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The Pastor's Pen....

The Prophet Jeremiah, because he obeyed God's call and spoke out God's words of truth, felt threatened by those opposed to him and was anxious about his safety. He turned to the Lord and laid out his fears and worries. God spoke to him words of calm and encouragement. Yes, God knew that many were against him, but since he had committed his cause to God he gained confidence that the malice of his opponents wouldn't prevail, rather that God and truth would win the day. Jeremiah did survive the collapse of Israel brought on by the Babylonian invasion in 586BC, whereas his enemies did not.

Last weekend Jesus called and commissioned twelve disciples to become his apostles, taking his spirit, mission and message to towns and places beyond the reach of just one person. This weekend Jesus instructs them further telling them not to be afraid of others for all that is hidden will one day be brought into the light and made clear. If they stay on the side of light and truth then their efforts will be justified.

Truth-telling is a big issue at the moment, as it has been for a few years now. We've seen 'revelations' of truth in religious institutions, in the courts and law enforcement, in community and social groups, the media, the military and again in our Parliaments. What was hidden has been uncovered, what was spoken in the dark and whispered has come to be heard in the daylight and shouted from the rooftops. Expect much more of this as time goes on. The truth will always come out.

If we do our best to stay near to God, speaking truthfully and living with integrity, then we rely on God and commit our cause to the Lord as Jeremiah did. Jesus assures us that God won't disown us and that God who knows us intimately and values us beyond measure will lovingly answer our calls for help and strength.

Our Parish Assembly 16th July 2023.

This will be our second assembly in what I hope you will make an annual event. It's like an annual general meeting, but it's much more than that for us. This is because we come together not just to hear reports and discuss the business of our Parish, but to prayerfully and discerningly listen to what God's Spirit is saying to us here in our place and given our resources, talents, fears and weaknesses.

We are being called to come together as disciples who keep on learning from Jesus Christ and as apostles of Jesus Christ, active in service and ministries both within our local Church and beyond it our in the world, but always as part of our local community of faith.

Yes, we will get a financial report. We will review actions from last year's assembly and look at what's been done and what's still to be done. We will review our Parish Mission Statement and accept it or modify it. We will hear a report from our two Parish Primary Schools. Then, using the seven priorities of Archbishop Mark Coleridge from the May Summit as a launching pad, we'll be invited to think and discuss what we in our community are able to do right now, in the medium term and then over longer term or with Archdiocesan help. Finally, we'll end with a shared lunch and celebration, this year of 100 years since the original Parish of Corinda was separated as it's own parish, covering the area from Richlands to Chelmer.

I'll have more to say about our Parish Assembly next weekend. Please keep praying our Parish Prayer (on the back page) and make being at our 16th July Assembly a priority for you, your family and fellow parishioners.

With my every best wish,

Fr. Mark Percival, MA, PP.

Peter's Pence Collection will be taken up this weekend 24th / 25th June: Each year we take up the Peter's Pence collection as a retiring collection at the Masses on the weekend near the Feast of Sts Peter and Paul. The Peter's Pence Collection is an annual collection of the Catholic Church around the world. The collection allows the Holy Father to respond to the most needy throughout the world, to offer timely, effective emergency assistance to our suffering brothers and sisters. "A small amount, if given with love, never ends, but becomes a source of life and happiness." Pope Francis



'On our Parish Journey Led by the Spirit'...

Getting ready to have our 'lamps ablaze'

Parish Assembly Sunday, 16 July 2023 ~ 11.00am to 1.30pm ~ St Joseph's Hall Corinda

Followed by a light celebratory lunch

Register by: Wednesday, 12 July 2023

Bookings: <https://www.trybooking.com/CJDWD>

Holy Spirit guiding our community of volunteers

Are you attending the Parish Assembly and would like to assist with hospitality, setup and logistics, or as a welcomer? There are many jobs to making our assembly come to life. Please email maryodea3@bigpond.com or mobile 0417 191 395 (*telephone after 7.00pm evenings*) if you can volunteer.



