



Parish of St Edward the Confessor

Parish Priest: Fr. Paul Murphy
Secretaries: Mary Spalding
Jill Holmes

School
Principal: John Spillane

Christ the King, year B
21st / 22nd November, 2009

This week at St Eddies:

Saturday 21st
4pm Reconciliation
6pm Mass

Sunday 22nd
8.30am Mass
Cardmaking w/shop
11am Samoan Community
6pm Mass

Monday 23rd
9am Mass
9.25 card games

Tuesday 24th
9am Mass

Wednesday 25th

Thursday 26th
9am Mass
9.25 Rosary group
7pm Mens group

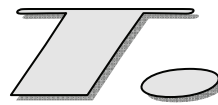
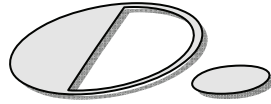
Friday 27th
9am Mass

Saturday 28th
Church cleaning—group 3
4pm Reconciliation
6pm Mass

Sunday 29th
8.30 Mass
10am baptisms
11am Samoan Community
6pm Mass

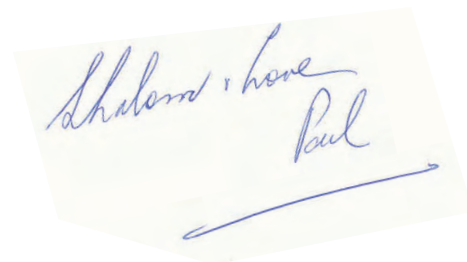
May we help you

NOT to become an



Person this Christmas?

If so .. join us for
the Advent Conspiracy
.... (starting next weekend)



Children's Liturgy dates

29th Nov

Communion to the Sick

Next date for Communion to the Sick is Monday 7th December. Please phone the office if you would like to be added to our communion list.

104 Chatswood Road, Daisy Hill, Qld, 4127
Parish Office hours: 8.30am – 3pm, Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri
Phone: 3299 2000 **Fax:** 3208 0205 **Email:** daisyhill@bne.catholic.net.au
Website: www.churchpak.com/ste



Welcome to the family and friends of
Mackenzie Emma Honeybul
who will receive the sacrament of baptism this Sunday.

We remember

in our prayers all those who have died recently, and all those whose anniversaries occur about this time.....

Coleridge Carman,
George Dotta,
Elsie Gregory,
Eileen Nemesi,
Philippa Keen,
Nelson Hermosilla-Silva,
Tony Warrilow

PLEASE PRAY for all our sick parishioners and family members:

Colin Nelson
Jeremy Howard
Fr Gerard Monaghan
Mark Virine & Narelle Berry
Fr. Ron Mollison
Sylvia & Franco Milaudi
Barbara Campbell
Grace, Acacia & Amy Pearce
Amy McDonough
Kevin Berry
Douglas & Eve Legge
Marilyn Marshall,
Frank Brady
Norman (Rocky) Bryen
Rob Jonker,
Gertie Berhardt
Derek Short

If you have a family member or friend who has requested prayers please call the Parish Office

Baptism preparation

All families requesting baptism are asked to attend a gathering night after their interview with Fr. Paul. Dates for Baptism gathering nights are:
3rd December
7pm in the Church

RCIA – Rite of Welcome. Next Sunday, 29th November, during the 8.30am Mass we will welcome our three (3) candidates who are journeying through our RCIA. Please come along and join us as we welcome our candidates and share a cuppa after Mass.

St Vincent de Paul Advent Appeal. Our annual St Vincent de Paul Advent Appeal starts this weekend. The idea is that after Mass you will be given a little tag with an item written on it. Bring the item to Mass with you the following weekend. We continue this for the four (4) weeks of Advent. All collected items are used by our St Vincent de Paul group to ease the load on needy members of our community. We thank you for your support.

“The Mass – presentation”. As part of our RCIA journey this year, we’re having sessions that will help our candidates understand the Catholic faith. On Thursday 3rd December, we’re having a session on “The Mass”. This was prepared by a small group of our parishioners a few years ago and explains why we do what we do during Mass. We invite you to come along and join with our RCIA candidates and learn more about “The Mass”. The session will be at 7.30pm in the Church, on Thursday 3rd December.

