



ST. AGATHA'S PARISH

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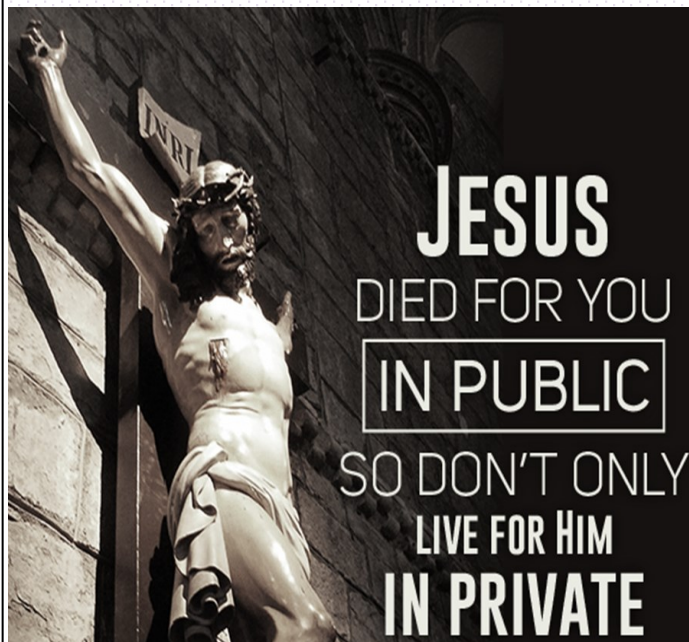
Office Hours: Monday - Thursday: 8.30am-12.30pm and 1.30pm-3.30pm, Friday: 8.30am-12.00pm

Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord 17 April 2022

Hi everyone,

I pray everyone is readying themselves for the Holy Week Liturgies.

Despite the challenges happening across the world, here in Australia, in Brisbane, at Mother of Mercy Parish and St Agatha's Parish, your family or your own life, the **Holy Week Story** is bigger than any of these. It's about Jesus' journey of suffering, dying and raising all to new life in himself. God through his Son finally brings all of us back to him, sin, suffering and death are conquered by Jesus.



This Holy Week I encourage you to take time to reflect and say to God. *Thank you for sending us your Son who through his death has brought me new life.* Say thank you to Jesus that he loved you so much that he took on your burdens and sinfulness and saved you from sin. Bring again all that ails you for he has shouldered this already. **Do you truly believe he has set you free?!**

I pray each of you will recommit yourselves to believing and living completely for the Lord this Easter and for the rest of your life!!

*** **New Date claimer: Pathway for the future meetings.** The revised date of the weekend **will be mid - late May.** We'll give you more details as they come to hand. This will be a series of consultative meeting straight after masses. These meetings will be an opportunity for parish leaders to share our proposal for the future and for you to feedback to us possible solutions regarding these changes. Venues will be confirmed. ***

Here is the Archbishop's Two Minute Easter Sunday Homily -
<https://youtu.be/Pr6fGWy894s>

Have a holy, safe and restful Easter.

Fr Nev, Deacon Peter, Fr Emmanuel and Fr James.



Masks are no longer required but still recommended whenever you cannot socially distance.

This weekend 16/17 April

6.00pm Easter Vigil Fr Emmanuel Ayankudy

7am Fr Emmanuel Ayankudy

9am Fr Nev Yun



Anzac Day Mass

An ANZAC Day Mass will be celebrated on Monday 25th April at 9am. Morning tea will be provided following the Mass. Everyone is welcome.

Dear Parishioners,

As you are aware, the CMC with Fr Nev and Deacon Peter ran a survey to ask you about Mass times recognising the need to discontinue one of our four Masses.

The attendance figures at each of the four Masses showed that the 7am Mass on Sunday morning was consistently the lowest in attendance. The survey also confirmed this with 56% of the 154 parishioners surveyed, identifying the 7am Mass as the one that should be discontinued. The next closest was the 5:30pm Sunday Mass with only 24% of those surveyed suggesting this.

As such, we have now made the decision to discontinue the 7am Mass from 25 April 2022. This means that the final 7am Mass will take place on Sunday the 24th of April.

For all those that usually attend the 7am Mass. We want you to know that we deeply desire to keep you connected in the life of the Parish. We'd love you to join us at one of the other three Masses – 9am/5:30pm on Sunday or else 5pm on Saturday.

