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The Catholic Leader: Keeping faith with you
 • Prayers flow for four Maronite Catholic children killed by an alleged drunk driver in Sydney, father pleads for drivers to "be careful".
 • Aboriginal educator Cynthia Rowan is Brisbane archdiocese's new reconciliation action plan officer and says the RAP was not just "an Aboriginal thing, it's for all Australians".
 Find your copy at the back of the Church for \$2.

Verse for Vinnies
 There's a Bush Poet show where you really should go at **St Williams on Dawson Parade**.
 Verse for Vinnies the gig, it will be really big as the funds go to those needing aid. And **Jim Haynes** is the star and he'll come from afar for from Sydney he'll fly for the day. He's a poet renown, and can be quite a clown at the end you will wish he could stay. And with Noel and his verse they'll have topics diverse from bush rangers to comic galoot. So you really should go **it's a 1.30 show** and the afternoon tea's really beaut.
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Vacancy
 Victoria Point Parish casual position of Sacramental & Safeguarding Coordinator (Only during school term time starting in March 2020 with approximately 5 to 10 hours per week) For a copy of the position description and to apply for this position, please visit the below link. <https://brisbanecatholic.org.au/careers/> Applications close 18 February 2021. The Archdiocese of Brisbane has standards of conduct for workers to maintain a safe and healthy environment for children. Our commitment to these standards requires that we conduct working with children checks and background referencing for all persons who will engage in direct and regular involvement with children and young people (0 - 18 years) and/or vulnerable adults. The organisation is fully committed to child safety and has a 0 tolerance to abuse of children or vulnerable adults.

40 Days for Life Wine and Cheese Night 2020!
 Our first event is coming up soon! It's a FREE event and an opportunity to bring your friends and family to learn about what 40 Days for Life is doing in Brisbane! Friday, **21 Feb 2020 7pm** Courtyard between Marymac Centre and Mary Immaculate School Building, **616 Ipswich Rd, Annerley** What: a night of FREE wine, cheese and nibbles with fellow people of God who want to **end the scourge of abortion** in Brisbane. This is a chance to hear what the power of prayer and God's grace is doing to bring new life into our broken culture. 40daysbrisbane@gmail.com

CathKids is back!
 CathKids is a weekly interactive experience with a short animated video on the Sunday reading, questions to stimulate discussion, a simple activity, and prayer. It's perfect for use in the classroom, in children's liturgy and at home. It can be used in groups facilitated by an adult or in self-directed exploration by children aged 7-12. Subscribe now!
<https://cathfamily.org/cathkids-faith-unlimited/>

LITURGY BRISBANE
Liturgy Brisbane Workshop: Celebrating the Triduum and Easter
 Presenters will explore the rituals & texts of the Triduum and Easter Time, suggest musical repertoire, and discuss ideas for preparing appropriate environment and symbol. The workshop will be offered in two locations: Tuesday 11 Feb 6pm-9pm at Paddington and Saturday 15 Feb 9am-12pm at Upper Mount Gravatt.
 Individual ticket \$10. Parish group ticket \$40.
<https://www.liturgybrisbane.net.au/learn/workshops-and-training/>

You are invited to share in a Community Forum Care For Our Common World
Living Laudata Si..... Think Globally, Act Locally
 Saturday February 15th 2020 9am—1.45pm
 Our Lady Queen of Apostles 70 Appleby Rd Stafford
stafford@bne.catholic.net.au or call **07 3356 7155**



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 St Francis of Assisi - West End &
 Our Lady of Perpetual Succour - Fairfield.
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**5th Sunday in Ordinary Time
 9 February 2020 - Year A**

Dear Parishioners

The gospel reflection for this Sunday is for the disciples Christ of all the time: "You are the salt of the earth ... You are the light of the world" (Mt 5, 13 and 14). With these words Jesus does not invite us to become something new such as salt and light but reveals what we are by our baptism in the Lord. He does not tell us what we must do, he reminds us of what we are already. In saying: "You are the salt of the earth" Jesus tells us that whenever the human nature gets corrupted by sin and has become tasteless, through the grace of the Holy Spirit and our ministry of witness, will regenerate and preserve the world to its original holiness which was planned by God. Again when He says "You are the light of the world," Christ teaches us that we, united with him, can spread, in the midst of the darkness of indifference and selfishness the light of love of God, true wisdom that gives meaning to our existence and actions.

In the First Reading prophet Isaiah clearly says how one can be the pure salt giving flavour and taste to others lives and shining light that can lead others from darkness to light of Christ. That is through breaking the bonds of injustice and oppression, sharing their bread with the hungry, giving shelter to the homeless, displaying compassion, and speaking the words of truth that can heal others. When we cover the naked and not hiding ourselves from the other who may need our assistance, we are truly becoming the salt of the earth light of the world.

