



*St Ignatius Church
Kensington Terrace, Toowong*



*Holy Spirit Church
Harriett Street Auchenflower*



St Ignatius Parish TOOWONG

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

28th Sunday Ordinary

13th October 2024

Year B

The Rich Young Man

Jesus likes this young man, in fact, the gospel relates that “Jesus, looking at him, loved him...” And because he loved him, Jesus wanted the best for him, even if that was going to be something hard. If you do not care, then you can let them jump into the lake. But you do care. You love them enough to care, and therefore you make demands. Jesus loves him too much to let him settle for just being “a good man”. Jesus is saying: “You can do better than this!”

Jesus is speaking to us today too. Maybe even more than the rich young man, we are caught in a possessive and consumerist culture. We trade in our phones and computers every few years for the latest model. We want the latest dishwasher or coffee machine to make our lives a little better and easier. The pressure of advertising is on us to keep up appearances, to maintain my status, to have what everyone else has, to accumulate what everyone else accumulates, to increase my social profile, fill our houses, making it necessary to rent our mini-warehouses to contain our excesses. So we, good people, rationalize and not ever suspects that Jesus is looking at us with love, saying we can do better than this, that we are not everybody else. Jesus is asking us to let go of many things for the sake of greater love, growth, and witness to the gospel.

Recent gambling advertisements carry with them mandatory taglines such as “Imagine what you could be buying instead?” Our gospel today might challenge us to give more of our wealth away – tithing is an ancient spiritual remedy for selfishness and loss of Christian identity. Tithing should be built into our lifestyle.

Jesus looks on us with love, but it is not the gushy love of greeting cards or insipid hymns. It is a tough love that reminds us that, good people that we are, we can do better, must do better. Don't walk away sad. Accept the gospel challenge.

~ Fr Gregory Jacobs SJ

PARISH WEEKDAY MASSES: **ST IGNATIUS Toowong:** 5.30pm Tuesdays and 9.15am Thursdays.
HOLY SPIRIT Auchenflower: 9am Fridays.

PARISH WEEKEND MASSES: **ST IGNATIUS Toowong:** Sunday 7.00am & 5.00pm* (Mass is livestreamed)
HOLY SPIRIT Auchenflower: Sunday 8.00am.

Reconciliation / Confession: by appointment.

*We respectfully acknowledge the Turrbal/Jagera people, as the traditional custodians and caretakers of the land which is the Toowong Catholic Parish.
We acknowledge the Elders, past and present and emerging. May we, too, be good stewards of this land.*

PARISH INFORMATION

Workshop for Parish Music Ministers. Make a Joyful Noise! *the Why, What, When, Where and How of Music in the Mass.* Presented by Christopher Trikilis (Cathedral of St Stephen) & Michael Mangan (Liturgy Brisbane).

ATTENTION PARISH MUSICIANS/CHOIR MEMBERS.

If you wish to attend the **second session** of this workshop please email Monica on toowong@bne.catholic.net.au ASAP with name/s of attendee to join parish's 'group ticket' for workshop on **Sat. 26 October**, 9am–12 pm at All Saints Church, Albany Creek (**registrations close: 21/10**).

Nb. Copies of flyer available on organ (at both churches).

You are Invited to Charity Concert.

Please join us for a performance by
The Queensland Conservatorium Chorus
on **Tuesday 15 October** at 7pm



at St Ignatius Church, Toowong. Entry is free.
Please give generously to the collection to be taken up for Jesuit Mission's work in Myanmar.

Youth Group (age: 12 to 17). We're considering establishing a Youth Group across our 3 parish communities. If you, or your child, is interested in being a part of this please email Anne Rego on pastoral.jesuit@bne.catholic.net.au

Young Adults Group (age: 18 to 35). A young adults group, known as **Jesuit Young Adults Brisbane (JYAB)**, has been established to bring together and support the young adults across the parish communities of Toowong/Auchenflower, Indooroopilly and St Lucia. If you are interested in joining JYAB, feel welcomed to join their Facebook group: *Jesuit Young Adults Brisbane*. Jackson Hayes is JYAB coordinator, is looking forward to meeting you.

Glimmers of Grace: Register for a daily image and prayer during October. Go to: <https://book.venue.life/pch/register/glimmers-of-grace-mary-blessings-october-2024>
This daily offering is free of any cost. (donations accepted).

Also, **JISA Faber** will be offering parishioners who have enrolled in the above a **Reflection Session**, to be held 7–8pm on **Thursdays 17 & 31 Oct.** in Parish Hall (below St Ignatius Church). Please RSVP to toowong@bne.catholic.net.au

ST IGNATIUS PRIMARY SCHOOL INFO.

TWILIGHT TOUR

TUESDAY 15 OCTOBER

Student-led campus tours

Learning and co-curricular showcase

STEM demonstrations

Twilight Tour this Tuesday
15 Oct., from 5–6.30pm.

Step into the world of St Ignatius School!
Our Twilight Tours provide a unique

opportunity to explore our nurturing environment, meet our enthusiastic teachers & understand our commitment to holistic development. See why St Ignatius is the preferred choice for our families.

