



# St John Vianney's Catholic Parish

embracing the worshipping communities of  
Manly & Gumdale



**TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**3/4 SEPTEMBER 2022**

**FOR THOSE WHO USE ST PAUL'S SUNDAY MISSAL**

**READINGS:** page 924 (Green Missal)

**PREFACES FOR ORDINARY TIME:** from page 28 (Green Missal)

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## **MASS TIMES**

### **MANLY**

**5 Monday** No Mass

**6 Tuesday** 6:00pm

**7 Wednesday** 9:30am  
(Rosary 9:00am)

**8 Thursday** No Mass

**9 Friday** No Mass

**10 Saturday** 5:00pm

**11 Sunday** 9:30am

### **GUMDALE**

**11 Sunday** 7:00am

### **RECONCILIATION**

**Saturday's: 4:30pm - 4:50pm**

*No appointment required.*

### **STOPLINE CONTACT:**

Phone 1300 304 550

Email [AOB@stopline.com.au](mailto:AOB@stopline.com.au)

*This Parish is Child Safety Aware and also complies with Australian Privacy Laws. A copy of the Safeguarding policy is situated in the foyer of the church.*

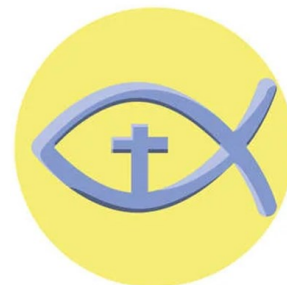
## **ROSTER**

	SATURDAY 3 SEPTEMBER	SUNDAY 4 SEPTEMBER
Welcomer	Nola	Laurent
1st Reader	Colleen	Anne
2nd Reader	Gerardina	Kennedy
EMHC	Fr George	June
	SATURDAY 10 SEPTEMBER	SUNDAY 11 SEPTEMBER
Welcomer	Denis	June
1st Reader	Alison	Margaret P.
2nd Reader	Maureen	Helen
EMHC	Denise	Carmel

### **FOR THE CHILDREN**

**GIVE IT EVERYTHING YOU'VE GOT** If we are really determined to do something, even though it might be difficult, then we can succeed. Jesus tells us that it is never easy to follow him, but we can succeed if we decide we really want to.

**LET US PRAY** Lord, help us to follow you always, and give us the strength to carry on when we are struggling. Help us to make the effort to do things God's way, so we will be able to share in your glory at the end of time.



**Children's Liturgy Sunday 18 September**

### **IMPORTANT NOTICES:**

- Parish office will be closed next week (5/9 - 9/9)

**We acknowledge and pay respect to Traditional Custodians on whose land we walk, live and worship.**

**FIRST READING WISDOM 9:13-18**

What man can know the intentions of God?  
Who can divine the will of the Lord? The reasonings of mortals are unsure and our intentions unstable; for a perishable body presses down the soul, and this tent of clay weighs down the teeming mind. It is hard enough for us to work out what is on earth, laborious to know what lies within our reach; who, then, can discover what is in the heavens? As for your intention, who could have learnt it, had you not granted Wisdom and sent your holy spirit from above? Thus have the paths of those on earth been straightened and men been taught what pleases you, and saved, by Wisdom.

The word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM Ps 89:3-6, 12-14, 17**

**R. In every age, O Lord, you have been our refuge.**

You turn men back in to dust  
and say: 'Go back, sons of men.'  
To your eyes a thousand years  
are like yesterday, come and gone,  
no more than a watch in the night. R.

You sweep men away like a dream,  
like grass which springs up in the morning.  
In the morning it springs up and flowers:  
by evening it withers and fades. R.  
Make us know the shortness of our life  
that we may gain wisdom of heart.  
Lord, relent! Is your anger for ever?  
Show pity to your servants. R.

In the morning, fill us with your love;  
we shall exult and rejoice all our days.  
Let the favour of the Lord be upon us:  
give success to the work of our hands. R.

**SECOND READING PHILEMON 1: 9-10, 12-17**

This is Paul writing, an old man now and, what is more, still a prisoner of Christ Jesus. I am appealing to you for a child of mine, whose father I became while wearing these chains: I mean Onesimus. I am sending him back to you, and with him - I could say - a part of my own self. I should have liked to keep him with me; he could have been a

substitute for you, to help me while I am in the chains that the Good News has brought me. However, I did not want to do anything without your consent; it would have been forcing your act of kindness, which should be spontaneous. I know you have been deprived of Onesimus for a time, but it was only so that you could have him back for ever, not as a slave any more, but something much better than a slave, a dear brother; especially dear to me, but how much more to you, as a blood-brother as well as a brother in the Lord. So if all that we have in common means anything to you, welcome him as you would me.

