





### Third Sunday of Easter

First Reading: Acts 2:14, 22-33 Second Reading: 1 Pet 1:17-21

Gospel: Lk 24:13-35

#### Responsorial Psalm

The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.

#### Fourth Sunday of Easter

First Reading: Acts 2:14, 36-41 Second Reading: 1 Pet 2:20-25

Gospel: Jn 10:1-10

#### **Gospel Acclamation**

Alleluia, alleluia!

I am the good shepherd, says the Lord;

I know my sheep, and mine know me. Alleluia!

#### **MASS TIMES**

#### St Benedict's Church

81 Mowbray Tce, East Brisbane

Saturday: 6:00 pm Vigil Mass

Reconciliation: By appointment

Wednesday: 9.00 Mass Changes will be in newsletter

#### St Joseph's Church

26-36 Leopard St (Anglesey St), Kangaroo Point

Sunday: 9:00am Mass

SVdP Helpline - 07 30101096

Furniture Helpline 1300 551 894

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We pray for our fellow parishioners and friends who are ill, especially Mary Miller, John McIntosh, **Annette Mahoney, Michael** Mulligan, Jim Stanton, and Pauline Burnett.

We pray for our recently departed, may they rest in peace.

For those whose anniversaries are at this time. we remember them.

Local Safeguarding Rep (LSR) Mrs Catherine Goldsworthy goldsworthyc@bne.catholic.net.au Dear friends.

Last week we began a seven-week series of homilies that engage with Archbishop Mark's apostolic priorities for the Archdiocese. Today we move to the second priority, "reshaping parish communities.

Archbishop Mark writes:

"Our current structures are based upon the facts of an earlier time and our current mode of provision is unsustainable. In the cities at least we have too many parishes and too many churches. Urban parishes were established on the assumption that people had to be able to walk to church and at a time when the numbers attending Mass were much larger. Many of our parishes are pressed financially and cannot provide the range of services which a missionary Church requires. Therefore, we need – sensibly and over time to move towards larger configurations of a community of communities where the concentration of personnel and the sharing of resources would allow a greater range of services for the sake of the Gospel."

Luke's account of the disciples on the road to Emmaus can help us understand how God might speak to us in ways we did not anticipate. Jesus can be walking with us and speaking to us and yet we fail to recognise him because he has not come in the way we expected. How is Jesus speaking to us today? The encounter with Jesus on the road to Emmaus enabled a paradigm shift for how the disciples understood the scriptures. When they reflected on their experience with Jesus on the Emmaus Road, they said to each other, "Were not our hearts burning within us while he was talking to us on the road, while he was opening the scriptures to us?" Today as we move into the Liturgy of the Eucharist,

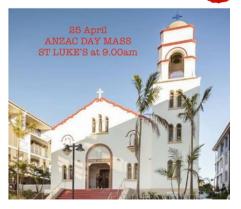
let us ask Jesus to help us recognise his presence with us, enable us to imagine a reshaping of parish communities enhances their reflection of the risen Christ. and let us ask Jesus to make our hearts burn within us



ANZAC DAY MASS - will be celebrated at St Luke's Church, 47 Taylor St, Woolloongabba at 9.00am on Tuesday morning, and at the Cathedral of St Stephen at 8.00am, followed by refreshments in the Hanly Room. All are welcome to attend.







Kangaroo Point East Brisbane Parish

Parish Priest: Bishop Ken Howell

Fr Stephen Camiolo

Parish Administration: Mrs Catherine Goldsworthy

Sacristan: Mrs Patricia Pryor

Parish Office Hours: Wed 8.30am - 4.30pm

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#### St Joseph's Catholic Primary School

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Principal: Mrs Nicole Cole; Acting APRE: Mrs Bianca Murphy School Secretaries: Ms Marina Barrett & Mrs Nicole Andrew

W: www.stjosephskpt.qld.edu.au

ALL KIDS HAVE THE RIGHT TO FEEL SAFE AND BE SAFE AT THIS CHURCH. STOPline 1300304550

#### St Benedict's (Sat 6.00pm) 29 April

#### Commentator Readers

C Erbetto

L Shetty, C Parkes

#### Planned Giving D/D \$315.00 Loose/Envelopes \$593.85

St Joseph's (Sun 9.00am) 30 April

Readers

Opener

Counters

C Goldsworthy, I Chaves

R Donovan, Lauren M

**Piety Stall** 

Phyllis, Rose

#### **FEAST DAYS OF THE WEEK**

Mon - St Fidelis of Sigmaringen Tue - ANZAC DAY Wed - St Mark, the Evangelist Thu - St Louis Grignion de Montfort Fri - St Peter Chanel Sat - St Catherine of Siena

#### Visit our parish WEBSITE at

http://catholicparishebkpt.org.au Visit the website and subscribe to the weekly newsletter.

