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The Pastor's Pen....

Last weekend I talked with you about the gift of faith and the vision and hope that this grace brings into our lives. Faith, as I said, is the name we give to our daily walk with the Lord down through the years of our lives. So very often, we are running away from Him, perhaps because of fear or our absorption in other people and things and many other reasons as well. Our 'Hound of Heaven' however, never gives up on us. He keeps coming into our lives, knocking on the doors of our minds, hearts and souls, trying to wake us up and get us to open wide to His message of love and peace and His calm, merciful embrace.

What we have to know, is that faith is our birth into the Lord Jesus and His people, our Church, but this is just a beginning, never an end in and of itself. This weekend we are told that our faith and opening up to the Lord's presence and action, prompts us into action for the betterment of others. Faith shows itself in loving good deeds and through our work for others. Our Christian actions and values are the proof of our faith. As the Letter of St. James says; I will prove to you that I have faith by showing you my good works. Now you prove to me that you have faith without any good works to show for it.

This reality is at the heart of Jesus' message in the section of St. Luke's gospel that we hear at Mass. Faith, and our friendship with the Lord and His people, brings 'fire' into our lives, an energy for change that has to be expressed. The reality is that this energy can (and almost surely will) put us at odds with those who don't have faith or the energy and light of the Lord burning inside of them. Starkly, Jesus describes this clash in terms of a family divided amongst itself.

We do have a firm position of the sanctity and value of human life from birth to death. We do have a position on capital punishment; on personal and corporate honesty; on the justification needed for war and conflict; on respect for the environment and its preservation and nurturing; on marriage, family and other forms of life long commitments, and on many other issues, too. Yes, these principles have to then be applied to specific situations; and should be applied in a pastoral, sensitive and loving manner, but the principles exist and must be honoured. They exist so as to provide us help and guidance in our moral lives and decision making. We'd be foolish indeed to ignore the wisdom that they offer.

We require the grace of courage and mutual respect to honour our convictions and values and put them into practice. That in so doing, we will find ourselves from time to time, at odds with others inevitably. Jesus did, and that's why they crucified Him. Jeremiah did, and that's why he was tossed down the empty well, only to be drawn out of it later, a foreshadowing of Christ's resurrection.

To act upon and to live out the values of the faith we profess means that we need all of the help we can get. The Hebrews reading says that we have the support, example and prayers of a great cloud of witnesses on every side of us. May this great cloud of Saints and people of faith of every age help us to stand up for our values and put our faith into action today so that the fire of God's Spirit burning within us can transform us, the people that we meet and the world in which we live.

Fr. Mark Percival, MA, PP.



Walk in Faith

Euthanasia—Daring to say NO to its introduction in Queensland: The State Parliament Health Committee's Inquiry into Aged Care, Palliative Care and possible VAD Legislation is moving into its middle phases, with hearings around the state ahead of a report and recommendations being made available to all MPs on November 30.

One person who has entered into the public debate around the world is Canadian filmmaker Kevin Dunn, who's documentary film "The Fatal Flaws" looks in depth at how euthanasia has operated and expanded beyond its original intent in Holland, Belgium and the US State of Oregon.

Mr Dunn will be in Brisbane for a **public presentation at Brisbane City Hall's 'Brisbane Room' on Thursday August 22.** His presentation "Living, Dying and the Power of Presence" will feature clips from and discussion of a number of his films. The event has a 6.00pm for 6.30pm start, and finishes at around 8.00pm. The event is free and open to all, but for catering purposes, please RSVP your attendance to communications@bne.catholic.net.au

The Annual Catholic Campaign: is now very soon. With your support, over \$1 000 000 in funds were raised for Priests Foundation, Holy Spirit Seminary, Centacare Pastoral Ministries and the MacKillop School Access Fund. As you know, the Annual Catholic Campaign is a sanctioned appeal and once again this year, we are seeking your support to ensure these vital ministries continue to fulfil their mission. The Campaign will be held on the weekend of 7-8 September, 2019.

Please make them feel welcome: This semester we welcome Michael My Van Tran, Anthony Gawlu and Brad Davies from Holy Spirit Seminary. Michael, Anthony and Brad will be worshipping with the parish community each Sunday, mainly at the 9.30am Christ the King Mass. This is simply so that our Seminarians can regularly engage in parish life around the Archdiocese. Please introduce yourselves to our Seminarians and make them most welcome.