To register please contact School Office on
P: 3371 1094 or E: ptoowong@bne.catholic.edu.au

You are invited to St Iggy's Stem Showcase.

We warmly invite all parents and the wider community to join us at the St Ignatius senior students STEM Showcase! Come and be amazed by the incredible innovation and creative ideas our students have developed. Witness firsthand the exciting STEM project that highlight their talents and hard work. Don't miss this opportunity to support and celebrate our young innovators!

Tuesday 22 October, from 9am–10.15am
in Parish Hall (below St Ignatius Church).

Any questions please email Sue Suter, APRE at St Ignatius School's on ssuter@bne.catholic.edu.au



St Vincent de Paul Society
good works

St Vincent de Paul Toowong Conference is recruiting!

Currently we have ten members who aim to follow the example of St Vincent de Paul by visiting local people who are struggling to survive and provide basic needs to themselves and their families.

We visit people in their homes, listening to their stories and providing whatever help is necessary & within our means. We are currently looking for more members to join our happy group. We meet twice monthly in the Horstmann Room for prayer, reflection and to discuss the support we have provided in the previous weeks.

Our visits are rostered around each members availability.

If you would like to join our Conference and be part of the worldwide organisation in helping the poor, please call – Mary Anne Paddock, SVdP Toowong President 0407 003 097.

Catholic Mission Appeal will be held on **Sunday 27 October** at all Masses (both churches).



In the harsh Mongolian winter, where temperatures can dip to minus 40 degrees Celsius, survival is often difficult. In two weeks, we'll share with you the story of Chuluunbaatar, who faces the realities of homelessness on a daily basis. You'll learn how your generous support will help with essential services to people in need like Chuluunbaatar.

You have the opportunity to partner with this life-giving work, as your prayers and support are crucial in ensuring this program can move forward.



Freecall: 1800 257 296
catholicmission.org.au/mongolia

SCAN ME



Readings: Twenty-Eighth Sunday Ordinary: Wisdom 7:7-11. Hebrews 4:12-13. Mark 10:17-30.

Next Sunday: Twenty-Ninth Sunday Ordinary: Isaiah 53:10-11. Hebrews 4:14-16. Mark 10:35-45.

Entrance Antiphon: If you, O Lord, should mark iniquities, Lord who could stand? But with you is found forgiveness, O God of Israel.

Spoken Response: Fill us with your love, O Lord, and we will sing for joy!

Sung Response: Fill us with your Love, O Lord, and we will sing for joy!

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! Happy the poor in spirit; the kingdom of heaven is theirs! 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, Elizabeth Teresa, Tandina Gabriel, Cathy Mamata, Melissa Acosta, Doreen Waller, Matthew McKay, Nina Starkey, Hannah Sinead, Lyndal & Grant Mitchell, Judy Hijin, Leigh Victoria, Adriana Meneses, Paul Massingham, Allan Doxey, Isabella Shand, Fr Michael Lowcock, 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, Dana FitzGerald, Janet 'Jan' Woods.

RECENTLY DECEASED: Br Bernie Crawford.

ANNIVERSARIES: Angela Frank, John Joseph Gerard Conroy, Janet Burgess, Patricia O'Brien, Violet Mary Hartridge.

Diary Dates
October

- 13** 28th Sunday Ordinary
Children's Liturgy during 8am Mass—Holy Spirit
- 15** *Saint Teresa of Jesus*
5-6.30pm St Ignatius School's Twilight Tours
7pm Concert—St Ignatius
- 17** *St Ignatius of Antioch*
7pm JISA Faber 'Glimmers of Grace' Reflection Session —Hall
- 18** *Saint Luke*
- 20** 29th Sunday Ordinary
8am Parish & School Mass—H/S

PARISH INFORMATION

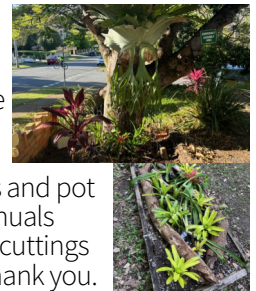
PARISH COLLECTIONS: \$3,709.35, *Other: nil.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY recommences **this Sunday** (13 October) at 8am Mass at Holy Spirit Church (will be held fortnightly during Term 4). Children of all ages are welcome to attend it is an enjoyable way for our children to participate in the liturgy.



LOST PROPERTY BOX (ST IGNATIUS). Glasses, several water bottles plus other items in the box located on the book stand, right-hand side as you enter from the front of church. Please take a look if you have misplaced anything in past several months or so. Thank you.

PARISH OFFICE GARDEN/PLANTS. A dedicated parishioner has been working on improving the appearance of the grounds Around the parish office. We have been propagating plants donated during the past year, which have now been planted into the ground. If any parishioners might be able to offer cuttings of other hardy plants to add to hanging baskets (yet to be installed) or to other garden beds and pot plants around the gardens, we would like to add more colour ie annuals (bulbs or cuttings), bird of paradise, ferns or similar; if you have any cuttings you are able to donate to this project please email Parish Office. Thank you.



EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST for cleaning St Ignatius Church on **Sat. 2 Nov.**, from 10am. Morning tea provided. If you're able to help please call Mary Anne Paddock 0407 003 097.

