

# FIRST SUN DAY OF LENT YEAR C 6TH MARCH, 2022

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This weeks Readings: Deut 26:4-10; Rom 10:8-13; Lk 4:1-13

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# Luke 4:1 - 13: Jesus Tempted in the Desert

The temptation of Jesus reflects the temptation that of all humanity experiences. Humanity was first tempted in the garden of Eden when Satan tempted Eve. Israel was tempted in the desert during the Exodus. We are still tempted today; as disciples of Jesus our lives reflect that of our Lord, including temptations. Eve was tempted to take food in the form of a forbidden fruit. Israel was tempted to hunger after the food they had enjoyed in Egypt. Jesus was tempted to turn stones into bread. We are tempted with food, alcohol, TV, the internet; in fact, anything that gives us gratification.

Eve found the fruit a "delight to the eyes" (Gen 3:6), she desires something other than God. Israel "forgot the God who saved them" (Ps 106:21), they worshiped a golden calf. Jesus is tempted to desire power from ruling secular kingdoms, at the cost of rejecting God. We too can be tempted with power through money, position, reputation, or anything that will allow us to control other people. Power can come at the cost of neglecting God, or even denying God or part of His teaching.

Eve is asked by Satan, "Did God say, 'You shall not eat of any tree of the garden'?" She is tempted to doubt God, putting God to the test. Israel tested God in the desert when they asked whether God could really provide food for all the people in the desert. Jesus is tempted to put God to the test by throwing himself off of the temple parapet. We can be tempted to rely too heavily on ourselves or on secular powers. It is as if we forget God loves us as our true Father and that we can rely on Him.

To counter these temptations, the Church provides us with three penitential disciplines; fasting to help us grow in self-control. Giving alms to help us to develop detachment from possessions and power. Prayer helps us to remember how good God is; we learn to be less reliant on ourselves and to trust God more. Disciples of Jesus take on the "discipline" of Jesus. Let us all take on these disciplines and encourage each other to persevere in them with the help of Jesus.

Deacon Adrian

#### **Important Reminder**

This is to remind all parish ministry leaders of the important meeting with the Parish Leadership Team, scheduled for 6pm on Wednesday, March 9, at the Ryan Room. The aim of this meeting is to enable our New Parish Leadership Team obtain information/feedback regarding respective parish ministries; and to understand how as a Leadership Team, they can best support these parish ministries.

If you haven't RSVP'd already please try to do so by Monday, March 7. To help facilitate the discussion, remember to bring with your completed Survey/ Questionnaire.

Thanks, Fr Odinaka



St Joseph's Church P.O. Box 569 177 Currie Street Nambour

St. Joseph's Parish Mass Times

Monday 8:00am , Wednesday 10:00am, Friday 8:00am, Saturday 6:00pm, Sunday 8:00am

Reconciliation
Wednesday 9:30, Saturday 4:30pm

St John Bosco Church Mass Time Third Sunday of the month 10:00am



St John Bosco Church 21 Anne Street Kenilworth

#### THIS WEEK'S MASS TIMES

Saturday 5th March

Pastoral Council Induction

Mass followed by 11:00am

Combined Cenacle

Reconciliation 4:30pm

6:00pm Mass **Sunday 6th March** 

First Sunday of Lent Pastoral Council Induction

8:00am Mass 9:00am **Baptism** 

Ivy Sevinga

(Maggie-Rose & Jake)

Monday 7th March

8:00am Mass

**Baptism Parent Information** 7:00pm

evening (3)

Wednesday 9th March

9:30am Reconciliation 10:00am **Anointing Mass** 10:30am Seniors Gathering 6:00pm Pastoral Council meeting

Thursday 10th March

10:00am Lenten Group in the

Community Centre Mass at Sundale Nursing

Home

Friday 11th March

11:00am

8:00am Mass

Stations of the Cross 5:00pm

Saturday 12th March

Reconciliation 4:30pm

6:00pm Mass Sunday 13th March

Second Sunday of Lent 8:00am Mass **Baptism:** *Harro Lovini* 

(Jessica & Jordan):

Bonnie & Quentin Layden (Donna & Ian)

St. Joseph's Senior's & Parishioners

Please note The Anointing Mass & Senior's Gathering will next take place on Wednesday, 9th March, 2022 at 10:00am

PARISH WEEKLY DIARY

**Sunday** 

6:00am TV Mass at Home (ch 10)

Tuesdays in 2022

Tai Chi **resumed** for 2022 enquiries: 0427 690 072

Wednesdays

10:30am Cenacle of the Marion

Movement of Priest

Thursdays 2022

9:30am Christian Meditation Room 2, Good Samaritan Centre-

Currently in recess

ST JOHN BOSCO CHURCH KENILWORTH

Thursdays

9:30am Christian

Meditation

Sundays

9:00am Liturgy of the

> word with Communion

Third Sunday

10:00am Mass



### First Sunday of Lent 5 & 6 March





Anatercia 12, was struggling to cope with adult responsibilities after her father died. Then she participated in Caritas Australiasupported training and gained access to psychosocial supports.

