



ST. AGATHA'S PARISH

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Fourth Sunday of Easter 24/25 April 2021

Psalm 23:1-3

The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want.
He makes me lie down in green pastures.
He leads me beside still waters. He restores my soul.
He leads me in paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

The fourth Sunday of Easter is known as

Good Shepherd Sunday.

It is also the World Day of Prayer for Vocations. The scripture lessons are about shepherds. Each year on this Sunday we reflect on the image of Jesus as the Good Shepherd, devotedly taking care of his flock.

We offer in sacrifice the lamb that takes away the sins of the world. He who was slain is now our Shepherd. He will lead to springs of living water all who do not reject him.

"The good shepherd is one who lays down his life for his sheep."

25 APRIL - ANZAC DAY

This day marks the landing of Australian and New Zealand soldiers at Gallipoli during the Great War of 1914-1918. It has become a national day of remembrance in which we honour the courage and self-sacrifice of those who have served in all wars, conflicts, and peace-keeping operations.

The liturgy recognises the sacrifice of the fallen, commends them to eternal life, and prays that the justice and peace which they sought to defend may dwell in our lands.

With gratitude saying farewell to Roxy...

Clayfield OSHC Coordinator Roxy Grogan will be heading Outback accepting a role as a Governess for a family in Emerald, Central Queensland, therefore she won't be continuing as the Coordinator of after school care Clayfield.

We appreciate the commitment and dedication shown by Roxy during these years and value the experiences shared with the children that have

attended OSHC and Vacation Care.

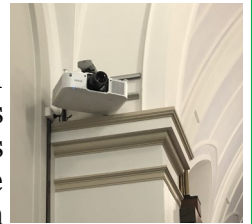
We wish Roxy all the very best for her future endeavor.

New PowerPoint Projector

The new PowerPoint projector is installed. A big thanks to the Finance council for organising and the family who donated towards its purchase.

Holy Mass every Thursday

We will have the celebration of Holy Mass on all the weekdays except Monday. Since Fr Biju has new responsibilities he won't be able to celebrate Holy Mass on Mondays.



Mothers and Children's Holy Mass

On 9th May at 9am, we celebrate the Holy Mass specially remembering all the mothers in our parish and our own mothers. We are looking forward to all the mothers, children and others joining the Holy Mass on this special day. Our children will be giving flowers to all the women in the church after the special prayer of blessing for our mothers. There will be a morning tea following the Holy Mass. This will be organized by the CMC, Clayfield parish.

Children's Liturgy: Children's liturgy will be held next Sunday, 2nd May at 9 am.

Planned Giving Envelopes: They are ready for collection at the entrance of the Church.

First Communion Rite of Enrolment Weekend

This will be held on the weekend of 1st and 2nd of May at any of the Masses. Please bring completed and signed enrolment form to hand in during the Mass. Mass times: Saturday 5pm; Sunday 7am, 9am and 5.30pm.

Baptisms: St Agatha's celebrate baptisms on the 3rd and 4th Sundays of the month. For any further information, please contact the parish office, phone 3262 2859.

Baptismal Joy!!

This weekend we welcome with great joy six new members of Christ's faithful people: Lewis Chaytors, son of Anthony and Shannon Chaytors; Sophia Cooper, Frank Cooper and Oliver Cooper, children of Ryan and Sarah Cooper; Josip Rasic and Tomislav Rasic, children of Paulini Low.

May they always know God's love and the support of this Christian Community.



In our prayers we remember

Those who have died recently:

Faye Komarowski, Dr David Keys, Robert Wiltshire, Noreen Butler, Lex Heinemann, Peter Garlick

Those whose anniversaries occur about now:

Kathleen Delahunty, Jim See, Len Clark, Ross Caruso, Filomena Santillo, Giuseppe Zavaglia, Jane Tate, Jane Guant

And those who are unwell:

Garry Dennien, Joseph Meese, John Hohl, Celso Limas, Lorraine Mary Lamond, Sr Maureen Martin FCJ, Delphine Schulz, Shelley Winter, Margot Gooding, Duncan Pegg, Charlie Richards, Noreen Martin, Kateri Byrnes, Patrick (Paddy) Ryan, Nick Newton, Lauren Carney, Patricia Beveridge, Janice Lewis, Michael Blanchard, Colleen Smythe.

Flynn Crowley, Lyndell Sawyer, Ray Pavey, Michael Cashman, Donald Morrisson, Joseph Tam, Bryan Weaver, Alexander Clark, Rosemary Douglas, Danielle Johnson, Gordon Hodge, Maureen Long, James Elliott, Camille Butler-Storms, Mary Ann Marcelo, Isabel Leddick, Carmel Elms, Helen Orosz, Lisa Bowes, Sophia Horrocks, Mario Di Filippo, Norma Fiore, Joan Healy, Dell McHugh, Ken Kipping, Paul White, Edward Clark, Regina Hwan, Deanne Du Bour, Melissa Waka, Agnes Tam, Kerri Smith, El Purwo, Patrick Gallagher, Hellen Passente.

Reminder to let us know when names are no longer required to be shown on the sick list.

prayer for vocations

Loving God,

With one voice we lift up our hearts to thank you today for our lives, our vocation and all your gifts to us. Inspire us all to know and live our vocation. Give courage to young people, to listen and follow the call, to serve you in the Archdiocese as your priests, religious and lay ministers. Bless us, your family of Brisbane. Help those you call to listen to what your Holy Spirit is saying to us. Guide them to serve in your vineyard, that they may fulfill your holy will and make all things new.

Through Christ our Lord.

Amen



Roster for April/May

DATE	5.00pm	7.00am	9.00am	5.30pm
24/25 Apr	Nik Kure	Jeanine Bygott	Eileen Duncan	Max Van Balen
	Annette Riba	Chris Maher	Joseph Tan	Joel Perkins
1/2 May	Jack Williamson	Karen Birtles		Amelia Marino-Cebulski
	Ann Goves		Joseph O'Brien	

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday 5.00pm

Sunday 7.00am

9.00am

5.30pm

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday 26 April: No Mass

Tuesday 27 April: 9.00am, Rosary: 9.30am

Wednesday 28 April: 9.00am

Thursday 29 April: 9.00am

Friday 30 April: 9.00am

Adoration: 9.30am

You no longer need to

book for any Masses. Simply write your contact details (name and phone number) in the folder provided (marshals will be there to assist you).

Preparing for the next Sunday's Readings

Fifth Sunday of Easter 25 April 2021

Acts 9:26-31; 1 John 3:18-24; John 15:1-8

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Roxanne Grogan

Support St. Agatha's Parish

Your financial support of St Agatha's Church is always appreciated. Ways to financially support your parish:

Direct debit

Place your offerings in the collection plates during the Mass

Planned giving envelopes

The Parish Giving App. Hover the camera on your smart phone over the QR code and tap on the link to the Parish Giving facility.

If you are not part of the Planned Giving Program and would like to contribute via online internet banking, details are as follows: **PLEASE NOTE NEW BANK DETAILS**

Account name: St Agatha's Parish Clayfield
BSB number: 064 786 Account number: 100006157

