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What are you grateful about today/this week?



For the rain. We never know why we need it, yet it falls precisely in God's good time.

Mass Duty Roster: 27th/28th March 2021		
Mass Co-ordinator 5.00pm Chantal Jacquier	Lectors Joelle Braun Julius de Luna	EMC Helen Topham
7.00am Michael Nicholson	To be arranged.	Michael Nicholson
9.00am Peter Fox	Ronnie Wilson Lynne Adamson	Ronnie Wilson

Weekly Diary: 22nd March - 28th March 2021

Monday 22nd : 8.00 am. Mass followed by Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Tuesday 23rd : 6.00 pm. 2nd Rite of Reconciliation

Wednesday 24th : 9.30 am. Christ Catholic Community Prayer Group — Parish Meeting Room

Thursday 25th : NO MASS.

Friday 26th : 5.00 pm. Stations of the Cross—Church

Saturday 27th : Palm Sunday Year B/1 : 5.00 pm. Sunday 28th : 7.00 am. + 9.00 am. : Palm Sunday Year B/1

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: Doris Holborrow, Gloria Lugares, Eileen Thornton, Irene Mary Warde, Lila McAloon, Bruno Lionnet, David Newman, Janet Sepuka, Gloria Lorena, Chito Caluag, Renee Nolan

ANNIVERSARIES: James Leslie Collett, Michael Penridge, Peter Crowe

SICK LIST: Lilly Clancey, Orazio Smeralda, Darren Pascoe, Peter Smith (Ashmore), Joe McAloon, Len Crowe, Madeline Hodgetts, Marie Turnbull, Tom Edgar, Christine Kyriakides, George Kyriakides, Morris Lynch, Zaldy F Cadayona, John Lynch, George Docherty, Christina Ang, Sofia Bean, Vivienne Mitchell, Shingo Sawabe, Sonia D'Angiolo, Riany Chandler, Juliet Wee, Jean Di Benedetto, Marie Dupois, Abigail O'Donell, Terry Owsnett, Ronald Sincock, Dolares Kelly, Mary McDonnell, Bill Walker, Courtney Blount, Reginald Cox, Simon Stretton, Philomena McAloon, Margaret Kwong, Letty O'Sullivan, Marilyn Rodgers, Frank Hewitt, Anthony Donellan, Frans & Dolores Kilian, Mary Ann Boeheme, Maureen Currie, Harry Hunter, Nancy Kelly, Tamara Toms, Baby Charlie Shirran, Bernie Pack, Elizabeth Norris, Stephen Deshaies, Ken Hannam, Gail Callaghan, Pistang Retute, Vanessa Pritchard, Carol Johnston

SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN & VULNERABLE ADULTS PREVENTION AND PROTECTION POLICY

...for it is to such as these that the kingdom of God belongs. Mark 10.14

The Archdiocese of Brisbane holds that children, young people and vulnerable adults are a gift from God with an intrinsic right to dignity of life, respect and security from physical and emotional harm. They are to be treasured, nurtured and safeguarded by all.

HOLY FAMILY PARISH, RUNAWAY BAY





5th Sunday of Lent Year B/I

Sunday 21st March 2021

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8.30am—3.00pm Monday—Tuesday 8.30am-1.00pm Wednesday-Thursday (closed FRIDAY)

Reconciliation:

Please contact the Parish Office.

Baptisms

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

St Francis Xavier School: Principal: Kathy Fuller

Tel: 5537 2633

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1st Reading : Jer31:31-34 2nd Reading : Heb5:7-9 Gospel : Jn12:20-33

Palm Sunday Year B/1 28th March 2021

1st Reading : Is 50:4-7 2nd Reading: Phil 2:6-11 Gospel : Mk 14:1-15:47

HELLO! From Fr Marty

It is what it is. 2021



The final week of Lent, before we go into Palm Sunday and then Holy Week. Has Lent been a cleansing time for you, or something you have had to endure with patient suffering? There is that beautiful line in the psalm this weekend; 'Create a clean heart in me, O God.' We all want this, yet the only way to have a clean heart is to do the hard yards. Not only that, it will help you to be fulfilled at Easter. It will make Easter joyous, if you can do some prayer, fasting and alms giving in the next few weeks.

