



Our Lady of Lourdes Parish, Sunnybank

Calamvale, Kuraby, Macgregor, Parkinson, Robertson, Runcorn, Stretton, Sunnybank, Sunnybank Hills

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Parish Office (adjacent to Church, Sunnybank) **Ph: 3345 3766** **Office Hours** Monday to Thursday, 8.30 am - 4.00 pm; Friday 9.00am - 4.00pm
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Priests: Fr Enoch Iheme (Parish Priest) Fr Francisco Evangelista (Associate Pastor)

Monday 5th June

St Boniface

8:15am Morning Prayer
8.30am **Mass**

Tuesday 6th June

8:15am Morning Prayer
8.30am **Mass**
9.30am Bible Study
7.00pm Adoration

Wednesday 7th June

8.15am Morning Prayer
8.30am **Mass**
9.00am Rosary

Thursday 8th June

7:50am Christian Meditation
8.45am Morning Prayer
9.00am **Parish/School Mass**

Friday 9th June

8:15am Morning Prayer
8.30am **Mass**
9.00am Adoration
10.00am Legion of Mary

Saturday 10th June

10.00am Rosary & Novena
11.00am Reconciliation
5.00pm Reconciliation
6.00pm **Mass**

Sunday 11th June

The Most Holy
Body & Blood of Christ
(Corpus Christi)

6.30am **Mass**
8.00am **Mass**
9.15am **Mass**
10.30am **Mass**
6.00pm **Mass (Youth)**



The Trinity by Leandro da Bassano c. 1585-95
Trinity Chapel Santi Giovanni e Paolo (Venice)

The Most Holy Trinity - 4th June 2023

Dear Parishioners,

This Sunday, the Church celebrates **the Solemnity of the Holy Trinity. This is the mystery of God the Father, Son and Holy Spirit: One God in three Persons.** We believe and worship God who is One and Three; God who is Father and Creator of all things visible and invisible, and who made us the most beloved of all his creatures.



The Sunday of the Most Holy Trinity recapitulates the revelation of God that took place in the paschal mysteries and also gives us an opportunity to reflect on our life as baptized persons. **We were baptized “in the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit”, and through Baptism we were washed from original sin, we became children of God, we received sanctifying grace;** and we become heirs to the throne of divine grace.

The divine Trinity begins to dwell in us from the moment we receive Baptism. Thus, the Holy Trinity occupies the centre of our faith. **Every time we make the sign of the Cross, we are remembering the faith we profess.**

This weekend is our community weekend. We invite you to celebrate with us, at the usual Masses and **share a ‘cuppa’ after Mass**, meet friends and your fellow parishioners.

We also welcome parents who present their children for the celebration of Baptism next Sunday. As a community, we join them in this mission of educating and strengthening the faith of those who are reborn by water and the Spirit. **Also, next Sunday we will celebrate the Solemnity of Corpus Christi, through which we reaffirm our faith in the sacrament of the Eucharist,** the source and summit of Christian life. It will be an opportunity for us to publicly testify to our conviction of the real presence of Jesus Christ in the species of bread and wine consecrated in the Holy Mass. **Fr Enoch will also want us to resume the reception of Holy Communion in both the Bread and Wine.**

Our Multicultural Weekend is approaching, and this year is our 10th annual Multicultural Mass. The Multicultural Weekend calls all our parishioners from all the different nationalities that make up our community, to come together **“To praise God with the Cultural Diversity of our Parish and to show our Unity in Christ”.** We are so blessed with the gifts that we all are and bring to our community. **You are invited to come along with your family and friends, with fellow parishioners, enjoy the rich diversity, different languages and different cultures.** Save the date: **Saturday 17th June 6pm Mass, Sunday 18th June 10:30am Mass & 6pm Youth Mass.** At the Masses, you are encouraged to show your national origins and culture, also to share as Australians and as Multicultural people by **wearing your national dress or cultural clothing.**

God Bless you always,

Fr Francisco Evangelista

Next Sunday: Corpus Christi

Deuteronomy 8:2-3, 14-16

1 Corinthians 10:16-17

John 6:51-58

The Most Holy Trinity (Year A)

First Reading: Exodus 34:4-6, 8-9 The reading from Exodus is taken from section commonly titled 'The Renewal of the Tablets' where the Lord re-writes the Decalogue after they had been broken. God's mercy and faithfulness is declared.

Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 13:11-13 One of the clearest trinitarian passages of the Scriptures forms our second reading. Our ecclesial family is to be a reflection of the love of the three Persons of the Trinity.

Gospel: John 3:16-18 We hear from today's Gospel reading one of the most foundational statements of the Christian faith; Jesus Christ, the Son, is the love of God the Father poured out in totality, sent into the world not to condemn, but to save it.

