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The Pastor's Pen....

St. Matthew provides the bulk of the Gospel texts that we will read and listen to over the course of this year. His Gospel is well written and systematic. By this I mean that Matthew had a plan for the layout of his Gospel, dividing his 28 chapters into; Infancy and call stories; 5 sections of teaching/discourse followed by 5 sections of stories that illustrate Jesus putting this teaching into action; lastly, the Passion and Resurrection stories ending his Gospel.

This weekend we listen to the beginning of the first of these teaching/discourse sections commonly known as The Sermon on the Mount. It runs from Chapter 5:1 to Chapter 7:27. We will listen to the initial 12 verses, the Beatitudes, and then over the coming few weeks much of the rest of this first section of teaching.

The Sermon (or Teaching) on the Mount begins with Jesus and His disciples going up a hill or small mountain with the crowds following behind them. It ought remind us of Moses who went up a mountain to listen and speak to God, bringing down to the people from Mt. Sinai the Ten Commandments. Moses went up the Mountain many times bringing down more laws that were to govern the behaviour of God's people, Israel.

Of note to us is that there are nine Beatitudes or Blessings given to us at the beginning of this New Law of Christ. Why not ten so as to mirror the Ten Commandments of the Old Law? Well, for this we have to hear the rest of this section over the coming Sundays. Then we'll grasp that the tenth New Law is the great New Commandment of love, sometimes called the 'Golden Rule.'

Back to this weekend now, and the nine blessings given to us. They are markedly different to the prohibitions of the Old Law of Moses. Rather than saying what not to do so as to avoid being punished as the Ten Commandments do, this New Law is all about what we are to do and who we are to strive to become. They give us the way to experience the blessing of God upon us, making us into the blessing of God for each other and for the world.

Some have said that the Beatitudes are Jesus' gift of the 'Constitution' to the New Israel, the family of Jesus Christ and the Church which we are becoming. Certainly, they are about values that run counter to the prevailing flow of our times; happiness and blessings upon the poor, gentle, mourning, merciful, peacemakers and those who hunger, thirst and suffer for justice and what is right.

The First and Second Readings and the Psalm want us to understand that we have to be humble, trusting and open in mind, heart and spirit if we are ever going to understand, accept, and with God's grace, live out the Beatitudes in our world which is so set on other egotistical and individualistic values and plans.

These first twelve verses and nine Beatitudes give us the blue print for living the values and way of Christ today. Humbly listening to this teaching, this New Law, and trusting in God's gracious help will gradually transform our lives into images of Christ, a gift through us to all who seek the way of mercy, justice and peace.

Fr. Mark Percival, MA, PP.

**ILLEGAL PARKING IS ONCE AGAIN EMERGING AS A PROBLEM
AT CHRIST THE KING**

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please obey the law and respect our neighbours.**

Do Not park over driveways.

Do Not have any part of your vehicle protruding over a driveway.

Do Not park against yellow lines.

Do Not park against the flow of traffic.

**Brisbane City Council Parking Inspectors patrol the streets around
Christ the King Church and School and
They WILL hand out parking infringement notices to offenders.**

Rest in Peace: long time Chelmer and Aveo (Durack) resident and parishioner Joan Lynch passed away on 27th January, aged 90 years. Joan's Funeral Mass will be celebrated at Christ the King Church at 10.30am on Tuesday 4th February. Joan and her husband John (dec'd) raised five children, Kathleen, Elizabeth (dec'd), Claire, Peter and John (dec'd) here in the parish, being very active members of the Christ the King community. To all of the family we offer the condolences, prayers and support of the parish community. *In the sure and certain hope of the resurrection to eternal life through our Lord Jesus Christ, we commend to Almighty God our sister Joan. May God bless her and keep her. May God's face shine upon Joan and be gracious to her. May God look upon her and give her peace.*

The pilgrimage of the relics of St Therese and her parents Sts Louis and Zelig Martin: will be visiting Brisbane this week. On Thursday 6th February the relics will visit Our Lady of Mt Carmel Church, 312 Cavendish Rd, Coorparoo with the following program: 4:00pm - Prayer of Welcome; 5:00pm - Mass; 6:30pm - Veneration of Relics; 8:30pm - Vespers – Taize style; 9:30pm - Veneration of Relics; 10:00pm - Close. Then on Friday 7th February at Coorparoo 8:00am - Morning Prayer; 9:00am - Mass then Rosary; 10:30am - Prayer of Farewell; 11:00am - Depart for Springfield. Our Lady of the Southern Cross Church: 44 Opperman Drive, Springfield Lakes 12:00pm - Welcome Ceremony; 2:00pm-7:00pm - Veneration of Relics; 7:00pm - Mass 7:30pm - Adoration; 9:00pm - Depart for Mary Immaculate Church, Ipswich Rd Annerley where there will be an all night vigil from 10.30pm. On Saturday 8th February the relics will be at St Stephen's Cathedral 11:00am - Welcoming Ceremony; 11:30am - Mass; 12:30pm - Veneration of Relics; 6:00pm - Sunday Vigil Mass; 7:30pm – Close. Again at St Stephen's Cathedral on Sunday 9th February 7:00am - Veneration of Relics; 8:00am - Mass; 10:00am - Mass; 12:00pm - Mass; 6:30pm - Evening Prayer; 7:30pm - Mass; then departing the Cathedral after the 8am Mass on Monday 10th February.

