



The Catholic Parish
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PENTECOST SUNDAY

27th / 28th MAY 2023

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'Peace be with you!' With these words the Risen Lord stood among his fear-filled followers as we hear in today's Gospel. He breathed the Holy Spirit upon them. With their hearts filled with joy, Jesus sent them out to bring the fire of his love to all.

With the Holy Spirit transforming their lives, (in the First Reading from the Acts of the Apostles), the disciples began speaking in many different languages. Christ was calling them to share the Gospel to the whole world. We too are baptised in this same Spirit.

Each of us has been given a unique gift, so that together as a community we become the risen Christ, bringing love and goodness to all people, as proclaimed in the Second Reading. Filled with the Holy Spirit we become a new creation in the Lord. The Psalm joyfully proclaims a time of rejuvenation as the spirit of the Lord moves over the earth.

On this Pentecost Sunday, let us ask for a spirit of renewal for the whole Christian community. We pray that we may overcome any fear, doubt or differences, and be united in giving expression to the joy of Resurrection, each of us doing so in our own unique way, while rooted in the same spirit of transforming love.

Thank you: to Fr Pius Jones SM and Fr Stephen Byrnes who have looked after us so wonderfully whilst Father Mark has been on leave. We look forward to Father Mark returning to the parish this week.

Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church: In 1964 St Paul VI declared the Blessed Virgin Mary as 'Mother of the Church, that is to say of all Christian people, the faithful as well as the pastors, who call her the most loving Mother' and established that 'the Mother of God should be further honoured and invoked by the entire Christian people by this most tender of titles.'

In 2018 Pope Francis added a feast day for Mary, Mother of the Church to be celebrated on the Monday following Pentecost – and the date he chose was intentional. On Pentecost Sunday, we celebrate the birthday of the Church, and on the memorial of Mary, Mother of the Church, we celebrate the fact that Mary, as the mother of Our Lord, is intrinsically linked to the Church as her mother. This year the Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church is celebrated on Monday 29th May.

In issuing his decree to add this feast day to the Church's calendar, Pope Francis wished to promote this devotion to "encourage the growth of the maternal sense of the Church in the pastors, religious and faithful, as well as a growth of genuine Marian piety."

Scripture, the decree said, depicts Mary at the foot of the Cross. There she became the Mother of the Church when she "accepted her Son's testament of love and welcomed all people in the person of the beloved disciple as sons and daughters to be reborn unto life eternal."

The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary: This feast celebrates the Virgin Mary's visit to her cousin Elizabeth, as told in the Gospel of Luke, and her example of faith in God's word and sensitivity to the Spirit.

The feast was introduced into the Franciscan calendar by St Bonaventure in the thirteenth century, and was extended in 1389 to the entire Latin Church to heal the divisions in the Western Church of the time.

The feast has been assigned to the last day of May, between the Solemnity of the Annunciation and the Birth of St John the Baptist, to conform more closely to the Gospel account.

*Hail, Mary, full of grace,
the Lord is with thee.
Blessed art thou amongst women
and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus.
Holy Mary, Mother of God,
pray for us sinners,
now and at the hour of our death. Amen.*

Mass to celebrate the Feast of the Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary will be celebrated at 9am on Wednesday 31st May at St Joseph's Church Corinda.



Lamps Ablaze: Apostolic Priorities for the Archdiocese of Brisbane

Priority Seven: Embedding Synodal Governance

We have begun the long and complex process of moving towards a synodal mode of governance in the Church, but the process is far from complete; and there is much to be done to embed synodal governance more securely at every level in the Archdiocese... Synodality implies inclusion, and therefore we will have to keep asking how we might at every level include women in the decision-making processes of the Archdiocese. So too synodality requires transparency and accountability, and we will have to keep asking what we need to do make the Archdiocese more transparent and accountable.

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The Lord's Day: When the COVID pandemic struck, I joined other bishops in deciding for a dispensation from the obligation to attend Sunday Mass. Now that the pandemic seems to be receding, it is good for us to reflect not only upon the Sunday obligation but upon the meaning of Sunday itself.

