

Living Waters Catholic Parish

Embracing the Communities of:

Beachmere, Little Flower Bribie Island, St Peter's Caboolture, St Michael's Kilcoy, St Mary's Woodford.

Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

29th / 30th October 2022

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They are to be treasured, nurtured and safeguarded by all. Safeguarding Is Everyone's Responsibility

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For months now, Pope Francis has been on this series of teaching in his audiences which he generally calls "season of creation". It is almost like a campaign now and he has diversified this teaching from agriculture to health, from care of our environment to peace and dialogue etc. Recently he had audience with young people and he spoke to them about the fraternal relationship between the young and the old, where the young people should be courageous to ask questions. Questions of faith, life etc. because it is in asking questions that young people learn from the old.

He also spoke of this "season of creation" as a journey of encounter, where the aged and young people encounter each other. In speaking of encounter did we listen to the gospel of this Sunday? The encounter between Jesus and Zacchaeus the tax collector?

In every moment of encounter there could be the possibility of what I call "pre-encounter challenges"- the "not-too-sures"; not too sure whether the person I'm about to meet I'm ready to meet him or her especially when it concerns a friend or brother, or sister, or a colleague, a parishioner- whom may be you have said something about him or her that is not too good behind her/his back and you are having this feeling that he/she might have been aware of it or not. Or even those we out rightly say 'I don't want to see him or her'. These are the "not-too-sures" and the list can go on and on.

Another possibility is what I call "on the spot effects" of encountering someone, where all the supposed prior sentiments and feelings, reservations are cleared on the spot because this person you met was much kinder to you, soft spoken, more accommodating, had a good sense of humour or had time to sit and listen to all you have got to say, which was completely different from what you must have heard about him or her.

Another possibility is "after-effect feeling" of encounter, where you go back home feeling relieved, inner joy or having another understanding about the person. These are possibilities and I call them so because they might happen or may not happen. Looking at the encounter of Zacchaeus with Jesus in the Gospel of Luke 19: 1-10, we saw these possibilities come to bare. Zacchaeus had this zeal to see Jesus because of the many things he has heard about him. It was his determination to see Jesus made him climb the sycamore tree when the crowd became some sort of a hindrance. To his utmost surprise Jesus comes to the spot where he was hanging and recognized him, called him by his name and offered to sleep in his house. In that same encounter, on the spot Zacchaeus offers to pay back all those he has defrauded in his business. And then finally salvation found him and his household.

Dear friends, every day we encounter God. We meet him in his sacraments, in his word and in the faces of one another. On these moments of encounter what has stood out for you? Has any of these possibilities occurred to you? May our every moment of encounter this week be GRACE-FILLED.

Peace be with you. Fr Anthony



Congratulations to

Mylo Hilton & Peyton Baker

who will be Baptised into our Parish family this Weekend.

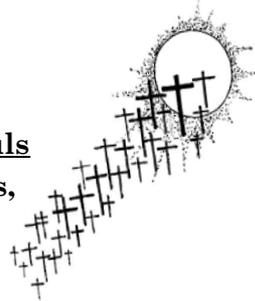
Masses for the Feast of All Saints and the Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed

Tues 1st November Feast of All Saints

Mass Times: 8am St Mary's,
9.15am Little Flower,
9.30am & 5pm St Peter's
12 noon St Michael's

Wed 2nd November All Souls

Mass Times: 8am St Mary's,
9.15am Little Flower,
9.30am & 5pm St Peter's
5pm St Michael's



Our Book of Remembrance is at the front of the Church for you to add any names of your loved ones who have gone to their eternal reward this past year

'Bring & Buy' Stall

On the 3rd/4th December there will be a 'bring & buy' stall at Little Flower Church. The proceeds will go towards the annual Christmas Day lunch for those who may be on their own at Christmas and also the creation of emergencies packs for Domestic Violence victims who have to leave their homes at the last minute unable to take the necessities with them. So come on all you 'crafty' ladies & gents put your thinking caps on and start creating. Items we are looking for include plants, bric-a-brac, home-made jewellery, jams & pickles, to name but a few things. The idea of a 'bring and buy' stall is that you bring an item for the table and buy a 'treasure' as you leave Mass.

