

# NEWSLETTER

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## Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

2022 ANNUAL

**CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN**

Our Church · Our Mission · Our Community

In the Gospel Jesus speaks of the narrow door and says that “many will try to enter but will not succeed”. The door may be narrow but it is always God’s will that everyone can get

through. The prophet Isaiah makes this clear when he has God saying, “I am coming to gather the nations of every language”. God may have chosen a people for himself, but only in order to gather every people and nation to himself. The divine plan embraces everyone; no-one is excluded. Not all will make it, but all are called to come through the narrow door into the fullness of life. No-one is excluded because all are members of God’s family, flesh and blood of the God who has no favourites, even if he keeps an eye out especially for those who are excluded. They have a special place at the family table “at the feast in the kingdom of God”.

The Annual Catholic Campaign is all about the radical inclusiveness of God. It’s all about helping others to enter through the narrow doorway into life, especially the poorest and the weak, those who weep and are wounded; and it’s all about helping others to enter through the narrow so that we ourselves may enter and come to “the feast in the kingdom of God”.

Supporting these ministries through the Annual Catholic Campaign involves renunciation, even sacrifice. *I ask you to make an assessment of what you can give and to do so in recognition of where your true security lies, what your life really depends upon.*

The Annual Catholic Campaign intends to call the Catholic people of the Archdiocese into the unfolding plan of God – not just to help the needy but to help change bad systems and bring to birth a new ordering of human relationships, a society where sisters and brothers can walk together through the narrow door and take their place, all of them, “at the feast in the kingdom of God”.

**Please take a pamphlet at the church door and donate using the envelopes which are inside.**

Most Reverend Mark Coleridge  
Archbishop of Brisbane

We acknowledge the Jagera and Turrbal people, the traditional owners and custodians, who have walked upon and cared for this land for thousands of years. We acknowledge the continued deep spiritual attachment and relationships of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples to this country and commit ourselves to the ongoing journey of reconciliation.



**Please pray for our departed loved ones, especially** Imelda Lewis, Sr Vivienne Claxton SGS, Shirley Macfarlane and Jesus Boala **recently deceased and also for** Joanne Keke, Bill Hanley, Robyn Illett, Stan Grzegorzolka, deceased members of Begley and Bourke families, Anacleto Nacpil Jr, Milagros Moredo, Carmel Scafe, Ross Saffioti and the Jarrett family, Emma Kristine Espiritu, Sonny Copiaco Senior



**Please remember the sick in your prayers** – Margaret Linnett, Harold O’Connell, Dulcie O’Connell, Beppo Pagliaro, Aurelia De Macedo and Michael Pattinson.

### Liturgy and Prayers this Week 22 August – 28 August 2022

Monday	-	Queenship of Mary	-
Tuesday	-		-
Wednesday	7:00pm	St Bartholomew	Mass
Thursday	9:00am		Mass
Friday	8:00am		Mass + Adoration + Benediction
Saturday	9:00am	St Monica	Mass
Sunday	5:30pm (Saturday), 8:00am, 5:30pm		<b>22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>
	Readings – Sirach 3:17-20, 28-29; Hebrews 12:18-19, 22-24; Luke 14:1, 7-14.		
Reconciliation	Saturday at 9:30am and 5:15pm		
Rosary and Angelus	Saturday before the 9:00am Mass		
Meditation	Tuesday 4pm Convent, 50 Hawthorne Road, Hawthorne.		

### DIARY DATE CLAIMERS 2022

**Tuesday 23 August**  
Carer’s Group meet at 10:00am

**Thursday 25 August**  
Playgroup meet at 9:30am

**Sunday 28 August**  
Social Justice Group meet at 9am

**Tuesday 30 August**  
Sacrament of Confirmation

# PARISH NEWS AND EVENTS

**COVID REQUIREMENTS** – Please continue with routine precautions minimising the risk of transmission -

- Stay home when you are sick
- Maintain good hand hygiene
- Maintain social distancing (1.5m) particularly when queuing for Holy Communion and when entering/exiting the Church.
- Wear a mask when in close contact with others.

