

PARISH MEETINGS:

PPC Meeting: Alternate Thursdays - 7pm. **Wings of Freedom Prayer Group:** Tuesdays - 7.30pm - 9pm
Immaculata Apostolate: 2nd & 4th Monday of the Month – 9:15am – 10:15am
Legion of Mary: Thursdays – 4:30 - 6pm **Church Choir:** 3rd Monday of the Month - 8pm
St. Vincent De Paul: 1st & 3rd Tuesday of the Month - 5.30pm - 6.30pm
Perpetual Help Novena Group: Wednesdays - 6pm **Youth Group:** First Friday of the Month 7pm - 9pm

LITURGY ROSTER **13 October 19** **20 October 19**

VIGIL (Sat 6pm):

Sacristan/Leader:	Ron Caldwell	Justin McErlean
Welcome:	Marie Caldwell	Yvonne McErlean
Readers:	Ron Caldwell	Justin McErlean
Offertory:		Justin & Yvonne McErlean
Extra-ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:	Ron Caldwell	Yvonne McErlean, Theresa Nicholas

SUNDAY 9am:

Sacristan/Leader:	Mick Pyke	Ron Jones
Welcome:	Maree & Mick Pyke	Anne & Ron Jones; Lyn Jones; MJ Tully
Readers:	Mick Pike; Denise Orton Paul Lucas	Anne & Ron Jones; Lyn Jones, Carmen English
Offertory:	Michelle & Olivia Bannerman	English family Lyn Jones
Extra-ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:	Maree & Mick Pyke;	Ron & Anne Jones; Lyn Jones; Judy Eagle
Morning Tea:	Maree Pyke; Denise Orton; Michelle Bannerman	Carmen English & MJ Tully

SUNDAY 5.30pm:

Sacristan/Leader:	Ellen Morosini; Beatrice Lucas	Ellen Morosini; Beatrice Lucas
Readers:	Michael Taylor, Ellen Morosini	Michael Taylor, Ellen Morosini
Extra-ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:	Beatrice Lucas, Grahame O'Brien	Beatrice Lucas, Grahame O'Brien

PLEASE PRAY FOR: Recently Deceased: Nessie Ryan.



Our Sick: Fr Kerry Costigan, Fr Murray, Oscar Javier, Helen George, June Rasmussen, Ava Bateman, April Hitzke, Margaret Lewis, Therese Fitzpatrick, Clayton Herron, Dulcie Carey, Mabel Saad, Yvonne King, Joseph Stafford, Paul Stanley Holmes, Theresa Hansen, Alfredo Bumatay, Alfredo Yap-Buzon, Barry Hart, Christine Barron, Kevin Prior, Pauline Mary, Kath Logan, Brendan Blatchly, Wendy Heffernan, Angela Eastwood, Kevin Swain, Tania Smith, Tony & Mary Lukie, Graham Ryan, Betty Carr, Baby Austin Bliesner, Baby Joseph Giumelli, Greg Long, Carmel Burke, David Armstrong, Matthew Ryan, Louise Nutt, Geraldine Erato, Killian Scherger, Kateri Byrnes.

ROSARY FOR RAIN: Given the great need for rain, a Rosary for Rain will be held each Sunday afternoon until further notice. Holy Name Catholic Church at 2pm. Refreshments afterwards.



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Masses: Sunday: Vigil (Sat) 6pm, 9am, 5.30pm **Mon, Weds & Fri:** 6.30am

Tues: 6.30am, 12.10pm **Thurs:** 6.30am, 2pm (School Term) **Sat:** 8.30am

Eucharistic Adoration: **Mon – Fri:** 5am - 6.30am (including the Angelus & Morning Prayer)

Tues: CONTINUOUS 24 hours from 6.30am Mass to Wed 6.30am Mass

First Friday: 7am - 8.30am Mass Sat (for the sanctity of life)

Second Friday: 7am - 7pm with a Mercy Hour 7pm – 8pm

Other Fridays: 7am - 7pm 12 hours

Sacrament of Reconciliation: **Sat:** 8am, 5.30pm

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13 October 2019

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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GOD CHOOSES TO SAVE US

Today’s Gospel narrates the story of the ten lepers cured by Jesus. Only one—a Samaritan and therefore a stranger— returns to Jesus and gives thanks. Thus, to glorify God is to do it through Jesus. For it is through his Son Jesus that God chooses to save us.

POPE FRANCIS



A community that cherishes the little details of love, whose members care for one another and create an open and evangelizing environment, is a place where the risen Lord is present, sanctifying it in accordance with the Father’s plan. There are times when, by a gift of the Lord’s love, we are granted, amid these little details, consoling experiences of God. “One winter night I was carrying out my little duty as usual... Suddenly, I heard off in the distance the harmonious sound of a musical instrument. I then pictured a well-lighted drawing room, brilliantly gilded, filled with elegantly dressed young ladies conversing together and conferring upon each other all sorts of compliments and other worldly remarks. Then my glance fell upon the poor invalid whom I was supporting. Instead of the beautiful strains of music I heard only her occasional complaints... I cannot express in words what happened in my soul; what I know is that the Lord illumined it with rays of truth which so surpassed the dark brilliance of earthly feasts that I could not believe my happiness”. (Gaudete et Exsultate #145)

RESPONSORIAL PSALM – The Lord has revealed to the nations his saving power.
GOSPEL ACCLAMATION – Alleluia! Alleluia! For all things give thanks to God, because this is what he expects of you in Christ Jesus. Alleluia!