All enquiries please give

Diane a call on 0408 828 047.

Also please come prepared the weekend of the 26th / 27th November for a great Money Tree raffle \$1.00 each or the house special of 5 for 5!!

Total value of the prize is \$150.00.

Please Remember in Your Prayers

Our Recently Deceased

Kay Berge, Coleen Gibson, Deidre Gray, Jamie Nash, Eo Brennan, Bernie McMackin, Thora Parsons, Sr Marie Carroll MSS, Elpidio Ebona, Madonna Hickey & Mark Pascoe who have recently gone to their eternal reward.

Those Whose Anniversaries Occur at This Time

Ron Gillmeister, Bill Stone, Graeme Jones, John Bearman, John Maidens, Annette Halton, Jack Cousins, John Dale, William Brooker, Olivene Collard, Beryl Kalms, Karol Skowronski, Margaret Collins, Phil Carnes, John Salch, Janina Minkowski, Tony Attini, John Markovich, Dorothy Dunstone, Dot Hickson, Stan Grainger, Max Arthur, Sandra Robbins, Ralph Connolly & Cynthia Hatfield.

Our Parishioners, Family & friends who are Sick

Jane O'Byrne, Margaret Kelly, Urszula Parchimowicz, Moya Handsley, Doris McMackin Br Gerry Burke MSC, Ron Criss, Des Kelly, Joe Flynn, Gwen Bazzo, Nikki Williams, Bev McCarthy, Kathryn Mobley, Laurie Barron, Bozidar Howard, Arthur Hangan, Margaret Ryan, Pat Stinson, Vonnie Barraclough, Beris Burns, Gerry van Dinter, Mike & Kaye Brown, Susan Genery, Terry Farrelly, Catherine Johnson, Judy Wade, Jessica Timson, Susanne Weir, Heidi Greentree, Kerry & Felicity McGill, Dawn & John Roberts, Les Stephenson, Anton Lenhart, Michael Cooper, Col McLaughlin, Helen Teys, Nicholas Edwards, Joana Van Laart, Bede Brittenden, Miriam Gittins, Tracey Morgan, Abel McHugh, Rita Hyde, Patricia Twinchek, Eileen Ryan, Paul and Eleanor Copeland.

SCRIPTURE OF THE WEEK

31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Wisdom 11:22-12:2

Psalm Resp: *I will praise your name forever my king and my God.*

Second Reading: 2 Thessalonians 1:11-2:2

Gospel: Luke 19:1-10

Weekday Readings:

Mon: Phil 2:1-4; Ps 130; Lk 14:12-14

Tues: *All Saints* Rev 7:2-4,9-14; 23:1-6; 1 Jn 3:1-3; Mt 5:1-12

Wed: *All Souls* Is 25:6-9; Ps 23; Rom 5/5-11; Matt 11/25-30

Thur: Phil 3:3-8; Ps 104:2-7; Lk 15:1-10

Fri: *St Charles Borromeo* Phil 3:17-4:1; Ps 121:1-5; Lk 16:1-8

Sat: Phil 4:10-19; Ps 111:1-2,5-6,8,9; Lk 16:9-15

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: 2 Maqcc 7:1-2,9-14

Psalm Resp: *Lord, when your glory appears, my joy will be full.*

Second Reading: 2 Thessalonians 2:16-3:5

Gospel: Luke 20:27-38

Now that the repairs have been completed, we can gratefully say that from this Thursday, Mass will be celebrated at 9.15am every week at Little Flower. We look forward to seeing you once more and thank you for your patience.

From the Desk of Miss Catherine Miklejohn
(Assistant Principal Religious Education)

Each year our teachers are required to undertake professional learning to remain accredited to Teach Religion in a Catholic School. This year at St. Peter's School we engaged Dr Maurice Ryan who is a biblical scholar who works closely with Australian Catholic University and Brisbane Catholic Education. He worked with our staff multiples times throughout the year, and we explored topics such as:

- Jesus of Nazareth in his Jewish context including Jewish life in Jesus' time, Jesus' family, and writing about Jesus in the Gospels,
- The Exile in Babylon,
- The Creation Stories in Genesis, and
- The Beginning of Judaism.

