



PARISH OF OUR LADY AND ST DYPNA

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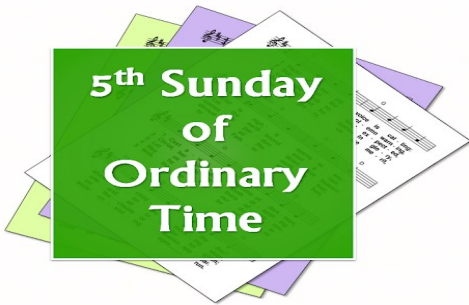
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Holy days of Obligation: In Australia we have the Feast of the Assumption (15 August) and Christmas Day (25 December).



Mass Times and Services

Weekend Mass

Saturday	6.00pm
Sunday	7.00am, 9.00am & 5.00pm

Weekday Mass

Mon, Tue, Wed and Friday (NO Thursday Mass)	6.30am
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Exceptions

Saturday and Public Holidays	8.00am
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Benediction and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

Exposition held after Mass
Friday 7am - 9am.
All are invited to join this devotion.

Reconciliation

Saturday	5pm-5.30pm
Or by appointment	

Baptism

Infant Baptism:
2nd & 4th Sunday after 9am Mass
Baptism preparation:
3rd Saturday 10.30am

No doubt you have heard much about the Plenary Council 2020 for the past months. The 2020 Plenary Council is the highest formal gathering of all local churches in a country.

Session 1 of the Plenary Council will be held in Adelaide on 11th-17th October 2020. Before that though, we are invited to participate in Dialogue and Listening Sessions to give input to the Plenary Council. Over the past months communities throughout Australia have gathered to listen and share their hopes, longings and dreams for the Church as we face the future years.

Our Lady and St. Dympna's Parish will hold listening sessions next weekend facilitated by Mr Mike Humphries from Evangelisation Brisbane. The sessions will be held next weekend:

- **SATURDAY 16TH FEBRUARY FROM 5.00pm-5.45pm.**
(before 6.00pm Mass)
- **SUNDAY 17TH FEBRUARY 8.00am-8.45am.**
(after 7.00am and before 8.00am Mass)
- **SUNDAY 17TH FEBRUARY 10.00am-10.45am.**
(after 9.00am Mass)

We invite you to join us for one of these listening sessions next weekend. In order to facilitate the organisation of the sessions would you please sign up for a session which is most convenient for you.



share the story
shape the future

Liturgy of the Word

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Isaiah 6:1-8

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 137:1-5,7-8

In the sight of the angels I will sing your praises, Lord.

Second Reading: Corinthians 15:3-8,11

Gospel: Luke 5:1-11

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

Come follow me, says the Lord, and I will make your fisher of my people.

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

Acclamation of Faith:

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup,
we proclaim your Death, O Lord, until you come
again.

Prayer Requests



We give praise and thanks for blessings given and prayers answered. We pray for all our family members, parishioners and benefactors who are in need of prayer and for all those who are facing difficult times. We pray for them and for those who have asked for our prayers.

CONDOLENCE: Our prayers and thoughts are with those who are mourning the death of loved ones; **especially: Fay Anley, Aileen Dove, John and Brendan Mckee and Jose Orcullo.**

SICKNESS: Our prayers are asked for the sick, the housebound, and for all those who are in hospital, hospice or nursing homes.

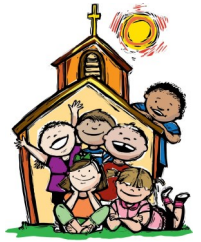
If you would like the parish to pray for and have someone's name listed in our prayers each week, Mass Intention envelopes can be collected at the

Volunteer Ministries

There are always openings in the many volunteer ministries. For example: Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Ministers of the Word, Laptop Operators, Church cleaners, etc. A full list of all the Parish Ministries and Groups is available on the Parish website www.ourladyandstdympneparish.com.

Volunteers Required:

- Children's Liturgy Leader volunteers.



Current Volunteers :

Rosters for the coming months are currently being drafted could you please inform the parish office if you will be away.

Please contact the Parish office on 3862 9402 or aspley@bne.catholic.net.au

February 10, 2019 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, 'Whom shall I send? Who will go for us?' 'Here I am,' I said, 'send me!'" (Isaiah 6:8)

Every day, in little ways and in big ways, God asks, "Whom shall I send?" Whether it is someone to take on a new ministry, to give a friendly smile to a stranger or say a word of encouragement to a friend, God constantly provides opportunities to help someone in need. The next time you hear God calling, have the courage to walk through the door and say "Here I am, Lord."

