



The Catholic Parish
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29th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

21st / 22nd OCTOBER 2023

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The Pastor's Pen....

The Gospel story is about a sly trick set to trap Jesus; Do we pay taxes to Caesar or not? The reflection that follows shows how this trap was set and how Jesus didn't fall for it. Moreover, faced with the two parties/groups out to get him, the Pharisees and the Herodians, Jesus goes on to point out to both of them and to us, his followers, that money and wealth is meant to be at our service and that of the community.

Jesus says that what overrides this and should be of deeper concern to us is that we give to God what belongs to God. Sometimes this will be gifts from our wealth and material possessions, gifts of our time and talents, and ultimately the gift of ourselves and our allegiance to God through our faith in Jesus, his Good News and way of living in love and service to all, especially those in need.

Each and every one of us has to work out how we can make these essential gifts to God, serving within both the Church community and out in the big, wide world. This weekend's Annual Catholic Mission Appeal effectively draws our attention precisely to this question; How can I use my gifts to serve my sisters and brothers and those who go far from our shores to minister to them? Please be generous.

Now, to the promised reflection on the Gospel text.

In today's Gospel Jesus and the religious leaders in Jerusalem continue their tense exchange of questions and challenges. At this point the disciples of the Pharisees, together with the Herodians, try to entrap Jesus by their question about the payment of taxes.

Matthew sets up an unusual partnership between the Pharisees and the Herodians. The Herodians were supporters of Herod Antipas, a Jewish political leader who collaborated with the Romans. Such collaboration would have required a compromised observance of the Mosaic Law. The Pharisees, on the other hand, taught scrupulous observance of the Mosaic Law and opposed Roman occupation. Herodians favoured the payment of taxes; the Pharisees opposed it. The Herodians and the Pharisees approach Jesus, asking that he take sides in their dispute. If Jesus answers with the Pharisees, he shows himself to be an enemy of Rome. If he answers with the Herodians, he offends popular Jewish religious sensibilities.

Jesus' response to this attempt to trap him exposes the guile of his questioners. From his first words to them, Jesus shows that he is very much aware of what they are trying to do. He asks to see a Roman coin, which is readily provided to him. It may have come from the hand of a Herodian, but the Pharisees show themselves to be quite willing to accept this compromise. Jesus has already exposed the Pharisees as hypocrites.

Jesus takes his response one step further. He asks that his questioners examine the coin. Agreeing that it is Caesar's image on the coin, Jesus tells them that it must belong to Caesar. Avoiding the question of lawfulness altogether, Jesus answers their question with simple logic. Then, going further still, Jesus tells them that their obligation is to pay to God that which belongs to God.

Jesus' response to the Herodians and Pharisees suggests the ethic that Christians ought to adopt. It reminds us of the importance of keeping things in their proper perspective. Do we attach ourselves to worldly things at the expense of the love and honour that we owe to God?

Fr. Mark Percival, MA, PP.

Children's Fun Day

Sunday 29th October - from 9am to 12 midday

In the undercover area and lawns at St Joseph's Church!



All children are invited to a special celebration at St Joseph's Church commencing immediately after the 8am Mass on Sunday 29th October. There will be plenty of time to attend if you are coming after the 9.30am Mass too. There will be loads of fun activities for the children - games, colouring, music, food and much more.

This celebration will be for all children up to 12 years of age. Parents must attend if your child is under 5 years of age, but all parents are welcome to stay even if your child is older. Contact Malia at the Parish Office for more info.

Rosary Bead Making Workshop

6.30pm Thursday 26th October, Parish Centre, 19 Randolph St Graceville

A special activity in the month of the Rosary for children to make their very own set of Rosary beads. These rosary beads will be unique and individual to each child as they will be able to choose from a range of bright and colourful beads. We will explain the meaning of the Rosary and teach the children to make their own Rosary beads. Costs for materials and participation \$10 per child / Free for children enrolled in the Sacramental Program. Expressions of interest must be sent to Melissa at sc.corindagraceville@bne.catholic.net.au



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This week Catholic Mission will offer the opportunity to be part of a life-changing program which aims to address gaps in medical care, and provide families with essential health care and knowledge, equipping them with the confidence to act and autonomy over their health and well-being.

The Maria Auxiliadora Clinic is a vital project for the Salesian Sisters and the Church in Venilale. Since its establishment, the clinic has provided life-saving treatment for families in need, like Petrolina's, whose daughter Vitoria was found to have tuberculosis. But, with an increase in the demand for treatment, the Sisters resources can only carry them so far.

Please give generously today to help continue this life-giving program by using the appeal envelope, going online at catholicmission.org.au/timor, or scanning the QR code. Your gift will also help many other similar Church-run mission programs around the world.

The COMMEMORATION of ALL the FAITHFUL DEPARTED

All Souls Mass will be celebrated at St Joseph's Church, 7.00pm on Thursday 2nd November
(please note there will be NO morning Mass on that day)

A Scroll of Life with the names of those members of our parish community who have died in the last 12 months and the reading of those names will be part of our All Souls Parish Memorial Mass.