Celebrating Reconciliation Art Exhibition - June 27 - 30: St Vincent's Health Care Australia and Evangelisation Brisbane are partnering in the hosting of an Art Exhibition entitled "Nginda, Ngayi, Ngali - Celebrating Reconciliation Together" showcasing the works of two local indigenous artists. The event is free and, being hosted at the Francis Rush Centre beside the Cathedral, 9.00am - 5.00pm from June 27th-30th inclusive (in the school holidays).

Priestly Ordinations: The Feasts of St Peter and St Paul on Thursday 29 June will witness three young priests being ordained for the Archdiocese of Brisbane – Minje Kim, Gerard Lai and Isaac Falzon. This is a very special time for Minje, Gerard, Isaac, their families and the Church. The vocation journey to the Priesthood is not easy, and a road that is certainly less often travelled. Each of these young men have spent seven years on their formation journey; praying, reflecting, discerning and falling deeper in love with God and His call in their lives. Please join Minje, Gerard and Isaac at their Presbyteral Ordination on Thursday 29 June at 7pm at the Cathedral of St Stephen or tune in online at <https://bit.ly/3qEzli9>

Message from the Archbishop endorsing the Uluru Statement: Ahead of NAIDOC Week (July 2-9), Catholics celebrate Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Sunday next weekend, as we come together across Australia to acknowledge and celebrate the gifts of Australia's First Peoples in the Catholic Church. As we approach the Indigenous Voice to Parliament, it has never been more important for Catholics to come together and listen to Australia's First Peoples. Archbishop Mark has prepared a message in which he once again states his endorsement of the Uluru Statement from the Heart. The message is printed below:

Australia as a nation is at a delicate and important moment in our history as we move towards the referendum on "The Voice" and all that it entails.

The call for a 'Voice' goes back to at least 2017 and to a National Constitutional Convention which produced what we know as the 'Uluru Statement from the Heart', which speaks of three things – Voice, Truth Telling and Treaty; three elements that are intimately related.

The call for a 'Voice' in fact goes back much earlier, so there is quite some history to what we are going to do in this year as we come to the referendum.

I would urge all of you to read the 'Statement from the Heart'. Many people have read about it but not everyone has read the statement. It's not long; it's one page, and it's a powerful and in some ways quite beautiful statement. I would urge you all to read or to read again, and carefully, the statement, which is really our indigenous peoples offering a hand to the entire nation.

This isn't just about the 3% who identify as indigenous; it's about the 100% who identify as Australians. This is about the whole nation.

The statement has been endorsed by me personally and I renew that endorsement here. It has been endorsed also by the Catholic Bishops of Australia.

So with that endorsement, my prayer is that we can journey together in a respectful and peaceful spirit so that the whole nation can become stronger as a result of this process of reconciliation.

World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly on Sunday 23 July: It's a special day when the Church honours and recognises the important role that grandparents and elderly individuals play as they share the faith with their grandchildren and witness to Jesus through their lives. The Church observes the World Day each year on the fourth Sunday in July, close to the feast of Jesus' grandparents, Saints Joachim and Anne. To celebrate, the Archdiocese of Brisbane will be holding an event called **Grand Plans for Grandparents – celebrating World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly** on Saturday 22nd July from 9:15am to 11:15am with morning tea included, at the Hanly Room, Francis Rush Centre, 194 Charlotte St, Brisbane. Dress code: smart casual. RSVP: 17 July. Cost: \$15. *Free parking available via 194 Charlotte Street (underneath the Cathedral).* Stay on for Mass at Cathedral at 11:30am where you'll receive a special blessing, reaffirming the impact you have on your family's spiritual journey.

120 Years of Catholic Education in Toowong Parish: Sunday 30th July: Celebrations commence at 3.00pm with school choir and band performances and school tours. Mass will be celebrated at 5pm followed by a BBQ. RSVP to 3371 1094 or ptoowong@bne.catholic.net.au

We acknowledge the traditional custodians of these lands on which we gather, the Yuggera and Turrbal peoples, and pay our respects to their Elders past, present and emerging. We acknowledge the continued deep connection and relationship of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples to this country and commit ourselves to the ongoing journey of Reconciliation.

Parish Choir: thank you to the Parish Choir who lead our music ministry at the 5.30pm Mass this Saturday evening 24th June. If you wish to join the choir please speak to one of our members.

Peter's Pence Collection: will be taken as a retiring collection after all Masses this weekend 24th / 25th June.

