



St Edward the Confessor Parish

Established 1978

104 Chatswood Road, DAISY HILL. QLD 4127



Readings: Job 38: 1, 8-11; 2 Corinthians 5: 14-17; Mark 4: 35-41

Next Week: Wisdom 1:13-15; 2: 23-24; 2 Cor. 8:7, 9, 13-15; Mark 21-43

22nd - 23rd June 2024

12th Sunday in ordinary time - B/2

Christ is with us at every moment of our lives



This week's readings reveal a God with power. As God's creatures, the forces of nature listen to and obey the voice of their Creator. Though the storms of fear and doubt may have played more significant roles in our lives during this past year, God's love continues to speak to us with words of calm, as it did to Job (**First Reading**).

It is the love of Christ, not the storm, which 'overwhelms us' (**Second Reading**). This love is shown in the Gospel, when Jesus 'rebukes the wind' and the wind and waves obey. He is revealing something about his divine nature. 'Who can this be?' the disciples are led to ask as they are filled with awe. Their question may also be seeking a faith response in us as well.

Let's begin to ponder our own responses with the help of these scripture passages. Although we may yet be experiencing storms blowing around and within us, let's listen for that strong, yet calm voice, which brings with it peace and security. We may want to pray that the voice of the psalmist may echo throughout our lives in the coming week: 'Give thanks to the Lord, for his love endures forever'.

GOSPEL Mark 4: 35-41 REFLECTION

Taking note of how I am feeling, I move gently into prayer. I pay attention to what I can hear around me – perhaps there is a gale blowing, or maybe all is calm. What can I 'hear' within myself? Do I feel unsettled, agitated? I ask for the Spirit's help and, perhaps, for the grace to trust or for the gift of faith.

I read this very familiar gospel slowly, two or three times. I stop wherever I feel drawn. What am I particularly noticing today? Are there any questions surfacing for me? Perhaps I am struggling with a particular storm in my life at the moment. Or is there something I am afraid of? I ponder.... Jesus questions the disciples' fear and their lack of faith. What might he be asking of me today? How does this make me feel? As I continue to pray, I ask: How might this gospel account apply to me? Do I feel that the Lord is asleep sometimes, and I need to wake him? Can I be honest with him?

In the calm following the storm, the disciples are filled with awe. This leads them to a question of their own: 'Who can this be?' Perhaps I ponder their question myself.

Can I recall times when struggles have led me to a greater realisation of God's presence? ... a deeper understanding of who the Lord is? I remain alongside the Lord, in the calm and the quiet, happy to be with him. When ready, I end with a sign of the cross. I remain in God's love for me and end my prayer slowly: *Our Father ...*

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If you wish to contact any of the above persons please do so through the office phone number or our email address and your message will be passed on.



WE REMEMBER

In our prayers all who have died recently,

*Tangata Matilda Antonia
(Rose George and Rachel Porio's cousin)*

and those whose anniversaries are in this month:

*Jeremy Howard
Cushla Walken
Brian McEnery
George Gibbs
Noela Magee*

Eternal Rest Grant Unto them O Lord
And let perpetual light shine upon them
May they rest in peace. Amen.



PLEASE PRAY

For all our Sick parishioners and family members:

*Armando Bettiol
Ioane (John) Tolu
Iakopo Tolu
Narelle McCarthy
Cheryl Blanco
Emerald Pereira
Samayah Habid
Maria Lourdes Villa
Peter Howard
Francesco Buenavista
(Annabelle's Havelock's brother)
Dan McNamara
Angel Mactal
Sheree Winchester
Ian Littlewood
Jana Bukovska
Elizabeth Camay
Frances Gibbs
Jacques Ellio Telson
Shirley Cumberland
Toni Muir
Felicidad Maniti (Rita Guevarra's Mum)
Patricia Ioane
Maletina Brown
Mary Pereira (Jurobe's Mum)
Margaret Heath
Tess Wijesekera
Anunciacion Buenavista
Dawn Cooper
Terri Eichperger (Helen Scully's twin)
Albert Marzhew
Dianne Redman-Stokes
Winnifreda Postrado
Eva Dillenseger
Jennifer Tecson
Dominic Bryan
Luke Dawson
Teresa White
Dawn Northy
Jastine Tecson*

May you be wrapped up in God's love,
Found deep in His everlasting wings,
Carried and kept, safe and cherished.
May the healing power of Christ
Breathe across your being now."



BAPTISM

We welcome into our Christian Community.

For further information on Baptism please contact Parish Office 3299 2000.