Photographs. You are invited to bring photographs of your deceased loved ones to the All Souls Parish Memorial Mass and place them on the table near the Baptismal font before Mass.



The Book of Life will be available in both churches throughout the month of November. Please write the names of your deceased loved ones into the Book of Life and all will be remembered and prayed for throughout November.

Envelopes for Mass Offerings can be collected from the entrances of the churches. You may place the names of your deceased loved ones on the back of the envelope (or on a list inside) along with your offering. Father Mark will record these names for the offering of Masses. This envelope is to be placed in the normal collection basket at Mass, or given directly to Father or handed into the Parish Office. Once the names on the envelopes have been recorded they will all be placed before the Altar at our churches throughout November.

Rosary: October is the month in which the Catholic Church particularly remembers the prayer of the rosary. As we have refreshed our understanding of the various mysteries over the month, the **Luminous Mysteries, or the Mysteries of Light** are highlighted this week. These were promulgated by Saint John Paul II in October 2002. These mysteries ponder the life and ministry of Jesus. They are well grounded in the Gospel story, and focus on the public ministry of Jesus. These mysteries have been designated to be prayed on Thursday. They complete the Gospel story of the birth, life, passion and resurrection of Jesus:

The Mysteries of Light: Thursdays: Pope John Paul II added **The Mysteries of Light**, also known as the **Luminous Mysteries**, in 2002:

- The Baptism in the River Jordan - The voice of the Father declares Jesus the beloved Son (Matthew 3:13-16);
- The Wedding Feast at Cana - Christ changes water into wine, his first public miracle (John 2:1-11);
- The Proclamation of the Kingdom of God - Jesus calls to conversion and forgives the sins of all who draw near to him (Mark 1:14-15);
- The Transfiguration - The glory of the Godhead shines forth from the face of Christ (Matthew 17:1-8);
- The Institution of the Holy Eucharist - Jesus at the Last Supper with his apostles establishes the sacramental foundation of the Eucharist (Matthew 26).



We, the community of Corinda Graceville Catholic Parish, acknowledge the traditional custodians of the lands on which our parish stands, the Yuggera and Turrbal peoples, and pay our respects to Elders past, present and emerging.

The Catholic Mission Appeal: will be conducted at all Masses this weekend 21st / 22nd October. Catholic Mission is thankful for our partnership to hold the Mission Appeal and support the Salesian Sisters and the Church in Venilale, Timor Leste to maintain and stock the clinic for the community who are having tuberculosis, malnutrition and maternal mortality conditions. Thank you to the Student Mission Ambassadors from St Joseph's School Corinda, Larissa and Leah, who will speak at the Saturday evening Mass and to Jack and Caitlin who will speak on the appeal at the three Sunday Masses.

Thank you: to Father Stephen Byrnes who has led the celebration of our Sunday morning Masses over the past three weekends. We are most grateful for your presence with us Father Stephen.

School Sponsored Mass: Welcome to the students, families and staff of St Joseph's School who help us celebrate and who are serving in the ministries of the Mass at the 5.30pm on Saturday evening.

Children's Liturgy: today Sunday 22nd October at the 8.00am Mass at St Joseph's Church, then next weekend on Sunday 29th October at the 9.30am Mass at Christ the King Church, alternating weekly between the two churches. All primary school aged children, and all children enrolled in the Sacramental Program are welcome.

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

Parish Choir: will rehearse next Thursday 26th October at 7pm at St Joseph's Church. The choir will be singing at the 5.30pm Saturday evening Mass next weekend on 28th October.

Rosary Bead Making Workshop: a special activity in the month of the Rosary for children to make their very own set of Rosary beads. Held at 6.30pm on Thursday 26th October at the Parish Centre, 19 Randolph St, Graceville we will explain the meaning of the Rosary and teach the children to make their own Rosary beads. See full details on page 2. Expressions of interest / RSVP must be sent to Melissa via email to sc.corindagraceville@bne.catholic.net.au

Youth Group: for year six to year twelve students will gather from 6.30pm to 8.30pm Friday 27th October (including a light dinner) at St Joseph's Hall Corinda. All young people are most welcome to attend. Youth Group is held every Friday evening of the school term. Contact Claire on 0490 202 194.

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All Saints Day Mass: will be celebrated on **Wednesday 1st November at 9am at St Joseph's Church Corinda.**

All Souls Memorial Mass: will be celebrated at **7pm at St Joseph's Church Corinda on Thursday 2nd November.** At this Mass we pray for all of our faithful departed, and we will remember our own parishioners who have passed away in the last twelve months. Please note that the 9.00am Mass will NOT be celebrated on this day.

St Vincent de Paul Meeting: The next meeting will be at 8.30am on Friday 3rd November at the Parish Office.

