

Parish News

2019 HOLY FAMILY SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM

Year 4 & 5 Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)

Enrolment night

Lessons 1 & 2
Lessons 3 & 4
Rehearsal 1
Rehearsal 2

Monday 18 February at 6.00pm

Monday 04 March at 6.00pm or Tuesday 05 March at 3.30pm
Monday 11 March at 6.00pm or Tuesday 12 March at 3.30pm
Monday 18 March at 6.00pm
Monday 25 March at 6.00pm

Celebration of Sacrament

Thursday 04 April at 6.00pm

Year 4 Sacrament of the Eucharist

Enrolment night

Lessons 1 & 2
Lessons 3 & 4
Rehearsal 1
Rehearsal 2

Monday 13 May at 6.00pm

Monday 27 May at 6.00pm or Tuesday 28 May at 3.30pm
Monday 03 June at 6.00pm or Tuesday 04 June at 3.30pm
Monday 10 June at 6.00pm
Monday 17 June at 6.00pm

Celebration of Sacrament

Sunday 23 June at 9am Mass

Weekly Diary : 11th —15th February 2019

Monday 11th : 08.00 am. Mass, followed by Novena.
Tuesday 12th : 08.00 am. Mass, followed by Eucharist Adoration
: 10.30 am. Anointing Mass at Arcare Aged Center Hope Island
Wednesday 13th : 09.30 am. Mass, followed by Rosary.
: 11.00 am. Funeral Service—Patricia Hogan
Thursday 14th : 09.30 am. Memorial of Sts Cyril, monk, and Methodius, bishop, followed by Rosary.
Friday 15th : 09.30 am. Mass, followed by Rosary.
Saturday 16th : 09.30 am. Mass, followed by Rosary.
Saturday 16th : 5.30 pm. : 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C
Sunday 17th : 07.00 am. + 09.00 am. : 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C
The 1st Evening Sunday Mass of March will be on the 03rd at 5.30 pm. : 8th Sunday in Ordinary Time C

Mass Duty Roster : February 16th/17th 2019

<u>Mass Co-ordinator</u>	<u>Lectors</u>	<u>Extraordinary Ministers of Communion</u>	<u>Servers</u>
5.30pm Pierrette & Rino Serra	June Molloy Pierrette Serra	Helen Topham, Julie Dakin, Jean Di Benedetto June Molloy, Rachele Broughton, Clive Broughton	Mia
7.00am Michael Nicholson	Rose Hessen Jackie Cameron	Bernadette Swindley, Danielle Carter Michael Nicholson, Antona Brown	Brianna & Ashley
9.00am Ronnie Wilson	Kristian Braeuer Cynthia Braeuer	Pam Nelson, Kathy Fuller, Chona Lopez Ronnie Wilson, Joe Dorego, Averil Dorego	Jamili

Last Weekend's Thanksgiving Program

Next Week's Counting Team: No. 2 (11/02/2019)

<u>1st Collection</u>	<u>2nd Collection</u>	<u>Piety Shop</u>	<u>St Anthony's</u>
\$997.75	\$1589.10	\$97.80	\$49.30

**God is more moved by the offering of our heart, than by the gifts we bring to the altar.
Let's give with happiness and we will receive more in joy.**



Holy Family Catholic Parish
Runaway Bay



5th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C 10th Feb 2019—Issue No. 316

LISTENING, RENUNCIATION, AND MISSION

St Augustine used to say: *"I am afraid that the Lord will pass by and that I might not notice him,"* because Jesus does not always pass in our life with a miracle.

But when he passes, he always makes himself heard. Always. Jesus is always telling us something. He is always saying a word of promise. He is always asking something of us in our way of life, asking us to give up something, to renounce something. And he then gives us a mission. These are the three aspects of Jesus' passing in our life.

When the Lord passed by in his life through the miraculous catch of fish, Peter felt unworthy of God's calling. Peter declared: *"Lord depart from me for I am a sinful man."* He really felt like a sinner. Jesus said to him? *"Do not be afraid."* This is a beautiful phrase, so often repeated by Jesus: *"Do not be afraid, do not fear."* And then, comes the promise, *"Henceforth you will be catching men."*

When the Lord enters our life, passing in our heart, he always says a word of promise to us: *"Go ahead, take heart, do not be afraid: you will do this!"* It is an invitation to follow him. And when we hear this invitation, we must be ready to correct anything wrong in our life, and renounce anything generously. Even if in our life, there is something good, Jesus asks us to leave it in order to follow him more closely. This is what happened to the Apostles who left everything and followed him.

Then, there is the mission that Jesus entrusts to us. Indeed, he never says: *"Follow me!"* without then telling us the mission. He always says: *"leave it and follow me for such and such."* Therefore, if we take the path of Jesus, it is in order to do something. This is the mission. It is a sequence that happens every time we pray. In fact, our prayer must always have these three moments.

First, listening to the word of Jesus, a word through which he gives us peace and assures us of his closeness. Then, the moment of our renunciation: we must be ready to leave something: *"Lord, what do you want me to leave in order to be closer to you?"* Perhaps at that moment he does not tell you. But let us ask him with a generous spirit. Lastly, the moment of mission: prayer always helps us to understand what we must do. Prayer does not allow us to think that we have nothing to offer, or that nobody needs us. Pope Francis reassures us that *"Many people need you... Each of you, think in your heart: many people need me... I am a mission on this earth; that is the reason why I am here in this world."*

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Reconciliation at 4.00pm
1st Saturday of the month.