Catholic Mission to partner with Vinnies Bushfire Appeal: Catholic Mission will invite pilgrims to donate to the Vinnies Bushfire Appeal instead of its international mission projects during the four-month Australian tour of the relics of St Therese of Lisieux and her parents, Sts Louis and Zelig Martin. "We recognise that it is difficult to focus on the need abroad when an unprecedented crisis of such scale is happening here in Australia," Catholic Mission National Director Fr Brian Lucas said. "We have many supporters in badly affected dioceses across Australia and it is incumbent on us to offer a missionary response and to enable those who want to prioritise their friends, families and fellow Australians affected by these devastating bushfires to do so." Funeral provider InvoCare and its affiliated brands, who are joining with Catholic Mission to bring the relics to seventeen Australian dioceses, have expressed full support of the move to invite Vinnies to collect donations. Catholic Mission confirmed the contingency plans would not disrupt the distribution of critical funds to projects it supports throughout Africa, Asia and the Pacific.

Notice of Death – Aunty Joan Hendriks RIP: a descendant of the Nguni people of Moreton Bay Queensland, Aunty Joan was a Quandamooka elder, an adult educator and advocate for reconciliation achieved through the understanding of cultural differences. Since the 1980s she has worked in Aboriginal education in primary and secondary schools, local church and community organisations, in government and internationally at the United Nations Indigenous Peoples Forum. Aunty Joan was former student at Brisbane's Lourdes Hill College and was awarded the Australian Catholic University's honour, Doctor of the University in 2012. A consistent advocate for the rights of Indigenous people, Aunty Joan was actively involved in the campaign which saw traditional owners win native title recognition over their lands on North Stradbroke Island. She has been both well-known and deeply respected across the Archdiocese of Brisbane. A Funeral Mass will be celebrated at Star of the Sea Church, Cleveland on Friday 7 February at 10.30am.

Liturgies Brisbane is conducting a **Workshop on Celebrating the Liturgies of the Triduum and the Easter Season** in mid-February. The workshop, which will be presented by Elizabeth Harrington and Trish Stapleton, will offer a wealth of practical ideas for celebrating the liturgies. Two sessions will be offered with the same content at each. Tuesday 11 February, 6.00 pm to 9.00 pm at the Fr Denis Power Centre, 333 Given Terrace, Paddington OR Saturday 15 February, 9.00 am to 12 noon at Aspinall Hall, 4 Klump Road, Upper Mount Gravatt. Registrations are required, and the cost is \$10 per individual or \$40 for a parish/school group. Please contact the Parish office if you are interested in attending.

Bushfire Relief Concert: Ipswich City Orchestra Strings will perform two concerts: Saturday 8 February at 7pm at Graceville Uniting Church, and Sunday 9 February at 4pm at St Paul's Anglican Church Ipswich. All funds from the first concert will go to the Red Cross Bushfire Appeal. Proceeds of the concert in Ipswich will go to the Rural Fire Service Ripley. The performance will include the iconic Tchaikovsky Serenade for Strings, Holst's St Paul's Suite, and two songs from Les Miserables featuring tenor Roger Davy. Guest conductor will be Adrian Head. Tickets can be purchased via the www.ipswichcityorchestra.com.au, and will cost \$20 for adults, concession \$15, students \$12, and free for children under 12.

PLENARY COUNCIL 2020

www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au

Listening & Discernment Experience

Our Parish and Deanery will be conducting a

Listening & Discernment Experience on the following themes on:



- **Prayerful and Eucharistic** - Monday 17th February 6.30pm - Corinda Graceville Parish Centre, 19 Randolph Street Graceville.
- **A joyful, hope-filled and servant community** - Tuesday 18th February 6.30pm - Twelve Apostles Hall, 111 Yallambee Rd Jindalee.
- **Open to conversion renewal and reform** - Wednesday 19th February 6.30pm Lobelia Hall - Lobelia Street, Inala.