Liturgy Team Meeting: will be held at 10am on Saturday 4th November at the Parish Office

Parish Calendar 2024: All Parish groups are invited to submit meeting / event / activity dates for the 2024 Parish Calendar to Michael at the parish office as soon as possible.

LITURGICAL CALENDAR

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

TWENTY-NINTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

SUN, 22 OCT	29th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME Is 45:1, 4-6; 1 Thess 1:1-5; Mt 22:15-21
MON, 23 OCT	St John of Capistrano, priest, patron saint of judges - <i>Optional Memorial</i> Rom 4:20-25; Lk 12:13-21
TUE, 24 OCT	St Anthony of Claret, bishop - <i>Optional Memorial</i> Rom 5:12, 15, 17-21; Lk 12:35-38
WED, 25 OCT	Rom 6:12-18; Lk 12:39-48
THU, 26 OCT	Rom 6:19-23; Lk 12:49-53
FRI, 27 OCT	Rom 7:18-25; Lk 12:54-59
SAT, 28 OCT	Sts Simon and Jude, apostles - Feast Eph 2:19-22; Lk 6:12-19

THIRTIETH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

SUN, 29 OCT	30th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME Ex 22:20-26; 1 Thess 1:5-10; Mt 22:34-40
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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: Cecilia Blanco, Ariete Pereira, Chris Burton

We pray for those whose anniversaries occur about this time: Mark Lynch, Ian Hockings, Margaret McCarthy, David Potts, Grace Fanton, Estelle Bohan, Terry O'Donohoe, Margaret Mitchell, Karen Carrigan, Alex Everson, Mary Orr, Rita Robar, Carmel Radford, David England, Cedric Holland, Des Connole, Rudolf Giebels, Aileen Mimis, Aileen Brereton, Keith Cross, Marie Murphy



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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

Reflection Morning: last Saturday morning seventy parishioners gathered in St Joseph's Church to attend the "spirituality morning" entitled, "In God we live and move and have our being!" which was facilitated by Sr Gerardine Doherty Osh. This special time of reflection and stillness in our busy lives was an opportunity to be near God, and each other, and to learn how to always make moments for God in the hustle and bustle of daily life. We thank Sr Gerardine for her generous sharing with our parish community.



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'ry-thing you do.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

"PSALM 96: GIVE THE LORD GLORY AND HONOUR"



PREPARATION OF THE GIFTS (Saturday 5.30pm Mass) "I FOUND THE TREASURE"

1. Lord, to whom can I go? You alone speak the words of life.
You alone on the earth or in heaven above
Are my Saviour and my Lord.

Refrain: I found the treasure in a field,
That neither time nor death can steal.
I will sell what I have, give all that I am,
To hold this treasure as my own.



2. Jesus, Lord of my life, I can ask for nothing more
Than to see and believe that my life lies in You,
In the kingdom of my Lord.

GATHERING HYMN for Saturday 5.30pm Mass and SENDING FORTH HYMN for all other Masses: "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.

2. Lord, I come to your awesome presence,
from the shadows into your radiance;
by the blood I may enter your brightness,
search me, try me, consume all my darkness.
Shine on me, shine on me.



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.

HYMN AFTER COMMUNION (Saturday 5.30pm Mass) "HEARTS ON FIRE"

1. We come from Ancient Dreamtime, from the bush or by the sea,
We come from a thousand city streets.
We are the rich & lowly, we are the poor and strong
We come to share this moment, gathering here, singing one song.

Refrain: With our hearts on fire with the love of Jesus,
Hearts on fire, let's spread the Word.
Hearts on fire, feel the Spirit blazing.
Hearts on fire, Called to live the Good News in this land,
Setting hearts on fire, with our hearts on fire,
Setting hearts on fire.

2. We long to live in freedom, we yearn for unity.
We dream of justice, joy and peace.
Spirit, fill us with your power. Jesus, help us live your call.
O Creator, give us wisdom, so we will be Good News for all.
3. We are the voice of Jesus, we are his heart & hands,
We are his body in our land.
Stand up, live the story, to all the world proclaim,
Go out to all creation, lighting the fire, fanning the flames.

HYMN AFTER COMMUNION (Saturday 5.30pm Mass) "IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF JESUS"

Refrain: In the footsteps of Jesus we follow on your way
As we walk on your path of love and hope and faith
We journey together each day as we grow
In the love of our God, wherever we go

1. God sent us Jesus, to show us the way
To follow in his love as we grow each day
To walk in the light, to walk in the truth
In all we say and all we do
2. God gave us Mary, as mother for all
She gave her life to follow God's call
Walk in God's love, walk in God's peace
Walk with our God humbly
3. Here in this great land, another heard the call
To reach out to others, to teach the poor
Reach out in love, reach out in deed
To answer a call from those in need
4. Here in our own hearts we hear the call too
The call of Jesus for me and for you
One in our God, one in God's call
A family of love, with love for all

