

NEWSLETTER

The Most Holy Trinity

Congratulations and every blessing go to the young people of the Parish who this weekend receive Holy Communion for the first time. This celebration completes their sacramental initiation into the Church. They share at the table of unity and have the nourishment of Jesus himself for their journey of faith. The Eucharist is often referred to as the Lord's Supper. As the disciples gathered at the last Supper around Jesus so too do we gather with Jesus at the Eucharist. As Jesus instructed the disciples to take and eat his body and drink his blood so too do we receive his body and blood.

It may sound like a bold claim and confronting language which is why the Sacraments make sense if they are part of a lifestyle. If I believe God is constantly showing his love for us and God calls us to respond to that love, then giving the life of his Son for me just fits. Of course, living in this way has plenty of challenges and questions that never seem to have an adequate answer. But, if all is gift, if I entrust my life and the life of others into the hands of this God of unlimited love then even those challenges are a little easier to carry.

May those receiving the Eucharist for the first time and their families experience the love of God in a new and deeper way and may they know that the life and love of Jesus will nourish and feed them always.

God bless,
Fr Kevin

We acknowledge 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 Trish Ryan, Jozo Brdanovic, Michael Bartlett, Colleen Hunter, Harry Callahan **recently deceased and also for** Vince Long, Margaret Linnett, Dulcie O'Connell, Dolores Reyes, Robyn Illett, Bill Hanley, Patrick and Clare Dugger, Kretschmer, McLachlan and Hanly families, Begley and Bourke families, Norman and Katie Timmins, Norman, Patrick and Daniel Timmins, Patrick and Pat Boyle, Karen Baker and Mike West.



Please remember the sick in your prayers – Hazel Langthorne, Remy Rossi, Pete Waldron, Joy Ashworth, Margaret McLaughlin, Anita Xavier, Lance Tutanoa, Roy Hogan, Nicola Fryer and Ray Moresi.

Liturgy and Prayers this Week 27 May – 2 June 2024			
Monday	-	St Augustine of Canterbury	-
Tuesday	-		-
Wednesday	-	St Paul VI, pope	-
Thursday	-		-
Friday	-	The Visitation of Virgin Mary	-
Saturday	9:00am	St Justin	Mass
Sunday	5.30pm(Vigil) 8:00am and 5:30pm		Corpus Christi
	Readings – Exodus 24:3-8 Hebrews 9:11-15 Mark 14:12-16, 22-26		
Reconciliation		Saturday 9:30am and 5:00pm	
Rosary and Angelus		Saturday before the 9:00am Mass	
Meditation		Tuesday 4pm at the Convent, 50 Hawthorne Road, Hawthorne.	

DIARY DATE CLAIMERS 2024

Tuesday 28 May
Carer's meeting – 10am in the hall
Musicians' meeting – 5pm
Sunday 2 June
Family Mass @ 8am
Thursday 6 June
St Vincent de Paul meet @ 6pm in the parish hall
Sunday 9 June
Regis Prayer Service @ 10.30am
Friday 14 June
Drop in Friday @ 10am in the hall

PARISH NEWS AND EVENTS

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>

PARISH SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM FOR 2024

Please mark these important dates in your diary.

CONFIRMATION (Year 3 children)

Parent Workshop sessions

8 August 7pm **OR** 9 August 9:30am



Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible

The Brisbane East Deanery will begin the **Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible** in the week starting the 3rd of June. For more information or to register your interest, please contact Louise Simento at 0456 700 040

SAVE THE DATE – ONE EQUAL MUSIC is Brisbane's professional choral ensemble. They are presenting Double Choir (*Rheinberger & Martin Masses for Double Choir, Schumann Vier Doppelchorige Gesänge*) at Sts Peter and Paul's Church, Bulimba. Friday 21 June at 7.30pm. Wine and nibbles to follow. Tickets available online or at the door [One Equal Music Season Tickets 2024 Tickets, Various | TryBooking Australia](#)

A sense of humour is a gift from God. Laughter unites us.

After explaining the commandment to honour your father and mother, a teacher asked her class if there was a commandment that teaches us how to treat our brothers and sisters.

One boy, the oldest in his family, immediately answered, "Thou shalt not kill."



THIS WEEK'S ACTION

Consider keeping your reusable shopping bags in the back of the card so they are handy at all times.



Parish of Saints Peter and Paul - Bulimba

81 Hills - 298 St Johns
Covers: faith, ritual and worship
together in hope of God's Kingdom -
from the Parish of Sts Peter and
Paul.

DID YOU KNOW? The parish has a Facebook page (**Parish of Saints Peter and Paul – Bulimba**). Please visit and follow the page for the latest updates, faith-filled content, and events in our parish and community!

