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- Brisbane Archbishop Mark Coleridge is standing up to protect Catholic confession rights against proposed mandatory reporting laws.
- Queensland Law Society has hit back against the proposed mandatory reporting laws around religious confession, warning it could easily spread to other confidentiality privileges like lawyer-client privilege.
- Brisbane Catholic Kym Keady reflects on her experiences of motherhood, hard work and leadership in a heartfelt letter to her daughter Bethany.
- Catholic photographer Alan Edgecomb displays a gallery of photos of Rome's Basilica di Santa Maria and his "superb" experience photographing it.
- Marjorie Williams is hanging up the apron at the Cathedral Coffee Lounge after 20 years, looking for volunteers to take over, and shares a few stories from her life.

Bushfire Relief Concert
 Sunday 9 February 4pm
 All Proceeds to Ipswich Rural Fire Service Command
 St Pauls Anglican Church
 124 Brisbane St Ipswich Qld
 ICSO Strings
 Guest Conductor Adrian Head
 Guest Tenor Roger Davy
 Tickets From
www.ipswichcityorchestra.com.au

IPSWICH CITY ORCHESTRAS INCORPORATED

Ipswich City Orchestra Strings will perform two concerts on Saturday 8 February at 7pm in Graceville Uniting Church and on Sunday 9 February at 4pm at St Pauls Anglican Church Ipswich. All funds from the first concert will go to the Red Cross Bushfire Appeal, and the proceeds of the concert in Ipswich will go to the Rural Fire Service Rfpley. The performance will include the iconic Tchaikovsky Serenade for Strings, Holst's St Pauls Suite, and two songs from Les Miserables featuring tenor Roger Davy. Guest conductor will be Adrian Head. Tickets can be purchased via the website www.ipswichcityorchestra.com.au, and will cost \$20 for adults, concession \$15, \$12 for students & free for children under 12.



EMBRACING THE COMMUNITIES OF:
 St Mary's - South Brisbane;
 St Ita's - Dutton Park;
 St Francis of Assisi - West End &
 Our Lady of Perpetual Succour - Fairfield.
 Under the care of the Capuchin Franciscan Friars



Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
22 January 2020 - Year A

Archbishop Mark Coleridge and the Australian Bishops have asked that special collections be taken up on Australia Day weekend to support bushfire-affected communities. Money raised from this collection will support the Vinnies' bushfire appeal. Collection baskets are at the entrance of the churches, please consider donating as you leave. Parishioners wishing to donate individually and receive a tax-deductible receipt can donate at www.vinnies.org.au. Thank you to those who have already contributed to support affected communities.

We are also called to pray for those affected, especially those who have lost loved ones, for those fighting the fires and for an end to the ongoing crisis. Prayers and other resources can be found at www.catholic.org.au/bushfires

Australia Day

Four hundred years ago, Portuguese explorer Pedro Fernandez de Quiros, was commissioned by the Pope "to serve God and spread the holy Catholic faith." He set off seeking to take Christ to the inhabitants of the South Sea Islands when he landed in Vanuatu, naming the island 'Australia del Espiritu Santo.' There, on the day of Pentecost, 1606 he spoke of the destiny of Australia and prophetically claimed the region to the south, including Australasia, as the Great South Lands of the Holy Spirit:

"Let the heavens, the earth...and all those present witness that I, Captain Perdo Fernandez de Quiros...in the name of Jesus Christ... hoist this emblem of the Holy Cross on which Jesus Christ was crucified and whereon He gave His life for the ransom and remedy of all the human race... on this day of Pentecost, 1606... I take possession of all this part of the South as far as the pole, in the name of Jesus... which from now on shall be called the Southern Land of the Holy Ghost ...and this always and forever... and to the end that to all natives, in all the said lands, the holy and sacred evangel may be preached zealously and openly." Australia is a blessed nation we rejoice and rise up in celebration to prophetically fulfil the name given long ago. As Australians we pray for a great outpouring of the Holy Spirit and for a deeper understanding of our call to be witnesses of Christ living in authentic truth and love for Jesus and at the service of others. It is only by the power of the Spirit can we embrace Australia's past and together work for the future of our nation, (parts taken from: melbourne.catholic.org.au and australiancatholics.com.au)

Support those affected by bushfires

Special Collections at Masses on Australia Day weekend

Come for a
SPIRIT FILLED NIGHT OF WORSHIP
 Facilitated by Steffanie Le

"give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus."
 1 Thessalonians 5:18

Friday 7 February 2020 - 7pm
 47 Dornoch Terrace, West End

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MASS TIMES

St Mary's Church (20 Merivale St. South Brisbane)
 Mon-Fri: 7am; Sat: 8am (Rosary after Mass)
 Sunday: 9am and 5pm

St Francis' Church (47 Dornoch Tce., West End)
 Sunday: 9am

St Ita's Church (Pope St., Dutton Park)
 Saturday (Vigil): 5pm; Sunday: 8.00am

Church of Our Lady of Perpetual Succour (Victoria St., Fairfield)
 Sunday: 7am (Anointing: 1st Sunday)

CONFESSION

St Mary's Church:
 Fri: 7.30am—8am Sat: 8.30-9.00am; Sun: 4-4.45pm

St Ita's Church: Sat: 4-4.50pm

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Parish Activities in 2020

BAPTISMS

Saturday | 9.30 a.m. | monthly

1st Saturday St Francis'
2nd Saturday St Mary's
3rd Saturday St Ita's

Family preparation sessions on the fourth Tuesday of each month at 9.30 a.m. Bookings essential.

