

The Parish Community of St Thérèse and St Anthony

The Little Flower Church - In the care of the Franciscan Friars

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RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4.00 - 4.30 pm

WEEKEND MASS TIMES

Saturday (Vigil) 5.00pm

Sunday 7.30am, 9.30am & 5.30pm

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

Monday NO MASS and Tuesday 8.00am

Wednesday 9.00am

Thursday 8.00am and Friday 8.00am

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Thursday: For 24 hrs after the 8am Mass
until the start of Friday 8am Mass

ANOINTING OF THE SICK MASS

1st Wednesday of the month at 9.00am

BAPTISMS

2nd and 4th Sunday of the Month at 11.00am

(unless of another event that day)

(Booking is essential)

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

1st, 2nd and 3th Sunday of the Month - 9.30am

(School Term Only)

FAMILY MASS

4th Sunday of the Month at 9.30am

(School term only)

ST VINCENT de PAUL SOCIETY

2nd and 4th Monday of the Month at 7.00pm

(Parish Office)

SAFEGUARDING REPRESENTATIVE

Mrs Sandra Di Francesco

Ph: 0448 356 599

Holy Trinity — 4th June 2023 (YEAR A)

**The Parish Office will be closed on the
TUESDAY 6th June 2023.
The staff will be attending an
Archdiocesan Professionals Day for all parishes**

Reflection...

Years ago I was asked to take a parish-based catechetics class for children from a government primary school. I started by trying to work out how much the children knew about the basics. I asked, 'When we make the sign of the cross, what do we say?' 'Father, Son and Holy Spirit' came the firm reply. So far so good! I tried upping the bar. 'What do we call the Father, Son and Holy Spirit?' There was complete silence. I tried another track. 'What do you think of when you make the Sign of the Cross?' There was an awkward silence and then a bright little boy cheerily said, 'The old man, the young fella and the bird!'

No one can blame those children for the poverty of their images of the Trinity. Many older Catholics have similar images from paintings and holy pictures. The mystery of the Trinity means that in whatever way we portray God as Father, Son and Spirit it will always be inadequate and incomplete. No one has ever seen God or the Holy Spirit. No one has a portrait of Jesus. All the images and words we use for the Trinity are more a reflection of our faith than the final word about God. God is always more than any name we use or any concept we have. The special insight into God we celebrate today is that relationships are at the very centre of who God is.

It took the early Christians four hundred years to fully grasp what Jesus was on about when he spoke of his relationship to the Father and Spirit. They struggled to understand how and why God would have three faces and yet exist as One Being – love as One, act as One. They settled the 'how' of the Trinity's nature by teaching us that the persons of the Trinity are co-equal, co-substantial and co-eternal. They settled the 'why' of the Trinity by reflecting that their experience of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit was an encounter of love. They knew the core of God was not an idea or a principle, but was a loving relationship. Furthermore, the early Christians knew that they were invited into this relationship.

What was true for them is true for us. Think about this for a minute: we believe that the God who creates, redeems and sustains the world seeks us out and invites us into a loving relationship. This is what gives us our greatest dignity and urges us on to share this message with everyone we meet. What a privilege! What an invitation! What a God!

It also follows that if relationships are at the core of God then, for those of us who accept the invitation into the Trinity's embrace, relationships are meant to be our core business too. We are not to be isolated believers or private disciples. The degree to which we understand today's feast will be shown in the care we take in our many and varied relationships, be they social, intimate, professional, civic or international.

Every time we do anything to form new and good relationships, mend those which are broken, help other relationships to be deeper and richer or just enjoy the ones we have, we discover one thing: Trinity Sunday is a moveable feast.

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"We acknowledge the Turrbal and Jagera People in Brisbane, and the Gubbi Gubbi People at Pomona as the traditional custodians, past, present, and emerging, of the land and waters where Kedron Parish stands. We pay our respects to them".

