### FIRST READING: Leviticus 13:1-2, 44-46

A reading from the Book of Leviticus

The Lord said to Moses and Aaron, 'If a swelling or scab or shiny spot appears on a man's skin, a case of leprosy of the skin is to be suspected. The man must be taken to Aaron, the priest, or to one of the priests who are his sons. 'The man is leprous: he is unclean. The priest must declare him unclean; he is suffering from leprosy of the head. A man infected with leprosy must wear his clothing torn and his hair disordered; he must shield his upper lip and cry, "Unclean, unclean." As long as the disease lasts he must be unclean; and therefore he must live apart; he must live outside the camp.'

The word of the Lord.

### Thanks be to God.

### **RESPONSORIAL PSALM:** Ps 31:1-2, 5, 11

I turn to you, Lord, in time of trouble, and you fill me with the joy of salvation.

Happy the man whose offence is forgiven, whose sin is remitted. O happy the man to whom the Lord imputes no guilt, in whose spirit is no guile. R.

But now I have acknowledged my sins; my guilt I did not hide. I said: 'I will confess my offence to the Lord.' And you, Lord, have forgiven the guilt of my sin. R. Rejoice, rejoice in the Lord, exult, you just! O come, ring out your joy, all you upright of heart. R.

### SECOND READING: 1 Corinthians 10:31-11:1

A reading from the first letter of St Paul to the Corinthians

Whatever you eat, whatever you drink, whatever you do at all, do it for the glory of God. Never do anything offensive to anyone - to Jews or Greeks or to the Church of God; just as I try to be helpful to everyone at all times, not anxious for my own advantage but for the advantage of everybody else, so that they may be saved. Take me for your model, as I take Christ.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:** Luke 7:16

Alleluia, alleluia! A great prophet has appeared among us; God has visited His people. Alleluia!

### GOSPEL: Mark 140-45

A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Mark

A leper came to Jesus and pleaded on his knees: 'If you want to' he said 'you can cure me.' Feeling sorry for him, Jesus stretched out his hand and touched him. 'Of course I want to!' he said. 'Be cured!' And the leprosy left him at once and he was cured. Jesus immediately sent him away and sternly ordered him, 'Mind you say nothing to anyone, but go and show yourself to the priest, and make the offering for your healing prescribed by Moses as evidence of your recovery.' The man went away, but then started talking about it freely and telling the story everywhere, so that Jesus could no longer go openly into any town, but had to stay outside in places where nobody lived. Even so, people from all around would come to him.

The gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

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**NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT** First Reading: Genesis 9:8-15 Responsorial Psalm: Ps 24:4-9 Second Reading: 1 Peter 3:18-22 Gospel: Mark 1:12-15

### **CCR BARDON HEALING MASS**

Fri 1 March 7:30pm St. Mary Magdalene's Church 51 Cecil Road, Bardon

Anyone needing healing prayer or a spiritual boost in their lives, is invited to attend the first Friday monthly Healing Mass. The Sacrament of Healing will be administered during Mass. Personal prayer will also be offered after Mass. Sponsored by CCR Bardon. For more information please contact Len Airey on 0421 977 849 or lenpatairey@gmail.com

# **ST JOHN VIANNEY PRIMARY SCHOOL PARENTS & FRIENDS ASSOCIATION**

Invite parishioners to their

# Welcome BBQ

Friday 16 February 5-6pm Prep children

6-8pm Years 1-6 children If you are unable to attend the BBQ you may like to donate a chocolate bar to the 'Lob-a-choc' fundraising activity being held at the BBQ.



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### **SACRAMENTS**

All enquires for Baptism, First Reconciliation, First Holy Communion and Confirmation, please contact Nola Smith

### sivsacramental@bne.catholic.net.au

**FUNERALS AND WEDDINGS** All enquires regarding Funerals and

Weddings, please contact the parish office manly@bne.catholic.net.au **SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION** 

Saturday 4.30pm or by appointment

### PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We follow the words of our patron, St John Vianney, who said "He is here". We recognise Christ is in the Word, the Eucharist, and in us His people, with a special reverence for Him in the poor and marginalised. We are called to make Christ present through our prayer and charity. We seek to grow in our spiritual lives and create a community where everyone is welcome; the young and the old, together to experience the loving presence of God. We believe He is here amongst us and we joyfully go out to make Him present to all.

> We acknowledge and pay respect to Traditional Custodians - the Quandamooka and Jagera Peoples on whose land we walk, live and worship.

