



# St Edward the Confessor Parish

Established 1978

104 Chatswood Road, DAISY HILL. QLD 4127

Readings: Acts 2: 1-11; Corinthians 12: 3-7, 12-13; John 20: 19-23

Next Week: Exodus 34: 4-6, 8-9; Corinthians 13: 11-13; John 3: 16-18

## Parish Priest

Fr Joseph Vattaparambil CMI

## Parish Office

Secretary  
Cheryl McCaffery

Phone: 3299 2000

## Emergency

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daisyhill@bne.catholic.net.au

## Parish Website:

[www.stedwardsdaisyhill.org.au](http://www.stedwardsdaisyhill.org.au)

## Office Hours

9.00am – 2.00pm on Monday,  
Tuesday, Thursday and Friday.

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John Winter

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Steven Richardson

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27<sup>th</sup>—28<sup>th</sup> May 2023

**Pentecost Sunday—Year A-1**

**Peace be with you!**

O God, who by the mystery of today's great feast sanctify your whole Church in every people and nation, pour out, we pray, the gifts of the Holy Spirit across the face of the earth and, with the divine grace

that was at work when the Gospel was first proclaimed, fill now once more the hearts of believers.

**'Peace be with you!'** With these words the Risen Lord stood among his fear-filled followers (**Gospel**). He breathed the Holy Spirit upon them. With their hearts filled with joy, Jesus sent them out to bring the fire of his love to all.

With the Holy Spirit transforming their lives, the disciples began speaking in many different languages (**First Reading**). Christ was calling them to share the Gospel to the whole world. We too are baptised in this same Spirit.

Each of us has been given a unique gift, so that together as a community we become the risen Christ, bringing love and goodness to all people (**Second Reading**). Filled with the Holy Spirit we become a new creation in the Lord. The **Psalm** joyfully proclaims a time of rejuvenation as the spirit of the Lord moves over the earth.

On this Pentecost Sunday, let us ask for a spirit of renewal for the whole Christian community. We pray that we may overcome any fear, doubt or differences, and be united in giving expression to the joy of Resurrection, each of us doing so in our own unique way, while rooted in the same spirit of transforming love.

## GOSPEL John 20: 19–23 REFLECTION

I prepare myself for this time of prayer in the way that suits me best today. Remembering that I am in the presence of the Lord, I begin my prayer using the words of the Gospel Acclamation:

*'Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful  
and kindle in them the fire of your love.'*

After reading the Gospel slowly a few times, I use my imagination to enter into the scene of the first Pentecost. What do I notice about the room where the disciples are gathered? What would it have felt like to have been gathered there in fear and confusion? Have there been times when I have felt something similar?

Recalling such a time, I imagine the risen Lord standing alongside me, bringing his peace and breathing the Holy Spirit upon me. How do I feel now? What is Jesus sending me to do? I speak to the Lord as I would to a dear friend about my time of prayer. Imagining that I remain within the peaceful presence of Jesus, together we pray as one: *Our Father . . .*

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



## WE REMEMBER

In our prayers all who have died recently,

*Christina Aspel (nee Roche) Johanna's sister  
Minda Ferrer (Edgar's Mother)  
Sr Therese Wilson (Carmelite)  
Isabel Patricia Smith  
Erik Dominguez*

and those whose anniversaries are in this month:

*Leanne Miller  
Allan Garretty  
Evelyn Garretty  
Gladys Copson  
Robert Ridgway*

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  
George Gibbs  
Cheryl Blanco  
Helen Gainey  
Emerald Pereira  
Samayah Havid  
Elizabeth & Luca Camay  
Cameron Blacker  
Maria Lourdes Villa  
Katharine Lawlor  
Chris Hunt  
Denise Guiton  
James Neve  
Peter Howard*

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](http://www.lords-prayer-words.com)



## BAPTISM

**We welcome into our Christian Community.**

*Luca Justin Purnell*

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 14.06.2023 @ 7:00pm.**  
For information contact:  
Ron Ferrall Mobile: **0447 954 947**  
[referrall@optusnet.com.au](mailto:referrall@optusnet.com.au)



Thank you to our Care and Concern Group  
**Home Communion next visit:**

**05.06.2023 & 12.06.2023**

## PARISH UPDATE 2023

### Dates to Remember

May 28 All Masses Pentecost Sunday  
June 04 The Most Holy Trinity  
June 11 The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)

In the event of an emergency please contact the Parish Office.

### Construction Update

The construction of the disabled toilet is coming along nicely. During the week we took delivery of 2 portable toilets with vanity basin. We ask that everyone take responsibility of keeping our amenities in a clean and orderly condition. We would like to thank you all for your patience and understanding while construction is being carried out.

*Thank you.*

## CONGRATULATIONS to our candidates who were confirmed by Bishop Ken Howell on Thursday evening.

The candidates were given an opportunity to participate in the Liturgy as members of the choir and as readers. We are grateful for the support of Mrs Lisa Young playing and singing at the Liturgy. Also to Mr Shegog who attended. Due to illness apologies were received from Mr Sheehan & Mr Galvin. Fr Joseph sent his greetings and blessings from India. Our sincere thanks to all the families as we know family life is busy and there is still much sickness challenging us. Fr Johny, PP of Rochedale, Our Pastoral Council, Sacramental Team and Parish Secretary have also been generous with their time – thank you. *Denise Love—Sacrament Coordinator*



## Bishop Ken Howell appointed bishop of Toowoomba by Pope Francis

Brisbane Auxiliary Bishop Ken Howell has been appointed the next Bishop of Toowoomba by Pope Francis Wednesday, the feast of Our Lady Help of Christians.