#### **BAPTISMS**

Baptisms are held in the parish on the 2nd and 4th Sunday of each month, or other times by arrangement.

Preparation is held on the 2nd Saturday of the month at St Lukes Buranda at 10.30am.

#### THE CATHOLIC LEADER LATEST ONLINE HEADLINES

A full liturgical life is grounded in the mystery of God's love, visiting theologian says.

Fr El Louie opens up about his first year as a priest.

Australian Catholics increasingly female, older and born overseas, report finds.

Ukrainian mum-of-two displaced by war chases her dream to study humanities in Brisbane.

#### **LUCKY NUMBERS**

#### \$2.00 could win you \$25

Support your parish and buy your lucky number from the piety stall. Drawn weekly.

Winner - K Wessel #18

#### PLANNED GIVING BY DIRECT DEPOSIT

BSB: 064 786; A/c No: 100023838; A/c Name: Kangaroo Point East Brisbane Parish; Reference: PG/Surname Thank you

#### WELCOME TO NEW PARISHIONERS! LET US KNOW YOU'RE HERE.

Please let the piety stall volunteer know that you're new to the parish.

Census forms are available at each church or we can email one to you.

# MASS THIS WEEK ST BENEDICT'S

Wednesday 26th April at 9.00am

CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSON From Archbishop Mark Coleridge - I write to invite you to join in the Corpus Christi procession which makes a return this year after the disruptions of COVID. The celebration will take place in the Cathedral on Sunday 11 June commencing at 2pm. The procession with the Blessed Sacrament will go from the Cathedral, through the city streets, then conclude with Benediction upon returning to Cathedral. visit the Please corpuschristibrisbane.com information.

Our parish will have a Petition Book available at the piety stall over the coming weeks, which can be used for recording prayer intentions from parishioners. During the celebration, the book will be brought forward to the feet of our Lord.



ENGAGED ENCOUNTER Catholic Engaged Encounter (CEE) is a marriage preparation weekend that facilitates hones and constructive dialogue for engaged couples. For Additional information contact 0481 307 821 or visit engagedencounter.org.au. See flyer in the church.

#### SAFEGUARDING TRAINING VOLUNTEERS

Volunteers can access the training modules via the Safeguarding Training webpage at https:// brisbanecatholic.org.au/safeguarding/ safeguarding-training/

## STOPline - Safeguarding Children & **Vulnerable Adults**

STOPline is an external service provided for the Archdiocese to receive confidential disclosures.

Disclosures can be made anonymously. P: 1300 304 550 E:AOB@stopline.com.au

Safeguarding Essentials (Level 1): https:// www.youtube.com/watch?v=gOHA 4Ls2jw Safeguarding Training (Level 2): https:// www.youtube.com/watch?v=8AASkl-Sr1A After viewing the training module, volunteers are to complete the 'Safeguarding Training -Confirmation of Completion Form' and return it to the parish office for verification and registering with the People & Culture (HR) office. There are completion forms available at the church if you are unable to download and print one.

parishioners within Brisbane East Deanery... PERPETUAL ADORATION at St James Parish Coorparoo: (Tuesdays 8.30am till Wednesday 8am). If you would like to take part. please contact brisbane.adoration@gmail.com

Stella Maris is a worldwide Catholic ministry to the seafaring community, supported by Centacare in Brisbane. With borders reopening after Covid 19 restrictions there is a growing need to build a team of volunteers to assist with transporting seafarers from ship to shore at the Port of Brisbane and Northside berths. All you need is a C class drivers' licence to drive the Stella Maris vehicle, a welcoming heart and a few hours spare on one or two days a week. Volunteering in the Archdiocese requires a Blue Card and Criminal History Check and meeting safeguarding requirements. For more information, please contact Judy Norris 3324 3193.

#### **SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM FOR 2023 IMPORTANT DATES**

First Holy Communion will be on Sunday 11 June and offered at both the Cathedral and St Joseph's Kangaroo Point. Parent/caregiver/child Preparation sessions are on Sunday 7 May at 2pm and Sunday 4 June at 2pm, both in the Francis Rush Centre next to the Cathedral.

Confirmation will be on Wednesday 11 October at 6pm.

Parent/caregiver/child Preparation sessions are on Sunday 10 Sept at 2pm and Sunday 8 October at 2pm, both in the Francis Rush Centre (including rehearsal).

Blessings for the week ahead.