



Catholic Parish News

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The Feast of Pentecost 8th / 9th June, 2019

“Receive the Holy Spirit”

Today we celebrate Pentecost Sunday, which marks the actual birthday of the church. After a period of fifty days of the resurrection of Christ, we have come to the end of Easter Season to continue with the ordinary Time according to the Liturgical calendar.

One bright Sunday morning like today, Brian's mother hurries into her son's bedroom and wakes him up. "Brian, its Sunday, time to get up and go to church! Get up!" Brian mumbles from under the covers, "I don't want to go." "What do you mean you don't want to go?" says the mother. "That's silly. Now get up and get dressed and go to church!" Brian goes, "No, I don't want to go and I'll give you two reasons why I don't want to go." He sits up on the bed and continues, "First, I don't like them and second, they don't like me." His mother replies, "Now, that's just plain nonsense. You've got to go to church and I'll give you two reasons why you must. First, you're now forty years old and, second, you're the pastor!"

This sleepy Brian could as well be any of the apostles whom Jesus had commissioned to be his witnesses in Jerusalem, in Judea, in Samaria and to the ends of the earth. But as soon as Jesus leaves them, what do they do? They retire to their upper rooms and hide themselves for fear of the Jews. Like Brian they knew that the people did not like them, they knew that their message was different from the popular message of the time, and they just felt like wrapping themselves up in bed and not having to get up and face the hostile society. We too are often like that, going to church quietly, receiving Jesus in our hearts quietly, and going home again quietly to say our morning and evening prayers quietly.

But what about the charge that Jesus left for you and me to be his witnesses and to share the Good News of God's love with all humankind? No. People do not like to be reminded of God. I am afraid they are going to tell me off if I speak to them about God. I am afraid they will not listen to me. I am afraid they will call me a freak out of touch with reality. They don't like us and we don't like them. And so, like Brian, we give up on our God-given duty and go on enjoying our comfortable silence, our comfortable sleep.

Fortunately, Pastor Brian has a guide, his mother, who wakes him and persuades him to go out and preach. This is the kind of work that the Holy Spirit does in the hearts of believers. When fear of trouble tends to freeze our faith into silent submission to despair, the Holy Spirit warms us up and empowers us to go out there and make a difference. The Holy Spirit reminds us, as Brian's mother reminded him, that we have a mission.

Our mission is to tell everybody the Good News that God is the Father of us all, that in spite of all the visible difference of language and culture and social status, we are all one family and should therefore live as brothers and sisters. Our mission is to break the barriers between "us" and "them," between male and female, between Jew and Gentile, between rich and poor, between Black and White, between First World and Third World, between “my church” and “your church” and to bring all humankind to speak the one universal language of brotherly/sisterly love. This is possible only through the working of the Holy Spirit.

Peace be with you!

Fr Lucius

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Staff Meeting - Wednesday 8.30am - 9.00am

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Response:

*Lord send out your Spirit
And renew the face of the earth.*

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, Alleluia! Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love. Alleluia!

Beachmere Anointing Mass

An important change of date for all those who attend the Anointing Mass at Beachmere. Due to circumstances beyond our control we have to move the date for the Anointing Mass from the 13th June to Thursday 20th June at the same time of 6pm. We're sorry for any inconvenience caused.

Altar Serving Training

Fr Lucius will be leading a training session for all current or new Altar Servers at St Peter's next Saturday morning starting at 10.00 am.

If you serve at the Altar no matter week-days or weekends you kindly invited to attend. The Session will last no more than 2 hours.

St Vinnies Winter Appeal Envelopes are available at the rear of the church at Little Flower this weekend. Thank you for your consideration towards this very worthy appeal.