PARISH 'THANKSGIVING PROGRAMME' 2024-25. New Thanksgiving cycle commenced **last Sunday** (6 Oct.); new weekly envelope packs, have been allocated to those recorded as 'cash' givers; **available now!** Collect same from church noted as the one you usually attend. However, if you're unable to locate yours or if you wish to collect it from the Parish Office (during office hours) please contact Monica at Parish Office.

DAILY SCRIPTURE READINGS

28th Week Ordinary (II)



	1st Reading	Gospel
Mon:	Galatians 4:22-24, 26-27, 31-5:1.	Luke 11:29-32.
Tues:	Galatians 5:1-6.	Luke 11:37-41.
Wed.:	Galatians 5:18-25.	Luke 11:42-46.
Thurs:	Ephesians 1:1-10.	Luke 11:47-54.
Fri.:	2 Timothy 4:10-17.	Luke 10:1-9.
Sat.:	Ephesians 1:15-23.	Luke 12:8-12.

ANNOUCEMENT—ARCHDIOCESE OF BRISBANE & FLOCKNOTE.

For the past 3 years, the archdiocese has been working with parishes to develop more efficient and contemporary ways to reach parishioners and visitors. We are excited to announce a new partnership between Flocknote and Archdiocese of Brisbane. Many would be familiar with the paper parish census form and other avenues used to stay up to date and connected to parish's programs and ministries. With much more activity online today, Flocknote is the ultimate secure solution for managing communication. During September, many parishes in the Archdiocese promoted Flocknote signup and now our parish is now ready to ask our parishioners to do the same. All parishioners and visitors are invited to use **link (here)**, <https://stignatiustoowong.flocknote.com/register> or **QR code** (on left) and signup and register with the parish. Alternatively, please collect a 'hard-copy' form from clipboards located at both churches. If you have any questions please email toowong@bne.catholic.net.au

We  love having you as part of our flock

Keep in touch with us via email

 Signup Today! Just use the URL or QR code



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.

Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for October is 'for a shared mission' –

“We pray that the Church continue to sustain in all ways a Synodal lifestyle, as a sign of co-responsibility, promoting the participation, the communion and the mission shared among priests, religious and lay people.”

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.

PARISH WEBSITE, <https://www.stignatiustoowong.org.au/>, provides links to:

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

***VIEW** Parish's YouTube, https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCLghy4aXqqJRrUilIXPjoSA?view_as=subscriber, to

STREAM 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 <http://archbne.org/bzw> ***View '2 MINUTE HOMILIES'** for Sunday's Gospel (featuring clergy from parishes around Archdiocese of Brisbane).

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

MONDAY	St Thomas Aquinas, St Lucia	5.15 PM
TUESDAY	St Ignatius, Toowong	5.30 PM
WEDNESDAY	Holy Family, Indooroopilly	5.00 PM Prayer, 6.00 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*

NEWS FROM HOLY FAMILY PARISH, INDOOROOPILLY.

Holy Family Church, Indooroopilly will commence a trial period of **Eucharistic Adoration** on **Wed. 2 October**. Adoration of Our Lord will be held **every Wednesday**, from 11am to 6pm, and will conclude with Benediction; Holy Mass will be celebrated at 6pm.

If you are able to commit to Adoring Our Lord for a specific hour during this period each Wednesday, kindly email Anne Rego on pastoral.jesuit@bne.catholic.net.au

Multicultural Mass will be held at later time of 9.30am at Holy Family Church **this Sunday** (13 Oct.). Plus music, songs & dancing displays. Tea & coffee will be served.

DONATIONS TO THE PARISH: We very much appreciate your continued financial assistance and donations to the Parish are most warmly welcomed. This can be achieved by one of the following options:

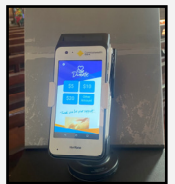
Register for regular giving via "**THANKSGIVING PROGRAM**" i) **Weekly envelope packs** (placed into collection basket at Mass) or ii) **Complete authority** (recurring deduction from your bank account or credit card) (contact parish office for form); alternatively, arrange your **OWN EFT** to Account Name: St Ignatius Toowong Parish; BSB : 064-786; Account Number: 100012736. (please enter 'Donation' plus your surname as reference. Please email your receipt to parish office).

CBA SMART TERMINALS at both **St Ignatius & Holy Spirit Churches**. Positioned at church doors at Sunday Masses, to receive your electronic donations (a 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).

If you require any assistance with using the device, please speak to the Sacristan (at the Mass you are attending).

As always, the Parish is forever grateful for any donation you are able to make & for your ongoing support of our parish. Thank you.



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 / 07 3870 7870 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](https://www.instagram.com/st.iggysyouth)

Emergency Contact If you require a priest in an emergency/after-hours, please phone Jesuits Fathers on 0439 055 804.

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



Jesuit Community Qld

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Parish Administrator**

Fr Paul Fyfe SJ—
Associate Pastor

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Stan Sielaff—*Chair*

Finance & Development

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**Safeguarding Children
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