Mass for the Deaf: An AUSLAN-SUPPORTED Mass will be held at St Michael's Catholic Church, 250 Banks St Dorrington, on Sunday 8 September at 8.30am. A warm invitation is extended to all who would like to attend this very special Mass. Morning tea will follow. Enquiries to dorrington@bne.catholic.net.au A final Auslan-supported Mass for 2019 will be held at St Michael's on Sunday 17 November.

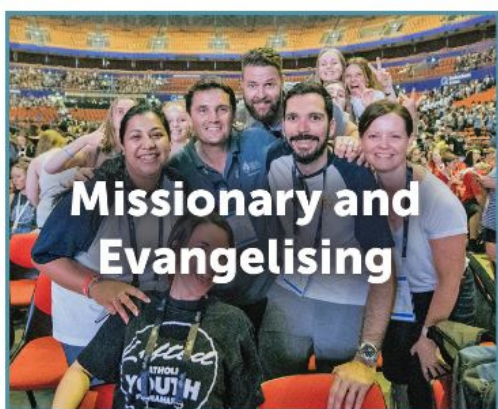
PLENARY COUNCIL 2020 - SECOND PHASE: The Church in Australia is commencing the second phase of the Plenary journey: *Listening and Discernment*. This follows on from the *Listening and Dialogue* phase which saw over 220,000 Australians participate in sharing what they felt God is asking of us in Australia today. The national themes have been detailed in the parish newsletter over previous weeks. All Australians are invited to engage once again, but this time through a process of communal discernment on the national themes.

Brisbane Assembly 2019: Through a process of 'Listening and Discernment' continue the Plenary journey with the Archdiocese of Brisbane and help develop the agenda for the Plenary Council in 2020. The Brisbane Assembly is just one of a number of ways you can participate in the Listening and Discernment process occurring between July 2019 to April 2020. **Date:** Friday 4 October to Saturday 5 October 2019. **Venue:** Edmund Rice Performing Arts Complex, St Laurence's College, South Brisbane. Registration available at <https://ebab.weebly.com/brisbane-assembly.html> For more information please contact eb@bne.catholic.net.au

There's still time to go to "Field of Compassion": how the new cosmology is transforming spiritual life. The Universe story, the Christian story and the Kingdom of God.... A retreat day with Elizabeth Lee of the Grail in Australia. When: Sunday, 18 August 9.30am to 3.00pm. Venue: Freda Bage Room, The Women's College, College Road, University of Queensland, St Lucia. For more details see the flyer on the Parish Noticeboards or contact Jan O'Donoghue on 3379 1420 or at janodono@tpg.com.au

One God, Many Voices Abrahamic Faiths Concert. Annual Evening of Jewish, Christian & Muslim Sacred Voices and Music Followed by Kosher-Halal Supper. Thursday, 29th August. 7pm for 7.30pm, Griffith University, Nathan Campus (Building N35) Centre for Interfaith and Cultural Dialogue. Free entry, all are welcome. Free parking after 7pm. RSVP: by 20th August 2019 to 3735 7052 Or email icd@griffith.edu.au

How God is calling us to be a Christ-centred Church that is



Your Stories of Faith: Patricia, 71, Brisbane

I love my Catholic faith, and live it every day. Without the Eucharist in Mass and listening to the homily, I would find life more difficult. Our western world leads many people on the wrong paths in life, and if they have no guidance from our church leaders, we will see empty pews in our churches. Especially under 55's.

Our Catholic schools must prepare our students to be more active in the practice of their faith, and to resist the temptations that await them in the wider world. Our young people want the Church to be more inclusive of both men and women. And to realise, also, that they, the youth, have had little exposure to what the Church offers as in previous generations. Change must come.

Read more of the topics for this theme:

www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au

This Weekend in the Parish

Children's Liturgy 9.30am Mass Christ the King
Youth Music Group 6pm Sunday Christ the King
Pizza and Star Gazing after Sunday 6pm Mass

Volunteer Overseas -

The Cagliero Project, Salesians of Don Bosco

We are seeking volunteers for January 2020 departure, working with disadvantaged young people in Salesian communities throughout Cambodia, Samoa, East Timor & Solomon Islands. Applications close October 15th. Send us an inquiry - www.cagliero.org.au



2019 ANNUAL

CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN

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7-8 September

Continuing the legacy of
St Mary of the Cross MacKillop,
the **MacKillop School Access
Fund** provides Catholic
education to children whose
families are in financial and
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To someone's prayer

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Catholic Women's League Cent Auction

10am Tuesday 20th August - Parish Centre Graceville
All are welcome to come and join in the fun!