# Let Us Pray:

My Lord, forgive me for the times I have sought my own glory. I repent and ask You to free me from my selfishness. Help me to give You each one of my actions so that You may sanctify them. Amen.

# For the Glory of God

This Sunday's second reading gives us a great motto that we should post on our bedroom mirrors so that it's the first thing we see as our sleepy eyes awaken each morning: "Whatever you do, do it for the glory of God." Everything! Brush your teeth for the glory of God. Kiss your family "Good morning!" for the glory of God. Go to Mass for the glory of God (in other words, we don't go to church just for what we can get out of it).

Do your work for the glory of God. Drive politely for the glory of God. Shop and eat and greet others for the glory of God. Say yes to the needs of the Church for the glory of God. And receive all that he wants to give you (the compliments, the money you earn, the answered prayers, the good times and rewards) all for the glory of God. This should be part of our daily prayers every morning: "Holy Spirit, help me to do everything today for the glory of God. Amen!" By making it a daily habit to start the day this way, the glory of God becomes integrated into our character. When we

day.

Often, we see religious activities as separate from our normal activities. We take "time out" from our schedules to go to church. We stop what we're doing when we want to pray. We think that only Clergy and Religious can be religious all of the time and that a layperson who is like that is a "fanatic". But why?

Why should we limit "for the glory of God" to only what is "holy" -- Mass attendance, religious rituals, prayers, the works of ministry, etc.? We can sanctify every moment by remembering that whatever we do, we want to please God with it.



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# SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR B

remember to see our activities through the lens of "whatever you do, do it for the glory of God", we become stronger in avoiding all kinds of sins. It sanctifies each moment of every

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#### FOR YOUR DIARY \_\_\_\_

	FEBRUARY								
	12 Mon	No Mass							
	13 Tues	6pm Mass							
	14 Wed	9:00am Rosary							
9.30am Ash Wednesday Mass									
		7.30pm Rosary on-line via ZOOM							
	15 Thurs	No Mass							
	16 Fri	No Mass							
		11:00am Mass at Lota House							
		7.00pm Stations of the Cross							
	17 Sat	9.00am Lenten Reflection Group							
		4:30pm Reconciliation							
FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT									
		5.00pm Mass (SJV)							
	18 Sun	7:00am Mass (St Jude's)							
		9:30am Mass (SJV)							

### **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

The Parish of Manly embracing the worshipping communities of St John Vianney's and St Jude's is looking for volunteers for the following: Gardening Group: people with green and not so green thumbs are needed to help us maintain the beautiful lawns and gardens at both churches, Office Assistants: people with good organisation skills or simply a desire to help out are needed to support the Parish Office. Full training provided. Mass Coordinators: cool, calm and caring people to ensure the provision of the ministries for the Mass of the day - welcomers, readers, servers, collectors, screen operators and so on



# KNIGHTS OF THE SOUTHERN CROSS

**BRANCH 46 WYNNUM MANLY** Next General Meeting

Catholic men 18years and over, are invited to attend the next Branch 46 Meeting of the Knights

Tuesday 13 February commencing 6.30pm Guardian Angels Parish Ctre, Chestnut St Wynnum

### **OF YOUR CHARITY, PLEASE PRAY FOR:**

**RECENTLY DECEASED:** Phillip Hunt, Tyler Whitton, Rose-Marie Dickson, Margaret Ewers, Ellen Snell and Trevor Rose.

ANNIVERSARIES: Martin Ball, Russell Barton, Robert (Bob) Bishop, Murray Bradley, Flynn Brown, Fran Brennan, , George Campbell, Molly Campbell, Sr Denise Candy, Eileen Cook, Leonard Cunnington, Maria Cybulski, Ernie Erzetic, Mary Forbes, John Edward Harrison, Robert Hooper, Ivan Katic, Jamie Kaden, Fletcher McCormack, Peter Martin, Blanche Mahoney, Kai Mathie, Franklin Pankhurst, Valerie Smith, Warren Smith, Mary Thornthwaite, Geoffrey Peake, John Pease, Jill Pleming, Frederick Ward, Kathleen Wellington, John Trevor, Ken Gillespie, Audrey Gillespie, Ronald Gillespie, Rosalina Manso Barot, Inda Yeng Malinao, Christopher Leese and John Derrick.

WE PRAY FOR THE SICK: Jack and Mary Beard, Jocelyn Barron, Dell Chapman, Emily de Looze, Anne Dixon, Irene Gavrilla, Maureen Handcock, David Schilling, Leesa Scott, Richard Pook, Violet Maureen Phillips, Joanne Small, Barry Smith, Emma Walters, Natasha Skitmore, Stacie Stonier, Patrick Nofoakifolau & Brian Prove.

