

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK AND DECEASED

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)

Prayers have been requested for the following :

RECENTLY DECEASED: Yolanda 'Baby' Q. Baltazar, Grete Elinor Demsitz, Theresa Pinto, Milflor A. Molina, Felisa Dimatulac

ANNIVERSARIES: Joyce Mary Hanrahan, Jack McVeigh, Catherine McVeigh, Andrew & Hazel Wilkie, Edwin Topham, Bruce Warren Gilbert, Norman Swan

SICK LIST: Sophia Ding, Val Wolfenend, Terry Owsnett, Marie Turnbull, Ronald Sincock, Dolares Kelly, Mary McDonnell, Irene Warde, Pam Hopsick, Ron Sincock, Ralph D'Agostino, Val Mai McErlean, Bill Walker, Aaron Murphy, Courtney Blount, Reginald Cox, Simon Stretton, Philomena McAloon, Margaret Kwong, Letty O'Sullivan, Tony Collett, Ben Cebuliak, Marilyn Rodgers, Frank Hewitt, Anthony Donellan, Dolores Kilian, Robert Duff, Mary Ann Boeheme, Maureen Currie, Harry Hunter, Margaret Wiersma, Madeline Hodgetts, Nancy Kelly, Tamara Toms, Baby Charlie Shirran, Bernie Pack, Elizabeth Norris, Stephen Deshaies, Ken Hannam, Kelly Blount, Gail Callaghan, Pistang Retute, Vanessa Pritchard, Carol Johnston


Weekly Diary : 14th October—20th October 2019

Monday 14th : 8.00 am. Mass followed by Novena

Thursday 17th : 9.30 am. Mass Memorial St Ignatius of Antioch, bishop, martyr followed by Rosary

Saturday 19th : 5.30 pm. : 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C

Sunday 20th : 7.00 am. + 9.00 am. : 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C



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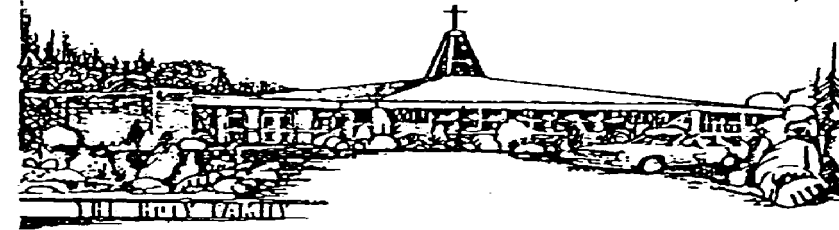
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HOLY FAMILY PARISH, RUNAWAY BAY

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time—Year C Sunday 13th October 2019

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Hours: 8.45am—3.00pm
Monday—Thursday
(closed FRIDAY)

Reconciliation:
4.50pm on Saturday

Baptisms
Every 2nd & 4th
Saturday & Sunday at 11am.
Please contact the Parish Office.

St Francis Xavier School:
Principal : Kathy Fuller
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HELLO! From Fr Marty

HELLO! I am very excited to be here with you at Runaway Bay! So much to look forward to as we pray together, celebrate the sacraments together and journey together. So many dreams and possibilities we have. There are so many opportunities to grow together, as a vibrant parish. I am also very excited to be back on the Gold Coast, which has been my spiritual haven since I was a little boy. I love Surfers, I love Tugun and now I look forward to falling in love with the top end of the Gold Coast.

Above all else, everything we do together is for the glory of God, so we keep that in mind, as we begin this exciting and new journey.

Thank you for welcoming me into your community of faith.



- I have had six different career changes before I became a priest.
1. I worked in a donut shop for a year. My first job.
 2. I was a chef for 3 years.
 3. A waiter for 3 years.
 4. I worked for the SES and as a Traffic controller.
 5. I was a high school teacher for 10 years
 6. And now I have been a Catholic Priest for 5 years. Crazy!

28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
13th October 2019

1st Reading : 2 Kg 5:14-17

2nd Reading : 2 Tim 2:8-13

Gospel : Lk 17:11-19

29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
20th October 2019

1st Reading : Ex 17:8-13

2nd Reading : 2 Tim 3:14-4:2

Gospel : Lk 18:1-8

Thought for the week.

TAKE WHAT YOU NEED:



How to live the Gospel out this weekend.



The Gospel today is from the Book of Luke. The community of Lukan writers were trying to encourage their community of believers to be ‘way’ more inclusive to the Gentiles and the Samaritans in 1st Century Palestine. Ten lepers were healed, yet only one returned. The one who returned was the most despised out of all the people living in Palestine at that time. This allows us to see that GRATITUDE is so important in our world and in ourselves today.

TASK:

I would love for you to ponder how you show GRATITUDE not only to yourself, yet to all who come into your life.

MISSA PRO POPULO
(The mass for the people.)

As Parish Priest, one mass on the weekend is to be said solely for the people of the parish. This is to nurture the spiritual life of the parish.

Can. 534 §1. After a pastor has taken possession of his parish, he is obliged to apply a Mass for the people entrusted to him on each Sunday and holy day of obligation in his diocese.

Last weekend’s collection

1st Collection : \$1229.00
2nd Collection : \$1720.45
Piety Stall : \$27.50
St. Anthony : \$54.15
Your generosity is greatly appreciated!
Next week’s counting Team : No. 2 (14/10/19)

Your Generosity:

If you would like to join our planned giving program or if your circumstances have changed, please contact **Audrey Ho at the Parish Office 55374320 x 2 (Weekdays except Mondays)**. Thank you for your generous support.