The word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION MATTHEW 11:29**

Alleluia, alleluia!

Let your face shine on your servant,  
and teach me your laws.

Alleluia!

**GOSPEL: LUKE 14:25-33**

Great crowds accompanied Jesus on his way and he turned and spoke to them. 'If any man comes to me without hating his father, mother, wife, children, brothers, sisters, yes, and his own life too, he cannot be my disciple. Anyone who does not carry his cross and come after me cannot be my disciple.

'And indeed, which of you here, intending to build a tower, would not first sit down and work out the cost to see if he had enough to complete it? Otherwise, if he laid the foundation and then found himself unable to finish the work, the onlookers would all start making fun of him and saying, "Here is a man who started to build and was unable to finish." Or again, what king marching to war against another king would not first sit down and consider whether with ten thousand men he could stand up to the other who advanced against him with twenty thousand? If not, then while the other king was still a long way off, he would send envoys to sue for peace. So in the same way, none of you can be my disciple unless he gives up all his possessions.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

# *The Power of Prayer*

PLEASE REMEMBER THE FOLLOWING IN YOUR PRAYERS

## SICK:

Karen Booker, Michael Gibbings, Mary Schmidt, Pat Wilson, Sandra Wilson, Maddie Bell, Mary Forrester, Sheila Petersen, Richard Pook, Violet Maureen Phillips, Ash Dean, Irene Gavril, Rosa Maria Santos, Dawn O'Sullivan, Leon and Roz Thomas, Maura Poots, Angela Geraghty, Hugo Callan, Joan Francis, Angela de Weger, Terry Coles, Ted Chapman, Barbara Peet, Delia Chapman, David Schilling, Anne Dixon, Natasha Skitmore, Maureen Handcock, Mrs Ford, Barry Smith, Annamma Kannamthanam, Rose-Marie Dickson, and Emma Walters, Jocelyn Barrow

## RECENTLY DECEASED:

Paul King, Audrey Heymer, Irene Batchelor, John Henry Malcolm

## ANNIVERSARIES:

Gertrude Anderson, John Brian, Judith Brennan, Kathleen Carter, Peter Carter, David Cootes, Edna Dillon, Val Fagan, Bernard Foster, Alan Gill, Cecily Graham, Frank Grainger, Luigi Gregori, Luzette Hageraats, Gilda Hankins, Victoria Hardy, Maureen Harrison, Margaret Harrison, Annie Horswill, Keith Joseph Imeson, Andrew Jones, Michael Kearney, Mary Laracy, Diane Larkins, Lance Lawes, Pat Little, Margaret Murphy, Margaret, McIntosh, Peter McIndoe, Lisa Orford (Argent), Jessie Platt, Clem Raine, John Ryan, Florence Schmid, Paul Skillender, Leo Smith, Ray Tranter, Josephine van Daalen, Bob Ward, Madge Wiese.

*For a name to be included in the 'Prayer for our Sick' list, the Privacy Act now requires the personal permission of the nominee or a close relative.*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Luke 14:25-33

C K C X F D U N I F C R O W D S K Q  
T O O M L I C U F W I O L B P I N S  
R N N Z M S O Z F O T N S D D S P C  
A L S B O C M B P A U O I T Y T M C  
V O T R T I P C U L T N W S H E L H  
E O R O H P L W A I I H D E H R A I  
L K U T E L E O O R L F E A R S U L  
I E C H R E T R H G R D E R T G G D  
N R T E U R I K F I J Y V I K I H R  
G S F R F X O C R O S S F J T W O E  
J M K S W U N B U K I H A T I N G N  
O U T D C A L C U L A T E E W Y Q Z

Find the following words in the puzzle.  
Words are hidden → and ↘

COMPLETION  
FOUNDATION  
ONLOOKERS  
TRAVELING  
CONSTRUCT  
CALCULATE  
CHILDREN  
BROTHERS

DISCIPLE  
SISTERS  
CROWDS  
HATING  
FATHER  
MOTHER  
FINISH  
LAUGH

CROSS  
TOWER  
CARRY  
BUILD  
COST  
WORK  
LIFE

# PARISH AND COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

## PARISH OFFICE CLOSURE

The parish office will be closed from Monday 5 September until Friday 9 September, reopening on Monday 12 September. In the event of an emergency or for urgent matters please contact Fr George on 0470522587.

