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*The Pastor's Pen....*

Christian Marriage is a Sacrament in our Catholic Church and tradition. This means that in the gift of each other's life of the two parties to the Marriage, ritualised in words and in symbols, is communicated and made tangibly present the Person, action and grace of God. As the old but true maxim says; A sacrament is a visible sign to us here on Earth of the very real but as yet invisible grace and presence of God.

I mention this at a time when Church Sacramental marriages are becoming rarer, a rarity exacerbated by the disruptions of the ongoing pandemic, because Marriage is the event mentioned in and linking both the Old Testament First Reading and the Gospel text from St. John. In the reading from Isaiah we are told that the land and people once called Forsaken and Abandoned will, by God's choice, now be called My Delight and Married. God will marry God's self to the life and destiny of the people in a covenant of renewal that, from God's side at least, will not be broken. These words speak to the people returning at last from their fifty years of exile in Babylon. They speak to us of the marriage-like covenant God has made with us in Jesus Christ for eternity.

The Gospel tells of Jesus and Mary and a few of the Lord's early disciples attending a wedding in the village of Cana in Galilee. Such weddings were major social events for Jews at that time. Guests travelled by foot and on donkeys, many kilometres to attend, sacrificing income from their daily labours. They stayed on at these events for several days where friendships were renewed, new relationships formed, marriages were arranged and important business was transacted.

The hosts had to provide for these days of feasting and drinking, a sign to everyone of their generosity and standing in the community. To run out of wine meant that they had planned poorly and were financially stressed, a public shame. Mary was sensitive to this and did not want the bride and groom and their families embarrassed in such a way. She turned to Jesus for help, a help that He appeared reluctant to offer, but which after Mary's words, He did offer and offer in abundance.

In St. John's vision this was the first sign given to us of who Jesus really is and what His life and mission was to be all about. He was God's Word alive and active for us, the One who was renewing and extending the embrace of God's marriage covenant to all in a divinely abundant and overflowing way. The best wine ever speaks of the coming marriage feast God offers to all who are faithful to God, for God is ever faithful to us in the new covenant of Christ.

St. Paul tells us that this new covenant is full of the joyful wine and Spirit of the Lord, empowering each of us in different but complimentary ways in our service of one another. Discerning well and wisely using our gifts is what matters. Our service will strengthen the bonds of our unity with each other in the Church, aid our mission to the world and be the fabric, the tangible gift we offer, that helps cement our part in the marriage between us, Jesus Christ and the world he is saving.

As we limp somewhat sadly into this year once more entangled by the prospect of sickness and the limits brought about by the Covid pandemic, with the latest Omicron variant impacting the activities of many, this weekend points us to happier and hopeful times. God remains wedded to us in Christ, for better and for worse, for richer and for poorer, in sickness and in health for the rest of our lives. Let the abiding presence of our Lord comfort and inspire us in using our God given gifts for the betterment of others.

*We acknowledge the traditional custodians of these lands, the Yuggera and Turrbal peoples, and pay our respects to Elders past, present and emerging.*

*Fr. Mark Percival, MA, PP.*

**Youth Group and Children's Liturgy of the Word:** will now be postponed due to the current Covid situation and the extended school holiday period. We will determine new commencement dates for both of these activities according to the Omicron situation and Covid regulations as we move forward in the coming weeks.

