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The Pastor's Pen....

Anyone who was at Mass last weekend or read John's Gospel text at home will have little trouble recognising the differences between that story of the call of the first disciples and Mark's version which we listen to/read this weekend.

St. John's Gospel had the Baptist proclaiming the coming of the 'Lamb of God' then pointing Him out to his own disciples who promptly left the Baptist and followed their new Teacher, Jesus. St. John's Gospel says that all of this happened at Bethany on the far side of the Jordan River where John was baptising.

In contrast, St. Mark has Jesus by the Sea of Galilee to which He had returned only after John the Baptist had been arrested and imprisoned by King Herod. Moreover, this was preceded by Jesus' own baptism by John and His forty day period of reflection and temptation in the wilderness. St. Mark is careful to help us distinguish between the preparing ministry of John the Baptist and Jesus calling His first disciples to follow Him in His ministry of world salvation.

St. John's Gospel story was complex, full of nuances, titles and allusions, whereas St. Mark's story is direct and in a hurry. With St. Mark there is no pointing out of Jesus by John the Baptist, no disciples asking 'Where do you live?' no invitation from Jesus for them to 'Come and see' and no story of Andrew seeking out his brother Simon Peter the next morning and bringing him to Jesus who then re-named him 'Rock.'

In St. Mark's story Jesus was simply walking along the shore of the Sea of Galilee where Peter and Andrew were working at their fishing business. He saw them, said 'Follow me and I will make you into fishers of people' and they dropped everything and did so. A little further along the shore Jesus saw James and John, the sons of Zebedee, working at their fishing business. He called them to follow him and instantly they did so, leaving their business, father, family and the familiar behind them. Some writers say that it's as if Jesus knew these men from earlier on in His life, a proposition with which I find it hard to disagree. In St. Mark's Gospel it's clear that the time for action has arrived and that there isn't a lot of time to get done what must be done, hence the sense of urgency that courses through the veins of this Gospel.

All of this leads me to ask a simple question; Where is my / Where is our sense of urgency for the following, proclaiming and living of the Good News today? Surely all of us can sense, see and grasp that it's just as urgent now as it was in Jesus' day that people come into the Lord's company, be formed in the Good News, the Gospel of Life by Him, and give witness to His powerful love and kindness by our words, deeds, values and way of living.

There are as many ways of doing this as there are people but one thing we know for certain is that this is always done best when done together. For a time after His baptism and wilderness experiences Jesus went alone through the Galilee region preaching in the towns and villages. This happened (Mark.1:14-15) immediately before the story we have this weekend. It seems that Jesus soon enough realised for Himself, after the Baptist's imprisonment, that He needed followers to form, accompany and help Him in His work. The historical upshots of all of this are the Church and Parishes we have today.

Christians who decide to cut themselves off from others, from the company of the disciples, soon enough get misguided, disillusioned and fall away. We always need each other and the faith we share, fragile and sinful as we well may be. In this time of too much separation do try with all of your might to keep connected to the community of believers and your Parish for alone we wither away, but together we can change and grow stronger in our faith in Jesus Christ the Lord.

Fr. Mark Percival. MA, PP.



Australia Day Mass
9.00am Tuesday 26th January
St Joseph's Church, Corinda

Bookings essential. Please book online at
www.corindagracevilleparish.org.au
or phone the parish office.

YEAR OF SAINT JOSEPH

In a new Apostolic Letter entitled *Patris corde* ("With a Father's Heart"), Pope Francis describes Saint Joseph as a beloved father, a tender and loving father, an obedient father, an accepting father; a father who is creatively courageous, a working father, a father in the shadows.

The Letter marks the 150th anniversary of Blessed Pope Pius IX's declaration of St Joseph as Patron of the Universal Church. To celebrate the anniversary, Pope Francis has proclaimed a special "Year of St Joseph," beginning on the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception 8th December 2020 and extending to the same feast on 8th December 2021.