## TOOWOOMBA CARINVAL OF FLOWERS BUS TRIP

This week we have finalised the arrangements for the bus trip to the Toowoomba Carnival of Flowers on Monday 19 September. This trip will depart from the Parish at 8:00am. The trip will visit:

- Picnic Point Parklands with Morning Tea at the Picnic Point Café
- St Patrick's Cathedral Floral Display
- Laurel Bank Park
- Lunch at the Blue Mountain Hotel
- Queens Park
- Spring Bluff Train Station

An information booklet containing more information regarding this trip can be found at the back of the Church along with a form that is required to be completed by each person attending. This form will allow to pre-order Lunch for those who do not wish to bring their own food. As well as provide us with emergency contact information. This form can also be completed online at <https://forms.gle/9Lx1Y4x3HFdUo57Y9>. The cost for the trip is as follows: *Bus*: \$35.00 *Morning Tea*: \$16.00 *Lunch*: \$22.00. Morning Tea will be either Scones with Jam and Cream or Orange Almond Cake. You are also welcome to bring your own morning tea and lunch with you. All forms and payment need to be return to the Parish Office by Thursday 15 September at 2pm.

***Very limited places remain available on this trip please contact the Parish Office as soon as possible to secure one of the remaining seats.***

## SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM

The Commitment Pledges from our Confirmation Candidates have been posted on the notice board in the church foyer. We ask parishioners to support our candidates by adding their names to one or more of these pledges. The children will celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation on Saturday 10 September at 11:00am and 12:30pm.

## KNIGHTS OF THE SOUTHERN CROSS

The winner of Draw 7 is Godfrey Lawrence with Ticket 62. Congratulations to the winner and thanks to all who support the charitable works of the Knights through this fundraiser.

## HOME VISIT FROM FR GEORGE

Fr George is happy to visit parishioners in their homes. If

you or someone you know would like a visit from Fr George please contact the Parish Office.

## OZCHILD SPECIALISED FOSTER CARE PROGRAM

Right now, there are kids in your community who need you. An internationally proven treatment foster care program has come to Queensland, and OzChild needs your help to transform the life of a child in need. OzChild is currently looking for individuals or couples interested in participating in this specialised foster care program. If you have time, can provide a safe and loving home, and are passionate about helping kids in your local area, OzChild would love to hear from you! Visit [ozchild.org.au](http://ozchild.org.au) to learn more.

## MARIAN VALLEY: MOTHER TERESA SHRINE

This year, let us join as a community on a "Pilgrimage of Prayer" to the Marian Valley to celebrate the life of Mother Teresa and strengthen our faith in God as we seek Blessings for the months ahead. The fourth anniversary of the St Teresa of Calcutta Shrine at Marian Valley, Canungra, is on Saturday, 01 October 2022. The anniversary will be celebrated with a Mass at 11 am followed by a procession to the Shrine at 12 pm. Buggies are available to transport people at the Marian Valley. Food & drinks are available for purchase at the Marian Valley; however you are welcome to pack a picnic lunch.

**Bus Pilgrimage:** This year, a 24-seat bus is being organised for parishioners to travel to the Marian Valley. Tickets are \$30 per person for the round trip, departing the Star of the Sea Church car park at 8:30 am and returning at 3 pm. Expressions of Interest: If you would like to join in a truly peaceful experience to the Marian Valley, please register your interest with the Star of the Sea Parish Office (T: 3821 4902) You can also register or seek information by connecting with Keith Fernandes (M: 0401 142043) or Mary Fehlberg (M: 0407 111825). If you are self-driving, please check the Mother Teresa Shrine website: <http://www.motherteresashrine.com.au/> for any changes due to lockdown or restrictions.