(Accessed on 5 February 2019 from <https://www.archstl.org/about-stewardship/bulletin-inserts/weekly-bible-reflections>)

Our Lady and St Dympna's to Host World Day of Prayer 1 March 2019

Our parish has been selected to host this year's ecumenical **World Day of Prayer service at 10am Friday, 1st March**. The service will be followed by a morning tea. This year's host country is Slovenia, and the theme is 'Come – everything is ready'.

Aspley Parish will prepare the **Liturgy and host a Morning tea** which will be attended by four other churches from the area: The Church of the Resurrection, Bridgeman Downs, the Uniting Church Aspley, Uniting Church Albany Creek and the All Saints Catholic Church, Albany Creek. World Day of Prayer is always an ecumenical service, reminding us that God's Community is one.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:

- Setting up and closing the Hall;
- Serving morning tea, sandwiches, slices and cake;
- Parishioners to hand out booklets;
- Parishioners to bring a plate to help cater for the expected attendance of over 100 + people;
- Parishioners to take up the collection of money for the people of Slovenia

To volunteer, please give your name to the Aspley Parish Office on 3862 9402 or email aspley@bne.catholic.net.au



Sacrament of Penance Enrolments Open



If your child has received Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist, we are inviting you to participate in the preparation and celebration of the Sacrament of Penance. In the year when the children turn ten (Year Five) they are prepared to celebrate more fully the Sacrament of Penance with individual confession and absolution.

(Sacramental Policy: You can view the Sacramental Policy below for Christian Initiation For Children here : [Sacramental Policy](#))

ENROLEMENT -

Enrolment for Preparation **OPENED** on **Monday 4th February from 6pm** and **CLOSES Monday 11th February 6pm**. (no enrolments will be accepted after this time)

The programme consists of:-

- A PARENT/CARER INFORMATION SESSION** (mandatory) (Only parents/carers need to attend) There is a choice of Information Session - either Tuesday 12th February from 7pm - 8pm or Wednesday 13th February from 7pm - 8pm
- Attendance at Masses at OUR LADY AND ST DYMUNA'S** for the duration of the program (6 weeks).
- ONE WORKSHOP** (Both child and parent/carer need to attend) There is a choice of workshop either - Sunday 24th February from 10:15am - 11:30am OR Sunday 24th February from 3:30pm until 4:45pm.
- CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENT OF PENANCE** (Both child and parent/carer need to attend) There is a choice of day for this celebration - either Saturday 16th March from 2:30pm - 3:00pm OR Saturday 23rd March from 2:30pm - 3:00pm.

These dates and times are posted to allow families to plan ahead.

Enrolment for Sacrament of Penance 2019:

- Enrolment for Penance (Complete online): [Penance Enrolment Form](#)
- [Parent Permission Form](#) (Please print and bring to the Parent Information Session).

General Notices



ASPLEYCARE TRIVIA NIGHT will be held on Saturday night 9th March at the Geebung Bowls Club on Robinson Rd. It is conducted by the Quota Club of Sandgate with all proceeds going to Aspleycare Emergency Relief program. This night always ensures Lots of Prizes, Plenty of Fun and Supper so make up a group or come and join one on the night – be there around 7.15pm for a 7.30pm start. Please contact Clive Smith on 32631927 or Judy Doak on 0447824980 for further details.

Christian Healing Ministries

Level 1 Prayer Training 2019

CCR Brisbane Healing Prayer Centre will be offering training on Healing Prayer **Level 1 at CCR Brisbane Centre, 688 Nudgee Road, Northgate (in the grounds of St. John's Catholic Church).**

This level 1 course will be completed over three full Saturdays and participants are expected to attend all three days -

Saturday 23 March 9.30am - 5.00pm

Saturday 27 April 9.30am - 5.00pm

Saturday 25 May 9.30am - 5.00pm

This Level 1 Course is **open** to all.