*"Be who you were created to be
and you will set the world on fire!"*

St Catherine of Siena

News from St Peter's

MEETINGS & GATHERINGS

SUNDAY

9.00 am Mass of the Feast of Pentecost (St Columban's College)

MONDAY

9.00 am Mass (Church)
9.30 am 5 Decade Rosary (Church)
12.30 pm 20 Decade Rosary (Church)

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

9.30am Mass (Church)

THURSDAY

10.00 am Mothers' Prayer Group (Parish Centre Meeting Room)
10.00 am El Shaddai 21 Hayes St. Ph. Susie 0404 844 395.

FRIDAY

7.45 am Mass (St Columbans')
9.30 - 11.30am Craft Group (Meeting Room)

SATURDAY

5.00 pm Individual Reconciliation
6.00 pm Mass of the Most Holy Trinity (Church)

News from Little Flower

MEETINGS & GATHERINGS

SUNDAY

8.30am Mass of the Feast of Pentecost (Church)

MONDAY

TUESDAY

9.00 am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament (Church)
6.00 pm Mass (Church)

WEDNESDAY

9.00 am Communion Liturgy (Church)
9.30 am Christian Meditation (Our House)
3.30 pm Bible Study Group Frederic Ozanam Centre
5.30 pm Men's Choir Practice (New Men's voices welcome) (Church)

THURSDAY

9.15 am Mass (Church)

FRIDAY

9.00 am Mass (Church)

SATURDAY

5.00 pm Individual Reconciliation (Church)
6.00 pm Mass of the Most Holy Trinity (Church)

Soup 'n Slice "Back to School" Quiz Night

Tickets are available after Mass this weekend for the Soup 'N Slice night.
Friday 21st June starting at 6pm. \$10.00 per head.
A fun night of good food and great company.

Focus On Fellowship Pre-Loved Fashion Show

10.30am Friday 14th June Little Flower Church.
Free admission but bring a plate to share.
A great opportunity to get to know our fellow Christians from the other churches on the Island.

OUR SCHOOLS

St Peter's Primary School

30 Beerburrum Road, Caboolture. Ph: 5495 2266
<http://www.stpeterscaboolture.qld.edu.au>

St Columban's College

100 McKean Street, Caboolture. Ph: 5495 3111.
<https://stc.moretonbay.com.au>

Please Remember In Your Prayers

Those Who Have Died Recently

Eric Brown, Martha Malik, Ralph Phillips, Neville Toomey, Jean Hall, Dorothy Nunn, Antony McQuade, Connie Ciantar, Tim O'Connell, Colin Mitchell, Trevor Hammond, Sophia Vilanowska, Leslie Anderson, Steve Sims.

Anniversaries of Those Who Have Died

Ron King, Noreen Dodds, Kitty Leis, Dave Wendel, Clare Cogzell, Fr Terry Punzell, Robert Roberts, Arnie Dykstra, Niall Kemp, Lionel Grienke, Ronald Crichton, John O'Sullivan, Fred Heyligers, Mary Mahon, Marie Woolnough, Nunzio Maccarrone, Eleanor Fixter, Gordon Watson, Eric Bishop, Sr Pauline Shannon, Joe Predebon, Alma Ghiradelli, Brian Sommerfield Vincent Dwyer, Tony Pengilly, Telesia Tuimaseve, Guy D'Aquino, Kathleen Turner, Phillip Robertson, Max Roberts.

Our Sick

Sherlita Arcabo, John Abel, Michelle Akers, Lauris Branch, Peter Brown, Calvin Bartlett, Ron Criss, Eileen Connell, Maria Del Rosso, Bernie Daly, Mary & Les Dillon, Mary Dillon, Peter Dillon, Cathleen Dooley, Hank Damen, Catherine Ferguson, Pedro Fructuoso, Beth Falealili, Lisa Griffiths, Iliya & Edyn Gale, Susan Genery, Laurie Holdsworth, Jean Hall, Nicole Harvey, Chris Hoogwaerts, Eileen Hangan, Colleen Hegarty, Lionel Henschell, Alison Jones, Mary King, Brendan Kelly, Margaret Kelly, Gill Leach, Bob Lewis, Tina Maccarone, Lourdes Mercader, Eva Mendoza, Soriano Otaza, Lucy & Jinny Powell, Alison Peall, Pedro Sanchez, Emily Spina, Gudelia Roque, Brenda Rennie, Dianne Radson, Gene Rosenblatt, Janina Sawaryn, Bernie Sheppard, Robyn Tremble, Les Teys, Betty Towell, Amanda Thacker, Patricia Twinchek, Marie Woodbridge, Una Withers, Judy Williamson, Terry Walsh.