ENCYCLICAL LETTER

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OF THE HOLY FATHER FRANCIS ON CARE FOR OUR COMMON HOME

What is Happening to our Common Home

CHAPTER FIVE: LINES OF APPROACH AND ACTION

I. DIALOGUE ON THE ENVIRONMENT IN THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY

165. We know that technology based on the use of highly polluting fossil fuels – especially coal, but also oil and, to a lesser degree, gas – needs to be progressively replaced without delay. Until greater progress is made in developing widely accessible sources of renewable energy, it is legitimate to choose the less harmful alternative or to find short-term solutions. But the international community has still not reached adequate agreements about the responsibility for paying the costs of this energy transition. In recent decades, environmental issues have given rise to considerable public debate and have elicited a variety of committed and generous civic responses. Politics and business have been slow to react in a way commensurate with the urgency of the challenges facing our world. Although the post-industrial period may well be remembered as one of the most irresponsible in history, nonetheless there is reason to hope that humanity at the dawn of the twenty-first century will be remembered for having generously shouldered its grave responsibilities.

SAVE THE DATE:

MULTICULTURAL MASS

Come and praise God for the cultural diversity of Our Lady of Lourdes Parish and to show our unity in Christ at the annual Multicultural Masses:

Saturday 17/06/2023 - 6:00 pm

Sunday 18/06/2023 - 10:30 am

Sunday 18/06/2023 - 6:00 pm

Join Us After Mass!

If you would like to assist and provide some traditional Finger Food (no hot food please). Could you kindly please bring them to the Media Room prior to Mass. Thank you



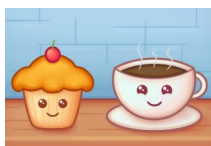
PARISH COMMUNITY WEEKEND

Come celebrate with us this weekend, 3 & 4 June at the usual Masses and share a 'cuppa' and meet new friends and old. The Welcoming Group invites you to stay for a while after Mass and get to know your fellow parishioners. See you there!



Second Monday of the Month Coffee Morning

When: Monday 12 June 9:30am
Where: Chatterbox Coffee Shop, Sunnybank Hills Shoppingtown, 661 Compton Road, Sunnybank Hills. All are welcome!



UPDATE: PARISH OFFICE AVAILABILITY

Parish office staff will be attending an Archdiocesan Formation Day on Tuesday 6 June. The office will be closed except for emergencies on this day.

CARITAS: PROJECT COMPASSION

Thank you to everyone for your generosity this year. The parish has raised \$6100.50 in cash donations, excluding those who contributed via direct debit.



The requested tax deductible receipts for are available for collection from the Mass Coordinators.

Your Prayers Are Asked For:

recently deceased: **Esnedo Florian, Maria Thao Nguyen, Gordon Barker, Catherine Dioji,**
Domingo Dimatulac, Elvira Pontarollo, Robert Wasniowski, Patricia Hundt

those with anniversaries & others who have died: **Pilar Cabanatan, Cheryl Concepcion, Joan Yatco, Beng Alabe, Claire Aliga, Romeo Perillie,** Phillip Holst, Peter McSweeney, Ignatius Clarke, Kenneth Ward, Carol Ann Wilson, Fr Jordan Perry, Richard Romanowski, Ellen Mary Robinson, Rosanna & Thomas Collins, Gladwyn & Guy Catchlove, Michael Barrelet, Tomas & Serapia Obayan, Juan Sr. & Fructousa Abuke, John Choi, Michael Ogle

those who are unwell: **Monica Henriquez, Agnes Hyland, Ana Figueroa, Deanna Frances, Colleen Small,**
Ruth Martinez, Vincent Mascarenhas, Roxana Flores, Jasmine Berrios, Trinidad Hadap, Colleen Small



2023 SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM Our Lady of Lourdes Parish, Sunnybank Sacrament of Confirmation

Review & Practice Session (Confirmation), Church:
Sunday 18th June 1pm

Celebration of the Sacrament of Confirmation, Church:
Thursday 22nd June 5pm & 7:30pm



Sacrament of First Holy Communion

Parent Info Session, OLOL School Auditorium:
Sunday 28th May 1pm

If you missed the Parent Info Session,
please contact Noel Arceo ASAP

Enrolment Masses, Church:
Saturday 10th June 6pm
Sunday 11th June 9:15am, 10:30am & 6pm

Formation Session, OLOL School Auditorium:
Sunday 23rd July 1pm
Sunday 30th July 1pm

Rehearsal & Liturgy of God's Mercy, Church:
Thursday 10th August 4:30pm

Sacrament of First Holy Communion, Church:
Saturday 12th August 6pm
Sunday 13th August 9:15am, 10:30am & 6pm

For more information, please contact Mr Noel Arceo
(OLOL Parish Pastoral Ministry Coordinator)
at 07 3345 3766 or pa.sunnybank@bne.catholic.net.au



WOMEN FOR WOMEN AFTERNOON TEA

Please join us for a wonderful afternoon of raffles, connection, and laughter!