**PARISH EVENTS
THIS WEEK**

Monday 5 June

NO Mass

Taekwondo 4.30, 5.45 & 7.00pm
SVdP Meeting 7.00pm

Tuesday 6 June

(PARISH OFFICE CLOSED)

Mass 8.00am

Rosary after Mass

Samaritans 9.30am

Wednesday 7 June

Anointing Mass 9.00am

MASS Delamore 4:45pm

Thursday 8 June

Mass 8.00am

**24hr Perpetual Adoration
Encounter 6.00pm**

Friday 9 June

Mass 8.00am

Intercessory Prayer Group 8.30am

**Christian Meditation 9.00am
(Delamore)**

Padua Mass 10.50am

Confirmation Evening 5.00pm & 7.00pm

Saturday 10 June

Baptism 11.00am

Reconciliation 4.00pm

Vigil Mass 5.00pm

Sunday 11 June

Mass 7.30am, 9.30am

Baptisms 11.00am, 11.45am & 12.30pm

Mass 5.30pm

Please pray for our recently deceased:

Pam Byrne, Cecile Falvey, Mem Oliver, Loraine Therese Towne, Lidia Ferro, Gabrielle Emery-Reece (Sullivan), Giovanni Danato, and those whose Anniversaries occur about now:

John Vanderbyl, Paul Lynch, Noel and Connie Peach, Roy and Vera Jarrett, Joyce Swanson, Ludovico and Luz Vargas, Bill Cable, Angus Robertson, Jack Hennessy, Rocco Raineri, Catherine Purcell, Valma Ihle, Ron D'Arx, Peter Moran, Gail Purcell, Doreen Purcell, Peter Moran

And for those who are sick:

Anna Shiraze-Knight

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS:

Body and Blood of Christ
11 June 2023 — Yr A

1st Reading - [Dt 8:2-3, 14-16](#)

2nd Reading - [1 Cor 10:16-17](#)

Gospel - [Jn 6:51-58](#)

The Samaritan Community

Tuesday Morning Activities, is a morning of activities, games, laughter and sharing which everyone enjoys. Thank you from on behalf of the Samaritan Committee.

Thank you to everyone who joined us last Saturday night at the parish hall to help celebrate the 100th anniversary of the first laying of the Foundation stone. It was wonderful to see the lovely food and sweets that our parishioner bought to share but more importantly how our parish community loves getting together.



Experiencing God's Love and Light through the Spirituality of St Clare of Assisi

Hosted and Facilitated by: Grace Harwood of Dragonfly Ministries
When: Friday 30 June at 6pm – Sun-

day 2 July at 3pm

Where: Santa Teresa Spirituality Centre, Wellington Street, Ormiston
Cost: \$380 (\$350 for concessions) includes all accommodation, meals (an additional fee for special diets), resources, spiritual direction and facilitation.

To register or enquire: grace@dragonflyministries.net.au or 0409 524 283

To receive the Parish Newsletter and other resources by email, please print your details here, tear off this section, and drop it in the suggestion box at the church door .

Name: _____ Email: _____

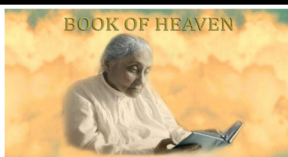


Confirmations

Next Friday night we warmly welcome Bishop Ken Howell who will celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation with 150 children of our parish and their families. Please pray for these children as they are Confirmed and Anointed with the Holy Sacred Chrism. May they be good witnesses to the love of Jesus for all.

Anointing Mass

This Wednesday 7th June at 9.00am Mass everyone is invited to an Anointing Mass. The Anointing of the Sick is a sacrament for those whose health is impaired by sickness or old age. It is a source of healing for the sick rather than the final act of the church for the dying. The Sacrament enables the sick or the aged person to be anointed with the oil of the sick, to experience the healing and strength of Jesus Christ and to be supported by a praying community. Do you know someone who would appreciate attending the anointing Mass? Perhaps you might invite them and assist them with transport. All are welcome



DIVINE WILL CONFERENCE

Speakers : Father Emil Milat and Geraldine Ryan

Date: 10th July 2023

Place: Lavalla Centre,

58 Fernberg Road, Paddington. Qld.

Please RSVP by 3rd July, 2023

Rosemary 0418738551; rosemarydowling@hotmail.com

or Sue 0419731780; suedaley@gmail.com

Cost: \$25 per person includes lunch. Please notify us if you have dietary restrictions

Direct transfer into Society account BSB 064-480 Acct No. 10435169

TERM 2 ENCOUNTER

This term we're diving into the sacraments and how and why God speaks to us through them. Join us and the gang for food, awesome music and a chance to chat and ask questions!