Little Blue Books for Advent. Yes, we have these available again, on the table near the Church entrance. These books contain daily 6 minute reflections during Advent. The cost is a donation—as a guide, we pay \$3.50 per copy.

Next Sunday the 29th November we will hold our annual collection for the HOLY SEE— PETER’S PENCE. This collection allows us an opportunity to contribute towards the financial support of the Holy see, it’s works of charity and show support and gratitude for the great work of His Holiness.



St Edward’s Men’s Group Join with other committed men of our parish for scripture reflection, discussion, and fellowship. You’ll never, never, know, if you never, never, go.

Next meeting **Thursday 26th November. 7pm.** Church meeting room, we will be welcoming Dr Geoff Madden as our guest speaker and he will be enlightening us on the Hebrew history, culture and politics during Christ’s lifetime.

We are hoping all men of the parish attend the church working-bee on Saturday the 12th of December at 8.00am. No previous experience necessary.

SENIOR’S NEWS

The next Senior’s Mass and Morning Tea will be on Tuesday 8th December. Mass is at 9am followed by morning tea and socialising.

Christmas Luncheon– End of year get together and raffles...Wednesday 9th Dec, Church meeting room, \$20. bookings and payment to Noelene by 6th Dec for further details contact Noelene on 3208 5304 or 0409 261 639.

Children’s Liturgy break-up - 8.30am Mass **Sunday 29th** November. Children are invited to dress in Christmas costume e.g. Mary, Joseph, Shepherds, angels etc. Children will process from the church at the beginning of Mass and return before communion as usual. There will be a small gift for each child who attends the liturgy.

There will also be a shared morning tea at the back of the church after Mass. It would be appreciated if you could bring something to share for morning tea. We are looking forward to seeing you at the break-up and for morning tea after Mass. Thank you. The Children’s Liturgy team

- Historic apology praised by Church leaders
- Call for Pope Benedict to visit war-torn Sri Lanka
- Work begins to restore historic St Patrick's Church, Fortitude Valley
- Push for international bill of rights for seafarers
- Schools rally to support Catholic Mission
- Special feature: The works of BoysTown
- Veto of Traveston Dam welcomed by Catholic group
- Helping to put a positive spin on Schoolies celebrations
- Courage group holds Oceania forum

SOCIAL JUSTICE * Hundreds of thousands of Tamils are still detained in poor conditions in camps in Sri Lanka and there is no clear indication of the Government's commitment to release them or to engage in a process of reconciliation. The Australian Government has not been outspoken on the issue, but is actively working to prevent Tamils from seeking asylum in Australia. It continues to be important for you to send messages to your local MP and Senators calling for stronger action from the Australian Government to bring about just treatment for the Tamils still in detention. Please continue to e-mail, write and speak to your representatives about this matter. Contact details for all MPs and Senators are available at <http://www.aph.gov.au/>

* In February 2009, Bonnie Francis' home, land, and livelihood north of Melbourne were destroyed by bush-fires. 100 acres of land was engulfed in flames after successive days with temperatures in the 40s, which Bonnie cites as almost unprecedented. For the past 20 years that Bonnie has lived on this land she ran cattle, sheep and horses, and also had a bed and breakfast. All was lost in the fires, along with her home. She explains that the material and psychological impact has hit the community hard, with a number of people killed in the fires. With rainfall lessening, and summer temperatures rising, Bonnie fears for the future of her land, her community, and the fate of the planet. Hear her testimony at: <http://climatehearings.org/?p=83>



Christ the King, year B

FIRST READING: Daniel 7: 13-14

Once again we hear the style of apocalyptic literature. The prophet Daniel portrays the coming of "a son of man", whom we revere as Christ the King.

SECOND READING: Apocalypse 1: 5-8

This passage continues the language of visions and symbolic expressions. The biblical images of Alpha and Omega became common in the Year of Great Jubilee when the Holy Door expressed how God was the beginning and end of all.

GOSPEL READING: John 18: 33-37

In the famous dialogue of Jesus with Pilate, the nature of the kingship of Jesus is expressed.

