

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 2 February 2020

VIGIL (Sat 6pm):

Sacristan/Leader:	Winton Thorley
Welcome:	Maureen Thorley; Arliyah Harnett
Readers:	Winton Thorley;
Offertory:	Maureen Thorley; Arliyah Harnett
Extra-ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:	Maureen & Winton Thorley

SUNDAY 9am:

Sacristan/Leader:	Kev Collins
Welcome:	Mary Yu-Yap
Readers:	Pamela Pedernal Anna-Maria McGregor Veronica Buckley
Offertory:	Ali Pedernal, Mary Yu-Yap
Extra-ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:	Kev Collins Judy Eagle
Morning Tea:	Emilie Yu-Yap

SUNDAY 5.30pm:

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

YOUTH GROUP:

Will meet First Friday 7th February 7pm to 9pm, in the All Seasons Function Centre for Fellowship, Games, Praise and Worship. Pizza and water provided. You are invited to attend Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in the Church after youth group.

FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION: This coming Friday, 7th February is the first Friday of the month so there will be 25-hour adoration. Please check your rostered time. Parishioners are encouraged to come and spend time with the Lord.

FIRST WEDNESDAY NOVENA

The Novena to Our Mother of Perpetual Help will be held in the Church this coming Wednesday, 5th of Feb at 6 pm. All are welcome to attend.

PLEASE PRAY FOR: Our Sick:
 Helen George, June Rasmussen, Ava Bateman, Therese Fitzpatrick, April Hitzke, Clayton Herron, Joseph Stafford, Oscar Javier, Dulcie Carey, Theresa Hansen, Mabel Saad, Yvonne King, Brendan Blatchly, Alfredo Bumatay, Christine Barron, Jim McHugh, Alfredo Yap-Buzon, Kevin Prior, Pauline Mary, Geraldine Erato, Kevin Swain, Tony & Mary Lukie, Tania Smith, Paul Stanley Holmes, Baby Austin Bliesner, Baby Joseph Giumelli, Greg Long, Carmel Burke, Matthew Ryan, Louise Nutt, Killian Scherger, Kateri Byrnes,



SACRED HEART PARISH, TOOWOOMBA

Incorporating North - West Toowoomba, Wilsonton, Cotswold Hills, Gowrie, Kingsthorpe
Cnr. Tor & North Street, Wilsonton
PH: (07) 4634 8488
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Masses: **Sunday:** Vigil (Sat) 6pm, 9am, 5.30pm **Mon, Weds & Fri:** 6.30am
Tuesday: 6.30am, 12.10pm **Thursday:** 6.30am **Saturday:** 8.30am
Eucharistic Adoration: **Mon – Fri:** 5am – 6.30am (including the Angelus & Morning Prayer)
Tuesday: CONTINUOUS 24 hours from 6.30am Mass to Wednesday 6.30am Mass
First Friday: 7am – 8.30am Mass Saturday (for the sanctity of life)
Second Friday: 7am – 7pm with a Mercy Hour 7pm – 8pm **Other Fridays:** 7am – 7pm 12 hours
Sacrament of Reconciliation: **Saturday:** 8am, 5.30pm
Office Hours: Monday & Thursday 9am – 3:30pm; Tuesday & Friday 8am – 4:30pm
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2 February 2020 Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A

Mary, present me to the Lord, who is the Light of the World.

The Feast of the Presentation of the Lord has a long and rich history, and has been known by several other names. In the early Church, it was called the Feast of the Encounter. More recently, up until the revision of the liturgy after Vatican II, the Feast was known as the Purification of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Another popular name for the Feast is Candlemas, referring to the tradition of blessing candles on this day and carrying them in procession. This practice was inspired by the words of Simeon, who proclaims in his canticle that Jesus is “a revealing light to the Gentiles.” The ceremony of the blessing of candles normally takes place at the beginning of the Mass. In 1997, St John Paul II also named February 2 as the annual World Day of Consecrated Life. Simeon and Anna exemplify those who consecrate their lives to the Lord in prayer and selfless service. The Pope explains that “the Presentation of Jesus in the Temple” is an eloquent icon of the total offering of one’s life for all those who are called to show forth in the Church and in the world, by means of the evangelical counsels, the characteristic features of Jesus – the chaste, poor and obedient one.”