## **PLEASE CONTINUE TO SUPPORT YOUR PARISH**

- **Collection Boxes at the church doors** - cash donations
- **Tap and Go device** – pre-set to \$10 donation at the door
- **Give via direct debit or your Credit Card** - please call the parish office or find the form on the website (Quick Links)
- **Direct deposit donation to our bank account** - BSB 064 786 A/C 100016732 (Ref: surname)

Another easy way to support the Parish is by using the Parish Giving App: <http://parishgiving.brisbanecatholic.org.au>



**CHILDREN'S LITURGY of the WORD** is held during the Sunday morning 8am Mass in school terms. After the opening prayer, children will gather together in the Parish Hall to celebrate and learn about the Liturgy of the Word in a way that is engaging for their level of understanding. We encourage young primary school aged children to attend.

This weekend we **WELCOME** Fr David Willis to say Mass with us at 8am Sunday. Please say hello and make Fr David welcome.

## **SOCIAL JUSTICE STATEMENT 2022–2023 RESPECT: CONFRONTING VIOLENCE AND ABUSE**

The Australian Catholic Bishops' Conference statement will be launched at St James' Catholic parish hall, 92 Kirkland Avenue, Coorparoo, **NEXT TUESDAY 23 August at 7pm**. All welcome.

**STS PETER AND PAUL'S COOKBOOK** - the school P&F are creating a wonderful community cookbook. With over 100 recipes so far, they would dearly love some recipes from our Parish community. If you have a family favourite you would like to share please call or email: Katie O'Connell 0413 525 235 [stspcare@gmail.com](mailto:stspcare@gmail.com) Recipes due as soon as you can or by Sunday 4 September at the latest. Cookbooks will be available for purchase mid-November. There will also be advertising opportunities our community businesses, so please make contact with your interest. Thank you for your support.

**PLAYGROUP** – Sts Peter and Paul's Playgroup meet every Thursday morning (during school term) at 9:30am in the Parish Hall. Parents, carers or grandparents with young children are very welcome to come along and enjoy the fun.

**SOCIAL JUSTICE GROUP** will meet next Sunday 28 August after the 8am Mass. Anyone who is interested in social justice issues is very welcome to come along to the Parish Board Room and join in with the group.



## **PARISH SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM 2022**

**CONFIRMATION** (for Children enrolled in program)

**Celebration of Confirmation**  
**Tuesday 30 August**  
5:30pm **OR** 7:30pm



The August **CATHOLIC LEADER** edition is now available at the church doors. Please place \$4 in the poor boxes near the door.

**CARERS' MEETING** for anyone caring for someone with a physical or mental illness on Tuesday 23 August in the Parish Hall at 10am. All welcome.



**A sense of humour is a gift from God. Laughter unites us**  
What do you call a priest in charge of the school play?  
*The spiritual director.*

## **IN THE ARCHDIOCESE**

**VOCATION VIEW:** Will you help gather people to be a part of the Kingdom of God? Pray to be open if God calls you to serve as priest, deacon brother or sisters. (*Isaiah 66:18-21*) Please pray for Vocations. To speak to someone about your vocation please contact Vocation Brisbane on 1300 133 544 or [vocation@bne.catholic.net.au](mailto:vocation@bne.catholic.net.au)

**TWO MINUTE HOMILY** by priests from across the Archdiocese of Brisbane. You are able to watch this week's homily [here](#).

The **ANNUAL GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS** will be celebrated with Archbishop Mark Coleridge on Saturday 24 September at 11:30am at the Cathedral of St Stephen. Those celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary, or more, are invited to attend this special event, together with your family and friends. RSVP please by Wednesday 21 September via email [cathedral@bne.catholic.net.au](mailto:cathedral@bne.catholic.net.au) or Telephone 3324 3030. The Cathedral car park will be available.