To call the first day of the week Sunday recalls the Roman name, but from the first Christians it was always called the Lord's Day, in honour of the Risen Christ who is the true light of the world and the source of life. The Lord's Day was the weekly Easter and the weekly Pentecost, because on the first day Jesus Christ rose from the dead and breathed the Holy Spirit into the Church. It was the day that looked back to the first day of creation and forward to the last day of the Lord's return in glory. Even in times of persecution, Christians remained faithful unto death to the assembly of the Lord's Day.

The spontaneous practice of the early days eventually became Church law. Yet it is not law that draws us to Mass but the Lord's desire to eat the Passover with us (cf Luke 22:15). The deepest reason we go to Mass on Sunday is not because we have decided or because the Church requires it but because we are drawn there by his desire for us. In coming to Mass, we surrender to the Lord's love and let ourselves be drawn by him who wants to speak to our heart and share his feast with us.

Therefore, in the Archdiocese of Brisbane from Pentecost Sunday of this year (28 May 2023) the pandemic dispensation will be withdrawn and the Sunday obligation will be restored, so that all of us, responding to the Risen Lord's call, may say with one heart and voice, “This is the day which the Lord has made: let us rejoice and be glad” (Psalm 118:24).

+ Mark Coleridge Archbishop of Brisbane

We acknowledge the traditional custodians of the lands on which we gather, the Yuggera peoples and Turrbal peoples, and pay our respects to their Elders past, present and emerging. We acknowledge the continuing and deep connection of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples to this country, its land, waters and culture.

Bishop Ken Howell: The Holy Father has appointed Bishop Ken Howell, currently an Auxiliary Bishop for the Archdiocese of Brisbane, as the seventh Bishop of the Diocese of Toowoomba. Pope Francis made the official announcement in Rome at noon (8:00 pm local time) on Wednesday 24th May 2023. Bishop Ken said "I am deeply humbled to be called by Pope Francis to shepherd this local Church and I thank him sincerely. I realise that I have been given a great responsibility to care for the faithful and to engage in the life of the broader community across the Toowoomba Diocese. Can I ask all people to pray for me. Your prayer will be my greatest support." Bishop Ken's installation as the seventh Bishop of Toowoomba will be held on 11 July 2023 at St Patrick's Cathedral, Toowoomba.

Communion from the Cup: reception of Holy Communion from the cup of Christ's Blood has now been re-introduced at all Masses in our parish. For the safety and health of everyone, please follow the local custom when receiving Communion: do not kneel when receiving Communion, please receive the host in your hand, not on your tongue, and please drink from the chalice (do not dip [intinct] the host into the chalice).

St Joseph's School Sponsored Mass: Welcome to the students, families and staff of St Joseph's School who help lead ministries in our 5.30pm Saturday Mass this weekend. It is wonderful to have you celebrate with us.

Children's Liturgy: will be held today, Sunday 28th May, at the 8am Mass at St Joseph's, then next weekend at the 9.30am Mass at Christ the King on Sunday 4th June, alternating between the two churches each Sunday morning. All primary school aged children, and all children enrolled in the Sacramental Program are welcome to attend.

Christ the King School Sponsored Mass: Our children, parents and staff from Christ the King School help us lead the ministries at our 9.30am Sunday Mass at Christ the King Church this weekend. You are always most welcome.

Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary: Mass will be celebrated at 9am on Wednesday 31st May at St Joseph's Church.

Parish Pastoral Council: will meet at 7.00pm on Thursday 1st June in the Parish Office.

St Vincent de Paul Meeting: 8am Friday 2nd June at the Parish Office. New members are always welcome.

Youth Group for high school students and young adults: 6.30pm to 8.30pm Friday 2nd June (including a light dinner) at St Joseph's Meeting Room (beside the parish carpark) Corinda. All young people are most welcome to attend. Youth Group is held every Friday evening of the school term.

Liturgy Team Meeting: will be held at 10am on Saturday 3rd June in the Parish Office.

Sausage Sizzle: is held after the Sunday evening 6pm Mass at Christ the King on the first Sunday of the month. Please stay for some hospitality next Sunday 4th June.