To include a name in our 'Of Your Charity' list, the Privacy Act requires the personal permission of the nominee or a close relative. Names on the recently deceased, anniversaries and our sick parishioners. Lists are reviewed at the end of each month.

### HOLY WATER

Following a recent suggestion from a N Parishioner, a container of Holy Water will soon be available in the narther (foyer) of St. John Vianney's church so

people can take Holy Water home for personal use. Parishioners are invited to bring their own bottles or use the small bottles provided.

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	Welcomer	1st Reader	2nd Reader	ЕМНС	Screen	Servers	Counter
Sat 10 Feb	Colleen S	Jen B	Laura F	Alison, Carmel S-K, Mikaela	Pam	DH, LF, LAF	Е
Sun 11 Feb	Mark E	Bond W	Helen C-B	Jasser, Adeline, Trish	Donna	PN, CO	L
Sat 17 Feb	Jane O	Laurent F	Denise D	Denis, Colleen, Gerardina	Irene	AG, LF, LAF	г
Sun 18 Feb	Roberto A	Margaret P	Sonia M	Katherine, June, Carmel S	Emma	SN, LN	F

This parish is Child Safety Aware and complies with Australian Privacy Laws. A copy of the Safeguarding policy is situated in the fover of the church. STOPLINE CONTACT: Phone 1 300 304 400 Email AOB@stopline.com.au

## **SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM 2024 RECONCILIATION & EUCHARIST IMPORTANT DATES**

### Classes begin:

Sat 17 Feb at 3.30pm OR Sun 18 Feb at 8.00am Reconciliation Rehearsal: Sat 16 Mar at 10.00am Reconciliation Ceremony: Sat 23 Mar at 10.00am

### **Register NOW**

sjvsacramental@bne.catholic.net.au

### Ash Wednesday Mass 14 February at 9.30am

Volunteers are Needed to Assist the Mass. Please add your name to the sign up sheet in the foyer or contact the parish office.

### **BRING IN YOUR PALMS**

If you have dried palms from Palm Sundays of previous years bring them in to be blessed and Included in our 2024 Ash Wednesday! Boxes will be provided in the foyers of St John Vianney's and St Jude's churches for parishioners to leave their old palms by no later than Sun 11 February.

### **LENTEN REFLECTION GROUPS**

This year we will be offering Lenten Reflection Groups on Saturday morning. They will begin on:

### Saturday 17 February at 9.00am

If you would like to join a Lenten Reflection Group please add your name to the Sign-Up Sheet in the church foyer.

### **STATIONS OF THE CROSS**

From 7pm Friday 16 February, Stations of the Cross will be held in St John Vianney's Church. Volunteers are required to hold the Crucifix, the candles and to read each Friday. Add your name the Sign-Up Sheet.



For the Children SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### Jesus Cures the Sick

Jesus never judged people by their appearance or paid any attention to what others thought of them. Time and again he made tax collectors and other outcasts feel welcome and loved. Today we hear how Jesus changed the life of a leper who asked for his help.

### LET US PRAY

Jesus, just as the leper trusted in your love and compassion, we can too. Help all those who are suffering or ill, and touch them with your love so that their lives will be transformed. Amen.



### **CONGRATULATIONS** AND WELCOME

We congratulate and welcome: Gabriella and Xavier Langan-Kely who were Baptised in our Parish this weekend.

### **PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL INFORMATION**

A summary of the recent Parish Pastoral Council meeting is now available on the noticeboards at both St John Vianney's and St Jude's churches for your perusal. Please remember, we are still looking for your ideas and input regarding social events for 2024. Please place your idea/s in the Suggestion Box at the back of each church. Thank You.



### **QUEENSLAND IRISH CHOIR ST PATRICK'S DAY CHOIR CONCERT 2024**

The Queensland Irish Choir St Patricks Day Concert is back for 2024!

Commemorate St Patrick's Day by enjoying a great afternoon of Irish Music, Song and Dance. At Chermside-Kedron Community Church, Sunday the 10th of March at 2pm. Doors open 1:30pm. Adults \$25, Children under 15 years \$10.

For all enquiries please contact 0439 455 487.

To book tickets, follow this link: www.trybooking.com/COTQP

# **SJV YOUTH CHOIR**

Do you enjoy singing? Do you play a musical instrument?

The Youth Choir at SJV leads our congregation in liturgical singing once a month and is looking for more singers, musicians and adult helpers.







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