ADORATION

Sunday: 4:00 p.m.—5:00 p.m. St Mary's Church

DIVINE MERCY

Sunday: 4:15pm St Mary's Church

PRAYER AND QUIET REFLECTION

Monday to Friday: 12:00 noon—2:00 p.m.
 at St Mary's Church

AWAKEN: TOGETHER IN CHRIST

1st Saturday of the month at 6:00 p.m.
 St Francis Hall, 47 Dornoch Terrace, West End
 website: awaken.org.au

ST FRANCIS TABLE—Ministry to the Elderly

Recommendations from Monday 3 February 2020

Monday: 10:00 a.m. -1:00 p.m.
 St Francis Hall, 47 Dornoch Terrace, West End

ANOIDING OF THE SICK MASS

1st Friday of the month | St Mary's Church 7:00 a.m.
 1st Sunday of the month | OLPS Fairfield 7:00 a.m.

PARISH MORNING TEAS

Every Sunday St Mary's (and Feast Days)
 1st Sunday of the month
 OLPS Fairfield after 7:00 a.m. Mass
 St Francis Church after 9:00 a.m. mass

FAMILY MASS

4th Saturday of the month | St Ita's Church 5:00 p.m.
 (school term only)

RISING YOUTH MINISTRY RYM

3rd Sunday of the month | St Francis Hall
 1.30 p.m.-3:00 p.m.

NEW PARISHIONERS

We would like to help you feel at home in the Parish. Would you please make yourselves known to our Priests and to the parishioners who greet you as you arrive. Welcome leaflets with basic information about the parish are also available either at the door of the church or by contacting the parish office. Thank you for becoming part of our community.

READINGS AT MASS

Entrance Antiphon Cf. Ps 95: 1, 6

I will praise you, Lord, among the peoples, among the nations sing psalms to you, for your mercy reaches to the heavens, and your truth to the skies.

First reading Isaiah 32:15-18

Once more there will be poured on us the spirit from above; then shall the wilderness be fertile land and fertile land become forest. In the wilderness justice will come to live and integrity in the fertile land; integrity will bring peace, justice give lasting security. My people will live in a peaceful home, in safe houses, in quiet dwellings.

The Word of the Lord

Responsorial Psalm Psalm 84

The Lord speaks of peace to his people. R/

I will hear what the Lord has to say, a voice that speaks of peace. His help is near for those who fear him and his glory will dwell in our land. R/

Mercy and faithfulness have met; justice and peace have embraced. Faithfulness shall spring from the earth and justice look down from heaven. R/

The Lord will make us prosper and our earth shall yield its fruit. Justice shall march before him and peace shall follow his steps. R/

Second reading 1 Corinthians 12:4-11

There is a variety of gifts but always the same Spirit; there are all sorts of service to be done, but always to the same Lord; working in all sorts of different ways in different people, it is the same God who is working in all of them. The particular way in which the Spirit is given to each person is for a good purpose. One may have the gift of preaching with wisdom given him by the spirit; another may have the gift of preaching instruction given him by the same Spirit; and another the gift of faith given by the same Spirit; another again the gift of healing, through this one Spirit; one, the power of miracles; another, prophecy, another the gift of recognising spirits; another the gift of tongues and another the ability to interpret them. All these are the work of one and the same Spirit, who distributes different gifts to different people just as he chooses.

Gospel Acclamation Matthew 5:9

Alleluia, Alleluia!
 Happy the peacemakers: They shall be called children of God. Alleluia!

Gospel Matthew 5:1-12

Seeing the crowds, he went up the hill. There he sat down and was joined by his disciples. Then he began to speak. This is what he taught them:

'How happy are the poor in spirit; theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

Happy the gentle: they shall have the earth for their heritage.

Happy those who mourn: they shall be comforted.

Happy those who hunger and thirst for what is right: they shall be satisfied.

Happy the merciful: they shall have mercy shown them.

Happy the pure in heart: they shall see God.

Happy the peacemakers: they shall be called sons of God.

Happy those who are persecuted in the cause of right: theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

'Happy are you when people abuse you and persecute you and speak all kinds of calumny against you on my account.

