



GUARDIAN ANGELS CATHOLIC PARISH WYNNUM



Our Parish Vision

“A welcoming, vibrant, inclusive, loving and outreaching community who understand their Catholic beliefs and live their lives connected by the love of Jesus Christ”

Mission Statement

We strive to proclaim the joy of the Gospel and reach out to others so that they experience God’s unconditional love.

Welcome to our Parish!


Parish Office Hours

Mon & Tues: 9am to 2pm

Wed, Thu & Fri: 9am to 4pm

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WEEKEND MASSES

Guardian Angels Church

Saturday 6pm

Sunday 7am, 9am, 5pm

Children’s Liturgy held every 2nd and 4th Sundays at the 5pm Mass

Iona College Chapel

Sunday 7:30am

**St. Joseph the Worker,
Hemmant**

Sunday 8:00am

Nazareth House Chapel

Sunday 9:30am

Capuchin Friars in residence:

Parish Priest:

Father Joshy Parappully OFM Cap

Email: pp.wynnum@bne.catholic.net.au

Father John Cooper OFM Cap

Father Martinus Situmorang OFM Cap

5th Sunday of Easter

28 April 2024

Good News Reflection

All Branches Must Cling to the Vine to Blossom and Bear Fruit

What a beautiful metaphor Christ shared in the Upper Room! Jesus was trying to help His disciples understand the gift of Divine Grace and how the lives of Christians must stay joined to the glorified life of Jesus to be nourished, sustained, and grow to fruitfulness.



Like any master gardener of a vineyard, God our Father delights in each of us whom He plants in His garden. He is passionate about our growth, and He wants us to reach the fruitful potential of our souls in this life so that we may fulfill our purpose in His vineyard here on earth.

He fertilizes the soil to help us grow. He waters, weeds, and prunes our vines to help us become all we were meant to be. God knows the beautiful fruitfulness and growth that we can experience in His perfect plan. He watches over each of His vines with loving care.

Our souls are made to be the perfect reflection of Christ. God the Father, with the help of the Holy Spirit, watches over us with loving guidance and protection and wants our souls to grow in love and holiness. There are times in the garden of our lives when enemies slip in and threaten the beauty and very existence of our spiritual lives. If one isn’t careful, bad soil, pests, predators, parasites, dryness, and weeds can be very destructive. We will only bear fruit if we are pruned of everything unhealthy to our souls, and we must be sure to cling fast to the vine of Christ who strengthens us.

Our spiritual lives are dependent on the gift of Divine Grace and our souls are nourished and sustained by the love of Christ. It is vital that we trust Him with our whole hearts to do whatever is needed in our lives for our best growth. We must trust Christ and always stick close to Him.

As much as plants need air, sunshine, and water, a branch is just as reliant upon the vine. Without the vine – Jesus – our souls will shrivel and die. Letting go of our own selfish wills – by fully surrendering to God’s Holy Will and trusting His pruning and weeding in our lives – will surely help our souls blossom, bear fruit, and become all we were made to be by our Father.

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Today’s Readings: Acts 9:26-31; 1Jn 3:18-24; Jn 15:1-8

Response to the Psalm: I will praise you, Lord, in the assembly of your people.


Gospel acclamation: *Alleluia, alleluia!* Live in me and let me live in you, says the Lord; my branches bear much fruit. *Alleluia!*

Next Week’s Readings: Acts 10:25-26,34-35,44-48; 1Jn 4:7-10; Jn 15:9-17



Welcome to our Parish!
Feel free to take a Welcome Pack located at the back of the church.

We would like to acknowledge the Traditional Custodians of this country and their connection to the land, sea and waterways and the community. We also pay respect to their Elders, past and present and extend that respect to all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Peoples today.

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH	Guardian Angels Church ROSTER - 4 & 5 May 2024			
<p>Monday to Friday: Morning Prayer: 6:40am Mass: 7:00am</p> <p>Friday: Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: 7:30am to 11:30am Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help: 11:30 am</p> <p>Mass: 12 Noon</p> <p>Saturday: Morning Prayer: 7:40am Mass 8:00am</p> <p>Confessions: Saturdays 5:15pm to 5:45pm or during the week by appointment.</p> <p>Baptisms: Every 2nd & 4th Sundays at 11am.</p> 	<p>6:00pm Saturday Vigil Mass R: K Owens; C Nacinopa M: M Joseph; M McGrory</p>	<p>9:00am Sunday Mass R: T Owens; M Allison M: R Nguyen; W Denton; A De Weger</p>	<p>St Joseph the Worker 8am Sunday Reader: K Hudson</p>	
	<p>7:00am Sunday Mass R : J Van der Togt; J Reedy M: P Owens; A Rimes</p>	<p>5:00pm Sunday Mass R : J Lagrosa; M Bub M : G Hodgson; D & P Jefferies</p>	<p>Cleaning Roster (This week): L Simpson; C Caparos; M Buckman</p>	
<p><u>Safeguarding Commitment</u> <i>The Archdiocese has zero tolerance for all forms of abuse and is committed to safeguarding everyone involved in its activities, ministries, and services. The safety and wellbeing of children and adults-at-risk is paramount.</i></p>				
		Second Collection	14 April 2024	21 April 2024
		Planned Giving Envelopes	\$ 182.50	\$ 203.00
		Loose money on plate	\$ 607.50	\$ 741.50
		Direct Debit	\$ 395.00	\$ 409.00
		Parish Giving App *	\$ 487.50	\$ 277.50
		Total	\$ 1,672.50	\$ 1,631.00
*Parish Giving App donations are divided 50/50 into 1st Collection & 2nd Collection				