Bishop Howell, who has been a priest of Brisbane archdiocese for 40 years, said he was humbled to be called by Pope Francis to shepherd Toowoomba diocese. He said he hoped to bring a ministry of "genuine engagement with the people" to Toowoomba.



## I Do – I Do – I Do – I Do

For more than 50 years, **World Wide Marriage Encounter** has helped over 3.5 million couples in almost 100 countries unlock the power of their relationships with new ways to do the "I Do." The Marriage Encounter experience helps a couple listen, share and connect more deeply. There's no group discussion. It's just about two people learning to be the best, most loving and thriving couple possible.

Our next weekend, A live out weekend at **McAuley College Beaudesert** going home on Friday night 30<sup>th</sup> June and Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> July and finishing with Mass on Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2023 Approx 4pm. For more info contact Kay and Len Holmes on 0481 307 821 or [qldbookings@wwme.org.au](mailto:qldbookings@wwme.org.au) Watch **Archbishop Mark Coleridge support video** [http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4o\\_wp6qGB44](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4o_wp6qGB44) or for more information go to the website: [www.wwme.org.auad](http://www.wwme.org.auad).



Rosies would like to send a huge THANK YOU to all our parishioners for the many blankets (over 20) that were donated this past week. They now have a good stock of warmer ones.



MASS TIMES 29 <sup>th</sup> May –04 <sup>th</sup> June 2023						
Monday, 29 May	Tuesday, 30 May	Wednesday, 31 May	Thursday, 01 June	Friday, 02 June	Saturday, 03 June	Sunday, 04 June
NO Mass  <i>The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church</i>	NO Mass	NO Mass 11:30am Year 3 Liturgy of the Word.  <i>The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary</i>	NO Mass  <i>St Justin, martyr</i>	NO Mass  <i>Sts Marcellinus and Peter, martyrs</i>	NO Mass  <i>Sts Charles Lwanga &amp; companions, martyrs</i>  6:00pm Vigil Mass	<i>The Most Holy Trinity</i>  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

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  
Deniselove1@optusnet.com.au






Today, the whole school gathered in the St Edwards Centre to participate in The National Simultaneous Storytime run by the Scholastic organisation. We were not on our own as over 2 million school children from all of Australia watched on live broadcast as author Rebecca Young and Heath McKenzie read the story of the Speedy Sloth from Sydney Zoo.

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

*Congratulations*




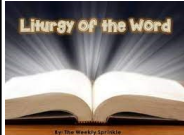
**Children's Liturgy**

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

**Sunday 28.05.2023.**

Leaders: Anita Peres & Meera D'Souza






**Senior Group Update**


13<sup>th</sup> June 2023 @ 9:00am

Liturgy of the Word

Morning Tea afterwards.

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





**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

**Name** SVDP St Edward's Conference Daisy Hill

*Rick Sheehan, Principal.*

*Phone: 3208 0922*




**CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION**

"HE WHO FOLLOWS ME WALKS NOT IN DARKNESS" - JOHN 8:12

**Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> June 2023 @ 2:00pm.**

**Cathedral of St Stephen, Brisbane City.**

**Brochures at the Entrance of the Church.**



**C & C Creations**

Next get together will be on **07<sup>th</sup> June 2023.**

It is held on the first Wednesday of the month from 9:30am – 12 noon in the Church Meeting Room.

From beginners to experienced. Many types of crafts are explored. Enjoy a cuppa and a chat.

Please enter the room through the back door of the Church. Everyone Welcome.

Our next stall/raffle will be held in time for Fathers Day 27<sup>th</sup> August 2023. Monies raised go to our SVdP Conference. So Save the Date.

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

Church Ministers' Rosters for next weekend 03<sup>rd</sup>—04<sup>th</sup> June 2023

	Saturday @ 6:00pm	Sunday @ 8:30am	Sunday @ 6:00pm
Mass Coordinator	Iona D'Mello	Denise Love	Rita Arreza
Welcome Team (at entrance)	Rose George	Brian Ridder	Pat McCaffery
Commentator (from lectern)	Volunteer		Volunteer
Parish Choirs	Spiritus	St Cecilia	Voices of Praise
Overhead Projectionist	Volunteer	Tim Trainor	Volunteer
Communion Minister (Bread & Wine)	Donna Smith Bob Smith Volunteer x 1	Sio Afoa, Sue Neve, Rachel Porio Volunteers x 4	Celi Arreza, Rita Arreza 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	Dona D'Antonio Archer	Volunteer
Altar Servers	Layla Perrett Archie Perrett	Hayley Dixon Travis Dixon	
Hospitality		Laura Ferrall & Noelene Magee's team	

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**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



**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/>

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

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

**20<sup>th</sup>—21<sup>st</sup> May 2023**

Envelopes:	\$ 343.70
Loose:	\$ 756.45
Direct Deposit:	\$ 325.00
Eftpos:	\$ 155.00
Credit Card:	\$ 190.00

**Grand Total: \$ 1,770.15 Thank you.**






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**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.**



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