Readings for the rest of the week

- Monday** 1 Macc 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-64; Lk 18: 35-43
Tuesday 2 Macc 6: 18-31; Lk 19: 1-10
Wednesday 2 Macc 7:1, 20-31; Lk 19: 11-28
Thursday 1 Macc 2: 15-29; Lk 19: 41-44
Friday 1 Macc 4: 36-37, 52-59; Lk 19: 45-48
Saturday 1 Macc 4: 36-37, 52-59; Lk 19: 45-48

READINGS for NEXT WEEKEND:

- FIRST READING: Jeremiah 33: 14-16
RESPONSORIAL PSALM: psalm 24
SECOND READING: 1 Thessalonians 3:12-4:2
GOSPEL READING: Luke 21: 25-28, 34-36

A VOCATION VIEW

Christ is King, the faithful witness.
He loved us and calls us to serve God.

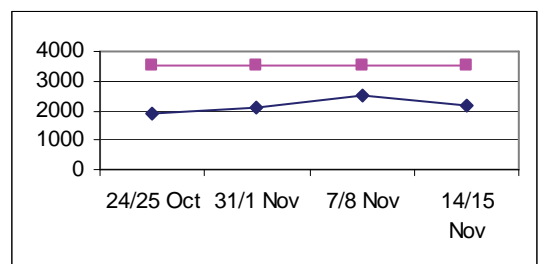
PLANNED GIVING:

Your pledge is an agreement before the Lord and we thank you for your support. Last week we received:

1st Collection - For our Priests and Bishops \$573.00

2nd Collection - For our Parish needs \$2,197.00

If you wish to join our Planned Giving Program please phone Mary at the Parish Office 3299 2000 and I'll send information to you.



Minister's Roster for next week.....28th / 29th Nov, 2009

	<u>Saturday 6.00pm</u>	<u>Sunday 8.30am</u> <i>Children's liturgy</i>	<u>Sunday 6pm</u>
Co-Ordinator	Darryl Briaes	Liz Stammers	Gerry Nathan
Music:	* 5 th Sunday	<i>Combined Choir</i>	Betty & Singers
Overheads:	Sean Robbie	Tom Linnane	Malcolm
Altar servers:	Mathew Pineda Michael Valdinocci	Chloe Rattansay Tiffany Abi-Fares	Matthew Fredes
Reader: 1	Nichola Robbie	Lloyd Gainey	Shirley Romal
2	Patrick Press	Barbara Bettiol	Pesi Silao
E. Mins Host:	Julie Wann	Armando Bettiol	Niko Silao
Cup:	David McLean	Frankie Little	Andrew Adolphe
	Nina Briton	Anne Darcy	Gavin Clancy
	Maureen Thornton	John VanDerMeulen	Sue McEnery
	Jan McMahon	Rachel Porio	

The next liturgy teams meeting will be onMonday 25th January, 2010

Parish rosters for the month of November

PLANT WATERING - Gene & Katy Maltry
WASHING PURIFIERS - Eve Douglas
CHURCH FLOWERS - 21st Cath/Helen, 28th Robyn
CHURCH CLEANING - 28th...group 3...Colleen, Neil, Lyndsay, Fay, Jim, Yvon,
 Shirley, Jim & Janice.
CHILDREN'S LITURGY -
 29th....Break-up, all leaders.



Eddies Youth

If you have any questions about the St. Edwards youth group please email us at youth.daisyhill@bne.catholic.net.au.

Do you enjoy singing Christmas carols especially in the shower? Then we are looking for you!



We would love to hear from you for Christmas singers and musicians for 9:00pm Mass 24th December 2009 - Come and join us. Rehearsals commence on Tuesday 8th December at 7:00pm in the church. If you would like to know more contact Frankie on 04509 279 989 or flittle46@hotmail

Caritas Australia Global Gifts This Christmas give a gift that changes the world! Caritas Australia is offering alternative Christmas gifts that will inspire and inform whilst also supporting communities around the world. Your Gift of Life is presented in a beautiful Christmas card that you can personalise and give to your loved ones. To purchase Caritas Global Gifts please go to www.caritas.org.au/globalgifts or call us on 1800 024 413. E-cards are also available.

Proclaimers... please pick up your new copy of "Break open the word" from the table at the back of the church. **Parish rosters** for December are out this week, please check your emails or pick yours up from the back of the Church. The January roster will be out in 2 weeks time.

Words of wisdom: Good words are drops of silver,
good deeds are buckets of gold.