Parish Announcements

Year of Prayer

You speak, Lord God, even in silence and we listen with ears of the heart. We listen and our eyes are opened to see all things as they are. We see with the eyes of Jesus and our mouths are opened to speak of our joy and our sorrow, to sing your praise and seek your help. This is the grace of prayer you give, that opens heaven to earth, heart speaking to heart. Give us that grace in this Year of Prayer, teach us to pray anew, lead us deep into the heart of Jesus who is our prayer for ever and ever.

Amen
+Mark Coleridge

POPE FRANCIS' 5 FINGER PRAYER
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For those who teach, instruct & heal you.

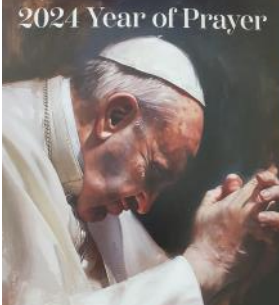
MIDDLE
For authority figures & those in government.

RING
For the weakest & most vulnerable, the sick & poor.

THUMB
For those closest to you! Family & friends

PINKIE
Lastly, for YOU & your needs.

2024 Year of Prayer



"I ask you to intensify your prayer to prepare us to live this event of grace well and to experience the power of God's hope. That is why today we begin a Year of Prayer."
Pope Francis

Corpus Christi Procession



CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION

"He who follows me walks not in darkness" - John 8:12

2PM SUNDAY 2 JUNE 2024
Cathedral of St Stephen, BRISBANE CITY



Starting and ending at the Cathedral of St Stephen and featuring prayers, rosary, hymns and Benediction with proceedings led by Archbishop Mark Coleridge.

corpuschristibrisbane.com



CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION



Also includes **Eucharistic Miracles Exhibition** (1st - 2nd June, Hanly Room) and **vigil night Adoration** (1st June 7pm - 2nd June 8am, Mary MacKillop Chapel)

The Corpus Christi Procession relies on donations.
The organising committee would appreciate any early donations to meet expenses.
Payable to Westpac Bank account:
NAME: Corpus Christi Procession Brisbane
BSB: 034087 **ACCOUNT:** 019649




To watch the livestream of the procession and for information regarding parish bus timetables, visit the website or call 0412 802 122.

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We pray for their eternal rest...

We pray for eternal life for those whose remains rest in our Columbarium Walls: Denis Hickey; Angel Ynchausti; Franz Gruber; Robert Peet; Tereza Thomas, Merv Holman, Brian Eather, Ted Richardson and those remembered in our Memorial Walls: Kathleen & Herbert Sheehan; Sylvester John Macpherson & Lorna Maria Macpherson and the deceased members of the Owens and Carmichael families.



Parish Announcements

IMPORTANT Message for All

Readers, Extraordinary Ministers of Communion, & interested Volunteers

A Commissioning Meeting and Refresher Training Session for all Readers and Extraordinary Ministers of Communion will be held on **2nd May, Thursday at 6pm** at the Guardian Angels Church. Fr Joshy will discuss new procedures during this meeting.



We are in need for more volunteer Readers and Extraordinary Ministers. If you are interested in sharing your time and God-given talents, we invite you to come and join us on this night.



Volunteering at the Parish

Interested in serving and sharing? The Parish is in need of more volunteers such as **OFFERTORY COLLECTORS, READERS, EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF COMMUNION FOR THE SICK AND DURING MASS, CLEANERS, ALTAR SERVERS, SINGERS, MUSICIANS, CLEANERS, CATECHISTS AND MANY MORE.** We also have many groups within the Parish that you can join...

If you wish to help out and serve, feel free to contact us via email or phone at the Parish office or approach Fr Joshy after Mass for more information. *Thank you.*

APOSTOLIC ACTION GROUP

BIBLE STUDY GROUP

CHOIRS

CURSILLO MOVEMENT

DIVINE MERCY PRAYER GROUP

KNIGHTS OF THE SOUTHERN CROSS

LIGHT ON THE HILL

MAJELLAN GROUP

MUSIC MINISTRY

MUMS & BUBS

NEO-CATECHUMENAL WAY

PRAYER CIRCLE

SACRAMENTAL CATECHISTS

SECULAR FRANCISCAN ORDER

COFFEE SOCIAL GROUP

ST VINCENT DE PAUL

WELCOMING GROUP

YOUTH MINISTRY GROUP

ZUMBA

Great occasions for serving
God come seldom, but little
ones surround us daily.