ARE YOU A CARER? Do you look after someone who lives with disability, has a medical or mental health condition or is frail due to age? You might be young or old, looking after a relative or friend 24 hours a day or just some of the time. If this sounds like you, you are welcome to join with others at the parish carer's meetings, held on the fourth Tuesday of each month. Consider coming to the next meeting on **Tuesday 28 May**, held in the parish hall from 10am-12pm. All welcome.

THE SOCIAL JUSTICE committee will meet today (Sunday 26 May) at 9am in the parish boardroom. All welcome to join in the discussion.

PARISH BAKE STALL - Craving something sweet? Join us after Mass on Saturday 1 June or Sunday 2 June to purchase some lovely homemade baked goods. All proceeds go towards a parish social justice initiative.

THANK YOU - the Hunter family wish to thank Fr Kevin and parishioners for their faith-filled and sensitive celebrations of their much loved wife, mother, sister Colleen. *Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her.*

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AWARENESS VIGIL – you are invited to join a candlelight vigil with Regina Caeli Catholic parish (81 Waverley Road, Camp Hill) on Friday 31 May at 6pm in awareness of Domestic Violence month. Twenty six women (*including six from Queensland*) have died this year from incidents relating to domestic violence. Please join for learning, prayer and action.

IN THE ARCHDIOCESE



A VOCATION VIEW: God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit. When we go out to make disciples of all nations, we have much to tell. God is Lord in heaven above and on earth below. Having received the Spirit that makes you God's children, you are called to proclaim, 'Glory to the Father, to the Son and the Holy Spirit: to God who is, who was and who is to come'. Alleluia! Please pray for vocations. Scan the QR **code** to find out more or contact the vocation office on 1300 133 544 or www.vocationbrisbane.com Follow us on @vocationbrisbane

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

ENCOUNTER CATHOLIC KIDS DAY: CAMP HILL - a special event for primary school aged children. The program runs from 9am-3pm on *Sunday 9 June 2024* at St Thomas', Camp Hill. Facilitated by the Archdiocese's Children and Families group, with morning tea provided. For further details or to book please visit tickets.org.au - [Australia's Premier Ticketing System For Organisations](#)



CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION - this spiritual journey begins at the Cathedral of St Stephen and culminates with benediction. When: Sunday 2 June at 2pm at the Cathedral of St Stephen. Eucharistic Miracles Exhibition, Hanly room, Francis Rush Centre. Overnight adoration beings at 7pm on 1 June at the cathedral. For more details see <https://www.corpuschristibrisbane.com>

POSITION VACANT - Cathedral Parish Executive Officer. This role is responsible for the administrative and organisational aspects of the parish, including the parish office and employment. This role must work cooperatively and collaboratively as part of the parish team with priests, staff and parishioners to ensure the smooth, effective and professional operation of all parish functions. This is a permanent full-time position of 37.5 hours and remuneration will reflect the experience of the successful candidate. For further information please contact the Cathedral Parish team via cathedral@bne.catholic.net.au

MUSIC ON SUNDAY

Readings – Deuteronomy 4:32-34 Romans 8:14-17 Matthew 28:16-20

GATHERING HYMN

GATHER US IN

Here in this place, new light is streaming,
Now is the darkness, vanished away,
See, in this space, our fears and our dreamings,
Brought here to you in the light of this day.
Gather us in the lost and forsaken,
Gather us in the blind and the lame;
Call to us now, and we shall awaken,
We shall arise at the sound of our name.

Here we will take the wine and the water,
Here we will take the bread of new birth,
Here you shall call your sons and your daughters,
Call us anew to be salt for the earth.
Give us to drink the wine of compassion,
Give us to eat the bread that is you;
Nourish us well, and teach us to fashion,
Lives that are holy and hearts that are true.

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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

Happy the people the Lord has chosen to be his own.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!
Glory to the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit: to God
who is, who was, and who is to come.
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, 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, hear our prayer.

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

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we proclaim
your Death, O Lord, 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 HYMN

I HAVE LOVED YOU

I have loved you with an everlasting love,
I have called you and you are mine;
I have loved you with an everlasting love,
I have called you and you are mine.

Seek the face of the Lord and long for him:
He will bring you his light and his peace.

Seek the face of the Lord and long for him:
He will bring you his joy and his hope.

Seek the face of the Lord and long for him:
He will bring you his care and his love.

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RECESSIONAL HYMN

PRAISE GOD FROM WHOM ALL BLESSINGS FLOW

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heav'nly host:
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.

All hail, adored Trinity;
All praise eternal Unity:
O God the Father, God the Son,
And God the Spirit, ever One.

Three Persons praise we evermore,
And thee th'eternal One adore:
In thy sure mercy, everkind,
May we our true protection find.

O Trinity, O Unity:
Be present as we worship thee;
And to the angels' songs in
Light our prayers and praises now unite.

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