



KANGAROO POINT EAST BRISBANE CATHOLIC PARISH



Fifth Sunday of Easter

First Reading: Acts 6:1-7
Second Reading: 1 Pet 2:4-9
Gospel: Jn 14:1-12

Responsorial Psalm

Lord, let your mercy be on us, as we place our trust in you.

Sixth Sunday of Easter

First Reading: Is 58:7-10
Second Reading: 1 Cor 2:1-5
Gospel: Mt 5:13-16

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia! I am the way, the truth, and the life, says the Lord; no one comes to the Father, except through 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

We pray for our fellow parishioners and friends who are ill, especially

**Mary Miller, John McIntosh,
Annette Mahoney, Michael Mulligan, & 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
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Dear friends,

Have you ever had an experience where you have been ignored or neglected? Have you ever felt invisible as you struggled with something, obviously needing help, and those nearby simply stood by and watched without coming to help. Sadly, these situations are becoming all the more common as the cultural reflex leans toward taking videos of someone in crisis, rather than actually getting involved and helping! It is the widows in today's first reading that are having this kind of experience, and it's the Greeks that bring it to the attention of the community so that the Apostles respond. In recent decades, there have been vulnerable people in our communities who were not only neglected but were abused. This horror was brought into the light by the Government's Royal Commission into Institutional Responses to Child Sexual Abuse. It is this great tragedy that is recognised in Archbishop Mark's next Apostolic Priority:

Responding to abuse, and the abused.

Archbishop Mark writes:

In responding to abuse and the abused, we need to move beyond considerations of law and finance... Of course, we need to attend to legal and financial matters, but the paramount concern needs to be the good of those abused. Not all victims and survivors look to the Church for spiritual and pastoral accompaniment and care, but some do and others may in time, if ever trust can be established. We can learn from experience elsewhere in seeking to respond more effectively to abuse and the abused. Unless we do, this will remain a gaping wound – certainly for victims and survivors but for the whole Church as well – which makes it hard for us to move in the future.

We ask our Lord to bring healing to the wounds of survivors, and to help us as Catholics in Australia to do whatever we can to welcome, support and care for victims.

PARISH SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM FOR 2023

First Holy Communion will be offered over masses at both St Benedict's and St Joseph's on the weekend of **10-11 June**.

Parent/caregiver/child Preparation sessions are on **this Sunday 7 May** at 2pm in the Francis Rush Centre next to the Cathedral and Sunday 4 June at 2pm, in St Joseph's Church, Kangaroo Point. The Cathedral carpark will be open.

Confirmation will be on Wednesday 11 October at 6pm in St Joseph's Church.

Parent/caregiver/child Preparation sessions are on Sunday 10 Sept at 2pm and Sunday 8 October at 2pm, (including rehearsal).

MOTHER'S DAY MORNING TEA

Please join us following mass at St Joseph's on Sunday 14th May, for morning tea to celebrate all Mother's and Mother figures everywhere.

We look forward to seeing you.

Kangaroo Point East Brisbane Parish

Parish Priest: Bishop Ken Howell
Fr Stephen Camiolo
Parish Administration: Mrs Catherine Goldsworthy
Sacristan: Mrs Patricia Pryor
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81 Mowbray Terrace, East Brisbane
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St Joseph's Catholic Primary School

26-36 Leopard St, Kangaroo Point QLD 4168
P: 07 3391 5397 | **F:** (07) 3391 5186
E: pkangaroot@bne.catholic.edu.au
Principal: Mrs Nicole Cole;
School Secretaries: Ms Marina Barrett & Mrs Sabrina Hawe **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) 13 May	
Commentator	Readers
C Parkes	B Navratil, P Tiernan

Planned Giving
D/D \$1040.00
Loose/Envelopes
\$860.00

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@stoline.com.au

St Joseph's (Sun 9.00am) 14 May			
Readers	Opener	Piety Stall	Counters
J Wessel, K Biggs	K Wessel, S O'Connell	G Stein, parish staff	

FEAST DAYS OF THE WEEK

Wed - St John de Avila
Fri - Sts Nereus & Archilleus, St Pancras

Visit our parish **WEBSITE** at <http://catholicparishbkpt.org.au>
Visit the website and subscribe to the weekly newsletter.