## FR GEORGE WITH SAINT MOTHER TERESA





# Toowoomba Carnival of Flowers Bus Trip Information Package



**For any enquiries please contact Kate on 31312610 or  
email [manly@bne.catholic.net.au](mailto:manly@bne.catholic.net.au)**

## **Payments Required:**

**Bus: \$35.00**

**Morning Tea: \$16.00**

**Lunch: \$22.00**

***Payments Required in Full by 2pm on Thursday 15  
September 2022 unless otherwise arranged with Kate.***

# Trip Itinerary

**Bus to Depart at 8:00am from Church driveway.**

## **First Stop: Picnic Point Parklands**

Just a short drive from the city's CBD, the State heritage-listed parklands provide breathtaking panoramic views eastward to Table Top Mountain and the Lockyer Valley. At night, the glow of Brisbane city lights can be seen from the iconic Picnic Point Lookout, perched high on the crest of the Great Dividing Range.

*Morning Tea at Picnic Point Parklands. \$16.00 for either Scones with Strawberry Jam and Fresh Cream or Orange and almond cake (GF) or you are welcome to bring your own food.*

## **Second Stop: St Patrick's Cathedral Floral Display**

Each year St Patrick's Cathedral provides a Floral Display as part of the city-wide celebration of the Toowoomba Carnival of Flowers. We enhance the already welcoming interior of the Cathedral as flowers speak every language and addresses every situation in life!

## **Third Stop: Laurel Bank Park**

Laurel Bank Park is one of Toowoomba's premier parks and provides a majestic oasis close to the heart of town. The park features manicured gardens, mature trees, children's play equipment, barbecue and picnic areas and two croquet lawns and is a must-see destination during Carnival.

# Trip Itinerary

## **Fourth Stop: Lunch at the Blue Mountain Hotel**

Mains **(\$22.00)**:

- Chicken Schnitzel served with salad and chips
- Garlic prawns served with rice and salad
- Roast of the day served with baked potato, pumpkin and veg
- 60 second lemon pepper calamari served with salad and chips
- Battered fish w' chips, salad and tartare sauce
- Caesar salad

Dessert:

- Pavlova with cream and berry coulis
- Bluey's sticky date served with butterscotch sauce and ice cream

## **Fifth Stop: Queens Park**

Queens Park has retained the charm and character common to 19th century public parks and botanic gardens, putting on a special show for her visitors during Carnival. Spread across 25 hectares, Queens Park is something to behold, with bright flower beds, large canopies of stately trees and acres of expansive green lawns, plus two playgrounds to delight the kids and an off-leash area that keeps the local dogs very happy. Queens Park is one of Toowoomba's many gems and not to be missed!

# Trip Itinerary

## **Final Stop: Spring Bluff**

Spring Bluff Railway Station is a heritage listed site located on the main railway line between Ipswich and Toowoomba. Its significance stems from 150 years of railway history and the attraction of its beautiful landscaped gardens.

## **Information Required**

To ensure that in the event of an emergency we are able to contact someone for you, please fill out the ***Toowoomba Carnival of Flowers Bus Trip – Contact Details Form***.

This form can be found completed online at <https://forms.gle/ivxRfznnLWfRiUCr8> or paper copies can be found at the back of the Church.



# Toowoomba Carnival of Flowers Bus Trip - Contact Details Form

*Please complete this form for each person that will be attending.*

\* Required

1. Name

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2. Contact Number \*

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3. Email Address \*

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## Lunch Orders

4. Morning Tea \*

*Mark only one oval.*

☐ Scones with Strawberry Jam and Fresh Cream

☐ Orange and Almond Cake (GF)

## 5. Lunch: Main Meal \*

*Mark only one oval.*

- ☐ Chicken Schnitzel served with salad and chips
- ☐ Garlic prawns served with rice and salad
- ☐ Roast of the day served with baked potato, pumpkin and veg
- ☐ 60 second lemon pepper calamari served with salad and chips
- ☐ Battered fish w' chips, salad and tartare sauce
- ☐ Caesar salad

## 6. Lunch: Dessert \*

*Mark only one oval.*

- ☐ Pavlova with cream and berry coulis
- ☐ Bluey's sticky date served with butterscotch sauce and ice cream
- ☐ None

**Emergency Contact Details**

## 7. Name of Emergency Contact Person

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## 8. Relationship to you

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## 9. Contact Number

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**Future Bus Trips**

10. Would you like to be contacted in regards to any future Bus Trips?

*Mark only one oval.*

☐ Yes

☐ No

11. How would you like to be contacted?

*Mark only one oval.*

☐ Phone

☐ Email

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