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# **St Ignatius Parish** TOOWONG

in the care of the Jesuit Fathers, in a 'Community of Communities' with <u>Holy Family Church, Indooroopilly</u> 37 Ward Street, Indooroopilly and <u>St Thomas Aquinas Church, St Lucia</u> 87 Central Avenue, St Lucia.

The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body & Blood



2nd June 2024

Holy Spirit Church Harriett Street Auchenflower

# **Corpus Christi**

Jesus knows that his hours are numbered. But he is not planning to hide or flee. Instead he arranges a special farewell dinner with the men and women closest to him. It is a solemn and intimate moment for him and his disciples; he wants to experience it in all its depth. This is a well thought-out decision. Aware of his imminent death, he needs to convey to them his total trust in the Father, even in this hour. He wants to prepare them for the crushing blow that awaits then; his execution must not plunge them into sadness or hopelessness. They need to share the questions that they are all pondering: what will become of God's reign without Jesus? What should they do? Where will they turn now, to nourish their hope for the coming reign of God?

With his unbreakable trust in God's reign, Jesus sets out to enliven the meal by sharing his hope with the disciples. He began the meal in the usual way of taking bread and blessing it and distributing a piece to all. They all know this gesture, he had done so many times with them, and with sinners, tax collectors and prostitutes! But this time he adds words that give this gesture new meaning: "This is my body. I am this body. See me in these pieces of bread, giving myself to the end, to bring you the blessing of God."

At the end of the meal the host would take the wine and offer a prayer of thanks for the meal (as we might offer a 'toast' today). Again, Jesus surprises them by sharing that same cup – his cup. Passing the cup around and offering it to everyone, Jesus sees in it something "new" and special that he wants to explain: "This cup is the new Covenant in my blood. My blood will open up a new future for you and for everyone." Jesus is not only thinking of his closest disciples. At this decisive and crucial moment, the horizon he has in view becomes universal: the new Covenant, the definitive reign of God will be for many, "for all".

~ Fr Gregory Jacobs SJ

\*Please note, Holy Spirit Church closed as of 8/4/2024 until further notice (for roof replacement).

PARISH WEEKDAY MASSES: St IGNATIUS Toowong: 5.30pm Tuesdays and 9.15am Thursdays.

**HOLY SPIRIT Auchenflower**: 9am Fridays\* (**relocating** to St Ignatius Church)

PARISH WEEKEND MASSES: ST IGNATIUS Toowong: Sunday 7.00am & 5.00pm.

**HOLY Spirit** Auchenflower: Sunday 8.00am.\* (cancelled)

**Reconciliation / Confession**: by appointment.

## PARISH INFORMATION

## **Sacrament of First Holy Communion**



will be celebrated in our parish
this Sunday (2 June)
the Solemnity of the
Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ
at both 7am & 5pm\* Masses (St Ignatius)

\*Live Stream will be available of **5pm Mass Sunday**, via Parish YouTube - link <a href="https://youtube.com/live/Fv61lQMPA\_M">https://youtube.com/live/Fv61lQMPA\_M</a>

Congratulations to the 51 young parishioners who, **this Sunday**, are welcomed to the Table of the Lord to receive their First Holy Communion.

*'Expect-a-Cuppa'* will be held following both Masses; the children, families and all parishioners are invited to stay after Mass for refreshments to celebrate this special occasion.

Thank you to parishioners for your prayers and please continue to pray for all of our parish children who have made their First Holy Communion.

This is a major parish effort with so many contributing to their faith journey.

Many thanks to the Parents, St Ignatius School APRE & Teachers, Fathers Gregory Jacobs SJ and Paul Fyfe SJ, Anne Rego, *Pastoral Associate* & Sacramental co-ord., Monica Florence, *Parish Secretary*, to Musicians, Choir, Sacristans, Altar Servers, Proclaimers of the Word, Extraordinary Ministers of Communion, 'Expect-a-Cuppa' hospitality servers and every one of you for helping to make our celebrations a memorable occasion.

#### We welcome to the Table of the Lord:



Henry (Harry)
Hutchinson
Posie Hyde
Matilda Jacks
Lucy Johnson
Nancy Kilgarriff
Hazel Larard
Leann Lee
Matilda Jacks
Lucy Johnson

Nancy Kilgarriff James Midgley Alexander Miller Madeleine Miller Isabella Miller Matthew Mizzi **Matthew Nicholls** Jack O'Loan Claudia O'Rielley Patrick O'Sullivan Dedigamuwage Diyon Insith Perera Eloise Piat **Catherine Pickering** Alexander Radke Samuel Radke Rose Robotham Juliette Ross **Thomas Rvan** Kelly Sidharta John Sinnamon-Fisher Sidney Smith **Charlotte Stack** Abigail Thomson Xavier Vella Hannah Zugai Lucinda Zugai

During the past week Australia has celebrated National Reconciliation Week (27 May—3 June).