'IMMACULATA' PIETY STALLS:

Next Piety stalls at the 9am Masses –20th October and 10th November, Orders can be taken at any time.
Contact: Ann: 043 242 1962 or Flora: 040 163 5168

PARISH SURVEY:

The Parish Pastoral Council conducted a Parish Survey during the month of August.
If you have not completed your Survey yet, please obtain a copy of the Survey for completion, forms are on the table in the Church Foyer and place completed Surveys in the box labelled 'Parish Surveys'.

'CALL TO HOLINESS' SILENT REFLECTION DAY WITH FR. EDGAR:

Thurs 17 Oct at Sacred Heart Church commencing at 10am with Holy Mass and concludes at 3.30pm with afternoon tea. Please bring own lunch. Tea, coffee and water provided.

THEME: "Lord, Teach us to Pray."

All Welcome. See Flyer on the Notice Board

DIOCESAN PASTORAL PLAN MEETING:

Sunday 20th October at 10:30 – 11:30 in the Meeting room TOPIC: "Creating a Safe and Welcoming Church"
Your views are important.

We will discuss how we will:

- Build relationships through improved communication and collaboration within and amongst parishes, deaneries and all diocesan agencies
- Develop a culture of listening and 'seeing' people where they are
- Listen to all with respect, particularly the vulnerable and marginalized
- Affirm the dignity and ensure the safety of all, mindful of the recommendations of Catholic Professional Standards Ltd (CPSL) and other official bodies.

ALL SAINTS DAY:

Sunday the 27th October, after the 9am Mass, Sacred Heart Parish will celebrate our annual All Saints' Day. Parishioners are encouraged to dress up in their favourite saint's costume. There will be lots of activities for the kids to participate in with the various saint booths. So come and join us as we celebrate and give thanks to our brothers and sisters in the Church Triumphant.

FR ROQUE'S LEAVE

Fr Roque will be on leave from Monday 7th October until 21st October.

Fr Edgar will say Mass from Saturday night 6pm 12th October and will be with us for 2 weeks.

We wish Fr Roque a safe and enjoyable trip to Nashville.

Fr Roque has been in contact – he is enjoying his holiday with many new sights to see and adventures to be had.


THE BOOK OF THE GOSPELS

The Book of the Gospels is the visible sign of Jesus Christ the Word of God. It, therefore, ranks first among the sacred objects which come after the chalice and paten. Because it represents Christ Himself it should be a truly beautiful object. It is carried in the entrance procession and enthroned on the Altar. During the Gospel Acclamation, it is carried in procession from the Altar to the Ambo (lectern) – this is to represent our common mission of proclaiming the Gospel to all creation.

OCTOBER IS THE MONTH OF THE HOLY ROSARY:



October is the month of the Holy Rosary. Aid to the Church in Need (ACN) is hosting a prayer campaign on 18 October "One Million Children Praying the Rosary." The prayer initiative invites teachers, priests, parents and grandparents to pray the rosary together with children for peace and unity around the world. Information - www.millionkidspraying.org.



DO NOT FEAR for I am with you

On October 26th & 27th our parish will be holding the annual Catholic Mission Church Appeal. This year we are invited to partner with the Church in Ghana.

In line with traditional beliefs, in parts of Ghana, children born with a disability, or whose mother passes during childbirth, are considered to be 'spirit children', and thus at risk of being harmed or killed. The Church in Ghana is dedicated to protecting these children and educating families to ensure every child has a chance to live a full life. During the Appeal you will learn more about Sister Stan and the Nazareth Home for God's Children, which is leading these efforts in the diocese of Yendi

You will be offered the opportunity to personally partner with the Church in Ghana as a monthly giving partner, with all gifts specifically directed to life-saving projects for children in need – please come prepared to give generously.

Freecall: 1800 257 296 catholicmission.org.au/Ghana

THE MISSIONARY SISTERS OF ST PETER CLAVER

The Missionary Sisters of St Peter Claver are holding their "Rare and Beautiful Variety Sale" on Saturday 26th October at 71 Margaret St TOOWOOMBA, 6.30am to 12 noon. All funds go to assist the missions.

PRAYER AND FASTING FOR THE PAN-AMAZON SYNOD:

Some of you may be aware that a Synod has been called in Rome to discuss the specific challenges of the Church in the Amazon Region (Synod of Bishops for the Pan-Amazon Region). Some concerning elements have been added to the discussions at this Synod. We urge anyone able to offer prayer and fasting, that those who wish to lead the Church into error be thwarted in their attempt. The Synod on the Amazon begins on Sunday 6 October and ends on 27 October. For more information watch EWTN News (ewtn.com) or read the National Catholic Register (ncregister.com).



DATE CLAIMERS:

- **CATECHUMENATE WORKSHOPS: CONVERSATIONS WITH NICK WAGNER:** Date: **8/10/19** Tuesday & **12/10/19** Saturday; **Time:** 7:00pm & 9:00am; **Where:** Brisbane (see flyer for venue details)
- **PREGNANCY AND INFANT LOSS** remembrance day - memorial service
Date: 15/10/19 Tuesday **Time:** 7:00pm **Where:** Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Cost: See flyer for details
- **BECOMING SOUL FULL:** A Retreat for Catholic Women; Date: 21-23/10/19 Where: James Byrne Centre, Highfields Cost: See flyer for details
- **INTERNATIONAL INTERFAITH PEACE CONFERENCE 2019** Program: **Date:** 29 & 30/11/19 9am –5pm both days. Where: St Patrick's Cathedral Centre, Neil St, Toowoomba, Cost: Free
- **AUSTRALIAN CATHOLIC YOUTH FESTIVAL: 8-10/12/19 @** Perth Convention and Exhibition