WHEN: THURSDAYS
6:30PM - 8:30PM
WHERE: LITTLE
FLOWER CHURCH
HALL



8TH OF JUNE
**HOLY
ORDERS AND
MARRIAGE**

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BRISBANE

15TH OF JUNE
EUCHARIST

23RD OF JUNE
**FINAL
COMBINED
ALL IN**

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GOLD COIN BOOK SALE

11.00am– 1.00pm

Saturday 10th June—

Sunday 11th June

At The Dining Room at
Delamore

115 Turner Road, Kedron

Our library group has recently culled our shelves—donate a gold coin (2) to “buy” one of these books. Money raised will go to the Residents Funds and books left unsold donated to the Samaritans or SVdP. All welcomed

MASS INTENTIONS & OFFERINGS

It has been a custom in our church tradition to have a Mass offered for some intentions. Envelopes are in the church. When you have such a need, please write down your intention and return it to the parish office, or place it in the collection box at the weekend Masses. Thank you.

Friday Intercessory Prayer Group

If you would like to be part of an intercessory prayer group and help make a difference, you are invited to join others following the Parish 8.00am Mass every **SECOND FRIDAY**, in front of the Tabernacle in the church. Spontaneous prayer will be encouraged. for the many needs of our Parish, our world, families and friends, indeed for many issues which need holy intervention. It is intended that the prayers will go no longer than twenty minutes or so and will conclude with the recitation of the Divine Mercy Chaplet.

Laudato Si

In Australia, we celebrate Laudato Si Week 16-24 May 2023, *Hope for the Earth; Hope for humanity*, to honour the 8th anniversary of Pope Francis' landmark encyclical on care for creation. These dates are different from the international dates to enable us to fully celebrate National Sorry Day (26 May) and National Reconciliation Week (27 May-3 June).

If you have not already done so, would you please view the film: *The Letter* at: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Rps9bs85BII>

For your deeper understanding, prayer, contemplation and action for justice, peace and reconciliation, please visit: <https://laudatosiweek.org/> or the Bishops' Office for Justice, Ecology and Peace. <https://socialjustice.catholic.org.au/2023/05/05/laudato-si-week-2023-resources/>

Home Visitation to the Sick and Elderly

You need not be isolated from your Parish family if you are sick or unable to join us for Mass. We are fortunate to have **Ministers of Communion** who will visit homes within our Parish and bring Holy Communion.

If you would like them to visit you or someone you know, please contact the Parish Office on 33576640 or by email. If you are interested in becoming a Minister of Communion please contact us.

Something for the Kids...



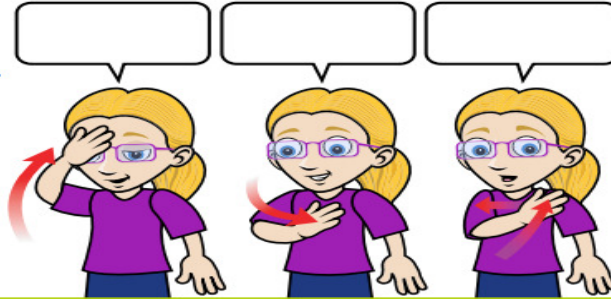
God so loved the world that he gave his only Son

Trinity Sunday, Year A

There is a simple prayer that we say almost every day, which reminds us of the Trinity. That prayer is the Sign of the Cross.

How do I make the Sign of the Cross?

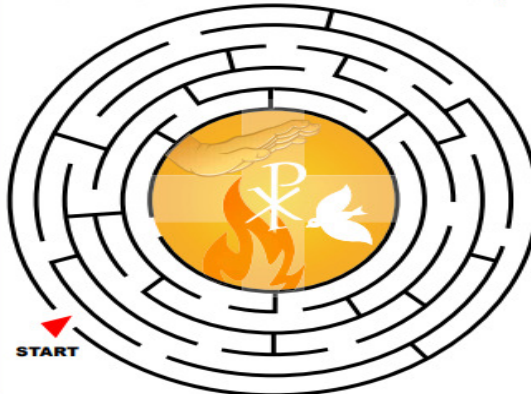
- Using your right hand, touch your forehead and say.... (fill in the 1st speech balloon)
- Touch your chest near your heart and say.... (fill in the 2nd speech balloon)
- Touch your left shoulder, then your right shoulder and say.... (fill in the 3rd speech balloon)



When and where do we use the Sign of the Cross?

Because of God's love for us, he sent his Son Jesus to save those who believe. How can we return that love?

Find your way to the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit



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Police Check and Blue Cards and other associated forms have been simplified!
There is a new portal for registration of volunteers. The Welcome Portal can be accessed via <http://archbne.org/welcome>.
In the portal, volunteers will be asked to enter personal information and volunteer position details which will automatically prepopulate forms to be signed.
If you have not completed forms yet and are involved in ministry PLEASE ATTEND TO THIS ASAP.
If you have any questions, please contact Sandra in the office.

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

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