NRW is a time for all Australians to learn about our shared histories, cultures, and achievements, and to explore how each of us can contribute to achieving reconciliation in Australia.

The dates for NRW are the same each year; **27 May to 3 June**. These dates commemorate two significant milestones in the reconciliation journey—the successful 1967 referendum, and the High Court Mabo decision respectively.

https::/nrw.reconciliation.org.au/about-nrw/

## ST IGNATIUS PRIMARY SCHOOL INFORMATION

Congratulations to St Ignatius Primary School's Mrs Rosemary Mahon, School Secretary, on your nomination.



"Rosemary has dedicated her commitment to achieving our Vision of being a faith-filled learning community creating a better future. We celebrate her contribution to creating a vibrant community that delivers exceptional education outcomes, fosters a sense of belonging, and inspires excellence. Very well deserved!"

#### CBA Smart Terminals at St Ignatius Church.

The devices are positioned at church doors at weekend Masses, to receive your electronic donations. It's great option for those wanting to give, but not carrying cash to put in the collection basket.

#### To use, it is as simple as

1. Choose the amount you would like to give, by touching the device screen (on \$5, \$10, \$20 or 'other amount'),

2. Then tap your credit card or smart phone over the device (as you would for any other electronic purchase).

As always, the Parish is forever grateful for any donation you are able to make and for your ongoing support of our parish. If you require any assistance with using the device, please speak to the Sacristan (at the Mass you are attending). Thank you.

Readings: The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ: Exodus 24:3-8. Hebrews 9:11-15. Mark 14:12-16, 22-26. Next Sunday: Tenth Sunday Ordinary: Genesis 3:9-15. 2 Corinthians 4:13—5:1. Mark 3:2-35.

**Entrance Antiphon:** He fed them with the finest wheat and satisfied them with honey from rock.

**Spoken Response**: I will take the cup of salvation, and call on the name of the Lord.

Sung Response:

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! I am living bread from heaven, says the Lord; whoever eats this bread will live

for ever. Alleluia!



# Your Prayers Are Requested For All Parishioners & friends who are sick & in need

SICK: Maria Duque, Susi Rieder, Pat Clohessy, Ricardo Pacheco, Louis Nunan, Elvira Pertudo, Mia O'Donnell, Elizabeth Teresa, Tandina Gabriel, Cathy Mamata, Melissa Acosta, Doreen Waller, Matthew McKay, Nina Starkey, Lyndal & Grant Mitchell, Judy Hijin, Hannah Sinead, Leigh Victoria, Adriana Meneses, Paul Massingham, Allan Doxey, Fr Michael Lowcock, Isabella Shand, David O'Connor, Denise Dimauro, Allison King, Zeneida Feril, Eugene Carniel, Nat Lentz, Deb Galbraith, Melissa Grimsgard, Teresa Galarza, Ange Beasley, Marie Anne Colman, Michael & Christine Hynes Adrian Duffy, Amy Frances Nugent, Kevin Anderson, Josephine Cunningham, Linda McCarthy, Cornelia 'Nora' King, Hubert Bonesch, Meagan Bowtell, Bernie Kunkel, Kate Wright, Karin Chai.

RECENTLY DECEASED: Jose Assin, Adelaide (Jane) Stanley, Olivia Shaw, Fr Jim Smith.

**ANNIVERSARIES**: Rita Leis, Colin Woolnough, Lorraine Perandis, Chris Bisshop, Florence Chan, Sheila O'Sullivan, Vera Feeney, Pat Greaney, Rosalie Cavalarie, 'Eddie' Edwin Thomas Hutchinson.

# Diary Dates June

- 1 Saint Justin
- 2 Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ

7am & 5pm Masses—Sacrament of First Holy Communion —St Ignatius

'Expect-a-Cuppa' will be held following Masses—St Ignatius

- 3 St Charlies Lwanga & Companions 7.30pm St Ignatius Peace Through Justice Group meeting —Horstmann Room
- 5 Saint Boniface

7.30pm PPC meeting —Horstmann Room

- 6 Queensland Day
- 7 Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

9am Anointing Mass—St Ignatius

8 Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary

#### <u>Pope Francis' prayer intention</u> <u>for June</u>

for those fleeing their own countries.



# DAILY SCRIPTURE READINGS 9th Week Ordinary (II)

 Ist Reading
 Gospel

 Mon:
 2 Peter 1:2-7.
 Mark 12:1-12.

 Tues:
 2 Peter 3:11-15,17-18.
 Mark 12:13-17.

 Wed:
 2 Timothy 1:1-3, 6-12.
 Mark 12:18-27.