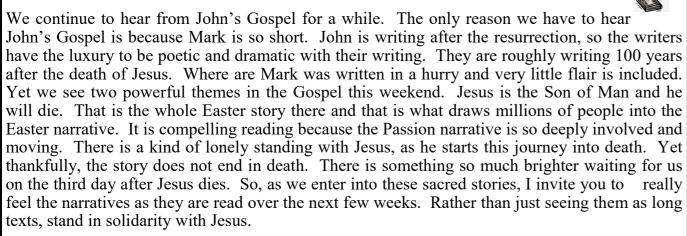
There is a sense of expectancy this year, with us 'actually' being able to celebrate Easter in the Church. Just be mindful of restrictions and also the need to sign in. Even though I have made liberties for masses in the church and in the Quad, we still all need to follow the Co-vid guidelines. As we saw with the PA hospital, all it takes is one person and it's shutting down time.



Bring your own palms if you have them!!!! There will not be a procession, yet we will celebrate with palms. I have a few in my yard. If you would like to come and acquire one, you are more than welcome.

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How to live the Gospel out this weekend.





We are being invited into what discipleship means. As followers of Jesus, can we enter into the Passion of Jesus, with all its hardships, failings and ultimately deep persecution and loss. How do we find a way to make this meaningful for us this Lent.

Clergy Convocation

I have noted this already, yet there will be no priest available on the Gold Coast on Wednesday 24th of March and Thursday 25th March. This is our annual priests retreat. Last year it did not happen, so there is an emphasis that all priests will attend this year. Just giving you the heads up for this, particularly for mass on that Thursday 9.30a.m.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK





I want to continue to say thank you for all the work people do in the parish.

Second Rite of Reconciliation, 23rd March

It feels as though we just did this, yet for Lent, this will be held on Tuesday 23rd of March at 6pm.

The first rite of Reconciliation is still being celebrated, yet not in the church. It is still be appointment in the office. Please feel free to call to make an appointment.

Up and coming masses and Second Rite of Reconciliation

Second Rite of Reconciliation Tuesday 23rd March, 6pm

Thursday 25th March, NO MASS

HOLY WEEK

Tuesday 30th March, Mass 8am (in lieu of Thursday morning - ie Lord's Supper that evening.).

Please contact the Parish office at 07 5537 4320 Ext 2 to register.

IMPORTANT ALERT

The Parish Bank account has changed.

Parishioners who currently or wish to contribute to the Parish via direct debit please note that the new account details are:

BSB: 064-786

Account: 100006388

Emails have been sent to parishioners who use the direct debit facility advising of the change however if you do not have an Email facility you may not have been advised of this change.

Direct Debit facility is an easy way to contribute to the operation of the Parish and saves having to set aside cash for the Sunday collections.

If you need any further information, call or Email the Parish office and a member of the Finance Committee will be in touch with you.

Thanks to all Parishioners for their ongoing support of our Parish.

Peter Fox

Chair—Finance Committee

Quotes from the readings this weekend



1st Reading: "I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel..."

Psalm: "Have mercy on me God in your kindness."

2nd Reading: "he learnt to obey through suffering..."

Gospel: "Now the hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified..."

Easter Triduum

Registration is required. Please contact the Parish Office.

Holy Thursday 1st April

7.00 pm. To 11.00 pm.

Celebration of the Lord's Supper followed by Adoration in the Marian Room

Good Friday 2nd April

10.00 am. Stations of the Cross3.00 pm. Celebration of the Passion of the Lord

Easter Vigil 3rd April

6.00 pm. Easter Solemnity

Easter Sunday 4th April

7.00 am. Solemn Easter Mass9.00 am. Solemn Easter Mass

5th Sunday of Lent Time - B A VOCATION VIEW: : Unless a seed first dries out and dies, it cannot be planted in the earth to grow. Unless we first dry out and die to our selfish ways, we can never expect to be people who will 'lay down their lives for their friends.' To talk to someone about your vocation, contact Vocation Brisbane: 1300 133 544

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Roster for EASTER CEREMONIES

MASS COORDINATORS, MARSHALS, READERS, COMMUNION MINISTERS, USHERS and COLLECTORS.

Please contact the Parish Office at 07 55374320 Ext 2 if you are able to assist.

We also need volunteers on Good Friday at 8.30am to set up chairs in the School quad and at 4pm to return chairs to school.

Also, required for Easter Sunday 9am Mass. Set up at 7.45am and removal of chairs at 10.15am.