PARISH UPDATE 2024 - *Dates to Remember*

Fr Dan's 50th Anniversary Mass and Celebration

We would like to congratulate Fr Dan on his 50th Anniversary of his Ordination that is celebrated this weekend at the 8:30am Mass. Thank you to the El Shaddai Team and other parishioners who gave very generously to the hospitality. Thank you to everyone who has been involved in making this a very memorable occasion for him.



Fr Leo Burke's 60th Anniversary Mass and Celebration

Fr Leo Burke – our founding Priest at St Edwards will celebrate his 60th Anniversary of Ordination on **Saturday 29th June 2024.**

This is the actual date of his ordination and he is excited to be celebrating Mass at the Cathedral.

He will be the celebrant for Mass at 11.30am to be followed by light refreshments/lunch in the Hanly Room afterwards.

RSVP is required for catering purposes. Please RSVP to Denise Love 0402 654 652 by Mon 24 June 2024. Thank you.



Tuesday 25th June 2024 @ 6:30pm..... Communion Ministers Training

This is a mandatory training for all our communion ministers.

If you are interested in becoming a Eucharist minister please come along to this training.

Thursday 27th June 2024 @ 6:30pm..... Reader's Ministry Training

This is a mandatory training for all our reading ministers.

If you are interested in becoming a Reading minister please come along to this training.

Keep safe and Well.

Fr Joseph



Each year parishes in the Archdiocese of Brisbane take up the Peter's Pence collection as a retiring collection. The collection is to be taken at the Masses over the week end around the Feast of Sts Peter and Paul. Therefore, this year's collection will be taken up

on the **29/30 June 2024.**

The Peter's Pence Collection gives Catholics in Australia an opportunity to join in communion with the Catholic faithful throughout the world in support of the charitable works of the Holy See.

SYNOD24 PRAYER

Creator Spirit, whose breath of life *makes all things new.*

We gather around Your table of communion,
as many parts of one body,
grounded in the hope, joy and mission of the Risen Christ.

We open our minds and hearts,
so we can be nourished and enlivened by Your presence,
ready *to be* the hope, joy and mission of the Risen Christ.

We make space for the many stories of hurt, exclusion and
silence of those within, and on the very edges of our communities,
so we may be *in service* of the hope, joy and mission of the Risen Christ.

As your breath of life flows in us and through us,
may we be a vessel for Your bold creativity
so we may be the *hands and feet* of the hope, joy
and mission of the Risen Christ.

We ask this in the name of the Risen Christ,
Amen.



MASS TIMES 24th - 30th June 2024

Monday, 24 June	Tuesday, 25 June	Wednesday, 26 June	Thursday, 27 June	Friday, 28 June	Saturday, 29 June	Sunday, 30 June
<i>Monday</i> 9:00am Mass <i>The Nativity of St John the Baptist</i>	<i>Tuesday</i> 9:00am Mass	<i>Wednesday</i> 9:00am Mass 9:30am –9:30pm Corpus Christi Adoration	<i>Thursday</i> NO Mass <i>St Cyril of Alexandria,</i> bishop, doctor	<i>Friday</i> 9:00am Mass <i>St Irenaeus,</i> bishop, martyr	<i>Saturday</i> 9:00am Mass <i>Sts Peter & Paul,</i> apostles 6:00pm Vigil Mass	<i>13th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> 7:45am—8:00am Rosary 8:30am Mass 6:00pm Mass

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMME 2024



The following information is for all Grade 4 and above parents and carers.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION MASS - Sunday 18 August 2024 at 10:30am

Grade 4 children and above who are *Baptised* and *Confirmed* are invited to the Sacrament of Eucharist (First Holy Communion). Application forms will be available from St Edwards Parish Website.

Applications Open: Monday 1 July 2024
Applications Close: Friday 12 July 2024 at **3:00 pm**

Rite of Enrolment Mass - Candidates are required to attend **one** of the Masses below to make their commitment to their preparation.

Masses: 6:00 pm Saturday 20 July 2024
or
8.30 am Sunday 28 July 2024

Preparation Session 1: Thursday 1 August 2024
6:00 – 7:00 pm

Preparation Session 2: Thursday 8 August 2024
6:00 – 7:00 pm

Preparation Session 3, God's Mercy Liturgy
(incl 2nd Rite), and Rehearsal:
Thursday 15 August 2024 6:00 - 7:30pm

(Please Note Logan EKKKA Public Holiday 12 Aug, Brisbane EKKKA Public Holiday 14 Aug)

Attendance at Preparation sessions is **mandatory** to comply with the Archdiocesan Policy guidelines. In the event of illness or unforeseen circumstances a Team member will be assigned to meet with the candidate and their parent or carer to ensure preparations are up to date.

The Grade or ages of children are guidelines and the decision is what suits the child/children and your family.