St Vincent De Paul Meeting

8am Friday 23rd August - Parish Office Corinda

WE NEED YOUR HELP with the following ministries:
Baptism Preparation, Friends and Neighbours Morning Tea, Children's Liturgy Leaders at CTK, Morning Tea helpers at CTK. If you wish to be involved in these or any other of the many ministries of the parish, please contact the team at the parish office.

The Archdiocese of Brisbane has standards of conduct for employees and volunteers to maintain a safe and healthy environment. Our commitment to these standards requires that we conduct background referencing for all persons who will engage in direct and regular involvement with children, young people and/or vulnerable adults.

Paid Position ~ School Crossing Supervisor St Joseph's School Corinda

Hours: Up to 15 hours per fortnight

Pay: \$30.35 per hour

Duties: Assist children crossing roads outside of school
For further information contact Qld Govt Road Safety Officer
Chris Arama on 3813 8607

Archdiocesan Multicultural Mass 2.30pm Sunday 25th August 2019 Cathedral of St Stephen

Celebrant Archbishop Mark Coleridge
All Welcome.

Aged Care in Queensland today – What we need to know.

A Public talk sponsored by Knights of the Southern Cross
St Michael's Church Hall, 250 Banks Street, Dorrington
Thursday 5th September 2019 at 7.30pm

Speaker Nick Ryan, CEO of Lutheran Services, recent Acting CEO of Southern Cross Care Qld, will help us understand what services are available for older people in our community. Older people are living longer, but are they living better? Nick will explain how the system works and how to manage and sort out what is available for older citizens. There are many options, but what is right for us or our loved ones. Supper provided.

We pray for the good health, strength and healing of: Gary Ahern, Ryan Armstrong, Imogen Atkins, Fleur Bennell, Alannah Berman, Baby Emme Blackford, John Burgess, Dexter Butler, Trevor Butler, Alan Carr, Alexander Clark, Beryl Clark, Carmel Cole, Freddy Collins, Patrick Collins, Sr Felicity Corder pbvm, Cath Dennis, Anne-Marie Deschamps, Robyn Dodd, Peter Doyle, Mary Egan, Trevor Fanton, Betty Ferguson, Chris Ferguson, Nash Giles, Sayako Hattori, Clare Hickey, Ned Hiller, Sr Jo Kenny olsh, Berndt Krogull, Monica Lampe, Fr Dennis Long, Fiona Casey Lord, Derek MacLean, Kathryn Matheson, Sr Pat Mawn olsh, Gordon McCormack, Neil McCormack, Norma McCormack, Patrick McKenna, John McNamara, Maureen McNamara, Tom O'Brien, Sr Valerian O'Brien olsh, June O'Callaghan, Luke O'Reilly, Taavi Orupold, Maureen Orr, Emma Parer, Mark Parer, Sr Eleanor Parker olsh, Madeline Pride, Rebecca Pullin, Dawn Punter, Br Luke Quinn cfc, Sr Bernadetta Robinson olsh, Peter Rowe, Theresa Sarrell, Mary Shand, Christopher Skipper, Lea Tate, Conor Tweedy, Grant Wallace, Rebecca Wallace, Genevieve Waters, Frank Zubeldia

We remember especially all of our parishioners living in aged care facilities

May those who have died recently rest in peace: Leonard Cook, Patricia Joyner, Kevin Brannelly, Maria Constantinou, Peg Kennedy, Nan Glanfield, Justin Flannery, Joe Rankin, Fr Peter Schultz

We pray for those whose anniversaries occur about this time: Joseph Nagle, Windline Hallinan, Deidra Ward, Edward Harvey, Patricia Fogarty, Margaret Whitton, Patrick McCarthy, Valda Friend, Maureen Walsh, Joan Butcher, Sharon Daniels, John Kalinowski



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WEEKDAY LITURGIES

Monday	9.00 am	St Joseph's – Liturgy of the Word
Wednesday	9.00 am	St Joseph's – Mass
Thursday	9.00 am	St Joseph's – Mass
Friday	9.30 am	Christ the King – Mass

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday	6.00 pm	St Joseph's
Sunday	8.00 am	St Joseph's
	9.30 am	Christ the King
	6.00 pm	Christ the King

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Saturday	5.00 pm – 5.30 pm	St Joseph's
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SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

The Sacrament of Baptism for Children is celebrated by appointment on the following Sunday's of the month

2nd Sunday	11.00 am	St Joseph's
4th Sunday	11.00 am	Christ the King

All enquiries to the Parish Office

PRAYER GROUPS

Wednesday	9.00 am	Gospel Reflection Group (ph. 3878 2414)
Friday	7.30 pm	Community of the Risen Lord Catholic Charismatic Prayer Group Christ the King Church, Graceville