## **ANNUAL CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN: 20-21 AUGUST**

We are called to be the face, hands and heart of Christ in our communities. Every day, God showers us with blessings so that we will have gifts to share. Through your kindness and generosity, we unity as a Catholic community to reach out to serve others - the homeless, the marginalised, the elderly, our future priests in formation and families in dire circumstances. The Archdiocese of Brisbane is a vibrant and dynamic Church - nowhere is this more visible than in the cooperative effort of the Annual Catholic Campaign. The Campaign supports vital ministries around South East Queensland and relies on the generosity of our parishioners. *Thank you for your generous support - your gift is precious, and we truly appreciate all you do to grow our community through the Annual Catholic Campaign.*



**Be the face of Christ for others**

We are called to be the face, hands, and heart of Christ in our communities. Every day, God showers us with blessings so we will have gifts to share. Your support serves those in our community who need our care today.

**2022 ANNUAL CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN**  
Our Strengths • Our Mission • Our Generosity

[catholiccampaign.com.au](http://catholiccampaign.com.au)

# MUSIC ON SUNDAY

Today's Readings: Isaiah 66:18-21; Hebrews 12:5-7, 11-13; Luke 13:22-30

## GATHERING HYMN

### ALL ARE WELCOME

Let us build a house where love can dwell  
and all can safely live,  
A place where saints and children  
tell how hearts learn to forgive.  
Built of hopes and dreams and visions,  
rock of faith and vault of grace;  
Here the love of Christ shall end divisions  
*All are welcome, all are welcome,  
all are welcome in this place.*



Let us build a house where love is found  
in water, wine and wheat,  
A banquet hall on holy ground where  
peace and justice meet.  
Here the love of God, through Jesus,  
is revealed in time and space;  
As we share in Christ the feast that frees us:  
*All are welcome, all are welcome,  
all are welcome in this place.*

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## GLORIA

*Glory to God in the highest, and on earth  
Peace to people of good will.*

We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you  
We give you thanks for your great glory.  
Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, only begotten Son,  
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,  
You take away the sins of the world,  
Have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world,  
Receive our prayer.  
You are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us

For you alone are the holy one, you alone are the Lord,  
You alone are the most high, Jesus Christ,  
With the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen

## RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Go out to all the world and tell the good news.

## GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!  
I am the way, the truth and the life, says the Lord.  
No one comes to the Father except through me.  
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

## APOSTLES CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth  
and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, *(all bow)*  
born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell;  
on the third day he rose again from the dead;  
he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand  
of God the Father almighty; from there he will come to  
judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the  
forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body,  
and life everlasting. Amen

## PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Response: Lord, show us your loving kindness

## SANCTUS

Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of hosts,  
Heaven and earth are full of your glory  
Hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest

## MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

We proclaim your death, O Lord, and profess your  
resurrection until you come again.

## LAMB OF GOD

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,  
Have mercy on us.  
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,  
Have mercy on us.  
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,  
Grant us peace.

## COMMUNION HYMNS

### AS GENTLE AS SILENCE

Oh the love of my Lord is the essence,  
Of all that I love here on earth;  
All the beauty I see has been given to me,  
And his giving is gentle as silence.

Every day, every hour, every moment,  
Have been blessed by the strength of his love;  
At the turn of each tide, he is there at my side,  
And his touch is as gentle as silence.

There've been times when I've turned from his presence,  
And I've walked other paths, other ways;  
But I've called on his name in the dark of my shame,  
And his mercy was gentle as silence.

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## RECESSIONAL HYMN

### ALLELUIA! HEARTS TO HEAVEN

Alleluia! Alleluia! Hearts to heav'n and voices raise;  
Sing to God a hymn of gladness, sing to God a hymn of praise  
He, who on the cross as Victim, for the world's salvation bled  
Jesus Christ, the king of glory, now is risen from the dead.

Now the iron bars are broken, Christ from death to life is born  
Glorious life, and life immortal, on this holy Easter morn.  
Christ has triumphed, and we conquer by his mighty enterprise  
We with him to life eternal by his resurrection rise.

Alleluia! Alleluia! Glory be to God on high;  
Alleluia to the Saviour who has won the victory;  
Alleluia to the Spirit, fount of love and sanctity;  
Alleluia! Alleluia! To the Triune Majesty.

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