For more details, fees and registration, please go to :

http://www.ccrbrisbane.org.au/News/PrayerTrainingLevel1_2019Notice.pdf or

Phone 0432 968 892

Positions Vacant

Music Administrator - Applications are open for a position at the St Stephens Cathedral. A person with excellent administration and organisational skills is required for a casual position of Music Administrator. Closing date 22nd February 2019

Administration/Finance Officer - Applications are open for a position at the Sandgate Brighton Parish. A person with excellent administration and secretarial skills is required for a part time position of Administration/Finance Officer for 3 days per week (24 hours). Closing Date 18th Feb 2019

For additional information, please visit the Archdiocese of Brisbane website <https://brisbanecatholic.org.au/> and to careers. The Archdiocese of Brisbane has standards of conduct for employees and volunteers to maintain a safe and healthy environment. Our commitment to these standards requires that we conduct background referencing for all persons who will engage in direct and regular involvement with children, young people and/or vulnerable adults.

Rosters

Notice to Ministers of the Word, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion and Altar Servers

Our Parish Ministers of the Word, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion and Altar Servers perform an important role in the celebration of the Mass. In order to ensure that we have sufficient numbers of these ministries available for Mass on weekends, please ensure that if you are rostered for any of these ministries, you inform the Mass Coordinator for the relevant Mass of your arrival at **least 10 minutes** before Mass commences.

Feb 16/17	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Ministers of the Word	Altar Servers	Laptop Operator	Music Ministry
6.00 p.m. Mass in anticipation of Sunday	L. Dutton (B) S. Lawrence J. Lawrence I. Dove S. Hughes	First Reading F. Xavier Second Reading L. McGorry Prayers of the Faithful J. Pillai	S. D'Souza J. McLune	B. McGorry	Yvonne Women's Choir
7.00 a.m. Mass	J. Colebourne (B) M. Colebourne G. Bortuzzo S. Vaz H. Hollamby	First Reading D. Francis Second Reading D. Chiavaro Prayers of the Faithful S. Ferlito	J. Colebourne	G. March	Nancy Sylvester
9.00 a.m. Mass	T. Hoang (B) C. Fernandes J. Fernandes Sr Gabriel B. Neill A. Ware C. Ware	First Reading J. Frayne Second Reading R. Fernando Prayers of the Faithful T. Setafano	B. Bathersby W. Bathersby C. O'Bryan B. Rye	Volunteer	Judith Renata
5.00 p.m. Mass	S. Tam (B) J. Bissell K. O'Donnell G. Dias F. Gowans	First Reading M. Hopewell Second Reading E. Lebajo Prayers of the Faithful B. Hopewell	F. Paul J. Paul	Volunteer	Edmund & Friends
Children Liturgy: 9am Kim O'Rourke	Cleaners 23 Feb Nigel Hughes Cleaners 26 February: Salvio and Jinella Cleaners 2 March Harry Boevink & David Francis	Counters 17 Feb S. Sherwood D. Jago T. Salvati M. Scott	Counters 24 Feb B. Donohue L. Junker T. Gillam M. Hopewell	Glory and Praise Bread of Life The Beatitudes Sing to the Mountains	

Next week liturgy	Catholic Leader	Dympna's Diary		
<p>6th Sunday in Ordinary Time First Reading: Jeremiah 17:5-8 Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 1:1-4 Happy are they who hope in the Lord. Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:12, 16-20 Gospel: Luke 6:17, 20-26</p> <p>Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia! Rejoice and be glad; Your reward is great in heaven. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!</p>	<p>The Catholic Leader: Keeping faith with you</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Heavy flooding causes widespread damage through Townsville City, while farmers rejoice after a long drought - Five sets of twins join the largest ever intake at St Pius V Primary School, Banyo - Youth unemployment rampant as Vin-nies representative points out a job trap keeping young people from full-time work - St Josephine Bakhita's feast day will mark a day of anti-slavery prayer, reflection and action against the multi-billion dollar industry - Ex-agents in Poland face charges for framing Blessed Popieluszko - Three cases of self-harm in two days on Manus prompts letter from PNG-SI bishops conference 	Sun	10	5th Sunday in Ordinary Time
		Mon	11	Our Lady of Lourdes
		Tues	12	
		Wed	13	
		Thurs	14	Sts Cyril, monk, and Methodius, bishop
		Fri	15	
		Sat	16	
		Sun	17	6th Sunday in Ordinary Time
<p>Date Claimers: 24 February 2019 - Children's Mass 1 March 2019 - World Day of Prayer Mass and Mtea 10am</p>				