



# Parish of St Edward the Confessor

24th Sunday of ordinary time, year B  
12th / 13th September, 2009

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

School  
Principal: John Spillane

## This week at St Eddies:

### Saturday 12th

4pm Reconciliation  
6pm Mass

### Sunday 13th

8.30am Mass  
School fete  
11am Samoan Community  
6pm Mass

### Monday 14th

9am Mass  
9.25 card games

### Tuesday 15th

9am Mass at Yurana  
7pm neighbourhood watch

### Wednesday 16th

### Thursday 17th

9am Mass  
9.25 Rosary group  
7pm men's group

### Friday 18th

9am Mass with year 6  
7pm fri night prayer group

### Saturday 19th

4pm Reconciliation  
6pm Mass

### Sunday 20th

8.30 Mass ,  
10am baptisms  
11am Samoan Community  
6pm Mass

## Children's Liturgy dates

13th Sept, 11th October

## Communion to the Sick

Next date for Communion to the Sick is Monday 5th October. Please phone the office if you would like to be added to our communion list.

## 'COME AND SEE'

I hope you had time to read and think about the brochure attached to last week's newsletter.

Come and see is a step on your journey to understand more about the Catholic Faith. Don't forget, if you are interested—please add your name and phone number to the list on the table near the Church entrance. There are some brochures available also. Fr Paul will contact those on the list this week.

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How did you go with the answers to our questions regarding the blessed sacrament chapel a couple of weeks ago ???

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**Christian STEWARDSHIP** Have you ever taken a moment to figure out how much time, on the average, you spend a week volunteering in your church or in your community?

**Liturgy Workshops** — Saturday 17th October at O’Shea Centre, Wilston.

The Liturgical Commission are holding two sessions:

Session 1 (10am to 12.30pm) “Preparing and Celebrating Sacraments of Initiation”

Session 2 (1.30pm to 3.30pm) “Training the trainers of Liturgical Ministers”.

If you are interested in attending these workshops, please phone the parish office. We’ll organise registration details. Further information on the sessions is on our noticeboard.

This Sunday is **CHILD PROTECTION SUNDAY**. The theme for this year is promoting safety for all in our parish. The aim is to ensure that all communities and organizations within the church are safe and enriching environments for people of all ages, with special concern for children, young people and vulnerable adults.

Religious Education in local State schools We require an extra volunteer who could conduct two religion classes of half an hour each at Chatswood Hills State school after the September school holidays. The classes are for grades 6/7 and are usually conducted on Mondays at 12.10pm. The day and time may be able to be changed depending on availability. All teaching materials are provided and the class teacher supervises the children at all times. If you would like to assist with this ministry of teaching children about a loving God and about the teachings of Jesus please contact Denise Ph 32097851 or email [denise.clancy@gmail.com](mailto:denise.clancy@gmail.com) for further information.

**We remember**

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

Adrian FitzGibbon,  
Verna Spencer,  
Victor Schuhkraft,  
Raymond Kerr

**PLEASE PRAY** for all our sick parishioners and family members:

- Violet Bartles (mother of Catherine Presley USA)
- Michael Murphy
- Fr. Ron Mollison
- Sylvia & Franco Milaudi
- Barbara Campbell
- Shaun Casey
- Grace, Acacia & Amy Pearce
- Amy McDonough
- Kevin Berry
- Douglas & Eve Legge
- Jim O’Doherty,
- 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



# Our salvation is bound together

Our parish will host the annual Catholic Mission Appeal next weekend (Sep 19/20) **“Faith is like that: if good works do not go with it, it is quite dead.” (James 2:14-18)** At the heart of the Christian journey is the Cross. It was the Cross on which Jesus was crucified and it is the Cross that each of us are asked to take up, if we are to follow in His footsteps. What that Cross is will vary for each of us. Not all of us can go overseas and lend our physical support, we can offer our prayers, our succour and our financial assistance. This then eases the load on those who do serve as missionaries. Next weekend, we pray you will give generously and join with us in taking up the Cross of sacrifice and compassion. Thankyou.  
David McGovern, director, Brisbane

**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:  
1st October  
7pm in the Church

**St Edward’s Men’s Group** After Robert Falzon’s inspirational presentation to us last week, he was so impressed with our enthusiasm that he has now offered the expertise of his Co-Founder of Men Alive, Peter Shakhovskoy, to give us some further input and guidance on the development of our group. Peter is prepared to make himself available for our next four meetings. Next meeting 17th Sept. 7pm Church meeting room

**Your story.. my story.. our story** Friday 18th Sept— Saturday 19th Sept. Please see noticeboard for full details. You must register for these workshops by Monday !

## **SENIOR’S NEWS**

Next mass and morning tea  
Tuesday 13th October.

for further details contact Noelene  
on 3208 5304 or 0409 261 639.

**Septemberfest ! Come and support our School fete** This Sunday , 10 am-4pm.

**New Altar Server rosters** are available in the Sacristy. Please note altar servers have been added to the roster for “next week” which is published on page 4 of our newsletter weekly.