Our guest speaker will be Donna Brennan from Alpha Australia where she works as the Australian Lead for Alpha in the Catholic Context.

Our next event is:

Sunday 25 June 2023 at 2.00pm
Our Lady of Lourdes, Sunnybank
Avocado Room, Paloma Centre
121 Mains Road, Sunnybank
\$7 per person

To book, please RSVP by Wednesday 21 June 2023, advising any dietary requirements, to:
ololsunnybankwomen@gmail.com

St Vincent de Paul: WINTER APPEAL 10th & 11th June 2023



Winter will soon be upon us and St Vincent de Paul in our parish will be lending a helping hand to those who need it most. There are a number of ways that you can help this winter, by donating money, blankets or even your time. SVDP helpers will be outside to help collect your donation on the weekend of June 10 & 11. Donations over \$2 are tax deductible. Blankets can be dropped into the receptacles at the church doors.

To make a donation online:

BSB: 064 786

Account: 100 026 096

Reference: [use your surname]

Email ol14109@svdpqld.org.au for a receipt.



We have an active SVDP Society in our parish which at this moment needs a few more helpers prepared to give up a few hours once a week or fortnight. Training is provided. Meetings are 1st & 3rd Mondays at 6:15pm in the Paloma Centre. All are welcome!

BAPTISMS AT OLOL

Interested in having your child baptised at Our Lady of Lourdes? The journey of faith that you are about to embark on with your child is an ongoing life-long journey of commitment to assisting your child to grow to become a disciple of Jesus. To prepare, you are invited to attend one of the upcoming Preparation Sessions at 10:30am in the Avocado Room:



Sunday 18th June 2023 or Sunday 16th July 2023

Baptisms then take place on the 2nd Sunday of the month. For more information or to book, please contact the parish office.

POPE'S PRAYER INTENTIONS - JUNE 2023

For Abolition of Torture

We pray that the international community may commit in a concrete way to ensuring the abolition of torture and guarantee support to victims and their families



Archdiocese of Brisbane Safeguarding Commitment

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.





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& CONTACTS**

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**Help support our Youth to travel to
World Youth Day 2023!**

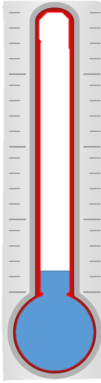
Youth and Young Adult Ministry

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Envelopes for donations
will be available in July.

In the meantime, you can donate electronically:
ACC: Youth
BSB: 064 786
ACC No: 100024209
Ref: WYD23DON



**CONGRATULATIONS TO BISHOP KEN HOWELL ON HIS APPOINTMENT TO
TOOWOOMBA DIOCESE**

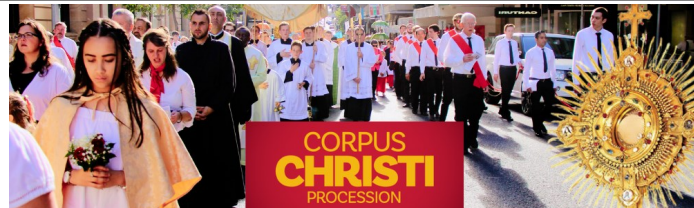
Pope Francis has announced the appointment of Bishop Ken Howell as the seventh Bishop of the Diocese of Toowoomba.

Bishop Ken will conclude his service as the Auxiliary Bishop and Vicar General and has accepted the appointment with both gratitude and a touch of sadness. "I ask all the people of the Diocese to pray for me as I prepare to be with you. Your prayer will be my greatest support."



Bishop Ken's installation as the seventh Bishop of Toowoomba will be held on 11 July 2023 at the Cathedral of St Patrick.

Photo of Bishop Ken greeting his predecessor Bishop McGuckin courtesy of The Catholic Leader



On the Feast of Corpus Christi, join with over 4000 other Catholics making a public testimony of faith by walking in a Eucharistic procession through the streets of Brisbane city. The procession will start and end at the Cathedral of St Stephen and feature prayers, rosary, hymns & Benediction with the proceedings lead by Archbishop Mark.

When: Sunday 11 June 2pm
Where: Cathedral of St Stephen, Brisbane City
Find out more at: www.corpuschristibrisbane.com

LAY LITURGICAL MINISTRY - ONLINE COURSES & FORMATION

Are you a lay minister who would like to enhance your lay ministry? Ministry volunteers can now study at home at your own pace & time that suits you! This is a wonderful opportunity for faith formation for new and continuing ministers to understand the Sacred Liturgical practices when serving at Mass.

Liturgy Brisbane Learn & Discover offers online training courses for all involved in liturgy and liturgical ministry. Each comprehensive course contains videos, readings, quizzes, course notes and provides a certificate on completion.

There are a variety of courses available including:



**Those who are interested can use the
expression of interest sheets in the church
or contact the parish office.**