 Thurs:
 2 Timothy 2:8-15.
 Mark 12:28-34.

 Fri:
 Hosea 11:1, 3-4,8-9.
 John 19:31-37.

 Sat:
 Isaiah 61:9-11.
 Luke 2:41-51.

#### PLEASE NOTE:

Parish Office will be CLOSED on Mondays until further notice.

#### Please note:

Any inclusions for the Parish newsletter should be marked to the attention of Parish Secretary & received, by email or note, at Parish Office no later than 12noon Thursdays. Thank you.

# Parish Information

PARISH COLLECTIONS: \$2,485.85, \*Other: nil.

<u>'EXPECT-A-CUPPA'</u> this Sunday (2 June) following both Masses at St Ignatius Church. Parishioners and visitors, plus children receiving their First Eucharist and their families, are invited to stay after Mass for refreshments to celebrate this special occasion.

**THANK YOU!** to all who assisted with last Friday's 'Synodality and the Life of the Parish' event and Sunday's Parish & School Mass (5pm Mass), both held in St Ignatius Church.

**PPC** meeting to be held this **Wednesday 5 June** at 7.30pm in the Horstmann Room.

ANOINTING MASS will be held at St Ignatius Church this month at 9am Mass on Friday 7 June (due to closure of Holy Spirit Church for roof works). All are welcome.

<u>GLUTEN FREE HOSTS</u> are available for those who are gluten intolerant or celiac. Please alert sacristan or priest prior to Mass.

ALTAR SERVING - WOULD YOU LIKE TO BECOME AN ALTAR SERVER? Any child who has received their Confirmation and First Communion and is interested in becoming an Altar Server at our parish's Sunday Masses, your parents can contact the Parish Office for more information (training will be provided).



#### Holy Spirit Church Auchenflower closed due to roof works (no Masses until further notice)

**UPDATE**: The roof repair is 98% complete - with just some flashing still to be completed. We hope that this will be completed next week. Then we will need to do some cosmetic work inside the church to the interior of the roof. So it does look like we will be able to resume Masses shortly. WATCH THIS SPACE for further updates on dates for the start of Masses again at Holy Spirit Church.

<u>FRIDAY 9AM MASS</u>. During closure of Holy Spirit this Mass will instead be held at St Ignatius Church.

<u>CHILDREN'S LITURGY</u> usually held during 8.00 am Mass (school terms only) will not resume until the 8.00 am Sunday Mass recommences. Watch this space for re-start date for Term 2.

#### **ARCHDIOCESAN INFORMATION**

#### **Message from Vinnies Qld** (Facebook post).

"It has come to our attention that there are fake advertisements currently circulating in regards to financial support from the St Vincent de Paul Society. Please be advised that Vinnies will never ask you to share your personal information over social media to receive financial assistance.

Anyone needing assistance can call the Vinnies Queensland Helpline on 1800 846 643 or fill out a help form through our website: <a href="https://brnw.ch/21wKapK">https://brnw.ch/21wKapK</a> and a member of our team will reach out to you as soon as possible.

If you come across any suspicious Vinnies advertisements, or if you're concerned that you may have provided your personal information through a suspicious Vinnies advertisement, please get in touch with us."

Where to find YOUTUBE on Parish's new website (top of screen) select 'Our Parish' and (from drop-down list) select 'Parish YouTube Recordings' click on it and it will take you to the Parish's YouTube page (or alternatively scroll down page to the blue footer along bottom and click on the 'arrow' icon, which will take you to the Parish's YouTube page), from there you can select to stream Sunday 5pm Mass or view other parish recordings.

\*READ Parish's weekly Newsletter and a new page 'Sunday Liturgy' contains that Sundays Readings;

\*VIEW Parish's YouTube, <a href="https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCLghy4aXqqJRrUILiXPjoSA?view\_as=subscriber">https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCLghy4aXqqJRrUILiXPjoSA?view\_as=subscriber</a>, to

\*Tream 5PM SUNDAY MASS from St Ignatius Church each Sunday (or watch previous MASS OR EVENT RECORDINGS).

**ARCHDIOCESAN LINKS**: \*WATCH MASS live from St Stephen's Cathedral, Brisbane (8am Weekdays, 8am & 10am Sundays) go to <a href="http://archbne.org/bzw">http://archbne.org/bzw</a> \*View '2 MINUTE HOMILIES' for Sunday's Gospel (featuring clergy from parishes around Archdiocese of Brisbane).

#### **NEWS FROM ST THOMAS AQUINAS PARISH, ST LUCIA.**

St Lucia Spirituality Group.

The next meeting of this group will be held on Zoom at 6pm, **Tuesday 11 June.** This month's topic is Nature and Spirituality. We will discuss the role of creation and nature, God's first bible, in one's spiritual journey.