All members of the Deanery can attend any or all three sessions on the 17th, 18th and 19th February as part of the next step of the process for the Plenary Council 2020

This Weekend in the Parish

Fijian Choir Saturday 6pm Mass St Joseph's
Supper after Saturday 6pm Mass
Parish Choir Sunday 8am Mass St Joseph's
Baptism preparation 10.30am Christ the King Church
Sausage Sizzle after 6pm Sunday Mass Christ the King

Catholic Women's League Meeting

9.30am Tuesday 4th February - Parish Centre Graceville

Friends and Neighbours Anointing Mass & Morning Tea

10am Wednesday 5th February - St Joseph's Corinda
If you require transport please ring Maureen Doherty
on 3375 4483.

Safeguarding Training

6.30pm Wednesday 5th February - Parish Centre Graceville
This will be Level 2 Training for those people who have been
contacted by Rachel Carr.

Parish Pastoral Council Meeting

7pm Thursday 6th February - Parish Office Corinda

St Vincent de Paul Meeting

8am Friday 7th February - Parish Office Corinda

YOUTH GROUP

For High School aged youth

Friday 7th February 6.30-8.30pm at St Joseph's Hall Corinda.
Dinner is included!
Held each Friday night of the school term
All high school students welcome.

Children's Liturgy of the Word commences at

8am Mass Sunday 9th February at St Joseph's and
9.30am Mass Sunday 16th February at Christ the King.
Children aged from prep to year 6 gather to break open
God's Word together, in an appropriate way for their age. All
children welcome. Adult leaders and helpers are needed.
Please contact the parish office.

Parish Craft Circle recommences

9.30am Wednesday 12th February - Parish Centre Graceville
All welcome

Parish Choir Rehearsal

7.30pm Thursday 13th February at St Joseph's Church
The choir will be rehearsing for the 6pm Mass on Saturday
29th February

Mother's with Children Morning Tea
9.30am—10.30am Friday 14th February
in the Children's Liturgy Room Corinda.
Held every Friday fortnight of the school term

Book Club

The first Parish Book Club for 2020 will be held at
2pm on Friday 14th February at the Parish Office,
Corinda. All are welcome to join in the fun and
laughter. Please bring a small plate to share for
afternoon tea.

Youth Music Ministry at Christ the King on the THIRD SUNDAY night of each month.

After Mass we will serve Pizza and there will be a chance to
do some telescopic "star gazing" too.

Young singers and musicians are invited to join the music ministry by turning up to practice at 4.30pm on Sunday 16th February.

To help us plan, please contact the parish office if you are
interested or speak to Anne Juillerat on a Sunday night.

First Holy Communion Information Evening **6:30pm, Wednesday, February 19** **St. Joseph's Church, Corinda**

The Sacramental Program team is pleased to
extend an invitation to our information night to all
parishioners interested in enrolling their children
in the First Holy Communion preparation
program.

*Please note that this is a compulsory information session for those
choosing to continue their child's Sacramental journey. Children
eligible to celebrate the Sacrament of First Holy Communion must
be nine (9) years of age or older and have made their Confirmation.
Only parents/guardians need attend this short information session.*



Vinnies Bushfire Appeal

St Vincent de Paul thanks parishioners for the donations
made last weekend for the Australia Day Bushfire Appeal. A
total of \$5276.20 was raised across the four Masses.

Lenten Reflection Groups

This year, we will reflect upon each of the six National
Themes of Discernment that are the focus of the Plenary
Council 2020. The six themes will be reflected upon within the
context of the six Gospel readings of the Sundays of Lent.
There will be many opportunities across the parish to join a
group in order to share, pray, discern, and reflect together
during Lent. Please speak to Malia Mar or contact the office.

We pray for the good health, strength and healing of: Fraser Ainsworth, Ryan Armstrong, Imogen Atkins, Maureen Atkins, Ron Atkins, Fleur Bennell, Alannah Berman, Baby Emme Blackford, John Burgess, Noel Burke, Dexter Butler, Trevor Butler, Alan Carr, Jairo Cifuentes, Beryl Clark, Lina Daddow, Cath Dennis, Anne-Marie Deschamps, Robyn Dodd, Trevor Fanton, Chris Ferguson, Nash Giles, Gerard Gillespie, Kendall Hammond, Myrna Healy, Clare Hickey, Ned Hiller, Anne-Marie Hollier, Berndt Krogull, Monica Lampe, The Lip Family, Anthony Lupi, Derek MacLean, Kathryn Matheson, Sr Pat Mawn olsh, Gordon McCormack, Neil McCormack, Norma McCormack, Colin McLeod, Damien McMeniman, Maureen McNamara, Fr Ron Mollison, Monica Morrision, Tom O'Brien, Sr Valerian O'Brien olsh, June O'Callaghan, Taavi Orupold, Emma Parer, Sr Eleanor Parker olsh, Rebecca Pullin, Dawn Punter, Br Luke Quinn cfc, Sr Bernadetta Robinson olsh, Neil Scott, Mary Shand, Lea Tate, Louise Thornton, 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: Tot Vu, Joan Lynch, Bettina Doll, Aunty Joan Hendricks, Brian Sadler, Betty Ferguson, Tom Allen

