

St Edward the Confessor Parish

Established 1978 **104 Chatswood Road, DAISY HILL. QLD 4127**

Readings: Jeremiah 20: 10-13; Romans 5: 12-15; Matthew 10: 26-33

Next Week: 2 Kings 4:8-11, 14-16; Romans 6:3-4, 8-11; Matt. 10:37-42

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24th— 25th June 2023 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time—Year A-1

In your great love, answer me

Because we live in anxious, troubling times, where so many people around the world are suffering intolerably, today's readings can speak especially to us.

Jeremiah, in the **First Reading**, reflects on how his preaching has brought him suffering and isolation. Yet 'the Lord is at my side, a mighty hero.' The Psalmist cries out in anguish, but like Jeremiah, trusts that the Lord will answer with 'help that never fails.'

St Paul considers how sin and death hold sway in the world, but Christ has gained for us the abundant free gift of divine grace. (**Second Reading**) In the **Gospel**, Jesus twice tells his disciples, 'Do not be afraid'. Suffering will come their way, but the Father will always care tenderly for them.

Our lives, and those of our loved ones too, can be weighed down by fears, concerns or pain. May we strive this week to place our trust in the Lord, who is the 'strength of his people'.

GOSPEL Matthew 10: 26–33 REFLECTION



I take the time to become aware of God's presence, knowing that he loves me unconditionally. I ask his Spirit to help me pray. In time I take up the Gospel text and read it slowly.

These sayings of Jesus are words of encouragement to his disciples after he has warned them that they will be persecuted. As I ponder the text, where do I find encouragement? Which words of Jesus empower me and strengthen my resolve to follow him?

Jesus tells me not to be afraid: I have worth in his eyes. In what ways do I show that I truly believe this? I speak to him from my heart and listen to him. I think of those who feel that no one cares for them. I ask the Lord to bring them comfort and reassurance. Maybe God is asking me to respond in some way? I draw my prayer to a close with a *Glory be*. . .

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



WE REMEMBER

In our prayers all who have died recently,

George Gibbs (Frances' husband) Brian McEnery (Sue's husband)

and those whose anniversaries are in this month:

Rita Marshall (Kathleen Layton's sister) Michael Wall (Corrie Wall's husband) Noela Magee

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 Samavah Habid Cameron Blacker Maria Lourdes Villa Chris Hunt Peter Howard Francesco Buenavista (Annabelle's Havelock's brother)

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.

Lennox Charles Vella

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 2nd Wednesday of the month in the hospitality area. **Next meeting 12.07.2023** @ **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: 26.06.2023 & 02.07.2023

PARISH UPDATE 2023

Dates to Remember

June 25 Annual Collection of Peter's Pence - Retiring Collection

June 29 Sts Peter & Paul, Apostles

July 15 Thanksgiving Mass for Rev. Mr Gerard Lai

July 29 & 30 'Rite of Enrolment' for candidates for Sacrament of First Holy Communion

August 08 St Mary of the Cross

August 14 Logan Show Holiday

August 15 Solemn Mass of the Assumption of Mary (Holy Day of Obligation)

August 16 Brisbane Public Show Holiday

August 19-20 Annual Catholic Campaign 2023

August 20 Mass of All Nations

August 27 @ 10:30am First Holy Communion

Hospitality

This week end at all the Masses we will be celebrating the birthdays and wedding anniversaries for the month of June with refreshments. Please join us for a cuppa and a chat.

Annual Collection of Peter's Pence - Retiring Collection—This week end.

The Peter's Pence Collection gives Catholics in Australia an opportunity to join in communion with the Catholic faithful throughout the world in support of the

charitable works of the Holy See.

In the event of an emergency please contact the Parish Office. *Thank you.*

The Good News





This week I've celebrated my 21st anniversary as a bishop. I've said to wellwishers that I just wish I knew 21 years ago what I know now. Before he's made a bishop a man may think he knows all there is to know about episcopal life and ministry. But it's only once you're a bishop that you really learn the ropes. I look back now on my early years as a bishop and cringe at some of the things I said and did. But I like to think I've learnt from my mistakes and am wiser all these years later. Through the 21 years the episcopate itself has changed – in part because of the sex abuse crisis and the journey of the Royal Commission that it brought. But also because of what Pope Francis has brought to the Church, especially in the area of synodality. The Plenary Council in Australia has been a great part of my journey. So too the synods in Rome, past and to come. This has all meant a re-situating of the bishop's ministry, not in a way that undermines it but in a way that shows it for what it is meant to be. The bishop doesn't journey alone but at the heart of the People of God, listening to them as they listen to him, learning from them as they learn from him. On that score, even after 21 years, I still feel a beginner...



St Vincent de Paul Winter Appeal

"It's not how much we give, but how much love we put into giving." Mother Teresa

The members of the Daisy Hill Conference of SVdP would like to thank all those parishioners, as well as the students at St Eddies School, who so graciously responded to this year's winter appeal. We are overwhelmed by the volume of donations of cash, food, cosmetic items, blankets and other items.

Because of your outstanding generosity we have the means to reach out and support many who are homeless or in danger of becoming so, victims of domestic violence, the disabled and others facing hard times and needing a hand-up. On behalf of them – thank you!

We look forward to your on-going support through adding an item or two to your weekly grocery shopping list and dropping these items into the Vinnies box before weekend Masses.

Thank you.

