

Weekly Diary : 31st May - 6th June 2021

Monday 31st : No Mass & Novena
 Wednesday 2nd : 9.30 am. Christ Catholic Community Prayer Group — Parish Board Room
 Thursday 3rd : 9.30 am. Mass Memorial Charles Lwanga & companions, martyrs followed by Rosary
 10.00am. CWL Meeting—Parish Board Room
 Saturday 5th : 5.00 pm. : The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ Year B/1
 Sunday 6th : 7.00 am. + 9.00 am. : The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ 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: Fermina C. de Luna, Reginald Joseph Cox, Ian (Tom) Gibb Edgar, Albert Yeo

ANNIVERSARIES: Maree Ross, Ivy Elizabeth Finn, Marinel Santos, Eric Crowe, Mae McAloon, Mariel Santos, Sam C Quiambao, Violeta C Quiambao

SICK LIST: George Moriers, Peter Pape, Beverly Holley, Lilly Clancey, Orazio Smeralda, Darren Pascoe, Peter Smith (Ashmore), Joe McAloon, Len Crowe, Madeline Hodgetts, Marie Turnbull, 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'Donnell, Terry Owsnett, Ronald Sincock, Dolares Kelly, Mary McDonnell, Bill Walker, Courtney Blount, 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 Updates

Safeguarding Induction

All registered Archdiocesan volunteers must complete a Safeguarding Induction. It takes about 20 minutes to view the Induction.

The Induction is also used for refresher training every 2 years and is a pre-requisite for Applied Safeguarding training.

Applied Safeguarding Training

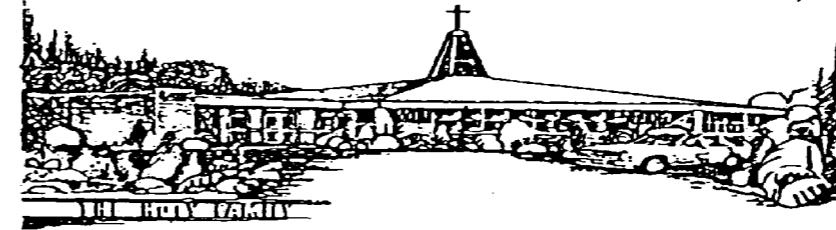
All registered Archdiocesan volunteers who work with children or adults-at-risk must complete Applied Safeguarding training – in addition to the Safeguarding Induction. It should take about 45 minutes to complete the training.

Completion of the Safeguarding Induction is a prerequisite for this training.

All training modules can be accessed on the Archdiocesan external website at :

<https://brisbanecatholic.org.au/safeguarding/safeguarding-training/>

HOLY FAMILY PARISH, RUNAWAY BAY



The Most Holy Trinity Year B/1

Sunday 30th May 2021

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Hours:
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
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**The Most Holy Trinity Year B/1
30th May 2021**

1st Reading : Deut 4:32-34,39-40
2nd Reading : Rom 8:14-17
Gospel : Mt 28:16-20

**The Most Holy Body and Blood of
Christ Year B/1
6th June 2021**

1st Reading : Ex 24:3-8
2nd Reading : Heb 9:11-15
Gospel : Mk 14:12-16, 22-26

HELLO! From Fr Marty

*God has a reason for allowing things to happen.
We may never understand God's wisdom,
yet we simply have to trust God's will.*

Ps 37:5



TRINITY SUNDAY

Albert Einstein said, "The most beautiful experience we can have is that of the mysterious." That's what we celebrate with Trinity Sunday. It is a little difficult to explain the notion of the Trinity, yet it also sums up how communal God really is. God working in partnership with the Spirit and with Jesus. One God in three persons. A God who is within us, yet utterly beyond us. This is a great mystery, yet it is a mystery of love. 'God loved the world so much that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him will have everlasting life.' God loves us, not because we are good, yet since God is good. Our very existence is a sign of God's love. And because God loves us, we are encouraged to love others. This community of love in the three natures of God helps us to understand why we are asked to love others in return. This is not easy to do, yet we have the Trinity as a reminder that it can be possible to love in an open and relational way. Even with faith, the mystery, the darkness and the unknowable remain. The

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whole of life is not always visible to us. As Van Gogh said, "Here on earth, we only see one hemisphere." The Trinity can be a little like this. However, we have a God who cares for us, a Brother who died for us; and a Comforter (The Holy Spirit), who will guide us to the Father's Kingdom.

How to Live the Gospel out this weekend



I don't know where I got this from, yet I was looking through some old files and I thought it would be a nice reflection before I go on holidays.

The need to admire

A mature man or woman is a principle of order rather than disorder, is someone who helps carry the burdens and tensions of others rather than dumps his or her own tensions on them, is someone who helps feed others rather than feeds off them, and is someone who admires others as opposed to demanding that others admire him or her. One of the defining traits of human maturity is the capacity to admire. If that is true, and it is, then our proclivity for criticism speaks of a lot more things than simply our enlightenment.

Thomas Aquinas once stated that to withhold a compliment from someone is a sin because we are withholding food that this person needs to live. That's a challenging statement, but the challenge is more than that of providing food for others to live on. Admiring others also provides us with the food we ourselves need.

One of the reasons why we live with so much dissatisfaction, anger, bitterness, and depression is precisely because we no longer know how to admire. It's hard to be happy and to feel good about ourselves when we don't feel very good about anything or anyone around us. Without admiration we can never be happy – nor can we see straight, irrespective of how sophisticated, educated, scientifically-trained, aesthetically fined- tuned, or hermeneutically-enlightened we are.

Hugo of St. Victor had an axiom that said: "Love is the eye!" Only when we see through the prism of love do we see correctly. Admiration is part of that. When we don't admire, we aren't seeing straight, pure and simple. When we are forever seeing what's wrong in others that speaks volumes about our own interior state. Partly we see what's out there, partly though what we think we see is largely coloured by our own interior disposition. Thus a habitually negative eye says as much about the beholder as it does about the beholden.

Whenever our world feels grey, whenever we feel bitter and short- changed, and whenever we feel frustrated with everything and everyone, we need to ask ourselves: "When was the last time I really admired someone?" "When was the last time I told someone that he or she had done something really well?" "When is the last time I looked at anything or anyone with the gaze of admiration?"

Holidays

I am very much looking forward to a break. It's been a long time since my last break. And don't forget we were under Co-vid restrictions this time last year. Make sure you support Audrey in the parish office and Peter Fox our Finance Chair. Continue to be the beautiful community you are and as always, 'I'll see you.....around.'

Fr Stephen, who is well known to the parish will say Mass for the month of June, 2021

9.30 am Thursday morning
5 pm Saturday evening
7 & 9am Sunday morning

NO MASS Mondays of June

Could you please be generous in your support of him at this time.

What are you grateful about today/this week?



For small blessings, like a smile or a hello in the midst of a busy day.

Thought for the week.

NEVER MISS AN OPPORTUNITY TO TELL SOMEONE HOW MUCH THEY MEAN TO YOU.

FUN FACT FOR SUNDAY 30TH MAY



The Feast of Joan of Arc. Patron of France. Today could be called a feast of the imagination. During the trial of Joan, the judge, Bishop Cauchon accused her of hearing the voice of God. When asked about this Joan replied that she heard God's voice in her imagination. The judge dismissed this as lunacy, but Joan replied, "Where better than to hear the voice of God than in your imagination."

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

Catholic Women's League - Thursday 3rd June 2021

Next meeting will be held after Mass in the Parish Board Room at 10am. All are welcome.