- Catholics urged to help save young Nigerian Catholic on death row
- Brisbane Missionaries of Charity mark Blessed Mother Teresa's feast
- St Vincent de Paul calls for more donations for the homeless
- Queensland Catholic teachers to vote on strike action
- Brisbane bioethicist analyses abortion law reform push
- Four-page feature on St Patrick's College, Shorncliffe
- Catholic school students on song for Choral event
- Dr Steve Hambleton putting his faith into practice

## SOCIAL JUSTICE

\* Aung San Suu Kyi, the Burmese pro democracy leader, was recently sentenced to another year and a half of detention on questionable grounds. AVAAZ have organised an on-line petition calling on the UN Security Council to conduct an investigation into the Burmese regime's actions against her and the people of Burma. For more details, go to [https://secure.avaaz.org/en/jail\\_the\\_generals/](https://secure.avaaz.org/en/jail_the_generals/)

\* This week, our Commission has launched a petition urging the Senate to take action to support the human rights of those detained in overcrowded camps in the north of Sri Lanka. We urge parishes, schools and agencies to print copies of the petition, obtain as many signatures as possible and return them to the Commission by 18 September. While others may forget the plight of those detained, we cannot! To download a copy of the petition and an information sheet, go to our blog at <http://cipcbrisbane.wordpress.com/>



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### **FIRST READING: Isaiah 50: 5-9**

We are familiar with the readings of the prophet Isaiah where his account of the Suffering Servant of God is sometimes called the Fifth Gospel. Jesus himself fulfils this role.

### **SECOND READING: James 2: 14-18**

Once again St James shows practicality in his interpretation of how faith is to be lived by showing good works.

### **GOSPEL READING: Mark 8: 27-38**

Jesus asks the disciples what people think of him. He sums up his life and work and challenges us all that to be a follower of his, we have to take up the cross and follow him.

### Readings for the rest of the week

**Monday** Num 21: 4-9, Phil 2: 6-11; Jn 3: 13-17  
**Tuesday** Heb 5: 7-9; Jn 19: 25-27 or Lk 2: 33-35  
**Wednesday** 1 Tim 3: 14-16; Lk 7: 31-35  
**Thursday** 1 Tim 4: 12-16; Lk 7: 36-50  
**Friday** 1 Tim 6: 2-12; Lk 8: 1-3  
**Saturday** 1 Tim 6: 2-12; Lk 8: 1-3

### READINGS for NEXT WEEKEND:

**FIRST READING:** Wisdom 2:12, 17-20  
**RESPONSORIAL PSALM:** psalm 53  
**SECOND READING:** James 3: 16– 4:3  
**GOSPEL READING:** Mark 9: 30-37

### **A VOCATION VIEW**

We do not promote an easy life, but then no life worth living is an easy life. Jesus said "If you wish to come after me, you must deny your very self, take up your cross and follow me"

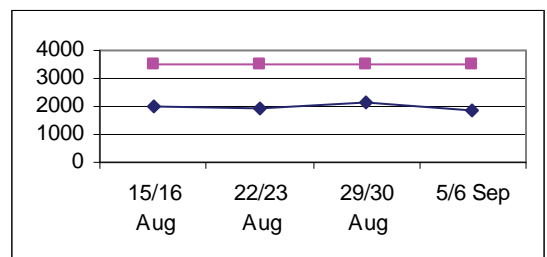
### **PLANNED GIVING:**

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

**1<sup>st</sup> Collection - For our Priests and Bishops \$577.00**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Collection - For our Parish needs \$1,877.00**

**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.....19th / 20th Sept, 2009

	<u>Saturday 6.00pm</u>	<u>Sunday 8.30am</u> <b>Baptisms</b>	<u>Sunday 6pm</u>
Co-Ordinator	Darryl Briais	Faizey Greaves	Gavin Clancy
Music:	Norris Group	Frankie's group	Betty & Singers
Overheads:		Kerryn Lay	Malcolm
<b>Altar servers:</b>	Mathew Pineda Michael Valdinocci	Chloe Rattansay Tiffany Abi-Fares	Matthew Fredes
Reader: 1	Peter Gibney	Beth Madden	Shirley Romal
2	Denise Love	Barbara Bettiol	Joanne Oudejans
E. Mins Host:	Maria Iligan	Sim Nuon	Barry Bohlscheid
Cup:	Jan McMahon	Marcello Stella	Sue McEnergy
	Greg Marsh	Beryl Douglas	Pesi Silao
	Eve Douglas	Ray Blacker	Ian Seneviratne
	Maureen Thornton	Rita Blacker	

The next liturgy teams meeting will be on ....[Saturday 10th October, 9am](#)

### Parish rosters for the month of September

PLANT WATERING - Carolyn and Tony Collins

WASHING PURIFIERS - Noelene Magee

CHURCH FLOWERS - 12th Robyn, 19th Cath/Helen, 26th Dot

CHURCH CLEANING - 26th Sept, group 2: Carmel, Babsy, Gavin, Dawn, Anne, Peter  
Joanne & AnnMarie

CHILDREN'S LITURGY - 13th Iona and Agnes



## Eddies Youth

If you have any questions about the St. Edwards youth group please email us  
At [youth.daisyhill@bne.catholic.net.au](mailto:youth.daisyhill@bne.catholic.net.au).

**The launch of "Questions of Faith"**

St Patrick's, Beenleigh on 19<sup>th</sup> September.

### IGNITE 09 CONFERENCE — RIVERS IN THE DESERT

Clairvaux MacKillop College, September 24—27

### Youth Festival of Music, Saturday 19th September, 2009

St Augustine's Anglican Church, Racecourse Rd, Hamilton **2pm**, Concert Classica \$20/16

**3.30pm** FREE Concert Scholastica including Devonshire tea or gourmet sausage sizzle

**5pm** Concert Exotica \$20/16 **7pm** Jazz Under the Stars.

\$15/10 Food and drinks available for purchase. To purchase tickets, contact 4MBS on 3847 1717 during business hours 7 days a week or book and pay online at [www.4mbs.com.au](http://www.4mbs.com.au)

Dreamworld and Whitewater World

"Adults at Kids prices"

there's just a couple of these discount vouchers left.

They're on the table near the Church entrance.



Who turned 50 last week,  
yes that's right ..  
Martin McKone.

Happy Birthday Martin

### Words of wisdom:

If adults could handle failure like an infant, we would all be massively successful.