



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

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time 2 July 2023 (Year A)

Hi all,

The Priestly Ordinations on Thursday was a packed house and a wonderful occasion for the Church in Brisbane. Congrats to our latest Fathers Gerard, Minje and Isaac and their families, friends and communities that have been part of their journey so far and blessings for their future.



Last week I asked communities (where I said Mass) who would like to receive the **Precious Blood** as the Archbishop has approved of both species being available. There were enough of you to warrant putting on one Extraordinary Minister of Communion for it's distribution at Mass. I'll get Fr James to check what numbers are like at St Cecilia's and Northgate this weekend. There are some important protocols to be mindful of. We will be reminding parishioners before communion on the screens and verbally from the priest that if you are unwell or showing symptoms of flu or COVID to refrain from receiving the chalice. The ministers of communion who are distributing the chalice must also feel comfortable in consuming the chalice as well at the end of communion. **We will trial the distribution for next weekend.**



Here's a picture of Anne-Marie (Principal) at the CEO's Sleep-out for Vinnie's a week ago.

I'm away this weekend, doing a Marriage Encounter Live-Out Weekend in Beaudesert. Please keep all the couples and the team in your prayers. Cheers Fr Nev.

Children's Liturgy will resume Sunday 16 July.

Welcome...

This Sunday 2nd July, we welcome **Fr Orm Rush** who will be presiding at the 8am Mass and **Fr John Gillen** at the 5.30pm Mass.

**REGISTRATIONS CLOSE
TUESDAY 11 JULY**

The Sacrament of CONFIRMATION

2. Blessing Masses (and rehearsal after Mass)

For child and parents, 8:00am and 5:30pm
Sundays 16th July and 23rd July
(Date of registrations TBA)

3. Family Sessions for child and parents

Wednesday 26th July and Friday 28th July 3:15pm or 4:30pm
(Date of registrations TBA)

Confirmations shall be Tuesday evening
August 22nd, 2023 (5pm and 7pm)
(Date of registrations TBA)



To receive an enrolment form and to register for interviews online, please email Sandy cantaruttis@bne.catholic.net.au

CATHOLIC
CHILDREN'S
MINISTRY
NETWORK



GRAND PLANS FOR GRANDPARENTS

Celebrating World Day for
Grandparents and the Elderly

Calling all Grandparents!

Join us for a morning to celebrate your important role in sharing faith with the next generation. Be equipped, empowered and inspired to engage with renewed enthusiasm. Connect with fellow grandparents to share and build a supportive community of grandparents on mission together!

Saturday 22 July 9:15 - 11:15 am
Hanly Room, 196 Charlotte St, Brisbane

Cost \$15

Free parking available

Attendees are invited to stay for 11:30am Mass and blessing at St Stephen's Cathedral



Guest Speaker

Robert Falzon, MenAlive Founder

To register, scan or click here by 17 July



A Morning's Prayer - 29th July

by Evangelisation Brisbane

Date:

Saturday, 29 July 2023

Time:

9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Cost: \$25.00

Location: Santa Teresa Spirituality Centre,
267 Wellington Street, Ormiston



To register: tickets.org.au - Australia's Premier Ticketing System For Organisations

The Paraclete

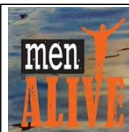
Copies of The Paraclete and the 2023 Prayer Calendar are available at the entrance of the Church. Please take a copy home and pray for our priests, deacons, seminarians and Church leaders. Please take the time to look at our Vocations display as there are other brochures available.



ALPHA

The Alpha team will take a break for a couple of weeks. The 10th session will resume Thursday 13th July @ 6.30-8.30pm in the Parish Centre.

Please contact the Parish Alpha Team via the MoM Parish Office via hendra@bne.catholic.net.au or ph.3268 3040, if you would like to RSVP or know more.



MAX2023 is a National Catholic Gathering of Men that will be held in Brisbane in July 2023.

14th to 16th July. This year's theme is

BEHOLD! Women's College,

University of Queensland, College Rd, St Lucia.
Registrations start from \$150.