God's blessings: to Max who will be baptised at Christ the King Church this weekend. We warmly welcome you into our Parish Family and the Family of God.

St Vincent de Paul Meeting: 8am Friday 30th June at the Parish Office. New members are always welcome.

Parish Liturgy Team Meeting: will be held at 10am on Saturday 1st July in the Parish Office.

Young Adult Listening Session: A parish gathering to listen to the thoughts, needs and concerns of the young adults within our community: those single, married, divorced, or widowed; with or without children. Sunday July 2, 2023 from 2pm to 4pm in St Joseph's Meeting Room (beside the parish carpark) at the Parish Office, 18 Clewley St, Corinda. Any questions text or phone Julie on 0409 274 547.

Sausage Sizzle: after the Sunday night 6pm Mass on 2nd July. All welcome to stay for some hospitality after Mass.

Parish Pastoral Council: will meet at 7pm on Thursday 6th July Parish Office.

Friday night Youth Group for high school students and young adults: will take a break for the school holidays and resume at 6.30pm on Friday 14th July at St Joseph's Meeting Room (beside the parish carpark) at Corinda.

Children's Liturgy: is on a holiday break. The next Children's Liturgy of the Word will be held at 8.00am on Sunday 16th July at St Joseph's Church, alternating weekly between the 8am Mass and 9.30am Mass across the two churches. All primary school aged children, and all children enrolled in the Sacramental Program are always welcome to attend.

**Parish Assembly: Sunday 16 July 2023 ~ 11.00am ~ St Joseph's Hall, Corinda.
Followed by a light lunch to celebrate the
Centenary of the founding of the original Parish of St Joseph Corinda in 1923.**

**St Joseph's School Fete ~ 9am to 3pm Sunday 30th July
Cakes, jams, pickles, plants, trash-n-treasure, craft, books, clothes, food, rides and more.
Come and join in the fun.**

Thank you: to all those who have contributed to the St Vincent de Paul Winter Appeal. The conference prays for our donors at every meeting. Your generosity will enable us to continue providing assistance to people in our area who are struggling with cost of living pressures. It is never too late to make a donation, which you can do by transferring funds online to our bank account: **BSB: 064786 Account Number: 100026057 Account name: SVDP Christ the King-St Joseph's Corinda Graceville Conference**, or by placing your donation in an envelope clearly marked SVDP and place it into the collection basket at Mass or drop it in to the Parish Office.

Tap & Pay Terminals: have been installed at the entrances of the churches. In these post Covid times we are aware that many people no longer carry cash, and our cash collections at Mass have been impacted by this over the past three years. Like all households and businesses, things do not get cheaper and the bills keep arriving. The generosity of our parishioners to keep our parish financial, maintained and pastoral has been extraordinary. We thank each and everyone of you for your support and generosity. So many support the parish through the planned giving envelopes, and regular direct debit / credit card payments, but for those who are not comfortable carrying cash, or who are unable to commit to a regular direct debit, the Tap & Pay terminals are an easy way to support your parish. With out the support of our wonderful parish community we could not exist. Thank you to everyone for every way you support your parish community.

We pray for the good health, strength and healing of: Ron Atkins, Margaret Bailey, Jack Cain, Barbara Carmody, Alan Carr, Bridie Carr, Beryl Clark, June Denham, Maureen Doherty, Margaret Fernandez, Erica Finnimore, Nash Giles, Laurie Gillespie, 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, Damien Mollard, Julene Montgomery, Gabrielle Morgan, Adam Morrison, Monica Morrison, Val O'Brien, Patrick O'Dea, Jan O'Donoghue, Jimmy O'Keefe, Rita 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 Willemsen.