Rejoice and be glad, for your reward will be great in heaven; this is how they persecuted the prophets before you.

Communion Antiphon Cf. Ps 33: 6

Bless the Lord, my soul,
 And never forget all his benefits.

Next Sunday's readings: 1st reading: Malachi 3:1-4;

2nd reading: Heb 2:14-18; **Gospel** Lk 2:22-40;

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This Week's Liturgical Calendar (Psalm Responses)

Monday 27th

R/ My faithfulness and love shall be with him.

Tuesday 28th: St Thomas Aquinas (Memorial)

R/ Who is the king of glory? It is the Lord.

Wednesday 29th

R/ For ever I will keep my love for him.

Thursday 30th:

R/ God will give him the throne of David, his father.

Friday 31st: St John Bosco (Memorial)

R/ Be merciful, O Lord, for we have sinned.

Saturday 1st February: Mass of the Virgin Mary

R/ Create a clean heart in me, O God.

AUSTRALIA DAY – join in our many parish activities

St Mary's Church
 Please join with us and celebrate Australia Day
 at morning tea following the 9:00 a.m. Mass this Sunday



PRAYERS FOR AUSTRALIA

"Oz Rosary" has invited Catholics around Australia to pray the rosary, attend mass, spend time with the Lord and intercede for our country, rain, the bushfires and protection on **Australia Day, Sunday, 26 January**. You are invited to join 'Oz Rosary' at St Mary's Church this Sunday

3.30pm - Rosary
4.00pm - Adoration (Divine Mercy Chaplet)
5.00pm - Mass

Also please join us on Saturdays during January, following 8.00am Mass, to pray the Rosary for those experiencing enormous struggle and distress as a result of the bushfires around Australia.



Also this Sunday you are invited to attend the annual
Chinese New Year Mass
at 5:00 p.m. at St Mary's Church

Red envelopes (Ang Pow) containing a scriptural message will be provided to take home. Supper following Mass.

Sacrament of Penance 2020

This sacramental program is now open for enrolment. If you wish for your child who is in year 5 or older to receive the Sacrament of Penance, please complete the enrolment forms and return to the Parish Office. The enrolment forms are available from our websites www.southbrisbanestmarys.org.au or www.duttonparkcatholic.org.au

This is a combined Sacramental program for St Francis of Assisi, St Ita's and St Mary's.

Important Dates:

- Closing dates: Thursday 20 February
- Information Night: Thursday 27 February-6pm (St Ita's Church)
- Workshop: Saturday 7 March from 9am (St Francis' Hall)
- Celebration: Wednesday 11 March-6pm (St Ita's Church)

It is important both candidate and parent/guardian to attend all the events. For more information and enquiry contact the Parish Office 3844 2744 sacramental.duttonpark@bne.catholic.net.au

Volunteers

We welcome volunteers at each of our mass centres, it is a wonderful way to connect with our faith community and share the load. At the moment we especially have a need for the St Ita's Vigil Mass and counting for the Dutton Park Parish. If you would like to volunteer, speak with Fr Joshy or one of our mass coordinators after mass to see what's involved or call the office.

PRAISE & WORSHIP TALKS AND HEALINGS

".. I am the way and the truth and the life.
 No one comes to the Father except through me." John 14:6

"I am overflowing with the Holy Spirit.
 I have been nourished. I am in love with
 Jesus". Nick - Testimony

Facilitated by Stephanie Le

SATURDAY 1 FEBRUARY 2020 – 6PM
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The Little Kings Movement for the Handicapped

Weekend of 1st & 2nd February 2020

"The Little King's Movement" once a year conducts a Parish Appeal, a Door Knock supported by some Catholic Schools. The Movement caters for people with disabilities in social and spiritual activities. There is no Government funding and the Movement is staffed by volunteers. Each year the calls for their services are increasing. The Movement, though based on Catholic beliefs is truly ecumenical, and all members are welcomed and respected for their own beliefs. There is no charge for any of the services provided by the Movement.

If at this time you are unable to help financially you may be able to give of your time or talents, if so please contact the Movement on 3391 1432 or lk67@bigpond.net.au

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Men Alive are excited to announce our first Mission into the NT, on the 14/15 of March. If you know anyone in the NT/Darwin area please let them know. We encourage you to watch "THE CHOSEN" it is excellent and it will stretch your imagination and appreciation for the characters in the Gospels. You can find information on the free release of the viewing: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gJQi6KE91kE> We are looking for more volunteers to assist with our mission! If you would like to be involved in menALIVE this year as— a lay missionary, logistics, admin support or to pray for our work, let us know www.menalive.org.au Here is a truth to reflect on:— **When He looks at YOU, He sees His most magnificent obsession, the object of His sheer delight, the joy of His creation, the jewel of His design, the center piece of His plan. His Beloved.....Yes YOU!** The menALIVE eams