Register here:

<https://app.tickets.org.au/MA/MAX2023BNE>



A VOCATION VIEW: Jesus knew that when we are committed to whatever we are doing no obstacle can prevent us from reaching our goal. So, Jesus could say: "If you will not take up your cross and come after me you are not worthy of me."

MENS BBQ

DETAILS

WHEN: MONDAY 10TH JULY

DINNER FROM 6PM

GUEST SPEAKER FROM 7PM

COST: \$10 CASH TO COVER

FOOD & DRINK

[BYO ALCOHOL]

OLHC PARISH

WHERE: CENTRE

(9 BOWMAN ST

HENDRA)

RSVP: WED 4TH JULY

SMS TO JOEL OR BILL

**GREAT FOOD!,
GREAT COMPANY!,
GREAT SPEAKER!**



DADS - BRING YOUR SONS!



FATHER ADRIAN FARRELLY

IS FONDLY REMEMBERED FOR HIS 15+ YEARS SERVICE AT ST AGATHA'S, CLAYFIELD. ALSO A CANNON LAWYER, HE HAS PERFORMED MANY OTHER CRITICAL ROLES IN THE CHURCH. HE WILL BE SHARING WITH US THE INSIGHTS AND WISDOM GAINED FROM OVER 40 YEARS IN THE PRIESTHOOD.



JOEL PERKINS: 0438 241 524
BILL NOTT ON 0418 183 400

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Sunday



A new life in Christ...

A New Life in Christ: Uniting as One People on Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Sunday

Each year, Catholics from all corners of Australia gather on Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Sunday to celebrate the unique gifts and contributions of Australia's First Peoples. This year's theme, "A New Life in Christ" reflects the hope and promise of a brighter future, rooted in unity and shared commitment to positive change.

Catholic Leader promotional points for July 2023

- * Archbishop's view - Welcome to 'Time of the Spirit'.
- * Pope Francis' prayer of intention for July.
- * Pope Francis explains why we make the sign of the cross.
- * Thousands march through CBD for Corpus Christi day.
- * Precious Blood of the Lamb.
- * Bishop Ken Howell ready to take the reins in Toowoomba.

COPIES AVAILABLE FROM NEXT WEEKEND

**Connect
with
Catholic
Mission**

Call for Catholic Mission Ambassador

Join us as a Catholic Mission Ambassador, and you will be our voice and presence during World Mission Month this October 2023 for our annual appeal in a Brisbane parish. You will be:

- * Engaging in mission through prayer, advocacy, and fund-raising.
- * Raising awareness of the work of Catholic Mission in 160 countries around the world, including Australia.
- * Raising funds for mission projects supporting children, communities and church leaders.

Email us on:

brisbane.admin@catholicmission.org.au

for more information.



CEO Sleepout

Thursday 22nd June

I braved the cold and faced a night sleeping rough as part of the CEO Sleepout. Thanks to the amazing support of our community I raised close to \$7,000 to help St Vincent de Paul. The evening was eye opening to say

the least.... Life changing is a more accurate description. In the days leading up to the sleepout I was feeling more and more terrified of a night in the elements... the cold, the isolation and the uncertainty. For me, this was literally one night under very organised and controlled conditions. For thousands this is their reality every night. There were several speakers on the evening, including people who shared their stories of homelessness. I came away with a profound sense of gratitude for what I have and with a new perspective on the crisis facing so many in Australia...

Anne-Marie Maw



ONE EQUAL MUSIC

ROSS EDWARDS - MASS OF THE DREAMING

4MBS *Classic FM*
103.7

CATHEDRAL OF ST STEPHEN CONCERT SERIES 2023

SUNDAY JULY 2 | 3PM

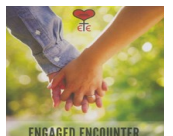
TICKETS AVAILABLE 4MBS
QR CODE BELOW



Engaged Encounter Marriage Preparation Course July 2023

Engaged Encounter will have a live out weekend July 15 & 16, 2023 for couples at Mother of Mercy Parish, Hendra.

For more information kindly go to www.engagedencounter.org.au or email cee.brisbane@gmail.com or call 0481 307 821.