MASS TIMES 26 th June—02 nd July2023							
Monday, 26 June	Tuesday, 27 June	Wednesday, 28 June	Thursday, 29 June	Friday, 30June	Saturday, 01 July	Sunday, 02 July	
NO Mass	NO Mass St Cyril of Alexandria, bishop, doctor	NO Mass St Irenaeus, bishop, martyr	NO Mass Sts Peter & Paul, apostles	NO Mass First Martyrs of Holy Roman Church	NO Morning Mass 6:00pm Vigil Mass	13 th Sunday in Ordinary Time 8:00am Rosary 8:30am Mass 6:00pm Mass	

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMME 2023

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION will be held

Sunday 27 August 2023 at 10.30am

Applications will be offered to Baptised and Confirmed children in Grade 4 and above

APPLICATIONS OPEN 3 July 2023 and CLOSE 17 July 2023 at 3pm (NO LATE APPLICATIONS CAN BE ACCEPTED)

> July 29 & 30 'Rite of Enrolment' for First Holy Communion

PREPARATION SESSIONS ARE:

Thursday 3 August 2023 @ 6pm

Thursday 10 August@ 6pm

Thursday 17 August @ 6pm Liturgy of God's Mercy & Rehearsal

Further information for *First Holy Communion* will be available via the Parish Website.

http://flameoffaith.org.au is a great resource for an initial understanding of the Sacraments. Denise Love – Sacramental Co-Ordinator

Children's Liturgy



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



There will be NO Children's Liturgy during the school holidays.

Best wishes and prayers to our parishioners who are celebrating their Birthdays and Wedding Anniversaries in this Month of June

SVdP DONATIONS

We would like to thank those parishioners who have made donations of cash or kind to the Daisy Hill Conference of SVdP, whether it be food in the SVdP box near the Piety Store, donations into the Poor Box or payments directly into the SVdP bank account. For those wishing to make online donations into our Conference Account, the account details are:

BSB 064786 A/C No 100026098

SVDP St Edward's Conference Daisy Hill Name



On Thursday we celebrated a belated Under 8s Day with our Prep to Year 2 students with many of their parents and some grandparents.

It was a most enjoyable community event with a great celebratory feel to the day with a myriad of activities.



Every one is now ready for a well-deserved break.

Rick Sheehan,

Principal.

Phone: 3208 0922

Ordination to the **Presbyterate**

All are warmly invited to my ordination at 7pm on June 29, 2023 at St Stephen's Cathedral.

I would love if you could



come and celebrate the special day with me. This year I have been placed at Star of the Sea Parish in Cleveland and I will be ordained with my 2 other classmates, Minje (Bracken Ridge Parish) and Isaac (Maroochydore Parish).

My Thanksgiving Masses will be as follows:

Sunday 2nd July, Star of the Sea Cleveland, 8:30am Saturday 15th July, St Edward's Daisy Hill, 6pm

It's all rather exciting! Pray for me as I pray for you all. Live Stream link here if required: archbne.org/bzw

God Bless.

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Rev Mr Gerard Lai Deacon



C & C Creations

Next get together will be on 05th July 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. Please enter the room through the back door of the Church.

Contact: Noelene Magee Mobile: 0409 261 639

Church Ministers' Rosters for next weekend 01st—02nd July 2023 Saturday @ 6:00pm Sunday @ 6:00pm Sunday @ 8:30am Mass Coordinator Iona D'Mello Denise Love Rita Arreza Volunteer Welcome Team (at entrance) Brian Ridder Rose George Commentator (from lectern) Volunteer Volunteer **Parish Choirs** St Cecilia Voices of Praise Spiritus Overhead Volunteer Tim Trainor Volunteer Projectionist Donna Smith & Sio Afoa, Sue Neve & Celi Arreza & **Communion Minister (Bread & Wine)** Bob Smith & Rachel Porio Rita Arreza & Volunteer x 3 Volunteers x 4 Volunteer x 2 Proclaimers of the Word: 1 Sagaya Fernando Terry Layton Volunteer Proclaimers of the Word: 2 Iona D'Mello Samantha French Aaron Browell Prayers of the Faithful Anita Peres Volunteer Dona D'Antonio Archer Hayley Dixon Altar Servers Travis Dixon Laura Ferrall & Hospitality Noelene Magee's Team





June edition is now available at the entrance of the Church. Cost \$4 per copy.

Week day Mass Times for our Neighbouring Parishes.

St Paul's, Woodridge—Monday—Friday 9:00am

Tuesday and Friday 9:30am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

St Peter's Rochedale— Monday and Tuesday 8am,

Wednesday 6.30am, Friday 9.30am.

St Matthew's Cornubia— Monday: 7:00 pm (followed by Adoration)Tuesday - Friday: 8:00 am

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Outside School Hours Care

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Safeguarding Children & Vulnerable Adults St Edward's Parish Representative— Steven Richardson 0401 696 696 Cheryl McCaffery—Assistant

Phone: 07 3299 2000

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

SUPPORT YOUR PARISH THANKSGIVING DONATIONS

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

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

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Envelopes:	\$ 326.50
Loose:	\$ 663.45
Direct Deposit:	\$ 375.00
Eftpos:	\$ 145.00
Giving App:	\$ 48.85
Credit Card:	\$ 90.00



Grand Total: \$ 1,648.80 Thank you.



Senior Group Update

11th July 2023 @ 9:00am Liturgy of the Word With Communion Join us for Morning Tea afterwards.

Seniors Lunch

Friday 30th June 2023 @ 12 noon

Venue: Club Southside,

76 Mt Gravatt-Capalaba Road, Upper Mt Gravatt. We will meet for lunch at 12noon. Please contact Noelene if you need a lift. Numbers to Noelene by Thursday 29th June 2023

Contact: Noelene Magee Mobile: 0409 261 639

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**https://brisbanecatholic.org.au/support/safeguard/

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