

33RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME—YEAR C 13TH NOVEMBER, 2022

Readings: Mal 3:19-20; 2 Thess 3:7-12; Lk 21:5-19

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"Endurance never gives up hope in God"

In today's Gospel reading we hear Jesus tell his disciples that if they endure to the end they will gain their lives - they will inherit abundant life and lasting happiness with God. Endurance is an essential strength which God gives to those who put their trust in him. *Endurance is the patience which never gives up hope, never yields to despair or hatred.* Patience is long-suffering because it looks beyond the present difficulties and trials and sees the reward which comes to those who persevere with hope and trust in God. That is why Godly endurance is more than human effort. It is first and foremost a supernatural gift of the Holy Spirit which enables us to bear up under any trial or temptation.

Endurance is linked with godly hope - the supernatural assurance that we will see God face to face and inherit all the promises he has made. Jesus is our supreme model and pioneer who endured the cross for our sake (Hebrews 12:2). "God shows his love for us in that while we were yet sinners Christ died for us" (Romans 5:8). Jesus willingly shed his blood for us - to win for us pardon and peace with God. Our joy and privilege is to take up our cross each day to follow the Lord Jesus.

The word "martyr" in the New Testament Greek means "witness". The Book of Revelation says that "Jesus was the faithful witness ... who freed us from our sins by his blood" (Revelation 1:5). Tertullian, a second century lawyer who converted when he saw Christians singing as they went out to die by the hands of their persecutors, exclaimed: "The blood of the martyrs is seed." Their blood is the seed of new Christians, the seed of the church.

The third century bishop, Cyprian said: "When persecution comes, God's soldiers are put to the test, and heaven is open to martyrs. We have not enlisted in an army to think of peace and to decline battle, for we see that the Lord has taken first place in the conflict." *True martyrs live and die as witnesses of the Gospel.* They overcome their enemies through persevering hope and courage, undying love and forbearance, kindness, goodness, and compassion.

God may call some of us to be martyrs who shed their blood for bearing witness to Jesus Christ. But for most of us, our call is to be 'dry' martyrs who bear testimony to the joy and power of the Gospel in the midst of daily challenges, contradictions, temptations and adversities which come our way as we follow the Lord Jesus.

What will attract others to the truth and power of the Gospel? When they see Christians loving their enemies, being joyful in suffering, patient in adversity, pardoning injuries, and showing comfort and compassion to the hopeless and the helpless. Jesus tells us that we do not need to fear our adversaries. God will give us sufficient grace, strength, and wisdom to face any trial and to answer any challenge to our faith. Are you ready to lay down your life for Christ and to bear witness to the joy and freedom of the Gospel? Source: Don Schwager © 2022. Servants of the Word, @ Dailyscripture.net



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 Kenilworth Mass Time Third Sunday of the month 10:00am

St Augustine's Church Palmwoods Mass Time Third Sunday of the Month 5:30am



St John Bosco Church 21 Anne Street Kenilworth

THIS WEEK'S MASS TIMES

Saturday 12th November

4:30pm Reconciliation

6:00pm Mass

Sunday 13th November

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am Mass

Baptism: Akelina Iwase-Atiau

(Lulu & Iwase)

9:30am Liturgy of the Word with Communion at St John Bosco Church Kenilworth—Deacon Adrian 10:15am The Book of Psalms and the Divine Office at St John Bosco Church Kenilworth—Deacon Adrian

Monday 14th November

8:00am Mass

Wednesday 16th November

9:30am Reconciliation 9:30am Holy Rosary in the

Church

10:00am Mass

10:30am Cenacle of the Marion Movement of Priest—all welcome

Friday 18th November

8:00am Mass

Saturday 19th November

11:00am Mass Marion Movement of the Sunshine Coast

4:30pm Reconciliation

6:00pm Mass

7:00pm Senior Youth

Gathering

Sunday 20th November

Our Lord JESUS CHRIST, KING of the UNIVERSE

8:00am Mass

10:00am Mass St John Bosco

Church Kenilworth

5:30pm Mass Palmwoods

Anglican Church

PARISH WEEKLY DIARY

Sundays:

6:00am TV Mass at Home ch10

Tuesdays:

Tai Chi - Ryan Room Enquiries 0427 690 072

Fridays:

6:00pm RICA in the Ryan

Room

ST JOHN BOSCO CHURCH KENILWORTH

Thursdays:

9:30am Christian Meditation

Sundays:

9:00am Lay Led Liturgy of the word with Communion

Third Sundays:

10:00am Mass

Combined Parishioner and School Mass

Parishioners are invited to join in at the 9am End of the Year School Mass @ Good Samaritan College Bli Bli on Friday 25th of November. There will be no parish Mass on that day at the church. Please RSVP to the Parish office by Monday 21st November.