World Wide Marriage Encounter Weekend Dates

13 - 15 October, 2023 - Live-in Weekend, Santa Teresa Spirituality Centre, Ormiston

For more information, contact:

David & Maria Murphy Phone: 0481 307 821

Email: qldbookings@wwme.org.au or

www.wwme.org.au

Roster for July 2023

	8am	5.30pm
2 July	Terry Manso	Catie Kelly
13th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Amanda Bell	Joel Perkins
Eucharistic Minister 2 July		
PowerPoint Clicker 2 July	Bell Family	Tom & Jess Luxford
9 July	Jane Arkininstall	Karen Birtles
14th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Luke Sutton	Max Van Balen

In our prayers we remember

Those who have died recently:

Imacio Pais, Tatania Pais, Richard Seymour, Bob Conn

Those we remember at this time:

Edward Chan, Paul McGuire, Joan Hinson, Brendon Cross, Lysle Killoran

Those who are unwell:

Jane Woodland, David Usasz, Peter Drum, Doubles Daley, Zelda Gilbride, Simon Grisales, Merlene Lisha, Amanda Shea



Sea Sunday 9th July

Next week is Sea Sunday, when the church prays for all those who live and work at sea. As it is dependent on voluntary donations, please give generously. To donate or for more information, visit: www.stellamarisaustralia.org. Funds collected will be used to provide practical and spiritual support to seafarers visiting our ports.



Mother of Mercy Parish - Prayer Engine of the Parish

This prayer group prays for the intentions of the parish and the personal intentions of parishioners.

Prayer intentions can be placed in the special baskets at each of the churches and Parish Office (Hendra).

The Prayer Engine will meet at OLHC Church, Hendra every Tuesday, from 1:00-2:30pm. All are welcome to join in prayer!

Parish Administration

Parish Administrator: Fr. Neville Yun

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Children and Families

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Community and Mission Council

Chair: Matthew Crossley

Aggies Youth: Ewan McPherson

Local Safeguarding Representative: Catriona McPherson (0456 441 717)

Email: lsr.clayfield@bne.catholic.net.au

St Agatha's Catholic Primary School

6 Hunter Lane Clayfield Qld 4011.

Phone: 3326 9222

School Principal: Ms Anne-Marie Maw

APRE: Mr Jake Knowles

Readings for 9 July 2023

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year A)

Zechariah 9:9-10; Romans 8:9, 11-13; Matthew 11:25-30



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: Clayfield Parish

BSB number: 064 786

Account number: 100006157



Mass Times

St Agatha's, Clayfield
Sunday 8.00am

5.30pm

Our Lady Help of Christians, Hendra

Saturday 5.00pm

Sunday 9.30am

St Cecilia's, Hamilton:

Saturday 4.30pm

St John's, Northgate:

Sunday 7.30am

Reconciliation/ Confession:

by appointment

Weekday Masses
St Agatha's, Clayfield

Thursday 9am

St John's, Northgate

Friday 9am

We acknowledge the Turrbal and Jagera people, the traditional custodians of the Land on which St Agatha's is built. We pay our respects to Elders past, present and emerging.

Mother of Mercy Parish Saturday Adoration

The Blessed Sacrament is exposed every Saturday, including holiday times, from 6am-5pm at OLHC Hendra for personal prayer. Entry to the Church is via the Bowman St side door. Please sign in and out. For enquiries, please contact Julie Anne on 0418 193 235 or Pat on 0411 597 781.

Sacramental Coordinator

Chermside Catholic Parish is seeking applications for the position of a Parish Sacramental Coordinator. This is a casual position offering flexible hours.

For more information:

[Careers - Archdiocese of Brisbane](http://careers-archdioceseofbrisbane.org.au)
(brisbanecatholic.org.au)

The Archdiocese of Brisbane has standards of conduct for workers to maintain a safe and healthy environment for children. Our commitment to these standards requires that we conduct working with children checks and background referencing for all persons who will engage in direct and regular involvement with children and young people (0 - 18 years) and/or vulnerable adults. The organisation is fully committed to child safety and has a 0 tolerance to abuse of children or vulnerable adults.

Ignite Conference 23

"Wonder"

21-24 September
St Laurence's College,
South Brisbane

INFORMATION & REGISTRATION

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BRING A GROUP
SPONSOR A DELEGATE
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