Now, Anatercia can easily access clean drinking water, community members are able to grow healthy crops all year round, and there is enough nutritious food to eat. Anatercia feels better supported by her community, has more time to study and do her homework, and hopes to fulfil her dream of becoming a

Please donate to Project Compassion 2022 to help young people succeed in the future and bring stability to vulnerable youth like Anatercia.



Together, we can help vulnerable communities face their challenges today and build a better tomorrow For All Future Generations. You can donate through Project Compassion donation boxes and envelopes available from your Parish, by visiting <u>lent.caritas.org.au</u>, or by calling 1800 024 413.

Please pray for the Sick and needy and all the sick of the Parish and their families including, Desmond Clarence, Fr Morrie Clarke, Linda Skinner, and particularly all those affected by coronavirus locally and globally, and their loved ones, and also those remaining in the Parish Journal for the Sick.

Mass on Demand is available 24/7 on https://www.youtube.com/user/cathnews.

Thankyou from Bevan Ashworth celebrating life and his good results following his 3-month post-cancer check up and all is clear. Thank you and the parish prayers very much.



# Please pray for those who are seriously ill or suffering in

hospital including Jo von Schomburg, Joanne Peters, Jenny Firmin, Lisa Ngamu, Josh Hey, Craig Mitchell (Trish & Des), Mark Robertson, Steve Mattarollo, Adrian Baker. Dorothy Allan (Dalby), Lyn Walsh, Phillip McCarthur, Susan Greenwood, Jim Gott (Kenilworth), Margaret Steel, Joyce Colclough, Jenny Langley, Kathleen D'Rozario (SCUH), Dawn Connolly, Simon Cornish, Joan Marian Foley, Rod Rickertt, Lisa Gratton, April Coulson, Joy Montifiore, Kerry Ryan, Diana Janstrom, Peter Janstrom, Greg Pearce (Brian & Kerrie), John McGlenchy, John Rhule, Margaret Madden, Joe Hilton, Sam Moran, Simon Dawson, Margaret Hassal, Edie Stevens (4yr old), Brian Clarke, Lenny Hutchensen, Kate McDonald, Patricia Wilson, Mary Street, Tim McKenzie, Peter Jacobson, Eileen Dunn, Adrian Stagg, Anne Barnett, Judith Konitzer, Sarah Wooler, Baby Hazel Rickertt, Kevin Fitzpatrick, Lisa Cannon, Bernard Hobbins, Corine Richards, Dane Pitkin, Patrick Mann, Jan Hinton, Loretta Sheeran, along with all those who work and serve in hospitals, in any capacity.

Please pray for all Parishioners & Friends in residential or home care and those who care for them including Barry & Joan Pobjoy, Willem Overmeryer, Romilda & Frank Natoli, Mory Sorry, Josephine Flynn, Anne Norman, Maria Rowe, Derek Marshall, Guy Spilers, Barry Hawke, Lillian Minz, Patricia Langford, Brian & Cecily Flynn (Melb), Adele Ashworth, Ivan & Colleen Brady, Olive Barker, Pauline Higgins, Elvira Quinn, Dr. Don O'Donohue, Tom O'Connor, Fr Morrie Clarke, Herbert Lehner, Dennis Kidcaff, Beverley Fraser, Robyn Whiting, Shirley Matheson, Patricia Warrender, Margaret Kenna, Hazel Grundy, Patricia Royds, David Hogan, Rita Herrick, Pat McDonald, Val Brennan, John Kincade, Joan & Terry Gateson, Kevin Crowe, Dr. John Conroy, Trish Van Hoeckel, Jeanette Innis, Vince Plumber, William Turner, Cecily Woodgate, Peg DiCerto, Vince Currie, Elizabeth Knowlton, Betty Mifsud, Desleigh Christensen.

Please pray for the suffering souls in Purgatory, especially deceased relatives and friends.

#### Anniversaries:

Remember in your prayers Leona Keegan 1/3, Nell Hopkinson 25/2 and all those whose Anniversary occurs at this time and we pray for all their families and loved ones.

Please pray for the repose of the souls of Michael Sobey (Son of John & Carmel—past Parishioners.)

# **EASTER**

If you are involved in a Ministry and will be here over the Easter Triduum, the nomination sheets for Holy Thursday, Good Friday and the Easter Vigil are available now until the weekend of 19<sup>th</sup> and

20th March. The sheets are on the work room bench so please leave your name for consideration if you are able to assist.

There a number of ways in which you can help if you are not involved in a Ministry. Bring your smile and be a greeter at the Masses on Holy Thursday evening and the Easter Vigil before we move to the Easter fire, bring the Offertory gifts forward on Holy Thursday evening, be a cross bearer during the Veneration of the Cross on Good Friday.