LITURGICAL CALENDAR

(Printed so that users may live daily in the spirit of the Prayer of the Church)

TWENTIETH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

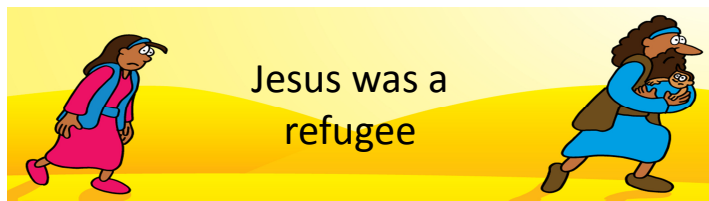
SUN, 18 AUG	20th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME Jer 38:4-6, 8-10; Heb 12:1-4; Lk 12:49-53
MON, 19 AUG	St John Eudes, priest - <i>Optional Memorial</i> Judges 2:11-19; Mt 19:16-22
TUE, 20 AUG	St Bernard, abbot, doctor of the church - <i>Memorial</i> Judges 6:11-24; Mt 19:23-30 (Alt. Sirach 15:1-6; Jn 17:20-26)
WED, 21 AUG	St Pius X, pope - <i>Memorial</i> Judges 9:6-15; Mt 20:1-16 (Alt. 1 Thess 2:2-8; Jn 21:15-17)
THU, 22 AUG	The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary - <i>Memorial</i> Judges 11:29-39; Mt 22:1-14 (Alt. Is 9:1-6; Lk 1:26-38)
FRI, 23 AUG	St Rose of Lima, virgin - <i>Optional Memorial</i> Ruth 1:1, 3-6, 14-16, 22; Mt 22:34-40
SAT, 24 AUG	St Bartholomew, apostle - <i>Feast</i> Apoc 21:9-14; Jn 1:45-51

TWENTY-FIRST WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

SUN, 25 AUG	21st SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME Is 66:18-21; Heb 12:5-7, 11-13; Lk 13:22-30
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Natural Fertility Awareness Week 19th -25th August 2019

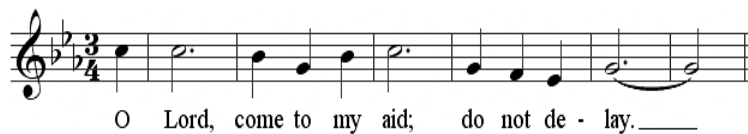
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HYMNS AND RESPONSES FOR SUNDAY MASSES

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

"PSALM 40: O LORD, COME TO MY AID"



PREPARATION OF GIFTS

"WE COME TO YOUR FEAST"

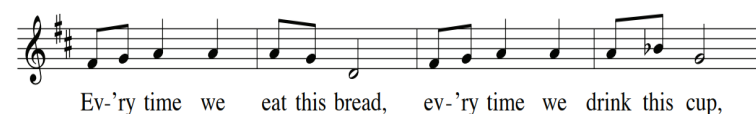
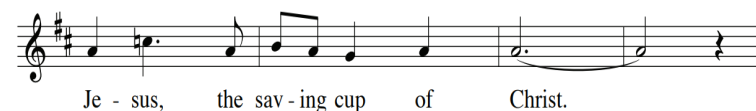
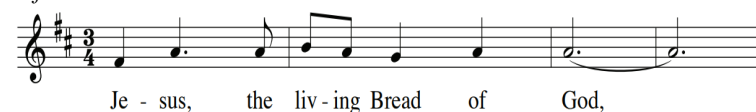
1. We place upon your table a humble loaf of bread:
the gift of field and hillside, the grain by which we're fed;
we come to taste the presence of him on whom we feed,
to strengthen and connect us, to challenge and correct us,
to love in word and deed.

Refrain: We come to your feast, we come to your feast:
the young and old, the frightened, the bold,
the greatest and the least.
We come to your feast, we come to your feast
with the fruit of our lands and the work of our hands,
we come to your feast.

2. We place upon your table a simple cup of wine:
the fruit of human labour, the gift of sun and vine;
we come to taste the presence of him we claim as Lord,
his dying and his living, his leading and his giving,
his love in cup out-poured.

COMMUNION: "THE LIVING BREAD OF GOD"

Refrain



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Migrant and Refugee Week 19-25 August, 2019

Archdiocesan Multicultural Mass on 25 August. Everyone is welcome to join in the annual Archdiocesan Multicultural Mass to celebrate the 105th World Day of Migrants and Refugees at 2.30pm at the Cathedral of St Stephen, 249 Elizabeth St, Brisbane.