

13TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME—YEAR C JUNE 26TH, 2022

Readings: 1 Kg 19:16, 19-21; Gal 5:1, 13-18; Lk 9:51-62

"Building a community of Jesus' disciples." We welcome you - We are one family

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The Cost of Discipleship

The call to follow Jesus is always a grace and a privilege. Often in the scriptures we hear that challenging invitation to permanently remain with the Lord because He remains with us. We are called to walk with Him, to listen to Him and to always allow His teaching and His words to form the way we think, the way we feel and act — we are called to discipleship. Following Jesus means allowing Him to change every aspect of our lives, so that, we more clearly reflect His way of living in all that we do. This invitation to follow Jesus requires total commitment. We see a fine example of commitment in the first reading; when Elijah came to call Elisha to succeed him as prophet, Elisha was out doing his daily business, but once he was called, he left everything and followed Elijah.

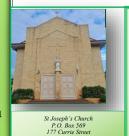
Elisha's response was absolute. He slaughtered the oxen and burned the plough. That meant that there could be no possibility of returning to his old way of life. Turning back was no longer an option. From that moment Elisha committed himself totally to his new calling. We have even better example of commitment in the Gospel reading. Jesus set his face toward Jerusalem. **That decision calls for great courage and commitment**, because he knew that rejection, betrayal and even death awaited him there. But his Father had given him the task of bringing salvation to his brothers and sisters. He would not opt out now. Thus he has given an example to his followers of the kind of dedication that is required of a true disciple. This explains the reason for his response to the men he met on his way.

To the man who opted to follow him he responded: "Foxes have dens and birds of the sky have nests, but the Son of Man has nowhere to rest his head." Jesus uses metaphor to explain that to truly follow him one must be ready to leave the comforts of home. This challenges me to pray about times I cling to the comforts of home or friends rather than push myself in following Jesus. Jesus is not asking me to literally abandon my home but rather to live my faith. The times I extend out of my comfort zone are the times I can most fully experience and share God's love.

Along his journey Jesus also invited another person to follow him. However, the individual asks if he can first stay and bury the dead. Jesus responded: "Let the dead bury their dead." In Jesus' challenge to the invited follower I hear there is always something I could be doing which can get in the way of my following Jesus. Life's day to day responsibilities can pile up, providing a profound distraction. Jesus invites me to pray about what is getting in the way of my being a follower. What distracts me from living my faith? How can I support others who get bogged down in their desires to "bury the dead?"

Today, we live in the age of 'drop-out'. The Lord still calls people today, and there are still those who respond. We are all called in different ways to be Christians where we are and in our different professions. What does the call to follow Christ mean to each of us?

Fr Odinaka



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 25th June

Parish Leadership team weekend

School Holidays begin

4:30pm Reconciliation 6:00pm Mass

Sunday 26th June

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am Mass Baptism:

Leon & Georgie

Branch (Mathew & Nikki)

Monday 27th June

5:15pm

Liturgy of the Word with 8:00am

Communion Deacon Adrian Helping Hands meeting

Wednesday 29th June

Fr Odinaka's Anniversary of Ordination

9:30am Reconciliation 10:00am Mass

Thursday 30th June

Bible study reflection group 10:00am

in Community Centre

Friday 1st July

8:00am Mass

8:30am **Eucharistic Adoration**

Saturday 2nd July

Peter's Pence Collection a Masses this weekend

11:00 Mass Marian Movement

joint Sunshine Coast

Cenacle

Reconciliation 4:30pm

6:00pm Mass **Sunday 3rd July**

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am Mass

The Peter's Pence Collection is an annual collection of the Catholic Church around the world

The collection allows the Holy Father to respond to the most needy throughout the world, to offer timely, effective emergency assistance to our suffering brothers and sisters

In the Archdiocese of Brisbane we take this collection up as a retiring collection.

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

ST JOHN BOSCO CHURCH KENILWORTH

Thursdays

9:30am Christian Meditation

Sundays

9:30am Liturgy of the word with Communion

Sunday 26th June

10:00am Mass

PRAYER FOR PEACE BETWEEN RUSSIA AND UKRAINE

God of peace and justice, we pray for the people of Ukraine and Russia

We pray for peace and the laying down of weapons.

We pray for all those who fear for tomorrow, that your Spirit of comfort would draw near to them.

We pray for those with power over war or peace, for wisdom,

discernment and compassion to guide their decisions.

Above all, we pray for all your precious children, at-risk and in fear,

that you would hold and protect them.

We pray in the name of Jesus, the Prince of Peace. Amen.



ADORATION "In a world where there is so much noise, so much bewilderment, there is need for silent adoration of Jesus concealed in the Host. Jesus waits for us

in the Blessed Sacrament. He waits for our little Acts of faith, adoration, love, thanksgiving, repentance and charity that we can offer him as we contemplate — His Divine Majesty— In the Blessed Sacrament.

'Could you not watch one hour with Me?'

Please come, join and adore Jesus in the Eucharistic Adoration on Friday 1st July, 2022 following 8:00am Mass, from 8.30am. Please contact Rosanna on 0415 563 805.