God bless you and have great weekend,
 Fr. Joshy Parappully OFM Cap
 Parish priest

St Ita's School Opening Mass for 2020
 Friday 14 February 8.45 am
 We would like to invite you to attend the official 2020 opening mass for St Ita's School—there will be a special blessing on the school, the children and the leaders for 2020
 All welcome

Pilgrimage of the Relics of St Thérèse of Lisieux and her parents, Sts Louis & Zélie Martin
 For the first time in 18 years, the relics of St Thérèse of Lisieux, one of the most popular saints of modern times, are visiting Australia on a four-month pilgrimage with her parents, Saints Louis and Zélie Martin. **The relics will be in the Archdiocese of Brisbane from 6-15 February. Local Churches below:**
 Thursday 6 Feb 4pm-10pm & Friday 7 Feb 1am-10.30am
 Our Lady of Mt Carmel Church Coorparoo
 Friday 7 Feb 12 noon-9pm Our Lady of the Southern Cross Church Springfield Lakes
 Friday 7 Feb 10.30pm—all night vigil departing Sat 8 Feb 10.30am
 Mary Immaculate Church Annerley
 Sat 8 Feb 11am—Mon 10 Feb 9am depart
 Cathedral of St Stephen
 For further information and the full Archdiocesan and Australian itinerary please visit www.catholicmission.org.au/relics

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)

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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

Recommences 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 Ps 94: 6-7

O come, let us worship God
and bow low before the God who made us,
for he is the Lord our God.

First reading Isaiah 58: 7-10

Thus says the Lord:

Share your bread with the hungry,
and shelter the homeless poor,
clothe the man you see to be naked
and do not turn from your own kin.
Then will your light shine like the dawn
and your wound be quickly healed over.

Your integrity will go before you
and the glory of the Lord behind you.
Cry, and the Lord will answer;
call, and he will say, 'I am here.'

If you do away with the yoke,
the clenched fist, the wicked word,
if you give your bread to the hungry,

and relief to the oppressed,
your light will rise in the darkness,
and your shadows become like noon.

Responsorial Psalm Psalm 111(112): 4-9

R/ A light rises in the darkness for the upright.

He is a light in the darkness for the upright:
he is generous, merciful and just.
The good man takes pity and lends,
he conducts his affairs with honour. **R/**

The just man will never waver:
he will be remembered for ever.

He has no fear of evil news;
with a firm heart he trusts in the Lord. **R/**
With a steadfast heart he will not fear;
open-handed, he gives to the poor;
his justice stands firm for ever.
His head will be raised in glory. **R/**

Second reading 1 Corinthians 2: 1-5

When I came to you, brothers, it was not with any show of oratory or philosophy, but simply to tell you what God had guaranteed. During my stay with you, the only knowledge I claimed to have was about Jesus, and only about him as the crucified Christ. Far from relying on any power of my own, I came among you in great 'fear and trembling' and in my speeches and the sermons that I gave, there were none of the arguments that belong to philosophy; only a demonstration of the power of the Spirit. And I did this so that your faith should not depend on human philosophy but on the power of God.

Gospel Acclamation John 8: 12

Alleluia, alleluia!

I am the light of the world, says the Lord; the man who follows me will have the light of life.

Alleluia!

Gospel Matthew 5: 13-16

Jesus said to his disciples: 'You are the salt of the earth. But if salt becomes tasteless, what can make it salty again? It is good for nothing, and can only be thrown out to be trampled underfoot by men.

'You are the light of the world. A city built on a hill-top cannot be hidden. No one lights a lamp to put it under a tub; they put it on the lamp-stand where it shines for everyone in the house. In the same way your light must shine in the sight of men, so that, seeing your good works, they may give the praise to your Father in heaven.'

Communion Antiphon Cf. Ps 106: 8-9

Let them thank the Lord for his mercy,
his wonders for the children of men,
for he satisfies the thirsty soul,
and the hungry he fills with good things.

Next Sunday's readings: 1st reading: Sirach 15: 15-20
2nd reading: 1 Cor 2: 6-10 **Gospel** Mt 5: 17-37

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St Ita's Children's Liturgy

At the 5pm Vigil Mass Every Saturday (except for family mass)
For primary school ages 5-12 yrs old

Bring your children along, they will be blessed with a short children's liturgy during the first part of mass under the stewardship of Sr Salvacion.

Our Parish follows the guidelines of the Archdiocese of Brisbane for engagement of all volunteers and creates an environment that fosters child safety and wellbeing.

Sacrament of Penance 2020 (St Mary's, St Francis of Assisi & St Ita's) Closing date: Thursday 20 February

If you wish for your child to receive this sacrament, please send the enrolment forms to the Parish Office as soon as possible. You could download the enrolment forms from our websites www.southbrisbanestmarys.org.au or www.duttonparkcatholic.org.au

For more information and enquiry contact the Parish Office 3844 2744 sacramental.duttonpark@bne.catholic.net.au

Volunteers Needed

St Ita's Vigil Mass - readers required
Dutton Park Parish—counters required
(Sunday approx. 10am)

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.

Our friends at menCONNECT are running a half day spiritual reflection on Saturday 15th February in Kenmore, Brisbane. Contact Mike at justmichael@bigpond.com or 0459 992 228 ASAP

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This Week's Liturgical Calendar (Psalm Responses)

Monday 10th: St Scholastica (Memorial)

R/ Lord, go up to the place of your rest!

Tuesday 11th:

R/ How lovely is your dwelling place, Lord mighty God.

Wednesday 12th:

R/ The mouths of the just murmur wisdom.

Thursday 13th:

R/ Lord, remember us, for the love you bear your people.

Friday 14th: Sts Cyril and Methodius (Memorial)

R/ I am the Lord, your God: hear my voice.

Saturday 15th:

R/ Lord, remember us, for the love you bear your people.

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25 February to 7 April
Tuesday 6pm
St Ita's Meeting Room**