



The Catholic Parish
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THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

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The Pastor's Pen....

Happy New Year to each and all. Let us pray with earnestness and fervour to God, supported by the powerful intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary, that we will be assisted in every way and by everyone to find the best ways we can to serve God's will, helping and supporting each other in 2022.

Epiphany means a manifestation, a revealing, a showing forth of a reality and truth not seen nor perceived beforehand. This weekend, which coincides with our secular New Year celebrations, shows forth and reveals to us what matters most and is able to guide us through everything that is going to happen over the course of these coming twelve months.

This is that, walking every day on our journey like the Wise Ones did as they crossed the deserts, we always look for and towards the guiding light of God, trusting this God-given light to lead us ever closer to Christ. Our Epiphany Solemnity means that we come to perceive more clearly, follow more nearly and live more dearly the life of Jesus who has come to lead and gather, to unite, save and guide all people of goodwill.

The Wise men/travellers sought out a King and in the child of Bethlehem, born so humbly and so simply, they found their King. He was a King for all of the people, a King who came to serve, not to be served, and to give away His life as a ransom for many. As St. Paul says, we are the ones who have inherited this gift and promise. We are partners today with Christ and with each another as members of His body, who are to now think and live, to witness and to share His love in words, deeds and way of life with all.

This is our guiding star, our light from God, our own epiphany and revelation if you will, as we traverse the year ahead. Following this Divine light and living in its brightness will bring us to Our Lord no matter the many dramas and challenges, along with the joys and consolations, that await us as the days of this year unfold.

May the peace of Our loving Lord and the prayers of Mary, His mother, and Blessed St. Joseph be ever with us and with our Parish.

Fr. Mark Percival. MA, PP.

Funeral Mass: Ag Thomas, long time and well loved Corinda resident for the past 73 years, passed away on 20th December 2020. The Funeral Mass for Ag will be celebrated at 1pm on Friday 7th January at St Joseph's Church Corinda. The prayers, support and sympathy of the parish is extended to Ag's sons Raymond and Peter and their families. *Lord, look kindly on Your servant, Ag whom you have embraced in eternal life. She has been a guide to us in our lives. As she served You faithfully throughout her life, give her the fullness of peace and joy.*

Parish Calendars: please pick up your parish calendar for 2022, located at the Marshal's desk at each church.

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Adult Formation - 8th-10th January 2022, 9am - 5.30pm each day at 19 Randolph St, Graceville: These three days of formation are the beginning of the second part of Level One formation for catechists, parents or grandparents working with 4-5 year olds. Although not the basic foundations course it could be a way for you to get a glimpse of life in the atrium if you are interested in helping us out in the new year. It is a truly blessed ministry to be able to lead little ones into the arms of Jesus. If you simply want some time for yourself to reflect or grow in your faith you are also most welcome. Brochures are available in perspex stands at the front door of each church. To register or any other enquiries please contact Anne Delsorte delsorte@bigpond.net.au

Synod 2021-2023: In October 2023, the Catholic Church will gather to reflect on the theme "**For a Synodal Church: Communion, Participation and Mission**". Pope Francis is inviting everyone to share their experiences of synodality (walking together) : a decisive theme for the life and mission of the Church. Your voice matters! You are invited to be a part of this journey by reflecting on the Synod Themes and sharing your story. Visit <https://www.catholic.org.au/synodalchurch> for more information or scan this QR code:



Date Claimer: Australia Day Mass will be celebrated at 9.00am on Wednesday 26th January at St Joseph's Church Corinda.

WEEKDAY LITURGIES

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 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

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Saturday 4.30 pm – 5.00 pm St Joseph's

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

All enquiries to the Parish Office

LITURGICAL CALENDAR

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

CHRISTMAS TIME

SUN, 2 JAN The EPIPHANY of the LORD - *Solemnity*
Is 60:1-6; Eph 3:2-3, 5-6; Mt 2:1-12

MON, 3 JAN The Most Holy Name of Jesus - *Optional Memorial*
1 Jn 3:22 - 4:6; Mt 4:12-17, 23-25

TUE, 4 JAN 1 Jn 4:7-10; Mk 6:34-44

WED, 5 JAN 1 Jn 4:11-18; Mk 6:45-52

THU, 6 JAN 1 Jn 4:19 - 5:4; Lk 4:14-22

FRI, 7 JAN St Raymond of Penyafort, priest, patron saint of lawyers - *Optional Memorial*
1 Jn 5:5-13; Lk 5:12-16

SAT, 8 JAN 1 Jn 5:14-21; Jn 3:22-30

SUN, 9 JAN The BAPTISM of the LORD - *Feast*
Is 40:1-5, 9-11 or Is 42:1-4, 6-7;
Titus 2:11-14, 3:4-7 or Acts 10:34-38;
Lk 3:15-16, 21-22

MAY YOU SHINE
THE LIGHT OF
CHRIST IN THE
NEW YEAR!