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For more information contact: grace@dragonflyministries.net.au or phone Grace on 0409 524 283 - this retreat is next weekend so be quick!

SCRIPTURE OF THE WEEK

This Sunday - Pentecost Sunday (Yr C)

Acts 2:1-11; Romans 8:8-17; John 14:15-16, 23-26

Weekday Readings:

Monday The Blessed Virgin Mary Mother of the Church
Gen 3:9-15,20 or Acts 19:1-8; John 19:25-34

Tuesday St Barnabas Acts 11:21-26; Matt 10:7-13

Wednesday 2 Cor 3:4-11; Matt 5:17-19

Thursday St Anthony of Padua 2 Cor 3:15-4:1,3-6; Matt 5:20-26

Friday 2 Cor 4:7-15; Matt 5:27-32

Saturday 2 Cor 5:14-21; Matt 5:33-37

Next Sunday - Most Holy Trinity (Yr C)

Prov 8:22-31; Romans 5:1-5; John 16:12-15

NEXT WEEKEND MASSES

St Peter's: Saturday 6.00pm
Sunday 7am, 10am, & 5.30pm

Little Flower: Saturday 6.00pm
Sunday 8.30am

Beachmere: Sunday 8.30 am (24 Rogers Street)

RECONCILIATION

St Peter's: Individual: 5.00 pm Saturday evening

Little Flower: Individual: 5.00 pm Saturday evening

PARISH BAPTISMS

St Peter's 10.30am **1st & 2nd Saturdays** of each month

Little Flower 10.30am **3rd Saturday** of each month

DATE CLAIMERS:

Sat 15th June 10.00am Altar Serving Training Session (Cab)

Sat 15th / Sun 16th The Most Holy Trinity

Sat 15th July 10.30 am Celebration of Baptism (Cab)

Sun 16th June 12pm Samoan Mass & Fellowship (Cab)

Tues 18th June 6pm Parent Baptism Meeting (Cab)

Wed 19th June 10.30am Anointing At Paul's (Cab)

Thur 20th June 9.15am Anointing Mass (Bribie)

Thur 20th June 6.00pm Anointing Mass (Beachmere)

Thur 20th June 6.00pm Parent Baptism Meeting (Bribie)

Thur 20th June 7.00pm KSC Meeting AGM starting at 6.30pm (Cab)

Fri 21st June 10.30am Anointing Bribie Cove (Bribie)

Fri 21st June 6.00pm L'FEC 'Soup N Slice' Quiz Night (Bribie)

Sat 22nd / Sun 23rd The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ

Tues 24th June 4.00pm Anointing Seasons (Bribie)

Sat 22nd June 11.00 am Altar Serving Training Session (Bribie)

Sun 23rd June State of Origin - Game 2

Mon 24th June 10.00 am Hospitality Meeting (Bribie)

Wed 26th June 9.30am Anointing Mass (Cab)

Thur 27th June 7.00pm Pastoral Council Meeting (Bribie)

Fri 28th June 9.30am Anointing Sunnymeade (Cab)

Sat 29th / Sun 30th June 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mon 1st July 7.30am SVdP Meeting (Bribie)

Tues 2nd July 2pm "Cuppa n Chat" (Bribie)

Sat 6th / Sun 7th July 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Tues 9th July 9.30am-2.30pm NAIDOC Celebrations (St Columban's)