Please pray for the Sick and needy and all the sick of the Parish and their families including Kathleen Bonnell, Denise Cole, Pia Aarts, and particularly all those affected by any virus, 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.

Please pray for those who are seriously ill or suffering in hospital including Marie Gannon, Daryl Morris, Althea Kenny, Sky Rowe, Trevor Harrington, Morry Sorry, Yvonne Reid, Frank De Vere, Lorraine Cowley, Tom McDougal, Frank Natoli, Linda Skinner, Hank de Vries, Kath Ashworth, Peter Nix, Neil Holly, Elsey Rae (2 years old), Jo von Schomburg, Joanne Peters, Jenny Firmin, Lisa Ngamu, Josh Hey, Mark Robertson, Steve Mattarollo, 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, April Coulson, Joy Montifiore, Kerry Ryan, Diana Janstrom, Peter Janstrom, John Rhule, Margaret Madden, Joe Hilton, Sam Moran, Simon Dawson, Lenny Hutchensen, Kate McDonald, Patricia Wilson, Mary Street, Tim McKenzie, Peter Jacobson, 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 Juanita Ferrari, Angela Carroll, Fr Morrie Clarke, Br Henk Bosman MSC, Lyn Walsh, Barry & Joan Pobjoy, Willem Overmeryer, Josephine Flynn, Anne Norman, Maria Rowe, Derek Marshall, Lillian Minz, Patricia Langford, Cecily Flynn (Melb), Adele Ashworth, Ivan & Colleen Brady, Olive Barker, Pauline Higgins, Elvira Quinn, Dr. Don O'Donohue, 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, 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 Hilda Pulache 15/11/21, Michael Rutledge, Gwen Juratowitch 1996, Ronald Noel Seaton 15/11/18, and all those whose Anniversary occurs at this time and we pray for all their families and loved ones.

Deceased:

Please pray for the repose of the souls of all the recently departed especially Carmel Schick 10/11, wife of Brian (Yeppoon), Ian Gordon, Annie Hawke, William McCready, Adrian Baker (Lloyd & Annette's brother/in law), Giuseppe Bisinella (Joe). Please also pray for loved ones in their grieving.



Joey's Market: in the Church Gathering area: Saturday 12th November, Before and After Mass Sunday 13th November, Before and After Mass

Supporting the Parish Maintenance Program Enquires & Donations – Annette 0429 413 353 **Cash Only**

Dear Parish Volunteers

On behalf of Fr Odinaka and the Parish staff, you are cordially invited to a combined end of year volunteer Christmas gathering. A Shared morning Tea

Date: Thursday 15th December, 2022

Time: 10:00am

Venue: Parish Community Centre **RSVP:** Thursday 8th December The Parish will provide light refreshments. Please bring along a shared plate of finger food.



CHRISTMAS ASSISTANCE

If you will be at St Joseph's for Christmas and willing to assist at one of the Christmas Masses, please leave your name for consideration on the sheets which are now on the work room bench. The sheets will be available for the next 3 weeks with the rosters being compiled after that time.

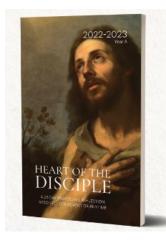
If you don't normally assist as a Minister of the Word or Minister of Communion, could I encourage you to nominate as a greeter, a collector or to bring the Gospel forward. Families might like to nominate to carry the Offertory gifts forward.

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

Thank you. Maureen

Advent Resource: "Heart of the Disciple" is a new 28-day reflection resource that can be used during Advent by individuals and groups, or at any time during the 2022-2023 liturgical year. Its main purpose is to help us to find a few minutes each day to practice what it means to sit with God and to trust God to lead us forward.

Limited number of books are available for \$5.00. If you would like to join a small group during the week, please contact the Parish office to register your interest.



Counters:

This week: Group 2: T. & O. Linedale, B. &M. Cull, M. Murphy, B. Pearce, D. Cuskelly Next week: Group 3: M. & B. Barker, L. Richardson, B. Pearce, J. Bourassa, J. Goggin

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Joan Pobjoy.

Eucharistic Adoration

Rosanna Tumelty & Adrian Eldridge.

Helping Hands

Kate Bourassa & Jan Imarisio.

Youth Minister

To be confirmed

Contact all Ministry Coordinators C/- Parish Office 54411034

ST JOSEPH'S USUAL **MONTHLY DIARY**

1st Monday:

- 5:30pm Monday Liturgy Meeting
- 7:00pm **Baptism Preparation**

<u> 1st Wednesday</u>:

- 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

1st Saturday:

11:00am Mass Marion Movement Combined Cenacle SSCoast-all welcome

3rd Sunday:

- 10:00am Mass at Kenilworth
- 5:30pm Mass at Palmwoods

<u>Last Monday</u>-bi-monthly

5:15pm Helping Hands Next meeting tbc



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