We pray for the good health, strength and healing of: Maureen Atkins, Ron Atkins, Alannah Berman, Alan Carr, Bridie Carr, Jairo Cifuentes, Beryl Clark, George Cole, Ian Douglas Coles, Edward Crossin, Lina Daddow, Robyn Dodd, Maureen Doherty, Emilia Dow, Carol Finchman, Jack Gabler, Nash Giles, Carla Gill, Philomena Green, Kendall Hammond, Charles Hardy, Bob Healy, Myrna Healy, Clare Hickey, Ned Hiller, Anne-Marie Hollier, Margaret Holynski, Mark Inmon, Maureen Inmon, Shirley Keickhofel, Ryan Lange, Jennifer Lees, Alistair Lees, The Lip Family, Derek MacLean, Gordon McCormack, Neil McCormack, Warwick McEvoy, Coll McGrath, Jack McLaughlin, Colin McLeod, Geraldine McLeod, Colleen McMahan, Maureen McNamara, Margaret Mealey, Damien Mollard, Julene Montgomery, Adam Morrison, Monica Morrison, Jan O'Donoghue, Jimmy O'Keefe, Taavi Orupold, Emma Parer, Genevieve Parer, Shelly Parer, Dawn Punter, Sr Bernadetta Robinson olsh, Mary Shand, Geraldine Slatworthy, Tony Stark, Sr Cyprian Thureson pbvm, Pauline Thureson, Geoffrey Trenear, Philomena Van Brunschett, Paul Vickers, Rebecca Wallace, Nick Willemsen, Frank Zubeldia. Aall suffering from Covid-19.

We remember and pray for all parishioners living in aged care.

May the recently deceased rest in peace: Agnes Thomas, John Nowland, Leonie Hose, John O'Donohoe, Patrick Moroney

We pray for those whose anniversaries occur about this time: Brian Hauff, Ernie Thorpe, Neil Stafford, Noni Darch, Valma Cowie, Anna, Peter & Maria, Anne-Marie Deschamps, Therese Do, Flo Maher, Maurie Bauer, Enid Esdale, Mary Campbell

HYMNS AND RESPONSES FOR SUNDAY MASSES

GATHERING: "O COME, ALL YE FAITHFUL"

1. O come, all ye faithful, joyful and triumphant,
O come ye, O come ye to Bethlehem;
Come and behold him, born the King of angels;

*O come, let us adore him, O come, let us adore him,
O come, let us adore him, Christ the Lord!*

2. God of God, Light of Light,
Lo! He comes forth from the Virgin's womb.
Son of the Father, begotten not created,

3. Sing, choirs of angels, sing in exultation,
Sing, all ye citizens of heav'n above!
Glory to God, all glory in the highest;



RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

"PSALM 72: LORD, EVERY NATION ON EARTH"



Lord, ev'ry na-tion on earth will a-dore you.

COMMUNION: "WE THREE KINGS"

Refrain: O star of wonder, star of night,
Star with royal beauty bright,
Westward leading, still proceeding,
Guide us to the perfect light.

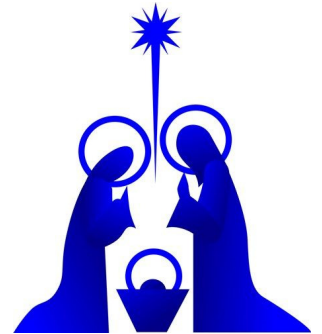


SENDING FORTH: "JOY TO THE WORLD"

Joy to the world! the Lord is come:
Let earth receive her King;
Let ev'ry heart prepare him room.
And heav'n and nature sing,
And heav'n and nature sing,
And heav'n, and heav'n and nature sing.

Joy to the world! the Saviour reigns;
Let us, our songs employ;
While fields and floods,
rocks, hills and plains
Repeat the sounding joy,
Repeat the sounding joy,
Repeat, repeat the sounding joy.

He rules the world with truth and grace,
And makes the nations prove
The glories of his righteousness,
And wonders of his love,
And wonders of his love,
And wonders, wonders of his love.



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the Yuggera and Turrbal peoples,
and pay our respects to Elders past, present and emerging.*

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