Thanks to the 154 people who took the time to fill out the survey and let's be praying for all those who will be transitioning to a new Mass time. If you'd like to discuss this matter further, feel free to make contact with the Parish office so that we can be in touch with you.

As we begin Holy Week, let's consider who we might invite to Mass on the Easter weekend and let's pray that all those who attend the triduum liturgies will experience the faith, hope and love of the one who makes all things new.

Easter Sunday

Happy Easter from all at Caritas Australia!

Caritas Australia would like to **THANK YOU** for supporting Project Compassion 2022. If you still have your Project Compassion box or set of envelopes at home, please bring them back next week or visit lent.caritas.org.au and donate online.



Together, we can help vulnerable communities face their challenges today and build a better tomorrow For All Future Generations. You can donate through Project Compassion donation boxes and envelopes available from your Parish, by visiting lent.caritas.org.au, or by calling 1800 024 413.

Clayfield Parish Sacrament of First Communion 2022 Timetable

*For children who have been baptised and Confirmed
Grade 4 or above*

Parent Information Session

Wednesday 27 April, 2022

10.00am **OR** 6.00pm in the Church

Parent to receive workbook, enrolment form and pay \$60.00 contribution fee.

Rite of Enrolment weekend

Saturday 30th April/Sunday 1st May
(at any of the Masses)

Children to hand in enrolment form.

Book Review

Child + one parent to attend

(completed workbooks to be handed in)

Saturday 21 May 4.00pm in APAC
followed by 5.00pm Mass

OR

Sunday 22 May 10.00am following the 9am Mass

Liturgy of God's Mercy and Practice

Child + one parent to attend

Thursday 26 May 3.30pm

for the Saturday 28 May 5.00pm candidates

Thursday 26 May 4.30pm

for the Sunday 29 May 9am candidates

First Communion Dates

Saturday 28 May 5.00pm Mass

Sunday 29 May 9.00am Mass

Liturgy of God's Mercy and Practice

Child + one parent to attend

Thursday 2 June 3.30pm

for the Saturday 4 June 5.00pm candidates

Thursday 2 June 4.30pm

for the Sunday 5 June 9.00am candidates

First Communion Dates

Saturday 4 June 5.00pm Mass

Sunday 5 June 9.00am Mass

For more information please email

clayfield@bnc.catholic.net.au

Emergency appeal for Ukraine

The Catholic Charity *Aid to the Church in Need* is conducting an emergency appeal to support the Church in Ukraine. Funds are being sent to clergy and religious who are on the ground assisting the people.

Please visit www.aidtochurch.org/ukraine or phone 1800 101 201.

Prayer cards and donation forms can be found at the back of the Church.



DATE CLAIMER

PATHWAY TO THE FUTURE

Revised date mid-late May

An assembly of all parishioners of the parish to hear what is proposed for a future parish pathway. These meetings will outline key timelines, essential aspects of the plan, and provide a feedback loop.

Divine Mercy Sunday

Sandgate/Brighton Catholic Parish

Sacred Heart Church, Sandgate

24 April 2pm-5pm Holy Mass

Exposition - Confession - Consecration

Caplet of Divine Mercy - Veneration of Image

Enquiries: contact Francine 0422 582 451

Congratulations to the winners...

Fr Nev and Eileen Duncan were the lucky winners of our Easter Raffle. A big thank you to Jane Cameron who put our wonderful raffles together, and everyone who helped sell tickets. It was a great community effort with a total of \$400.00 raised.



PRAYER FOR PEACE AND JUSTICE IN UKRAINE

God of peace and justice,
who change the hardened heart
and break the power of violence,
we entrust the people of Ukraine to you.

Protect them in this time of peril;
let them know not death but life,
not slavery but freedom.

You are Father of all;
we are brothers and sisters.

Give us the strength
to live that truth in love,
choosing peace not war.

Through Christ our Lord.

Amen.



Australian Catholic
Bishops Conference

St Agatha's Feast Day Celebrations

Saturday 7 May, 2022

Mass at 4.30pm

Followed by a Disco and BBQ

5.30pm - 8.00pm

Bookings will open soon.