To register for the meeting and receive a copy of the briefing paper, please E: <u>iscoble@hradvantage.com.au</u>

#### **'COMMUNITY OF COMMUNITIES' MASS TIMES** (as of 1/1/2024)

MONDAY TUESDAY	St Thomas Aquinas, St Lucia St Ignatius, Toowong	5.15 PM <b>5.30 PM</b>
WEDNESDAY	Holy Family, Indooroopilly 5.00 P	M Prayer,
	6.0	0 PM Mass
THURSDAY	St Ignatius, Toowong	9.15 AM
FRIDAY	Holy Spirit, Auchenflower	9.00 AM*
FRIDAY	Holy Family, Indooroopilly	9.00 AM
SATURDAY	St Thomas Aquinas, St Lucia	6.00 PM
SUNDAY	St Ignatius, Toowong	7.00 AM
SUNDAY	Holy Spirit, Auchenflower	8.00 AM*
SUNDAY	Holy Family, Indooroopilly	8:30 AM^
SUNDAY	St Thomas Aquinas, St Lucia	9:30 AM
SUNDAY	St Ignatius, Toowong	5.00 PM





# 2025 Enrolments Open for Prep-Year 6

A Brisbane Catholic Education School

#### **Upcoming Twilight Tours**

to showcase our school to interested parents on **Wednesday 24 July**, 5– 6:30pm.

Visit www.stignatiustoowong.gld.edu.au or P: 3371 1094.

#### **OUR MISSION PRAYER**

We, the St Ignatius community, are called to live the good news. We pray that we become the people that Jesus Christ called us to be. We pray that we know the Father, by the power of the Holy Spirit through knowing Jesus in prayer, scripture and liturgy. We pray that we give hope to others by a practical, personal kindness,

affirming each person's dignity, worth and destiny in Christ. May we live out this mission of our Christian vocation in the spirit of St. Ignatius.

The Archdiocese of Brisbane holds that children, young people and vulnerable adults are a gift from God with an intrinsic right to dignity of life, respect and security from physical and emotional harm. They are to be treasured, nurtured and safeguarded by all.

Archdiocese of Brisbane's Office for Safeguarding https://brisbanecatholic.org.au/support/safeguard/ Privacy Policy -

https://brisbanecatholic.org.au/privacy-policy

STOPline Service. STOPline is an external service provided for the Archdiocese to receive confidential disclosures. Disclosures can be made anonymously. Phone: 1300 304 550 | Email: AOB@stopline.com.au | Online: www.bnecatholic.stoplinereport.com



When making out your will please consider the needs of the parish.

**Parish WEBSITE** www.stignatiustoowong.org.au

Current Newsletter now on our website!

#### Parish Office Information

Parish Office Hours: Monday\* to Friday 10am—3pm (\* closed on Mondays until further notice)

Phone: 07 3870 7818. **Email:** toowong@bne.catholic.net.au Postal Address: 30 Kensington Terrace, Toowong Qld 4066. Website: www.stignatiustoowong.org.au Facebook: St-Ignatius-Parish-Toowong *Instagram:* st.iggysyouth

We are part of the Brisbane West Deanery ~ website: www.brisbanewestdeanery.com.au email: bwdeanery@bne.catholic.net.au

Emergency Contact If you require a priest in an emergency, please phone the parish priest on 0487 778 154.

#### **Jesuit Community Old** Fr Gregory Jacobs SJ-

**Parish Administrator** Fr Paul Fyfe SJ-**Associate Pastor** 

Fr Frank Brennan SJ-Superior

#### Parish Office Staff

Monica Florence (Tues-Fri)

- PARISH SECRETARY (including Newsletter) Anne Rego

- PASTORAL ASSOCIATE

Email: pw.toowong@ bne.catholic.net.au

Musical Director **Anthony Young** 

**Parish Pastoral Council** Stan Sielaff—Chair

Finance & Development

-Chair



Safeguarding **Children** & Vulnerable <u>Adults</u>

Janine Curcuruto -LOCAL SAFEGUARDING REPRESENTATIVE

M: 0412 452 164

Email: <u>lsr.toowong@</u> bne.catholic.net.au

## **Liturgical Ministry:-**Holy Spirit Church

\*Ministry Roster: Pat Lve 0434 894 922

\*Children's Liturgy Roster: Danielle Younger

#### St Ignatius Church.

\*Ministry Roster: Liz Alvey & James Donaldson

E: alveydonaldson@gmail.com

\*Altar Server Convenor: Tony Nguyen 0411 484 137

#### PRIMARY SCHOOL

St Ignatius Parish

TOOWONG

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\* **OSHC**— 3870 3270

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