The Holy Father wrote *Patris corde* against the backdrop of the Covid-19 pandemic, which, he says, has helped us see more clearly the importance of "ordinary" people who, though far from the limelight, exercise patience and offer hope every day. In this, they resemble Saint Joseph, "the man who goes unnoticed, a daily, discreet and hidden presence," who nonetheless played "an incomparable role in the history of salvation."

At the conclusion of his Letter, he adds a prayer to St Joseph, which he encourages all of us to pray together:

***Hail, Guardian of the Redeemer,
Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary.
To you God entrusted his only Son;
in you Mary placed her trust;
with you Christ became man.***

***Blessed Joseph, to us too, show yourself a father and guide us in the path of life.
Obtain for us grace, mercy, and courage, and defend us from every evil.
Amen.***



Corinda Graceville Parish

is currently inviting applications for the casual position of

Local Safeguarding Officer

This is an exciting opportunity for an enthusiastic and committed applicant to join the Parish team and assist with the coordination of safeguarding compliance throughout the volunteer community.

In this role, your duties will include:

- Coordinate and follow up volunteers to complete safeguarding compliance
- Ensure the parish community maintain compliance with safeguarding policies and practices
- Promote Archdiocesan safeguarding measures and practices
- Provide advice on Archdiocesan safeguarding policies and practices
- Undertake safeguarding compliance audits
- Assess activities and environments for safeguarding risks
- Address potential risk and report on breaches/non-compliance

You will have:

- Current QLD working with children blue card or willing to obtain
- Undergo a national criminal history/police screening check
- Well-developed written and oral communication skills and interpersonal skills
- A demonstrated capacity to work both independently and with others
- Be willing to work within the Mission and Vision of the Catholic Church
- Computer skills – basic knowledge and experience in the Microsoft office and management of emails

The position will be paid in line with the Clerks Private Sector Award 2010 and the rate of pay will be base on the successful candidates' qualifications and experience.

For a copy of the position description please visit the following link <https://catholic.sharefile.com/d-s6f3f71c67a184d68b5d16bb6dc77d1dc> or any other enquires please email James Herd, HR Coordinator at herdj@bne.catholic.net.au.

Applications close Friday 29 February 2021.

The Archdiocese of Brisbane has standards of conduct for workers to maintain a safe and healthy environment for children. Our commitment to these standards requires that we conduct working with children checks and background referencing for all persons who will engage in direct and regular involvement with children and young people (0 - 18 years) and/or vulnerable adults. The organisation is fully committed to child safety and has a 0 tolerance to abuse of children or vulnerable adults.



Remember to book to attend Mass on Australia Day

9.00am Tuesday 26th January
St Joseph's Church, Corinda

Bookings are essential.

Please book online at www.corindagracevilleparish.org.au
and click on the icon as pictured.

If you are unable to book online please phone the parish office on 3379 1534.

Friends and Neighbours Anointing Mass Wednesday 3rd February at 10.00am St Joseph's Church Corinda

Come and drink of God's healing Spirit and eat of the Lord's Supper and fellowship. As with all Masses, bookings are required, so please book in the usual way via the parish website or contact the parish office by phone or by email.

If you require transport please contact Maureen Doherty on 3375 4483. All are welcome!

Welcome Back: to all of our students and wonderful staff at Christ the King and St Joseph's Schools. Blessings on you all as you commence a new school year on Wednesday.

St Vincent de Paul: will meet at the Parish Office at 8am on Friday 29th January. New members are always welcome to assist in this important ministry. Please speak to Mick McManus, Marnie Niland, or contact the parish office.



Attention CWL Ladies. I would like to invite all members to morning tea on Tuesday 2nd February at 10am at Westside HQ (Sherwood Services Club) Clewley Street Corinda. Hopefully most of you will be able to attend, as we will discuss our plans for 2021. Looking forward to seeing you all.
Patra ~ 3379 8653.

Parish Pastoral Council Meeting: the first meeting of the Pastoral Council for 2021 will be held on Thursday 4th February at 7pm at the Parish Office.