Parish Choir: the next choir practice will be held at 7pm on Thursday 8th June at St Joseph's Church. New singers are always welcome.

Craft Stall: a small craft stall will be held after the 5.30pm Mass on Saturday 10th June, with all proceeds being donated to the St Vincent de Paul Winter Appeal. Please come prepared with some cash to buy some crafted goods.

Christ the King School Fair: Sunday 11th June, 11am to 4pm: please come along and join in the fun, have morning tea or lunch, take home some goodies and support our wonderful Christ the King School community.

Anointing Mass: A special Mass of Anointing will be held at 10am on Wednesday 14th June. All are welcome.

Parish Finance Council: will meet at 7.00pm on Thursday 15th June in the Parish Office.

Corpus Christi Procession: Sunday 11th June at 2pm at the Cathedral of St Stephen, Brisbane City. The Procession will start and end at the Cathedral and will feature prayers, rosary, hymns and Benediction with proceedings led by Archbishop Mark Coleridge. A vigil night of adoration will be held in St Stephen's Chapel from 7pm Saturday 10th June to 8am Sunday 11th June. Find out more at www.corpuschristibrisbane.com

Mass Count: continues this weekend and will be taken during the homily time at all Masses - so if you see someone with a clipboard wandering around the church during Mass it's ok, they are simply taking a head count for the Archdiocese.

We pray for the good health, strength and healing of: Ron Atkins, Jack Cain, Barbara Carmody, Alan Carr, Bridie Carr, Beryl Clark, June Denham, Maureen Doherty, Margaret Fernandez, Nash Giles, Laurie Gillespie, Maureen Gleeson, Gregory Gould, Bob Healy, Myrna Healy, Ned Hiller, Mary Holland, Mark Inmon, Maureen Inmon, Charles Keating, Annie Little, Fr Frank Lourigan, Monique Maltet, Gordon McCormack, Neil McCormack, Margaret Mealey, Damien Mollard, Julene Montgomery, Gabrielle Morgan, Adam Morrison, Monica Morrison, Val O'Brien, Patrick O'Dea, Jan O'Donoghue, Jimmy O'Keefe, Taavi Orupold, Emma Parer, Genevieve Parer, Jennifer Parer, Shelly Parer, Glenda Penna, Clive Punter, Dawn Punter, Sr Cyprian Thureson pbvm, Pauline Thureson, Thao Trinh, Sue Venderley, Paul Vickers, Rebecca Wallace, Nick Willemssen.

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

We pray for all who are suffering due to conflict, natural disaster and ill health.

May the recently deceased rest in peace: Ruth Jowett, Kevin Fitzgibbons, Beryl O'Connor

We pray for those whose anniversaries occur about this time: June Egert, Roy Howard, Wanda Warzywoda, Sr Sarah O'Leary olsh, Dot Barker, Marjorie Crist, Neal Kent, Bob Barns, Anna Pham, Anna Doan, Maria Man, Peter Falzon, Phyllis Waters, John Davis, Kevin McMonagle, Matthew Disiot, Joyce Gray, Maureen McLaughlin, Sr Louisa Fanton pbvm, Mary Hall, Gregory Kaihea, Bill Hammond, Dick Baxter

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WEEKDAY LITURGIES

Wednesday 9.00 am St Joseph's – Mass
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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)

LAST DAY OF EASTER TIME

SUN, 28 MAY PENTECOST SUNDAY - *Solemnity*
Vigil: Gen 11:1-9 or Ex 19: 3-8, 16-20 or Ezek 37:1-14 or Joel 3:1-5; Rom 8:22-27; Jn 7:37-39
Day: Acts 2:1-11; 1 Cor 12:3-7, 12-13; Jn 20:19-23

EIGHTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

MON, 29 MAY The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church - *Memorial*
Gen 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14; Jn 19:25-34
TUE, 30 MAY Sirach 35:1-12; Mk 10:28-31
WED, 31 MAY The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary - *Feast*
Zeph 3:14-18 or Rom 12:9-16; Lk 1:39-56
THU, 1 JUN St Justin, martyr - *Memorial*
Sirach 42:15-25; Mk 10:46-52
(Alt. 1 Cor 1:18-25; Mt 5:13-19)
FRI, 2 JUN Sts Marcellinus and Peter, martyrs
- *Optional Memorial*
Sirach 44:1, 9-13; Mk 11:11-26
SAT, 3 JUN St Charles Lwanga & companions, Ugandan martyrs
- *Memorial*
Sirach 51:12-20; Mk 11:27-33
(Alt. 2 Macc 7:1-2, 9-14; Mt 5:1-12)

NINTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

SUN, 4 JUN The Most Holy TRINITY - *Solemnity*
Ex 34:4-6, 8-9; 2 Cor 13:11-13; Jn 3:16-18

HYMNS AND RESPONSES FOR SUNDAY MASSES

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD (8.00 am MASS): "DISMISSAL FOR CHILDREN"

We send you now to hear God's word; God's message just for you.
Walk with Jesus by your side in ev'rything you do.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

"PSALM 104: LORD, SEND OUT YOUR SPIRIT"



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SEQUENCE OF PENTECOST: "COME, O HOLY SPIRIT" (Please remain seated for the singing of the Sequence)

1. Come, O Holy Spirit, come! And from your celestial home
Shed a ray of light divine! Come, O Holy Spirit, come!
Come, O Father of the poor! Come, O Source of all our store!
Come, within our bosoms shine! Come, O Holy Spirit, come!
2. You, of comforters the best; You, the soul's most welcome guest;
Sweet refreshment here below! Come, O Holy Spirit, come!
In our labour, rest most sweet; Grateful coolness in the heat;
Solace in the midst of woe. Come, O Holy Spirit, come!
3. O most blessed Light divine, May that Light within us shine,
And our inmost being fill! Come, O Holy Spirit, come!
In your absence, we have naught, Nothing good in deed or thought,
Nothing free from taint of ill. Come, O Holy Spirit, come!
4. Heal our wounds, our strength renew; On our dryness pour your dew;
Wash the stains of guilt away; Come, O Holy Spirit, come!
Bend the stubborn heart and will; Melt the frozen, warm the chill;
Guide the steps that go astray. Come, O Holy Spirit, come!
5. On the faithful who adore and confess you ever more,
In your sev'nfold gift descend; Come, O Holy Spirit, come!
Give them virtue's sure reward; Give them your salvation, Lord;
Give them joys that never end. Come, O Holy Spirit, come!

COMMUNION: "SPIRIT OF GOD" Saturday 5.30pm:

Refrain: Spirit of God: Come to me!
Spirit of God: Breathe in me!
Spirit of God: Live in me now!

SENDING FORTH: "SPIRIT ALIVE IN ME" Saturday 5.30pm:

When I am kind... the Spirit lives in me.
When I respect... the Spirit lives in me.
When I love... the Spirit lives in me. The Spirit alive in me.
When I am wise... the Spirit lives in me.
When I am brave... the Spirit lives in me.
When I am strong... the Spirit lives in me. The Spirit alive in me.
When I sing out... the Spirit lives in me.
When I rejoice... the Spirit lives in me.
When I am still... the Spirit lives in me. The Spirit alive in me.
When I stand up... the Spirit lives in me.
When I reach out... the Spirit lives in me.
When I forgive... the Spirit lives in me. The Spirit alive in me.
I am his hands ... the Spirit lives in me.
I am his voice ... the Spirit lives in me.
I am his heart ... the Spirit lives in me. The Spirit alive in me.
The Spirit alive in me. The Spirit alive in me.

SENDING FORTH: "SHINE, JESUS, SHINE"

1. Lord, the light of your love is shining,
in the midst of the darkness, shining;
Jesus, Light of the World, shine upon us,
set us free by the truth you now bring us.
Shine on me, shine on me.
- Refrain:* Shine, Jesus, shine, fill this land with the Father's glory;
blaze Spirit, blaze, set our hearts on fire.
Flow, river, flow, flood the nations with grace and mercy;
send forth your Word, Lord, and let there be light.
3. As we gaze on your kingly brightness
so our faces display your likeness,
ever changing from glory to glory,
mirrored here may our lives tell your story.
Shine on me, shine on me.