We pray for those whose anniversaries occur about this time: Fernando Tan, Brian Claffey, Desmond McCormack, Ann Sellars, Thomas Bennell, Rita Mortiss, David McKeon, Bernadette Burton, Clare Foster, Patricia Powell, Stephen Kimmins, Stan Winter, Barbara Hawkins, Des Campbell, and the deceased members of the Holohan family



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WEEKDAY LITURGIES

Monday 9.00 am St Joseph's – Liturgy of the Word
Wednesday **10.00 am St Joseph's**
– Mass with Anointing of the Sick
(Friends and Neighbours Mass & Morning Tea)

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

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
Praise, Worship, Adoration & Message

CHRISTIAN MEDITATION GROUPS

Tuesday 5.30 pm 34 Mortlake Rd, Graceville (ph. 3379 2581)

LITURGICAL CALENDAR

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

FOURTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

SUN, 2 FEB The PRESENTATION of the LORD - *Feast*
Malachi 3:1-4 or Heb 2:14-18; Lk 2:22-40
MON, 3 FEB St Blaise, bishop, martyr - *Optional Memorial*
St Ansgar, bishop - *Optional Memorial*
2 Sam 15:13-14, 30, 16:5-13; Mk 5:1-20
TUE, 4 FEB 2 Sam 18:9-10, 14, 24-25, 30 - 19:3;
Mk 5:21-43
WED, 5 FEB St Agatha, virgin, martyr - *Memorial*
2 Sam 24:2, 9-17; Mk 6:1-6
(Alt. 1 Cor 1:26-31; Lk 9:23-26)
THU, 6 FEB St Paul Miki and companions, martyrs - *Memorial*
1 Kg 2:1-4, 10-12; Mk 6:7-13
(Alt. Gal 2:19-20; Mt 28:16-20)
FRI, 7 FEB Sirach 47:2-11; Mk 6:14-29
SAT, 8 FEB St Jerome, Emiliani - *Optional Memorial*
St Josephine Bakhita - *Optional Memorial*
1 Kg 3:4-13; Mk 6:30-34

FIFTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

SUN, 9 FEB 5th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME
Is 58:7-10; 1 Cor 2:1-5; Mt 5:13-16

CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

The atrium will be reopening the week commencing 10th February. This will enable children to settle into school and give us an extra week to refresh and have everything ready for them. If you would still like to enrol your children please contact Anne Delsorte at delsorte@bigpond.net.au

The atrium is like a retreat centre for children aged 3-12. It is a sanctuary and place of quiet, prayer and reflection, enabling children, through the use of many beautiful hands on materials, the opportunity to encounter God and spend time in His presence.

Group sessions go for two hours per week. There are three environments each designed for particular age levels and periods of development. For a brochure, enrolment forms or further information please contact Anne Delsorte at delsorte@bigpond.net.au

HYMNS AND RESPONSES FOR SUNDAY MASSES

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

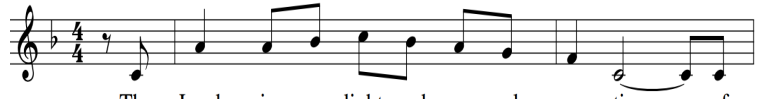
"PSALM 24: WHO IS THIS KING OF GLORY"



Who is the King of glo - ry? It is the Lord.

COMMUNION: "PSALM 27: THE LORD IS MY LIGHT"

Refrain



The Lord is my light and my sal - va - tion, of



whom should I be a - fraid, of whom should I be a - fraid?

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Villa Maria Open Day

22nd February 2020
10am - 2pm
171 St Pauls Terrace,
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Cathedral Guides and Welcomers invite you to an information session on **Wednesday 5 February** at 10.30am to discover the delights of volunteering with the Cathedral Guides and Welcomers. The meeting will be held in the Hanly Room of the Francis Rush Centre, next to the Cathedral. Please note change of day.



Thank you so much to all the wonderful bakers, contributors and helpers who provided supper and morning teas after all the Masses last weekend Australia Day! Our multicultural parish community was enriched by the Australia Day celebrations and blessed by all who were able to attend.