The Parish Liturgy Team: will meet at 10am on Saturday 6th February at 10am in the Parish Office Corinda.

Children's Liturgy: will commence at St Joseph's Corinda at the 8am Mass on Sunday 7th February and will continue on the first Sunday each month during school term.

Parish Finance Council Meeting: the first meeting of the Finance Council for 2021 will be held on Thursday 18th February at 7pm at the Parish Office.



DATE CLAIMER: ASH WEDNESDAY MASS

Mass - 7.00pm TUESDAY 16th February - St Joseph's Church

Mass - 8.30am ASH WEDNESDAY 17th February - Christ the King Church

Bookings will be available online commencing Saturday 30th January.

We pray for the good health, strength and healing of: Fraser Ainsworth, Maureen Atkins, Ron Atkins, Fleur Bennell, Alannah Berman, Alan Carr, Jairo Cifuentes, Beryl Clark, George Cole, Tony Condon, Lina Daddow, Robyn Dodd, Emilia Dow, Trevor Fanton, Chris Ferguson, Carol Finchman, Jack Gabler, Fr Gianni ofm, Rudolf Giebels, Nash Giles, Gerard Gillespie, Philomena Green, Kendall Hammond, Pam Harding, Charlie Hardy, Myrna Healy, Clare Hickey, Ned Hiller, Cedric Holland, Anne-Marie Hollier, Margaret Holynski, Mark Inman, Monica Lampe, Jennifer Lees, Alistair Lees, The Lip Family, Anthony Lupi, Derek MacLean, Gordon McCormack, Neil McCormack, Warwick McEvoy, Colin McLeod, Maureen McNamara, Margaret Mealey, Damien Mollard, Fr Ron Mollison, Adam Morrison, Monica Morrison, Taavi Orupold, Emma Parer, Emily Perrin, Rebecca Pullin, Dawn Punter, Sr Bernadetta Robinson osh, Mary Shand, Geraldine Slatworthy, Lea Tate, Sr Cyprian Thureson pbvm, Philomena Van Brunschett, Paul Vickers, Rebecca Wallace, Genevieve Waters, Margaret White, Roseen Wode, Frank Zubeldia, & all suffering from COVID-19.

We pray for all parishioners living in aged care.

May the recently deceased rest in peace: Robert Cahill, Colin Meneely, Michael Hogan

We pray for those whose anniversaries occur about this time: Stan Winter, Kath Hennessy, Thelma Hilton, Clare Foster, Patricia Powell, Stephen Kimmins, Joan Lynch, Barbara Hawkins, Dawn Gillespie, May French, James Mahon, Lindsay Powell, Patricia Clarke, Edwin Webb, Peg Bourke, Val Ryan, Shirley Chalmers, Giuseppe Danieli



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SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday	5.30 pm	St Joseph's
Sunday	8.00 am	St Joseph's
	9.30 am	Christ the King
	6.00 pm	Christ the King

WEEKDAY LITURGIES

Tuesday	9.00 am	St Joseph's – Mass Australia Day
Wednesday	9.00 am	St Joseph's – Mass
Thursday	9.00 am	St Joseph's – Mass
Friday	9.30 am	Christ the King – Mass

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Saturday	4.30 pm – 5.00 pm	St Joseph's
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Other times by appointment.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

The Sacrament of Baptism for Children is celebrated by appointment on the following Sundays of the month

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

LITURGICAL CALENDAR

(Printed so that users may pray daily the Liturgical Prayer of the Church)