Sacraments are held in St Edwards Church and we encourage you and your child (children) to visit the '*Flame of Faith*' website for an initial understanding of the Sacraments.

General enquiries to Denise Love –
Sacramental Co-Ordinator
deniselove1@optusnet.com.au



Despite the busy nature of this time of the school year, the end of term invites opportunities for thanksgiving and reflection. On the Hill this fortnight, we have seen several events provide quality opportunities for reflection – from liturgies to celebrations of learning. Thank you, teachers, for your efforts in preparing and facilitating these.



SUPPORT YOUR PARISH THANKSGIVING DONATIONS

Thank you so much to all who support our Parish financially.

Weekly budget for our parish... \$4,000.00

Week end 15—16.06.2024

Envelopes:	\$ 495.90
Loose:	\$ 751.70
Direct Deposit:	\$ 375.00
Credit Card:	\$ 20.00
Giving App:	\$ 29.35
Eftpos:	\$ 280.00
Grand Total:	\$1,951.95



Thank you for your support.

The new planned giving envelopes and 'thank you' letters for those who contribute electronically are available on the table at the entrance of the Church.



Children's Liturgy

During 8:30am Mass.



We will be having a break over the school holidays and will recommence on **14 July 2024**.

The term 'Children's Liturgy of the Word' refers to the practice of children leaving the Sunday assembly during the Liturgy of the Word and gathering elsewhere to celebrate a separate Liturgy of the Word that is more appropriate to their level of understanding.


Church Ministers' Rosters for next week 29th - 30th June 2024

	Saturday @ 6:00pm	Sunday @ 8:30am	Sunday @ 6:00pm
Mass Coordinator	Volunteer	Denise Love	Cheryl McCaffery
Welcome Team (at entrance) Commentator (from lectern)	Rose George Volunteer	Brian Ridder Volunteer	Pat McCaffery Volunteer
Parish Choirs	One Himig	Weerasinghe Family Choir	Volunteer
Overhead Projectionist	Rose George	Tim Trainor	Cheryl McCaffery
Communion Minister (Body & Blood of Christ)	Volunteer x 4	Sio Afoa, Denise Love, Samantha French & Volunteer x 4	Patricia Ferrer, & Volunteer x 3
Proclaimers of the Word: 1	Anita Peres	Volunteer	Volunteer
Proclaimers of the Word: 2	Loretta George	Maria Richardson-Beck	Volunteer
Prayers of the Faithful	Volunteer	Volunteer	Volunteer
Hospitality	PPC	PPC	PPC

CORPUS CHRISTI ADORATION

Every Wednesday 9.30am to 9.30pm at
St Edward the Confessor Parish Blessed Sacrament Chapel.
All are welcome to spend time in front of the Blessed
Sacrament any time during these times.

Men's Group Meeting "Getting to the Point"

Men's Group meet 2nd Monday of the month in St Declans.
Next meeting 08.07.2024 @7:00pm.
For information contact: **Ron Ferrall** parish office:
daisyhill@bne.catholic.net.au 



**Safeguarding Children &
Vulnerable Adults**
St Edward's Parish Representative—
Steven Richardson 0401 696 696
Cheryl McCaffery—Assistant
Phone: 07 3299 2000

Full policy can be obtained at:

<https://brisbanecatholic.org.au/support/safeguard/>

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E: AOB@stopline.com.au

Safeguarding Commitment

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The Catholic Church in South East Queensland

The Archdiocese has zero tolerance for all forms of
abuse and is committed to safeguarding everyone
involved in its activities, ministries and services. The
safety and wellbeing of children and adults-at-risk is
paramount.



Care & Concern Home Communion on 24.06.2024



child care services

Outside School Hours Care

T: 07 3208 9470 E: daisyhilloshc@bne.centacare.net.au



Senior Group Update

Mass and Anointing of the Sick on
09th July 2024 @ 9:00am
Join us for Morning Tea afterwards.



July Seniors Lunch

Sunnybank Community & Sports Club
470 McCullough Street, MacGregor
Numbers to Noelene by Thursday 25th July.
Meet at the church at 11:15am if you require a lift.

ALL WELCOME

Contact: Noelene Magee Mobile: 0409 261 639

Email: daisyhill@bne.catholic.net.au

If you are new to the Parish or are visiting, *Welcome!*

We are glad you have come to share Eucharist with us
today. Please leave your details with the parish office on
3299 2000 so that our Parish Priest and a member of
our Parish Pastoral Council can
reach out to you with a formal
welcome.

Thank you.



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PRIVACY PRINCIPLES.** Archdiocesan Website www.bne.catholic.net.au or www.stedwardsdaisyhill.org.au
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