

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: Ralph D'Agostino, Aaron Murphy, Felise Dimatulac, Priscilla Fadul, Val Wolfenend,

ANNIVERSARIES: Rita Ryan, Phillis Wilson, Cecily Agnes Kehoe, Dolly Donaldson, Barbara Chazzin Loveto, Joyce Mary Hanrahan, Maurice Edward Hanrahan, Ernesto Dimatulac, Susan Dimatulac, Roy Bryan Dimatulac

SICK LIST: Sonia D'Angiolo, Riany Chandler, Juliet Wee, Jean Di Benedetto, Marie Dupois, Abigail O'Donell, Sophia Ding, Terry Owsnett, Ronald Sincock, Dolares Kelly, Mary McDonnell, Irene Warde, Pam Hopsick, Ron Sincock, Val Mai McErlean, Bill Walker, 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, 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 : 18th November-24th November 2019

Monday 18th : 8.00 am. Mass followed by Novena

Thursday 21st : 9.30 am. Memorial of The Presentation of Blessed Virgin Mary followed by Rosary

Saturday 23rd : 5.30 pm. : Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

Sunday 24th : 7.00 am. + 9.00 am. : Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe
11.00 am. Baptisms



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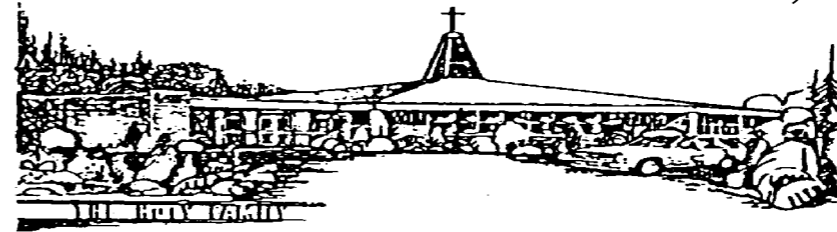
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HOLY FAMILY PARISH, RUNAWAY BAY

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time—Year C Sunday 17th November 2019

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Hours: 8.30am—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
Tel: 5537 2633

33RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

17th November 2019

1st Reading : Mal 3:19-20

2nd Reading : 2 Thess 3:7-12

Gospel : Lk 21:5-19

Our Lord Jesus Christ,

King of the Universe

24th November 2019

1st Reading : 2 Sam 5:1-3

2nd Reading : Col 1:12-20

Gospel : Lk 23:35-43

HELLO! From Fr Marty

This week has found me celebrating with three Catholic High schools in Brisbane, the Year 12 graduations. Do you remember Year 12? Or did you have to finish school at an earlier age. I'd love to know. What was it like to leave school and to enter into the adult world? For these young people, they have Schoolies week which is a secular rite of passage, yet it may not be the only option for many people. Some will go overseas, some will go camping and some will just stay with their mates. Just because the secular ritual exists, doesn't make it binding. Particularly since it is for commercial gain. At one of the schools I was at, one boy said, you should have a mass on the beach on Saturday night. That could have been an interesting idea to explore, since some of the 30,000 students come from a Catholic school. Maybe next year. Wouldn't it be great though.

THANK YOU

Thanks to all those people who do the collections! A tireless job. I only did it once and the plate never came back to me, so I was fired.

**The Holy Family Devotional Candle**

I am very keen to get every family to have a Holy Family candle in their household and to light it, so that we can be more united in prayer. It makes a great Christmas gift.

Last weekend's collection

1st Collection : \$1267.80
2nd Collection : \$1973.45
Piety Stall : \$239.60
St. Anthony : \$63.45
Your generosity is greatly appreciated!
Next week's counting Team : No. 3(18/11/19)

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 Fridays)**. Thank you for your generous support.

Thought for the week.

What if we asked our young people to limit their screen time at home to two hours a week? How do you reckon that would change their lives? Think of all the social media and texting which is going to go on this week with our Year 12's.



CWL has organised a two course Dinner for Members and Parishioners to be held on Thursday the 12th of December at 12PM At Dublin Docks near Harbour Town. Cost \$25 to be paid by 5th December.

As we have a limited number please book early. Contact Yvonne Collett on 0419895156 or at Church or Jan Levinge on 0419019877 All Welcome.

2ND RITE OF RECONCILIATION

Set aside in your diary 6PM Wednesday 18th of December, for the second Rite of Reconciliation. This is a **communal service with individual absolution**. It's a beautiful event before Christmas to come and ponder your life before God.

FUN FACT FOR SUNDAY 17TH November

As we celebrate Year 12 ending school, on this day, 1996, David Hicks, 18, returns to Australia after completing a solo round-the-world yacht voyage. The voyage of the young is a must. Give them enough scope and they will return home.

Acknowledgement to Fr Morgan Batt in his book, "Up the Beaten Track", Copyright 2003

BLESSINGS!!!!

I love to bless homes, cars, boats, religious objects, bibles, anything which is holy for you.

Mass Duty Roster : November 23rd/24th 2019

Mass Co-ordinator	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers of Communion	Servers
5.30pm Julie Dakin	Rita Macbeth Julius de Luna	Helen Topham, Jenny Rawlings, Joelle Braun Dott Baker, Julie Dakin, Volunteer	Mia & Tyler
7.00am Michael Nicholson	Bernadette Swindley Gloria Butt	Michael Nicholson, Rose Hessen, Antona Brown Danielle Carter, Bernadette Swindley	Brianna & Ashley
9.00am Ronnie Wilson	Rose Lopez Jennifer Craig	Pam Nelson, Yvette Valdez Robrigado, Chona Lopez Ramon Lopez, Jennifer Craig, Kathy Fuller	Amber, Naomi & Jamili

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As for parish life, I hope you are ready to enter into Advent which is just two weeks away. This is a beautiful time in our liturgical calendar where we prepare for the birth of Christ into the world. As I always like to say, balance the commercial imagery of Christmas, with what we believe. Don't be afraid to say to your kids and grandkids what the real meaning behind Christmas is all about. **And, just to plug the 4.30pm mass on Christmas Eve in the quad. This is a great way to welcome families into our loving community.**

**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 mass is the 9am today.** I hope you have been finding this spiritually rewarding for our parish? It's very powerful to say, just fyi.

How to live the Gospel this weekend.

Great are the works of the Lord.

As Christians we always have HOPE. Hope that God will direct our steps, so that we remain faithful on our journey through life. This is a deep need that constantly needs to be reflected upon as we walk the Christian life. Yet, this is not a given. As I always say to new Catholics, 'this isn't going to make you bullet proof to life.' We actually have to work at being good people. One hope that the Gospel calls us into is that we are the Body of Christ. Powerful to consider! What we do when we come to celebrate Eucharist, is to bring all our HOPES, yet also all of our fears. As a community we raise them up to God and allow God to work within our lives to help us to receive a sense of peace. This is how we navigate this life. Through Christian community, through the Body of Christ, which exists powerfully here at Runaway Bay, Holy Family Catholic Church.

TASK: How do you help yourself to know what your limits are? And then, know how to reform them?

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!