Saint Francis de Sales

Mums and Bubs at the Parish

**The GA Mums and Bubs Group is coming!
Launching Monday May 6.**

If you have any of the following good quality items which you would like to donate to help us get started do feel free to drop them at the Parish Office.

For more information, please call or message Alice 0438 880 051, Jessica 0448 780 521 or Paola 0498 649 931. Thank you.

- A change table.
- Children's tables and chairs.
- Board Books
- Wooden Blocks
- Wooden Train sets
- Play Kitchen
- Children's percussion instruments
- A play pen
- Infant toys in as new condition.
- Items for a children's liturgy table, such as a wooden cross, small table, resin or plastic statue of Mary/Jesus/family of Nazareth.



KSC—Silver Circle Winner

WINNER KNIGHTS OF THE SOUTHERN CROSS SILVER CIRCLE DRAW 3 OF 10
The winner of Draw 3 in the current Knights Silver Circle with Ticket No 30 is **Margaret Buck.**

Congratulations Margaret and thanks to those supporting the charitable works of the Knights through this fundraising Silver Circle.

HEALING MASS

Anyone needing healing prayer or a spiritual boost in their lives, is invited to attend the first Friday monthly Healing Mass at St. Mary Magdalene's Church, 51 Cecil Road, Bardonia, Friday, 3rd May, 2024 at 7.30pm. Fr. Joson Antony, PP at All Saints Parish, Albany Creek be the celebrant.

A HEARTFELT THANK YOU from ROSIE'S

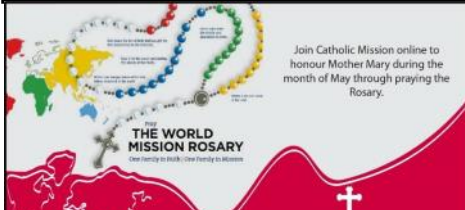
Bruce from the Wynnum/ Manly branch of Rosie's would like to thank all GA parishioners who generously donated underclothes, socks and toiletries to our appeal recently. God bless you all.

The Sacrament of Healing will be administered during Mass. Personal prayer will also be offered after Mass. Sponsored by CCR Bardonia. For further information, contact Len Airey on 0421 977 849 or email lenpatairey@gmail.com

May Rosary Prayers

City Prayer Meeting

Healing Mass



Join Catholic Mission online to honour Mother Mary during the month of May through praying the Rosary.

THE WORLD MISSION ROSARY
The World Mission Rosary is a prayer to the Virgin Mary.

World Mission May Rosary Prayers

Mon - Fri
Time: 2pm Brisbane / Melbourne time
12pm Perth time
Join Zoom Meeting:
<https://tinyurl.com/cmprayer>
Meeting ID:
893 8798 2280
Password:
876574

GO AND INVITE EVERYONE
to the banquet

catholic mission
Reach out. Give life.




The 'Spirit of Hope' Prayer Meeting
St Stephen's Chapel
(In the grounds of the Cathedral in Brisbane City Centre)
(We Meet every 1st Wednesday of the Month)

Next Meeting Wednesday 1st May 2024
10.45am – 12.15pm
(after 10am Mass)

Join us, as we Pray, Praise and Worship the LORD!
Calling on the Holy Spirit to lead us in praying for Renewal!!
Personal Prayer Ministry will be Available


EVERYONE WELCOME#

Contact: Maureen 0403002199 or Helena 0405321901

PENTECOST 2024
Pre-Pentecost Event

Healing Mass
With Fr. Steve Fletcher



Fr. Steve is a member of the Missionaries of God Love Brothers who seek bring the fire of God's love in the power of the Holy Spirit to the Church and the world. He has worked as a missionary for many years in Indigenous communities, youth outreaches, adult retreats, parishes, prisons and various faith formation and training settings. He has passion to see the church alive in the power and gifts of the Holy Spirit fulfilling the call of Jesus to go make disciples of all nations. He is 29 years ordained and presently Moderator of the MGLs based in Canberra.

St. Rita's Church, 37 Benfer Road, Victoria Point.
7pm, Tuesday 14th May 2024.
Praise, Worship, Mass, Talk, Personal Prayer.

Donations gratefully received.
Enquiries: Len 0421 977 849 or
Audrey 0435 558 390

Catholic Schools Open Days



Guardian Angels' Wynnum



Tuesday 7th May or Tuesday 11th June, starting at 9am.

JOIN US FOR A
PRINCIPAL'S TOUR

Enrolments for 2025 and 2026 are **NOW OPEN**



To Achieve Life



THURSDAY 9 May 2024
11.00AM - 1.30PM

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Open Evening

Thurs 16 May, 4:00 - 7:00pm

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Open Day

Friday 24 May
1.30pm-4pm

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