It was great to see the engagement and interest of all teaching staff. We have learnt so much and look forward to continuing this professional learning in 2023.

Take care and go gently – Catherine



The Australian
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EXERCISE

Explores the healing that can occur between First Nation peoples and the wider community when there is an opportunity to share the true history of First Nation peoples experiences of colonialism. It aims to foster understanding about our shared history as Indigenous and non-Indigenous peoples.

5th November at MMPC

St Columban's College start time is 9:00am
Please phone the Parish Office if you would like to be a part of this amazing opportunity.

Parish Collections

Parish Giving for 22nd / 23rd October \$3282.05

Thank you for your constant support of our Parish both financially and prayerfully.



From the Desk of Mrs Rachel Fletcher
(Assistant Principal Mission & Identity)

Hi Folks, It is nice to be back behind my desk again after my term away and I am happy to report that our students have been very busy. 31 students over the September holidays went to the Catholic Youth Conference -Ignite. It was a very faith formative experience for them and have been becoming more involved in STC Youth and Encounter as they explore faith in a very youth friendly context.

This week our Year 8 classes have been busy fundraising for Catholic Mission. They have spent the last month learning about justice and advocacy particularly focussing on the work that Catholic Mission does on a global scale. Our students have had such rich learning experiences, blending the theoretical with the practical. Our student body are also busy bringing in food items for St Vincent DePaul hampers. Our goal is to hand over to St Vincent's DePaul over30 hampers. We are wanting to teach our students to be compassionate young people and make someone's Christmas much brighter, to be salt and light to the world.

On the 24th November, we will be hosting our first ever Eddie Rice camp and we are excited to offer this opportunity to our year 10s. Our students put into practice the values of presence, compassion and liberation and become Christ's light to the world. This is an experience where our youth will be working with younger children who may be doing it a bit tough and could really do with a brother or sister figure in their lives – if only for a weekend. Blessings to you and praying for Christ's peace for the coming week. *Rachel*

Heart of the Disciple an Advent Discussion Resource

The call to listen with the Heart of the Disciple has never been more pressing in our time than at the moment. Would you like to put some time aside each week during Advent to listen with an ear of a disciple?

A likeminded group at Little Flower will meet and walk the reflection series "Heart of the Disciple" during Advent. If you would like to be a part of this group which will meet on Tues 29th Nov at 1.30pm & then every week during Advent. Please put your name/s on the sheets at the rear of the church and one of the Facilitators will be in touch.

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Living Waters Parish Mass schedule

Little Flower: Saturday 6.00pm
Sunday 8.00am
Thursday 9.15am
St Peter's: Saturday 6.00pm
Sunday 10.00am & 5.00pm
Wednesday 9.30am
Friday 7.45am (please note for the remainder of the year mass will be at St Peter's)
St Mary's: Sunday 8.00am
Monday 9.30am
St Michael's: Sunday 10.00am
Tuesday 12 noon

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Individual: 5.00pm Little Flower & St Peter's every Saturday night. Outside of these times please contact the Parish Office.

Bribie Island Kids Education Scheme (B.I.K.E.S.)

is a charity of the St Vincent de Paul Society (Vinnies) which is able to assist in the funding of education expenses and developmental programs for your children, including textbooks, uniforms, school camps and excursions, extra-curricular and sporting activities (school and club). We believe that the education, growth and development of our children should not be restricted due to financial hardship.

To discuss support options available to you through B.I.K.E.S please contact your School Administration, Guidance Officer or School Chaplin or St Vincent de Paul Society, Bribie Island Ph 5459 5265 Office Hours Mon Wed & Fri - 8.30am to 11.30am 41-47 First Avenue, Bongaree, Bribie Island

~ ~ ~ 'Celebration of Unity' ~ ~ ~
Have you saved the date! 19th February 2023

Quote of the Week: "Whatever you think the world is withholding from you, you are withholding from the world." (Eckhart Tolle) Have a great week, be kind to yourself and each other.

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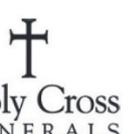


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