BAPTISMS

Baptisms are generally held in the parish on the 2nd & 4th Sunday following the 9.00am mass.

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

THE CATHOLIC LEADER LATEST ONLINE HEADLINES

Timor-Leste comes of age, but so much remains to be done.

True faith is open to others, pope repeatedly says in Hungary.

Today's young people yearn for the structure and truth of the Catholic Church.

Pope's visit to Hungary tells us 'Christ is our future', Cardinal says.

LUCKY NUMBERS

\$2.00 could win you \$25
Support your parish and buy your lucky number from the piety stall. Drawn weekly.

Winner - T Navratil #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.

SCAN THIS QR CODE DIRECT TO THE WEBSITE.

HAVE A GREAT WEEK!

MASSES THIS WEEK AT ST BENEDICT'S

Wednesday - 10th May at 9.00am

Lamps Ablaze: Apostolic Priorities for the Archdiocese of Brisbane

Priority Four: Responding to Abuse and the Abused

"In responding to abuse and the abused, we need to move beyond considerations of law and finance... Of course we need to attend to legal and financial matters, but the paramount concern needs to be the good of those abused. Not all victims and survivors look to the Church for spiritual and pastoral accompaniment and care, but some do and others may in time, if ever trust can be established. We can learn from experience elsewhere in seeking to respond more effectively to abuse and the abused. Unless we do, this will remain a gaping wound - certainly for victims and survivors but for the whole Church as well - which makes it hard for us to move in the future."

WITH LAMPS ABLAZE

Download the whole document at tinyurl.com/lampsablaze

NEW PARISH SCRIPTURE GROUP
Following the success of the parish Lenten group, we have decided to meet on the 4th Wednesday of every month, commencing on the 24th May at 7pm in St Benedict's. We will look at the scripture for the following Sunday. If you're interested, please come along to find out more. The group will be led by Mrs Lyn Horner. We hope you can join us.

NEW PARISH PHONE The parish office has recently upgraded its technology, including the phones. The new phone number for the parish office is 3251 5066.



Phone Number Change

SUMMIT23 is the principal gathering of the Archdiocese of Brisbane in 2023. Three-days of keynote presentations, workshops, panel discussions, prayer and encounter with Jesus. The Summit is a key step in the implementation phase of the Plenary Council and Archbishop Mark Coleridge will be sharing his priorities for the coming years. For further information, go to brisbanesummit.com When: 6pm Thurs. 18 May - 3pm Sat. 20 May 2023. Where: Riverlife Centre, Seventeen Mile Rocks.



CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION On the Feast of Corpus Christi, June 11, over 4000 Catholics will make a public testimony of faith by walking in a Eucharistic procession through the streets of Brisbane city. It will be a colourful display as groups gather from across the Archdiocese of Brisbane to represent their parish or cultural community. The Procession will start and end at the Cathedral and feature prayers, rosary, hymns, and Benediction with proceedings led by Archbishop Mark Coleridge. The weekend will also feature a Eucharistic Miracles Exhibition in the Francis Rush Centre) and a vigil night of adoration (10th June from 7pm - 11th June 8am, in the Mary MacKillop Chapel). When: 2pm Sunday 11 June Where: Cathedral of St Stephen, Brisbane
City
Find out more at www.corpuschristibrisbane.com

THE CATHOLIC LEADER Your copy of the Leader can be delivered to church each month for \$4.00 p/m. Please let the piety stall know if you'd like to start receiving your copy.

BAPTISM If you'd like to find out more about Baptism for your child, please contact the parish office. We're here to answer your questions. kpoint@bne.catholic.net.au

ST JAMES COLLEGE, BRISBANE is a progressive multicultural Catholic coeducational college for students in Years 5 - 12 in the Edmund Rice tradition. Students from all backgrounds and abilities welcome so they can flourish in their learning and realise their potential. Bursaries and scholarships available.
OPEN DAY Friday, 26 May from 11.00am till 1.30pm. ENQUIRIES to Maria Young, Enrolments Officer, 3230 8600
MYoung@stjamescollege.qld.edu.au

ARCHDIOCESE OF BRISBANE SAFEGUARDING POLICY - please scan this code to read the policy. A copy of the policy can be seen on the noticeboard in our churches.