Praying for our loved ones
Mass Intentions

One of the things our church community should never become is ignorant of praying for others. If this happens, then we really need to pack up and move to Florida and open a flower shop.

When we face a trying situation, or dilemma, we pray. And if the solution does not come right away, we keep on praying. Even if we are angry or discouraged, tell God. At the same time, we should never limit God or tell God how to intervene.

At times, we need to remember Psalm 13: 6, “Trust in God’s mercy.

Mass Intention envelopes

In all of our intercessions, be they for the sick, or for our loved ones who have passed away, we need to remember the words of St Paul: “In everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, give your prayer to God.” (Philippians 4:6-7)

Remember, our loved one’s now join with Mary, who is a powerful intercessor for prayer and the communion of saints. In the Eucharistic Prayer, the priest always remembers those, “Who have fallen asleep, in the hope of the Resurrection...” This is a gentle reminder for you to know that your loved one’s are always remembered.

Normally, there is a SMALL donation with this, as a way of helping the person to physically remember their loved ones who have passed away.

As we approach ‘All Souls Day’, I suggest you find ways you can ask those you love to intercede for you, so that your prayers may be offered to God.

In an age where it is easy to overlook prayer, I want to encourage you to make an intention to those who know prayer profoundly and intimately, now they are with God, to intercede to God, on your behalf.

ARE YOU NEW TO THE PARISH? If you’ve recently joined the Parish, WELCOME! We’d like to formally greet you, so please complete a “NEW PARISHIONERS FORM” which is placed on the table at the back of the Church. You may wish to hand in the form at the Parish Office or place it on the collection plate.

MANY HANDS MAKE LIGHT WORK! Have you thought of volunteering your talent and skill in the different Parish Ministries? We have different roles to suit different talents. All you need to do is contact the Parish Office and we’ll do the rest!

Welcome Fr Marty

Next Sunday 20th October after the 9am Mass, there will be a morning tea to warmly welcome Fr Martin Larsen as our Parish Priest.

All parishioners are invited to extend a friendly welcome to Fr Marty.

Please bring a plate to share.

Tea & Coffee provided.

BLESSINGS!!!!

I love to bless homes, cars, boats, religious objects, bibles, anything which is holy for you. I was once told by a person that when ‘things’ are blessed, their vibrations change. This is a beautiful way to look at your objects, as now holy, and sanctified by God. This can bring peace of mind to the body, the mind and the soul. I am more than happy to bless things for you, so that we put more light into the world. A world which can seem dark, yet we fill it with the power of GOD!

Call the office for this to happen for you.

FUN FACT FOR SUNDAY 13TH OCT



On this day in 1962, the opening session of the Vatican Council II began. Pope John XIII asked the church to throw open the windows and to allow the breath of the Holy Spirit to whirl through, recreating the Church for the Modern World.

OCTOBER—SAFE WORK MONTH

Throughout Australia, October is recognised as Safe Work Month. Federal and state WHS regulators use October to focus on the importance of safety at work and at home. In the Archdiocese, parishes are reminded of their annual WHS compliance obligations.

We highlight the importance of an Emergency Evacuation in our Parish.

Parish Emergency Evacuation

We encourage parishioners to take the time to note where the closest exit sign which is marked in green. These Exits are indicated on the Emergency Evacuation plan which is placed on the wall next to the main door of the Church.

In the case of a fire alert, parishioners are asked to remain calm and leave in an orderly fashion to the fire assembly area in the school undercover area. Please note where the nearest exit is to you and how you would move to that exit that leads you to the school undercover area.

The fire extinguishers are located in the following areas :

- 1 next to the Main door of the Church.
- 1 next to the Confession Room.
- 1 near the baptismal font, on the left side of the altar (facing altar).
- 1 next to the sliding door in the Marin room.
- 1 next to the exit where the toilets are situated.

There is also a fire bell on the wall next to the Emergency Evacuation Plan.

Our parish firefighting equipment are tested regularly on a 6 monthly basis.

The safety of everyone is our concern and we strive in complying to WHS obligations in our parish.

Parish Secretary

CONFESSION

THE MOST POWERFUL SACRAMENT EVER!

Confession, or the rite of Reconciliation needs to be regular and used meaningfully. I want to encourage as many of you to make an appointment, or come to mass on a Saturday at 4.50pm onwards to feel the saving power of this most beautiful healing sacrament.

Mass Duty Roster : October 19th /20th 2019

<u>Mass Co-ordinator</u>	<u>Lectors</u>	<u>Extraordinary Ministers of Communion</u>	<u>Servers</u>
5.30pm Volunteer	Jean Di Benedetto Joelle Braun	Helen Topham, Jean Di Benedetto, Monique Labutte Joelle Braun, Julie Dakin, Dot Baker	Mia & Tyler
7.00am Michael Nicholson	John Carter Danielle Carter	Michael Nicholson, Rose Hessen Antona Brown, Danielle Carter	Brianna & Ashley
9.00am Family Mass Ronnie Wilson	Children to read	Pam Nelson, Rose Lopez, Averil Dorego Joe Dorego, Ronnie Wilson, Kathy Fuller	Amber & Naomi