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: Maureen Gleeson, Margaret Mealey, Malia Selui, Michael Jones

We pray for those whose anniversaries occur about this time: Phil Grehan, Eileen Rosenthal, Ted Cassin, Martha Walker, Heather Hockings, Marjorie Cartwright, Bill Readon, Freda Mahon, Joyce Cheyne, Br William Spillane, Tom Power, John Nolan, Edith Conway, Ellen O'Dea, Clare Bell, Bill Everist, Mel Peterson, Dominic, David Walker, Ken Orr, Bill Hilton



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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)

TWELTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

SUN, 25 JUN 12th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME
Jer 20:10-13; Rom 5:12-15; Mt 10:26-33
MON, 26 JUN Gen 12:1-9; Mt 7:1-5
TUE, 27 JUN St Cyril of Alexandria, bishop, doctor of the church
- *Optional Memorial*
Gen 13:2, 5-18; Mt 7:6, 12-14
WED, 28 JUN St Irenaeus, bishop, martyr - *Memorial*
Gen 15:1-12, 17-18; Mt 7:15-20
(Alt. 2 Tim 2:22-26; Jn 17:20-26)
THU, 29 JUN Sts PETER and PAUL, apostles - *Solemnity*
Vigil: Acts 3:1-10; Gal 1:11-20; Jn 21:15-19
Day: Acts 12:1-11; 2 Tim 4:6-8, 17-18; Mt 16:13-19
FRI, 30 JUN First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church
- *Optional Memorial*
Gen 17:1, 9-10, 15-22; Mt 8:1-4
SAT, 1 JUL Gen 18:1-15; Mt 8:5-17

THIRTEENTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

SUN, 2 JUL 13th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME
2 Kg 4:8-11, 14-16; Rom 6:3-4, 8-11;
Mt 10:37-42

HYMNS AND RESPONSES FOR SUNDAY MASSES

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

"PSALM 69: LORD, IN YOUR GREAT LOVE"



SENDING FORTH: "STRONG AND CONSTANT"

1. I will be your God who walks with you!
You will be always within my hand!
Take your heart and give it all to me!
Strong and constant is my love!
Strong and constant is my love!
2. Should you wander far away from me,
I will search for you in every land!
Should you call, then you will truly know:
Strong and constant is my love!
Strong and constant is my love!
3. When you know sorrow within your life,
I will come! I will embrace your heart!
Through your pain you will discover me!
Strong and constant is my love!
Strong and constant is my love!

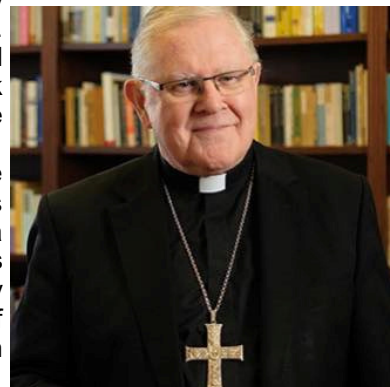
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Archbishop Mark has a message for you: This week I've celebrated my 21st anniversary as a bishop. I've said to well-wishers that I just wish I knew 21 years ago what I know now. Before he's made a bishop a man may think he knows all there is to know about episcopal life and ministry. But it's only once you're a bishop that you really learn the ropes. I look back now on my early years as a bishop and cringe at some of the things I said and did. But I like to think I've learnt from my mistakes and am wiser all these years later. Through the 21 years the episcopate itself has changed – in part because of the sex abuse crisis and the journey of the Royal Commission that it brought. But also because of what Pope Francis has brought to the Church, especially in the area of synodality. The Plenary Council in Australia has been a great part of my journey. So too the synods in Rome, past and to come. This has all meant a re-situating of the bishop's ministry, not in a way that undermines it but in a way that shows it for what it is meant to be. The bishop doesn't journey alone but at the heart of the People of God, listening to them as they listen to him, learning from them as they learn from him. On that score, even after 21 years, I still feel a beginner...



PRAYER of the PEOPLE of CORINDA GRACEVILLE CATHOLIC PARISH

**Good Shepherd, be with us as we make our way in these days by faith.
Guide and shape us so that our minds and hearts resemble yours,
so that you come to reign as the Lord and King of our lives.**

Help us to hear and welcome the Good News of your loving kindness and mercy, renewing us in the grace of Christ.

Fill us with the Holy Spirit so that we can joyfully live and share your light.

Protect us, forgive us and like St. Joseph help us to discern and do the will of our Loving God and Father. Amen.

Mary, Mother of Our Lord and of the Church. Pray for us.

St. Joseph, husband, father and worker. Pray for us.

St. Mary of the Cross, MacKillop, woman of courage and hope. Pray for us.