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

**St Vincent De Paul Meeting:** 8am on Friday 28th January.

**Parish Pastoral Council:** will hold its first meeting for 2022 at 7pm on Thursday 3rd February at the Parish Office.

**Liturgy Team Meeting:** 10am Saturday 5th February at the Parish Office.

**Parish Calendars:** please pick up your 2022 calendar at the church doors.

## 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)

### SECOND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

SUN, 16 JAN 2nd SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME  
Is 62:1-5; 1 Cor 12:4-11; Jn 2:1-11  
MON, 17 JAN St Anthony of Egypt, abbot - *Memorial*  
1 Sam 15:16-23; Mk 2:18-22  
(Alt. Eph 6:10-13, 18; Mt 19:16-26)  
TUE, 18 JAN 1 Sam 16:1-13; Mk 2:23-28  
WED, 19 JAN 1 Sam 17:32-33, 37, 40-51; Mk 3:1-6  
THU, 20 JAN St Fabian, pope, martyr - *Optional Memorial*  
St Sebastian, martyr, patron saint of athletes,  
physicians and soldiers - *Optional Memorial*  
1 Sam 18:6-9, 19:1-7; Mk 3:7-12  
FRI, 21 JAN St Agnes, virgin, martyr, patron saint of girls  
- *Memorial*  
1 Sam 24:3-21; Mk 3:13-19  
SAT, 22 JAN St Vincent of Zaragossa, deacon, martyr - *Optional Memorial*  
2 Sam 1:1-4, 11-12, 17, 19, 23-27; Mk 3:20-21

### THIRD WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

SUN, 23 JAN 3rd SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME  
Neh 8:2-6, 8-10; 1 Cor 12:12-30;  
Lk 1:1-4, 4:14-21

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*We pray for the good health, strength and healing of:* Ron Atkins, Alan Carr, Bridie Carr, Jairo Cifuentes, Beryl Clark, George Cole, Ian Douglas Coles, Maureen Doherty, Nash Giles, Carla Gill, Philomena Green, Bob Healy, Myrna Healy, Clare Hickey, Ned Hiller, Mark Inmon, Ryan Lange, Gordon McCormack, Neil McCormack, Jack McLaughlin, Geraldine McLeod, 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, Tony Stark, Sr Cyprian Thureson pbvm, Pauline Thureson, Geoffrey Trenear, Paul Vickers, Nick Willemssen, Frank Zubeldia. All suffering from Covid19  
*We remember and pray for all parishioners living in aged care.*

*May the recently deceased rest in peace:* Sr Maria Regina olsh, Kevin Parer Snr, Fr Ellis Clifford, Bob Kirsopp, Agnese Daniel, Rudy Della Piana, Sr Helen Diamond rsm

*We pray for those whose anniversaries occur about this time:* Mabel Fidler, Kathleen Condon, Charlotte Hagan, May French, James Mahon, Lindsay Powell, Pat Clarke, Edwin Webb, Guiseppe Danieli, Peg Bourke, Val Ryan, Dominic Trinh Can, Anna Doan Nguyen, Dawn Gillespie, Evelyn Dangerfield, Bridget Carmody, Bradley Warbrooke, Mary Martin, Eva McCormack, Elsie Trenear

## HYMNS AND RESPONSES FOR SUNDAY MASSES

### GATHERING: "ALL THE ENDS OF THE EARTH"

*Refrain:* All the ends of the earth, all you creatures of the sea,  
lift up your eyes to the wonders of the Lord.  
For the Lord of the earth, the Master of the sea,  
has come with justice for the world.

1. Break into song at the deeds of the Lord,  
the wonders God has done in ev'ry age.
2. Heaven and earth shall rejoice in your might;  
ev'ry heart, ev'ry nation call you Lord.
3. The Lord has made salvation known,  
faithful to the promises of old.  
Let the ends of the earth, let the sea and all  
it holds make music before our God!



### "PSALM 96: PROCLAIM HIS MARVELLOUS DEEDS"

*Response:* Proclaim his marvellous deeds to all the nations.

### COMMUNION: "COME TO THE FEAST"

*Refrain:* Come, come to the banquet. Come, come to the feast.  
Here the hungry find plenty, here the thirsty shall drink,  
here at the supper of Jesus, come to the feast.

### SENDING FORTH: "LIFT UP YOUR HEARTS"

*Refrain:* Lift up your hearts to the Lord  
praise God's gracious mercy!  
Sing out your joy to the Lord,  
whose love is enduring.

1. Shout with joy to the Lord, all the earth!  
Praise the name above all names!  
Say to God, "How wondrous your works,  
how glorious your name!"
2. Let the earth worship, singing your praise.  
Praise the glory of your name!  
Come and see the deeds of the Lord!  
Bless God's holy name!



### SENDING FORTH (Sunday 9.30am): "GO OUT, GO OUT"

Go out, go out to all the world and tell the Good News,  
tell the Good, Good News! Go out, go out to all the world  
and tell the Good News, tell the Good, Good News.  
tell the Good, Good News.  
tell the Good News, tell the Good, Good News.

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