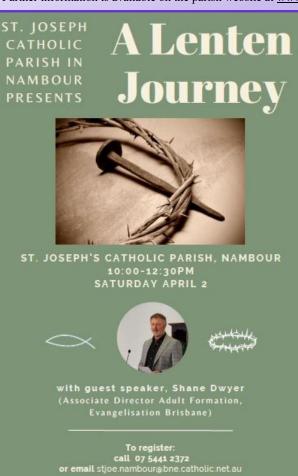
Please give this request your prayerful reflection and indicate your willingness to assist.

#### The Noosa District Catholic Parish invites all to celebrate the first 100 years of St. Patrick's Church in Pomona on Saturday 26th March, 2022.

- Celebrations will commence at 12.30 with light refreshments from 1 pm, memorabilia displays and entertainment.
- Mass will be celebrated at 4 pm with Archbishop Mark Coleridge presiding.
- If you have memorabilia, photos or other items that could be displayed could you please contact the Noosa Parish Office.
- Advance registration for attendance at the event is encouraged to assist with catering and seating arrangements.

Online bookings can be made at www.trybooking.com/BWTGH or by contacting the Parish Office on 07 54471188, email enquires.ndcp@bne.catholic.net.au.

Further information is available on the parish website at <a href="www.noosacatholic.com/parish-events">www.noosacatholic.com/parish-events</a>



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# RECONCILIATION

Please keep in your prayers the following children preparing for their Sacrament of Reconciliation in our Parish.

Lucinda Anderson, Charlie Baldwin, Patrick Bonser, Rilev Buck, Laylah Denton, Heidi Herron, Monique Kropp, Ginger McCauliffe, William McWha, Holly Moran, Dylan Oliver, Benjamin Pafflin, Sam Rutherford, Ryland Sheehan, Ella Somerville, Alira Teasdale, Cameron Teasdale.

#### Parish Ministries & Coordinators

Sacristan

Eileen Bradford

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Susan Brinnand.

**Liturgy Committee** 

Maureen Murphy. **Liturgical Music** 

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led by Fred de Waard.

Liturgical Art & Environment

Trevor & Judy Smith. Communion to the Sick

Rosanna Tumelty.

**Rosters** 

Trevor Smith & Annette Baker.

**Servers** 

Maureen Murphy.

Children's Liturgy

Jocelyn Lysaght.

Sacramental Program

Rosanna Tumelty.

**Baptism Ministry** 

Rosanna Tumelty.

**Ecumenical Ministry** 

Joan Pobjoy.

**Eucharistic Adoration Co-ordinator** 

Rosanna Tumelty & Adrian Eldridge.

**Helping Hands** 

Kate Bourassa & Jan Imarisio.

**Family Connections** 

Tracey Langford.

**Youth Minister** 

To be confirmed

Contact all Ministry Coordinators C/- Parish Office 54411034

# ST JOSEPH'S USUAL MONTHLY DIARY

# 1st Monday:

- 5:30pm Monday 4th April Liturgy Meeting
- 7:00pm Baptism Preparation (Next 07/03/2022)

# 1st Wednesday:

- 10:00am Anointing Mass
- 10:30am Seniors Gathering & M/tea—new Parishioners welcome

# 1st Friday:

8:30am—6:00pm 10 Hour Eucharistic Adoration Followed by Benediction concluding at 6:30pm

# 3rd Sunday:

5:30pm Mass at Palmwoods

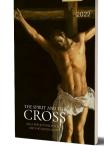
# Last Monday-bi-monthly

5:15pm Helping Hands Next meeting 27th June

A Parish Lent Group commences in the Community Centre at 10am on Thursday 10th March, 2022. Another group is held also which is now fully booked. Please contact the Parish office if you are interested in joining a group for Lent.

The Spirit of the Cross book is available for purchase, \$4.00each, even if you choose to work through it from home.

The daily reflections, written by the Executive Director of Evangelisation Brisbane, Dcn Peter Pellicaan, invite the reader to contemplate a verse from the Scripture reading of the day, and offers questions for reflection and discussion.



### **Counters:**

This week: Group 1: E. Lawrence, T. McCorley, D. Kelly, T. Keegan, D. Cuskelly Next week: Group 2: T. & O. Linedale, B. & M. Cull, M. Murphy, B. Pearce, D. Cuskelly



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### REMEMBERING ST JOSEPHS PARISH

Thank you for remembering your Parish in your will.



#### **URGENT APPEAL:**

"Due to flooding disaster St Joseph's Conference is in need of food assistance. We have had huge demand on our resources this past week. We need the following:

UHT milk (full cream); Pasta/2 minute noodles; Bolognese sauce; Small packets of rice; Oats; Tinned soup; Muesli bars (for school lunch); Toothpaste/toothbrushes.

If you can help we would greatly appreciate these necessities. Please leave them in the basket provided on Saturday night and Sun morning masses.

Many thanks

President, Teresa Forrest

St Joseph's Conference Nambour