SACRED HEART SACRAMENT DATES 2020

(Year Three, eight years and above)

Term One – Reconciliation

Friday 21st Feb – Parent Info night, 6pm
Sunday 23rd Feb - 1st lesson
Sunday 1st March – 2nd lesson
Sunday 8th March – 3rd lesson
Sunday 15th March – 4th lesson
Sunday 22nd March – 5th lesson (plus Practice)
Monday 23rd March – First Reconciliation, 6pm

Term Two – Confirmation

Friday 8th May – Parent Info Night, 6pm
Sunday 10th May – 1st lesson
Sunday 17th May – 2nd lesson
Sunday 24th May – 3rd lesson
Sunday 31st May – 4th lesson
Sunday 7th June – 5th lesson (plus Practice)
Monday 8th June – Confirmation ceremony
7pm with Bishop McGuckin

Term Three – First Holy Communion

Sunday 26th July – 1st lesson
Sunday 2nd August – 2nd lesson
Sunday 9th August – 3rd lesson
Sunday 23th July – 4th lesson
Sunday 30th August – 5th lesson (plus Practice)
Sunday 6th Sep - First Holy Communion at 9am

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL PRIORITIES FOR 2020:

(PP KG = Pastoral Plan Key Goal)

- Sacred Heart Parish Overview Chart (based on the Diocesan Plan)
- Sacred Heart Pastoral Plan for June '18 – June '23
- Parish Pastoral Council Guidelines (PP KG Pastoral Leadership)
- Liturgy Committee Guidelines – Review (PP KG Liturgy)
- State School Catechesis Program for 2020 (PP KG Spiritual Development)
- Ministries Guidelines - Readers; Altar Servers; Sacristan; Eucharistic Ministers of Holy Communion (PP KG Liturgy)
- Liturgical Ministries Formation (PP KG Liturgy)
- Parish Office Review (PP KG Leadership – Financial)
- Sacramental Program (PP KG Spiritual Development)
- Parish Visitations (PP KG Social Justice/Outreach)
- Family Sundays (PP KG Family Engagement)
- Recruiting and training of female altar servers (PP KG Liturgy)
- Improve working relationships with the Diocesan staff
- Safeguarding Children and Vulnerable Adults Compliance (PP KP Creating a Safe and Welcoming Church)
- Care and Concern Team (PP KG Social Justice/Outreach)
- Bereavement Team (PP KG Social Justice/Outreach)

FINANCE COMMITTEE:

Peter Harbort has been appointed temporary Part Time Parish Secretary. We welcome him to the position.

THE LEASE FOR ALL SEASONS FUNCTION CENTRE HAS EXPIRED.

Any bookings or queries relating to the Function Centre are to be through Sacred Heart Parish.

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2020 LENT & HOLY WEEK

ASH WEDNESDAY – 26 February 6:30am and 12:00 midday Masses

PALM SUNDAY – 5 April Saturday Vigil – 6:00pm Mass

Sunday – 9:00am and 5:30pm Masses

HOLY THURSDAY – 9 April MASS OF THE LAST SUPPER – 7:00pm

GOOD FRIDAY – 10 April STATIONS OF THE CROSS – 10:00am

PASSION OF OUR LORD – 3:00pm

Confession 10am - 11am

SATURDAY – 11 April EASTER VIGIL – 7:00pm

EASTER SUNDAY – 12 April 9:00am and 5:30pm Masses

Stations of the Cross every Friday of Lent: 28 Feb/ 6, 13, 20, 27 March/ 3 April 7pm

RECONCILIATION

✠ every Friday of Lent: 7:30pm

✠ Saturday: 8:00am and 5:30pm

BEQUEST

“Sacred Heart Catholic Parish would like to acknowledge the very generous bequest from the Estate of Betty Marie Steiner-Wilkin, a past parishioner. The bequest will support the mission of the Church at Sacred Heart Catholic Parish.”

LINDY CHAMBERLAIN-CREIGHTON SPEAKING IN TOOWOOMBA.

Lindy Chamberlain Creighton will be speaking in Toowoomba at the invitation of the Missionary Sisters of Service and their mission organisation Highways and Byways – a Community of Service. She will share her story “A Personal Journey of Faith” at St. Theresa’s parish centre, cnr. Campbell and Curzon Sts. on **Sunday 8th March**. Arrive at 1.30 for a 2pm start. Cost \$25, includes afternoon tea.

Pay at the door - cash preferred. The lecture is open to all who are interested.

At this same gathering Bishop Bill Morris will also launch a book of the letters of the founder of the Missionary Sisters of Service, Fr. John Wallis: “Dear Mother, Dear Father”.

Bookings required. RSVP before 28 Feb. 4634 9786 or email marycleary5@bigpond.com

THE FUNERAL FOR GUIDO MATTIAZZI

The funeral for Guido Mattiazzi will be at 11am on Wednesday 5 February at St Peter’s Church, 28-32 Elizabeth St, Coolum Beach. Coolum is part of the Maroochydore Parish (07 54433488).

Guido celebrated 12 years of priestly ministry with the Parish communities of St Patricks’ Cathedral Toowoomba, Stanthorpe, Dalby, Charleville and Dirranbandi. Guido celebrated 35 years of married and family life with Margaret. All are welcome

BUS TRIPS MARIAN VALLEY

Tuesday 11th Feb. OLOL Healing Mass and RELICS, ST. Teresa & Her parents on Saturday 15th Feb.

Buses for both days depart Neil St. outside St. Patrick’s Cathedral at 7:30 am. Cost \$25. For bookings contact Theresa on 0434 528 904