





13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: 2 Kgs 4:8-11, 14-16 Second Reading: Rom 6:3-4, 8-11

Gospel: Mt 10:37-42

Responsorial Psalm

For ever I will sing the goodness of the Lord.

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Zech 9:9-10 Second Reading: Rom 8:9, 11-13

Gospel: Mt 11:25-30

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia! You are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy people. Praise God who called you out of darkness.

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, Michael Mulligan, Pauline Burnett & Elizabeth Flamsteed

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)

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Christianity not a cult.

In the early Church, Christianity ripped families apart. Good Jewish families would have been appalled to see their sons and daughters go off to follow a crucified blasphemer. Good reason to keep apart in the synagogue, avoiding damnable pollution. This sectarianism contrasted with the Christians who fearlessly went out into the world.

St John Paul II personified what it is to be Catholic. But, he pressed a prayer into a crack in the Wailing Wall in Jerusalem and as an old man shuffled across the floor of a Mosque in Syria.

Of course, there was no compromise of belief and faith in the resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ, denied by both Jews and Muslims. But his actions were not those of one with the siege mentality of the member of a cult. Rather, he was able to respond to the promptings of the Holy Spirit to take these steps recognising what was good amongst the *adherents* of those faiths.

We could pause for a moment to implore the Holy Spirit to break us out from any constricting cult-like tendencies so that we can go out into the world powerfully proclaiming the resurrection of Our Lord Jesus Christ.

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THE MOST REVEREND ROBERT McGUCKIN

Apostolic Administrator Bishop Emeritus of Toowoomba



invites

THE PARISHIONERS OF KANGAROO
POINT EAST BRISBANE PARISH
To the Liturgical Reception and Installation of
MOST REVEREND KEN HOWELL
As Seventh Bishop of Toowoomba
TUESDAY 11 JULY 2023 at 11.00am

ST PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL 123 Neil Street, Toowoomba

BISHOP KEN Where did 6 years go? Time really flies so fast! We thank God for your life, and your ministry. You have been a wonderful blessing to our parish. Thank you for your work, guidance, and service to our community over these years. Go with our deepest gratitude and know that you are in our prayers as you take up your new ministry in Toowoomba. From all at KPEB

PARISH FAREWELL TO BISHOP KEN

Please join us following the 9.00am mass today for a farewell morning tea for Bishop Ken. We will gather across in the Coolock Room. All are welcome.

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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St Joseph's Catholic Primary School

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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) 8th July

Commentator Readers Pat Tiernan, Michelle Hill Chris Parkes

Planned Giving D/D \$335.00

Loose/Envelopes \$577.10

St Joseph's (Sun 9.00am) 9th July

Readers Opener **Piety Stall** Counters

J Wessel, K Biggs N Prove. Peggy S Ryan D, Terry D

STOPline - Safeguarding Children & **Vulnerable Adults**

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

FEAST DAYS OF THE WEEK

Mon - St Thomas, Apostle Tue - St Elizabeth of Portugal Wed - St Anthony Zaccaria Thu - St Maria Goretti

Visit our parish WEBSITE at

http://catholicparishebkpt.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

prevent re-infection

Rising stars: Vatican hosts astronomers of tomorrow

50 years a priest for Fr Kerry Crowley after being 'tapped on the shoulder'

Q&A - Blaise Pascal on faith and reason

LUCKY NUMBERS

\$2.00 could win you \$25

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

Winner - #41 - A Goldsworthy

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 - 5th July at 9.00am

BAPTISM We welcome to our faith community, Georgette McAlpine, daughter of Nick & Caroline, who will be Baptised this weekend.

PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION The Peter's Pence Collection gives Catholics in Australia opportunity to join in communion with the faithful thought the world in support of the charitable works of the Holy See. The total donated this year was \$156.75 Thank you

PROFESSIONALS LUNCHEON Wednesday 19 July, 12pm - 2pm at the Hilton. Guest speaker The Hon Martin Daubney . Guest tickets are available to purchase online catholicfoundatiuon.org.au or 3324 3200.

PARISH GATHERING Thank you to all who attended the gathering last Tuesday evening to New drug could treat long COVID and share thoughts on the future needs of the parish. The representatives will now put all the information gathered on the night, to the next College of Consultors meeting.



PARISH SCRIPTURE GROUP Our group will next meet on Wednesday 26th July at St Benedict's church at 7.00pm. A chance to study and draw nourishment from the Scriptures in a friendly and relaxed environment. All are welcome to come along. The group will be led by Mrs Lyn Horner.

SEA SUNDAY 9 JULY Next week is Sea Sunday, when the church prays for all those who live and work at sea. There will be an Appeal for Stella Maris, Apostleship of the Sea, the official maritime welfare agency of the Catholic Church. Funds collected will be used to provide practical and spiritual support to seafarers visiting our ports. As it is dependent on voluntary donations, please give generously. To donate or for more information, visit: www.stellamarisaustralia.org

A MORNING'S PRAYER is a 3-hour Saturday morning retreat to get away and spend some quality time with God. The third "A Morning's Prayer" for 2023 will take place on Saturday July 29th from 9am to 12pm at the breathtaking Santa Teresa Spirituality Centre Ormiston.

Through input, personal prayer, meditation, and fellowship in a space designed to facilitate

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM

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). These sessions will be held at St Joseph's church.

an encounter with God, this morning will hopefully allow God to speak to you and revitalise you on your journey. Come by yourself or bring a group. Both parish groups and individuals are most welcome. Visit Evangelisation Brisbane's website for details.

INAUGURAL RECONCILIATION DINNER

You are warmly invited to the Inaugural Archdiocese of Brisbane Reconciliation Dinner, hosted by Archbishop Mark Coleridge and including the launch of the new Archdiocesan Innovate RAP. With special guest, best-selling author, international speaker and proud Wiradyuri woman Dr Anita Heiss, this will be an opportunity engage in meaningful conversations, to listen and learn from one another, as we move forward on the shared journey of reconciliation and unity.

When: 6pm, Thursday 14 September Where: Hotel Grand Chancellor, 23 Leichhardt St, Spring Hill

Cost: \$80pp or \$720 table of 10 RSVP: Friday 1 September Limited seats available, register now at https:// app.tickets.org.au/eb/REC Dinner23

This dinner is presented by the Laurel Blow Speaker Series proudly sponsored by ACU.