St Agatha's Catholic Primary School



St Agatha's Catholic Parish Primary School, Clayfield

is a community that values:

Excellence, Diligence and Creativity

Applications for 2023: Close 21/04/22

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Email: pcaenrolments@bne.catholic.edu.au



DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

24 APRIL 2022 | 2.15PM

HOLY SPIRIT CHURCH

16 VILLIERS ST | NEW FARM

RECONCILIATION 1.30PM

ROSARY

READINGS FROM

SAINT FAUSTINA'S DIARY

CHAPLET

BENEDICTION

VENERATION OF THE

RELIC OF SAINT FAUSTINA

HOLY MASS

JESUS, I TRUST IN YOU

RELIC OF ST JOHN PAUL II to VISIT BOWEN HILLS PARISH APRIL 24

Our Lady of Victories Parish at Bowen Hills has been incredibly blessed to be given a first class relic of Saint John Paul II.

We invite everyone to receive an individual blessing with this relic at our Divine Mercy celebrations on the day the relic is first received into our Church at:

1 Roche Avenue / 29 Cintra Road Bowen Hills.

Enquiries/RSVP

Email: olv.rsvp@gmail.com

Telephone: 0468 723 724

Sunday 24 April 2022 Adoration from 10.30am (contact us to join roster)

2:00pm Prayers, rosary, music and reflections

3:00pm Hour of Mercy, Chaplet and Benediction approx

4:00pm Mass in English with individual relic blessing.

A first class relic of Sister Faustina will also be present.

Roster for April

Date	5pm	7am	9am	5.30pm
23/24 April	Terry Manso	Andrew Douglas	Jane Arkinstall	Giselle Hossinger
<i>Second Sunday of Easter</i>	Tomos Walters	Kirsty Stevens	Erin Bledsoe	Max Van Balen
Eucharistic Minister 23/24 April	<i>To be confirmed</i>	<i>To be confirmed</i>	<i>To be confirmed</i>	<i>To be confirmed</i>
PowerPoint Clicker 23/24 April	<i>To be confirmed</i>	<i>To be confirmed</i>	<i>To be confirmed</i>	<i>To be confirmed</i>
Collectors 23/24 April	<i>To be confirmed</i>	<i>To be confirmed</i>	<i>To be confirmed</i>	<i>To be confirmed</i>
30 April/1 May	Judy Bartels		Amanda Bell	Amelia Marino-Cebulski
<i>Second Sunday of Easter</i>	Paul Bartels		Hannah Arkinstall	Matthew Crossley

In our prayers we remember

Those who have died recently:

Michael McSweeney, Denise Kennedy

Those whose anniversaries occur about now:

Ross Caruso, Jim Commene, Liam Ballinger, Jean Williamson

Holy Land (Good Friday) Collection April 15th 2022

The annual collection for the support of the church in the Holy Land will take place on Good Friday, April 15th.

This collection promotes the missionary work of the Church in the Holy Land by providing welfare assistance to local Christians in areas such as health, education, employment and housing. Parishes, schools, orphanages and medical centres throughout the Holy Land also rely on assistance from this collection.

Envelopes can be found on the pews and at the front foyer of the Church. Please take one and return on Good Friday or place in box provided at the front foyer or collection plate at any time.

PERPETUAL ADORATION

Mother of Mercy Parish may be blessed after Easter with Adoration of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament every Saturday from 7.30 am to Sunday 8.45 am. The parish requires 50 dedicated Adorers, people committed to at least one hour each Saturday. Currently, we are well short of dedicated Adorers.

Please consider if Jesus is calling you to a special hour of worship with Him in the Sweet Sacrament of Peace, where your restless yearnings will cease and your sorrows all depart. Registration forms are at the back of the Church for completion.

If you can spare an hour with Him, please complete the registration form and email to: clayfield@bne.catholic.net.au. Otherwise please contact Julie Anne 0418193235 or Pat 0411597781.

A Vocation View:

We're no longer nobodies.
Jesus rose from the dead.
He promises to take us to heaven too.
Our Ultimate Vocation: Union with God!



Preparing for Second Sunday of Easter Readings (Divine Mercy)

24 April 2022

Acts 5:12-16; Revelation 1:9-13, 17-19; John 20:19-31

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday 5.00pm

Sunday 7.00am

9.00am

5.30pm

WEEKDAY MASSES

Tuesday 9am

Thursday 9am

Friday 9am



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 or Planned Giving Envelopes or

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:

BANK DETAILS

Account name: St Agatha's Parish Clayfield

BSB number: 064 786

Account number: 100006157



Parish Administration

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Community and Mission Council

Chair: Manus Maher

Aggies Youth: Ewan McPherson

Local Safeguarding Representative:

Catriona McPherson (0456 441 717)

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Phone: 3326 9222

School Principal: Ms Anne-Marie Maw

APRE: Mr Jake Knowles