Baptism Preparation at
7pm 1st Thurs of the month

LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING Isaiah 6:1-2a, 3-8 *Here I am; send me!*

In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord sitting on a throne, high and lofty; and the hem of his robe filled the temple. Seraphs were in attendance above him; each had six wings. And one called to another and said: "Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts; the whole earth is full of his glory." The pivots on the thresholds shook at the voices of those who called, and the house filled with smoke. And I said: "Woe is me! I am lost, for I am a man of unclean lips, and I live among a people of unclean lips; yet my eyes have seen the King, the Lord of hosts!" Then one of the seraphs flew to me, holding a live coal that had been taken from the altar with a pair of tongs. The seraph touched my mouth with it and said: "Now that this has touched your lips, your guilt has departed and your sin is blotted out." Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, "Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?" And I said, "Here am I; send me!"

RESPONSORIAL PSALM Ps 138:1-8 *R. In the sight of the angels I will sing your praises, Lord.*

I give you thanks, O Lord, with my whole heart; before the gods I sing your praise; I bow down toward your holy temple. I give thanks to your name for your steadfast love and your faithfulness. **R.**

For you have exalted your name and your word above everything. On the day I called, you answered me, you increased my strength of soul. **R.**

All the kings of the earth shall praise you, O Lord, for they have heard the words of your mouth. They shall sing of the ways of the Lord, for great is the glory of the Lord. **R.**

You stretch out your hand, and your right hand delivers me. The Lord will fulfil his purpose for me; your steadfast love, O Lord, endures forever. Do not forsake the work of your hands. **R.**

SECOND READING 1 Corinthians 15:1-11 *I preach what the other apostles preach, and on our preaching is your faith founded.*

I would remind you, brothers and sisters, of the good news that I proclaimed to you, which you in turn received, in which also you stand. This is the good news through which also you are being saved, if you hold firmly to the message that I proclaimed to you— unless you have come to believe in vain. For I handed on to you as of first importance what I in turn had received: that Christ died for our sins in accordance with the scriptures, 4 and that he was buried, and that he was raised on the third day in accordance with the scriptures, and that he appeared to Cephas, then to the twelve. Then Christ appeared to more than five hundred brothers and sisters at one time, most of whom are still alive, though some have died. Then he appeared to James, then to all the apostles. Last of all, as to one untimely born, Christ appeared also to me. For I am the least of the apostles, unfit to be called an apostle, because I persecuted the church of God. But by the grace of God I am what I am, and his grace toward me has not been in vain. On the contrary, I worked harder than any of the apostles—though it was not I, but the grace of God that is with me. Whether then it was I or they, so we proclaim and so you have come to believe.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION Matthew 4:19 Alleluia, alleluia! Come follow me, says the Lord, and I will make you fishers of my people. Alleluia!

GOSPEL Luke 5:1-11 *Peter, James and John left everything, and followed Jesus.*

While Jesus was standing beside the lake of Gennesaret, and the crowd was pressing in on him to hear the word of God, he saw two boats there at the shore of the lake; the fishermen had gone out of them and were washing their nets. Jesus got into one of the boats, the one belonging to Simon, and asked him to put out a little way from the shore. Then he sat down and taught the crowds from the boat. When he had finished speaking, he said to Simon, "Put out into the deep water and let down your nets for a catch." Simon answered, "Master, we have worked all night long but have caught nothing. Yet if you say so, I will let down the nets." When they had done this, they caught so many fish that their nets were beginning to break. So they signalled their partners in the other boat to come and help them. And they came and filled both boats, so that they began to sink. But when Simon Peter saw it, he fell down at Jesus' knees, saying, "Go away from me, Lord, for I am a sinful man!" For Simon Peter and all who were with him were amazed at the catch of fish that they had taken; and so also were James and John, sons of Zebedee, who were partners with Simon. Then Jesus said to Simon, "Do not be afraid; from now on you will be catching people." When they had brought their boats to shore, they left everything and followed Jesus.



COMMUNION ANTIPHON Ps 106:8-9 Let them thank the Lord for his mercy, his wonders for the

children of men, for he satisfies the thirsty soul, and the hungry he fills with good things.

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PRAYERS FOR THE SICK AND DECEASED

RECENTLY DECEASED: Patricia Hogan, Marie Jeanette Martin, Richard Suga

ANNIVERSARIES: John Grasso, Bernard Stretton, Gregory Brian Kehoe, Philip Egan, Billie Fitzpatrick

SICK LIST: Ron Sincock, Ralph D'Agostino Gwen Zeitzen, Joy Gronow, Jevon Gronow, Val Mai McErlean, Theresa Pinto, Bill Walker, Aaron Murphy, Courtney Blount, Claire Mallon, Eileen O'Connor, Reginald Cox, Simon Stretton, Philomena McAloon, Margaret Kwong, Letty O'Sullivan, Tony Collett, Val Wolfenden, Ben Cebuliak, Marilyn Rodgers, Frank Hewitt, Anthony Donellan, Dolores Kilian, Robert Duff, Mary Ann Boeheme, John Nekvapal, Maureen Currie, Harry Hunter, Margaret Wiersma, Madeline Hodgetts, Erin Mehmet, Nancy Kelly, Tamara Toms, Baby Charlie Shirran, Bernie Pack, Elizabeth Norris, Stephen Deshaies, Patricia Ryder, Ken Hannam, Kelly Blount, Gail Callaghan, Pistang Retute, Vanessa Pritchard, Carol Johnston

PRAYER: O Lord Jesus Christ, rest your weary ones, bless your dying ones, soothe your suffering ones, pity your afflicted ones, shield your joyous ones, and all for your love's sake. Amen. (St Augustine)



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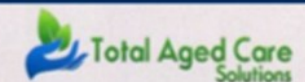
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