THIRD WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

SUN, 24 JAN	3rd SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME Jonah 3:1-5, 10; 1 Cor 7:29-31; Mk 1:14-20
MON, 25 JAN	The Conversion of St Paul, apostle - <i>Feast</i> Acts 22:3-16 or 9:1-22; Mk 16:15-18
TUE, 26 JAN	Australia Day Is 32:15-18; 1 Cor 12:4-11 or Rom 12:9-13; Mt 5: 2-12 or Lk 12:22-32
WED, 27 JAN	St Angela Merici, virgin - <i>Optional Memorial</i> Sts Timothy and Titus, bishops - <i>Optional Memorial</i> Heb 10:11-18; Mk 4:1-20
THU, 28 JAN	St Thomas Aquinas, priest, doctor of the church - <i>Memorial</i> Heb 10:19-25; Mk 4:21-25 (Alt. Wis 7:7-10, 15-16; Mt 23:8-12)
FRI, 29 JAN	Heb 10:32-39; Mk 4:26-34
SAT, 30 JAN	Heb 11:1-2, 8-19; Mk 4:35-41

FOURTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

SUN, 31 JAN	4th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME Deut 18:15-20; 1 Cor 7:32-35; Mk 1:21-28
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Prayer for Australia

O God, powerful and gentle,
you love this southern land
and all its peoples, old and new.
As the Cross shines in our heavens
so may Christ bring light to our nation.
As the waves encircle our shores
so may your mercy enfold us all.
The wonders of our vast and rugged land
reflect your beauty, ever ancient, ever new.
May your blessings flow upon us
as a stream in the desert,
and may your spirit prompt us
to use your gifts for the good of all. Amen.

NEW LOOK LENTEN and EASTER PROGRAM FOR 2021

Walk as a 'missionary disciple' on the path to Easter and beyond with the new-look Lent program from Evangelisation Brisbane. **Look to Jesus: 52 Daily Reflections for Lent and Easter** is accessible to both individuals and groups. **Look to Jesus** will nourish and nurture prayer each day during Lent and into the first week of Easter. The daily reflections will invite the reader to contemplate a verse from the Scripture reading of the day. This reflection will be followed by a quote from Pope Francis and a simple prayer. The daily reflections will only require a few minutes for a person to read, reflect and pray. This Lenten practice will lead the reader into a deeper reflection on their daily life. More details soon.

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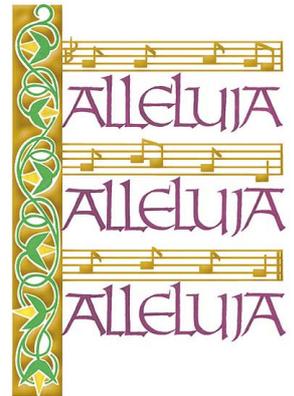
HYMNS AND RESPONSES FOR SUNDAY MASSES

GATHERING: "ALL CREATURES OF OUR GOD AND KING"

1. All creatures of our God and King,
Lift up your voice and with us sing:
Alleluia! Alleluia!
O burning sun with golden beam
And silver moon with softer gleam:
O praise God! O praise God!
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

2. O rushing wind and breezes soft,
O clouds that ride the winds aloft:
Alleluia! Alleluia!
O rising morn, in praise rejoice,
O lights of evening, find a voice.
O praise God! O praise God!
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

7. Let all things their Creator bless,
And worship God in humbleness,
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Oh praise the Father, praise the Son,
And praise the Spirit, Three in One!
O praise God! O praise God!
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!



RESPONSORIAL PSALM: "TEACH ME YOUR WAYS, O LORD"



Teach me your ways, O Lord.

COMMUNION: "TASTE AND SEE"

Refrain: Taste and see, taste and see
The goodness of the Lord.
O taste and see, taste and see
The goodness of the Lord, of the Lord.

SENDING FORTH: "THE SUMMONS"

1. Will you come and follow me if I but call your name?
Will you go where you don't know and never be the same?
Will you let my love be shown, will you let my name be known,
Will you let my life be grown in you and you in me?
4. Will you love the 'you' you hide if I but call your name?
Will you quell the fear inside and never be the same?
Will you use the faith you've found to reshape the world around,
Through my sight and touch and sound in you and you in me?
5. Lord, your summons echoes true when you but call my name.
Let me turn and follow you and never be the same.
In your company I'll go where your love and footsteps show.
Thus I'll move and live and grow in you and you in me.