon to carry firewood. Yet what we do know, is that there will always be a need for men and women, young and old, to share the mission of Frederic Ozanam. The need to live our Catholic faith through tangible gestures of love in action will always be necessary. Thus, the St Vincent de Paul Society will always need new hands and new hearts willing to take up the firewood and bring it to the poor.

Yes, today there are still great needs in our local community. If you are interested in becoming a member of St. Vincent De Paul Daisy Hill or how you can help please contact:

Sandra Gauder on 0450319780.

MASS TIMES 26th August—01st September 2019

Monday, 26 August	Tuesday, 27 August	Wednesday, 28 August	Thursday, 29 August	Friday, 30 August	Saturday 31 August	Sunday, 01 September
7:00am Rosary 7:30am Mass	7:00pm Mass Adoration <i>St Monica</i>	7:30am Mass <i>St Augustine,</i> bishop, doctor	NO MASS <i>The Passion of</i> <i>St John the</i> <i>Baptist,</i> martyr	7:00am Rosary 7:30am Mass	7:30am Mass <i>Blessed Virgin</i> <i>Mary</i> 5:30pm Reconciliation 6:00pm Mass	8.30am Mass 6.00pm Mass <i>22nd Sunday in</i> <i>Ordinary Time</i>



In Religious Education the Year Two students are currently *learning about the sacredness of all creation, especially human life, the call to be co-creators and stewards of God's creation; and the responsibility to pursue peace and justice out of respect for human life and all creation.* On Thursday 29 August all students are asked to wear something orange as an acknowledgement for the hard work which Orange Sky Laundry do to assist the homeless on the streets throughout Brisbane and other parts of Australia.

Brendan Gillespie
Acting Principal

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

01.09.2019 @ 8:30am Mass
Emma Talatonu's Team

08.09.2019 @ 8:30am Mass
Noelene Magee's Team

15.09.2019 @ 8:30am Mass
Men's Group Team



Birthday & Anniversary Blessing will be
24—25 August 2019.



Senior Group Update
Mass for September & October
Cancelled.



September Outing

Bus Trip. Toowoomba Carnival of Flowers
Friday 27th September. \$55 per person. Morning tea, lunch and coach trip included. Numbers and payment to me by Friday 20th September. There will be no bookings or refunds after this date.

Noelene Magee

Home: 3208 5304

Mob: 0409 261 639

"Love, Hope, Faith on Fire. Awaken brought me closer to God"
JOIN US FOR PRAISE & WORSHIP, TALKS & HEALING
Saturday 7 September 6pm
47 Dornoch Tce, West End
COME, HOLY SPIRIT!!!



CLAIRVAUX MACKILLOP COLLEGE

COLLEGE TOUR

Friday, 30th August 2019: 9.00am – 11.00am
Presentation in the Auditorium followed by a College tour with our Student Leaders.

There is an opportunity to meet with our Principal and members of the Leadership Team.

Bookings recommended.

To book a space, please visit the College website

www.cvxmck.edu.au via the Enrolments tab.

Any questions please call our Enrolment Secretary – ph. 3347 9223 or email: enrolments@cvxmck.edu.au

EMERGENCY FLOOD RELIEF

15th August 2019

Heavy monsoon rains in the past weeks have caused extensive damage in several countries across Asia with deaths through landslides, flooded homes, as well as crops and livelihoods destroyed.

Br Michael Lynch, Director of Salesian Missions, said he has received requests for urgent assistance for emergency relief in **Cambodia, Myanmar, and India.**



Salesian Missions
AUSTRALIA

Donations, which are tax deductible, may be sent to:
Salesian Missions Australia,
PO Box 264, ASCOTVALE VIC 3032,
Tel 039377 6014 or via the website:
www.salesianmissionsaustralia.org.au



Church Ministers' Rosters for next weekend 30th August to 01st September 2019

	Saturday @ 6:00pm	Sunday @ 8:30am	Sunday @ 6:00pm
Holy Mass Coordinators	Paul & Amorita Wessling	Brian Ridder	Jeanne Medina
Parish Choirs	One Himig	St Cecilia	Ismael's Group
Overhead Projectionist	Volunteer	Volunteer	Volunteer
Proclaimers of the Word: 1	Candice Wessling	Xyle Sebial	Charmi Cortez
Proclaimers of the Word: 2	Lucas/Phoebe Wessling	Chalani Welgani	Elana Alitin
Prayers of the Faithful	Dilu McCaffery	Carmel Burgess	TBA
Communion Ministers	David McLean	Steve Richardson	Cheryl McCaffery
	Iona D'Mello	John Guiton	Ian Seneviratne
	Bassania Perrett	Greg Gregorio	Sean O'Brien
	Scott Perrett	Reece Healy	Ason Medina
	Jan McMahon	Lewes Peddell	Pat Ferrer
		Sio Afoa	Joey Nicolas
		Ed Havelock	Jesmine Medina
Altar Servers	Phoebe Wessling	Volunteer	Jamie Medina
	Layla Perrett	Virginia Mirago	Cristina Vega
Children's Liturgy		Moira Dixon/Katrina Abi-fares & Denise Clancy/Priya Pereira	



SVDP Helpline: 1800 846 643

Bequests to St. Edwards Parish

The writing of a Will can be a very gratifying knowing that you have looked after your loved ones with your wishes. We would like to invite you to consider making a bequest in your Will to help your Parish with the needs for future projects. Any bequests no matter how big or small would be gratefully received and applied to the growth of our community. **Thank you.**



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. These go towards Salesian Education and relief work in developing nations. Yes the Postman 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 onto us? We have placed a collection box for stamps in the parish office. **Thank you.**



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**

Children's Liturgy



Children's Liturgy takes place every second Sunday during the 8.30am Mass. We have a break during School holidays. **Next Liturgy is 01st September 2019.**



Outside School Hours Care

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E: daisyhilloshc@bne.centacare.net.au

W: www.centacarebrisbane.net.au



**Safeguarding Children & Vulnerable Adults
St Edward's Parish
Representative**

John Guiton 0499 105 146

St Edward's Parish Representative

Cheryl McCaffery—Assistant

Phone: 07 3299 2000



St Edwards Parish has the responsibility for making our parish aware of the importance of safeguarding children and vulnerable adults. Our Parish Priest, is also assisting in the administration of the Archdiocesan Safeguarding Children & Vulnerable Adults Policy. 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

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