Please pray for the Sick and needy and all the sick of the Parish and their families including Doreen Ayres, Martin, Harrison & Katherine Shaw, Kathleen D'Rozario, Elizabeth and Ian Bell, Marie Gannon, Colleen Deighton, Desmond Clarence, Fr Morrie Clarke, and particularly all those affected by coronavirus locally and globally, and their loved ones, and also those remaining in the Parish Journal for the

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

Please pray for those who are seriously ill or suffering in hospital including Linda Skinner, Hank & Wendy de Vrief, Wanita Ferrari, Kath Ashworth, Merle Tones, Ed Burton, Peter Nix, Neil Holly, Elsey Rae (2 years old), Joshua Skinner, Jo von Schomburg, Joanne Peters, Jenny Firmin, Lisa Ngamu, Josh Hey, Craig Mitchell (Trish & Des), Mark Robertson, Steve Mattarollo, Adrian Baker, Dorothy Allan (Dalby), Phillip McCarthur, Susan Greenwood, Jim Gott (Kenilworth), Margaret Steel, Joyce Colclough, Jenny Langley, 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 Rhule, Margaret Madden, Joe Hilton, Sam Moran, Simon Dawson, Margaret Hassal, 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 Br Henk Bosman MSC, Lyn Walsh, Barry & Joan Pobjoy, Willem Overmeryer, Romilda & Frank Natoli, Mory Sorry, Josephine Flynn, Anne Norman, Maria Rowe, Derek Marshall, 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, 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 Elizabeth & Henry Woodward, Phyllis Hawken 12/06/2002, Karlie Pearce 30/6, Bernard Furner 29/5/11, 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 all the recently departed especially Richard Kevin Rowe, Margrith Rachele de Aboitiz. Please also pray for loved ones in their grieving.

Altar Server Ministry

Blessings to those who received the Sacrament of First Eucharist during June at St Joseph's. You may have noticed the Altar Servers who play an important role in assisting Father Odinaka and the people at the weekend Masses. If you would like to join this Ministry, your Ministry, there will be a training session in the church at 9 am on Sunday 24 July and you are cordially invited to attend with a parent. The session will take approximately 11/2 hours. Enrolment forms can be arranged via the Parish office or see Donna during school hours if your child attends St Joseph's Primary School.

Maureen. Coordinator, Altar Server Ministry

Inner Peace in Divine Love, Nambour QLD - Jesuit and Ignition Spirituality Australia A Four Week Retreat in Daily Life

This First Spiritual Exercises retreat runs over four weeks in daily life. It guides you in prayer and reflection for 30mins each day. The retreat is for anyone who desires to grow in their relationship with God.



The retreat was composed by Michael Hansen SJ and is based on the Spiritual Exercises by St Ignatius of Loyola. This retreat is a way of encountering the Creator as Love in your everyday life through a program of personal prayer and attending a weekly gathering of guided spiritual conversation – online or in person.

What's involved—no fees

- Participants pray at home for 30mins each day, and meet together with retreat guides within a group once a week for 90mins, for listening, prayer and spiritual conversation.
- There are five 90min group meetings.
- These sessions guided by trained givers of the First Spiritual Exercises.
- It is suggested that you purchase "The First Spiritual Exercises: Four Guided Retreats" book by Michael Hansen SJ ahead of the retreat. Although hard copy resources are supplied freely on a weekly basis.

Five consecutive Mondays: Commencing 29 Aug & 5, 12, 19 & 16 Sept 2022

Time: 9.30am – 11.00am AEST

Retreat Givers: Marie Lynch, Eric May & Lynne Raw

Where: St Joseph's Catholic Church, 177 Currie St, Nambour QLD

To register: The retreat is now open for registrations. Retreatants are able to register online

https://jisa.org.au/retreat/inner-peace-in-divine-love-nambour-qld/ or contact info@jisa.org.au, 1300 393 636

Confirmation Enrolment

Sacraments are sacred events, in which we enter more fully into the mysteries of our Catholic faith. They are community events, which remind us of the role of the community in our faith life.

Here is another wonderful opportunity for parents to contact the parish office to enrol their children in year 4 into this year's sacramental program for Confirmation before the Information Session.

On Thursday 14 July or Thursday 21 July, parents are to attend either of the compulsory Parents Information Session, at 7pm, at the Ryan

Room. In this session, preparation process will be outlined and questions answered. Each weekend commencing from the weekend of July 30/31 to August 20/21, children who have successfully enrolled in the Sacramental Program are to attend Mass and either the

Saturday or Sunday workbook review sessions. On Sunday morning, the 28th of August, there is a mini retreat that brings the preparation to an end and the Sacrament of Reconciliation is celebrated.

On Saturday September 3rd, at 9am, we celebrate the sacrament of Confirmation for the children who have successfully completed their preparation process.

Thanks, Fr Odinaka.

Counters:

This week: Group 4: M. Jackson, B. & M. Barker, E. Bradford, K. Grundy, V. Richmond Next week: Group 1: E. Lawrence, T. McCorley, D. Kelly, T. Keegan, D. Cuskelly



Sacristan

Eileen Bradford

Safe Guarding Children & **Vulnerable Adults Representative**

> Susan Brinnand. **Liturgy Committee**

Maureen Murphy.

Liturgical Music

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led by Fred de Waard.

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Trevor & Judy Smith.

Communion to the Sick

Rosanna Tumelty.

Rosters

Trevor Smith & Annette Baker.

Servers

Maureen Murphy.

Children's Liturgy

Jocelyn Lysaght.

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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 First Monday 1st August Liturgy Meeting
- 7:00pm Baptism Preparation

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



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Nambour Anglican Parish

Invites you to Our Christmas in July Saturday 30th July, 2022 Arrive from 6pm for a 6:30pm start Cost \$20

(inc. 2 Course Dinner, Lucky Door Prize & Fun Entertainment)

Venue: St John's Parish Hall

174-176 Currie St, Nambour (Carpark at top if Driveway 6 Daniel St, Nambour) Please R.S.V.P. by 16/7/22 Office—5441 1018 or Nambour @anglicanchurchsq.org.au



