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Mass Times this Week

Mon, Thurs & Friday	8.00am Chapel; 10.00am Cathedral; 12.30pm Cathedral; 5.10pm Chapel
Tuesday	8.00am, 10.00am, 12.30pm, & 5.30pm (The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Vigil) (NB: 8am will be held in the Chapel)
Wednesday	The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Villa Maria 7.30am St Patrick's Fortitude Valley 8.00am St Benedict's East Brisbane 9.00am Cathedral 10.00am & 12 noon
Saturday	9.00am Villa Maria; 11.30am Cathedral
Sunday	
Cathedral of St Stephen	Saturday 6.00pm (Vigil Mass) Sunday 8.00am; 10.00am (Solemn Mass); 12 noon; 7.30pm
St Patrick's Fortitude Valley	Sunday 9.00am; 12 noon
Villa Maria	Sunday 9.00am
Reconciliation	
Mon, Tues, Thurs & Friday	10.30-11.30am; 1.00-1.30pm; 4.30-5.00pm
Saturday	10.00-11.00am; 4.30-5.30pm
Exposition	Mon, Tues, Thurs & Friday 10.30am – 12.15pm
Benediction	Mon, Tues, Thurs & Friday 12.15pm
Morning Prayer	Included in the 8.00am Mass on Friday in the Chapel

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FREE PIANO RECITAL

The Organ Scholar, Rachael Shipard, will be giving a free piano recital in the Cathedral on **Friday 24th August** at 7:30pm. Repertoire includes works by Bach, Busoni, Tchaikovsky and more. All are welcome and refreshments will be provided.

GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

DATE CLAIMER: If you or you know of someone, celebrating their Golden Wedding Anniversary or longer this year, you are invited to our annual Golden Wedding Anniversary Mass to be celebrated on **Saturday 6th October @ 10.00am**. Further information will be announced in the coming weeks.

CATHEDRAL HIGH TEA

This weekend, **18/19 August** following Mass on **Saturday evening**, join our 6pm Mass crew in the Hanly Room for a cuppa and nibbles. On **Sunday** our Cathedral High Tea will be held following the 8.00am & 10.00am Masses. Join us outside the Francis Rush Centre.

GROUPS VISITING THIS WEEK

This Friday we will welcome All Hallows School Staff to the Cathedral.

IN TRANSITION

With joy we welcome **Indie-Rose Chan and Eli Gatenjwa** who were baptised at the Cathedral last Saturday. Also **Toluwalolu Bojuwoye** who was baptised at St Patrick's Church last weekend.

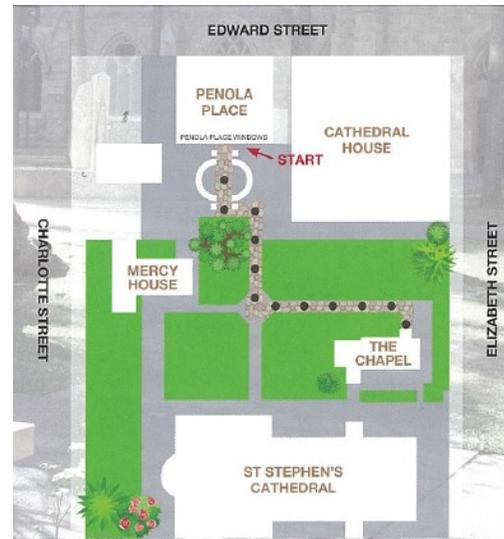


THE CATHEDRAL OF
ST STEPHEN
*Embracing Villa Maria and
St Patrick's Fortitude Valley*

WEEKDAY PRAYER SHEET

13 – 18 AUGUST 2018
19TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME
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The Cathedral was filled to overflowing last Wednesday as we celebrated the Mass for the **Solemnity of St Mary MacKillop**, Australia's first saint but also Patroness of our Archdiocese. Joining the Archbishop were the Sisters of St Joseph, representatives from Brisbane Catholic Education schools and parishioners from around the Archdiocese and beyond. The Mass was a joyous celebration of faith.



At the end of the Mass the Archbishop launched the new **Mary MacKillop Walk** – an informative, interactive booklet that

allows you to “pray in the footsteps of Mary”. It is amazing to think that not only did Mary MacKillop live and work in Brisbane, but we are standing on the same ground that Mary walked! In preparation for the launch of the booklet the **Mary MacKillop Windows** at Penola Place were refurbished. Showing objects and images related to the life of Mary MacKillop and the Sisters of St Joseph, this year the windows explore the devotion to St Joseph and the Sacred Heart as well as Josephite Education. If you have not had the chance, after mass take a few moments and have a look at the windows and view the artefacts and display boards.

It is from the **Mary MacKillop Windows** that the “walk” begins. The booklet invites you to follow the plaques that eventually leads to the chapel. Using historical facts, prayers and reflections, with further information available through QR codes, the booklet is a journey that connects Mary MacKillop with our journey today.

If you are in the city during the week and would like to explore the **Mary MacKillop Walk**, the booklet is available from the **Guides and Welcomers** desk at the entrance to the Cathedral. Enjoy the walk!

Fr Peter Brannelly
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MONDAY 13 AUGUST 2018

Monday of the Nineteenth Week in Ordinary Time

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

Look to your covenant, O Lord,
and forget not the life of your poor ones for
ever.

Arise, O God, and defend your cause,
and forget not the cries of those who seek
you.

FIRST READING: Ezekiel 1:2-5, 24-28

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

Ps 148:1-2, 11-14

Praise the Lord from the heavens,
praise him, in the heights.
Praise him, all his angels,
praise him, all his host.

All earth's kings and peoples, praise him,
earth's princes and rulers;
young men and maidens,
old men together with children.

Let them praise the name of the Lord
for he alone is exalted.
The splendour of his name
reaches beyond heaven and earth.

He exalts the strength of his people.
He is the praise of all his saints,
of the sons of Israel,
of the people to whom he comes close.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia!

God has called us with the gospel
to achieve the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ.
Alleluia!

GOSPEL: Matthew 17:22-27

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

O Jerusalem, glorify the Lord,
who gives you your fill of finest wheat.

TUESDAY 14 AUGUST 2018

St Maximilian Mary Kolbe

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

Come, you blessed of my Father, says the
Lord.

Amen, I say to you:

Whatever you did for one of the least of my
brethren,
you did it for me.

FIRST READING: Ezekiel 2:8 - 3:4

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

Ps 118:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131

I rejoice to do your will
as though all riches were mine.
Your will is my delight;
your statutes are my counsellors.

The law from your mouth means more to me
than silver and gold.
Your promise is sweeter to my taste
than honey in the mouth.

Your will is my heritage for ever,
the joy of my heart.
I open my mouth and I sigh
as I yearn for your commands.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia!

Take my yoke upon you;
learn from me, for I am gentle and lowly in
heart.
Alleluia!

GOSPEL: Matthew 18:1-5, 10, 12-14

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

Greater love has no one
than to lay down his life for his friends, says
the Lord.

THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary is
Wednesday, August 15th which also
coincides with the Exhibition Public Holiday.
Mass times in the Cathedral Parish will be:

Tuesday 14 August

5.30pm (Vigil) - Cathedral of St Stephen

Wednesday 15 August

7.30am – Villa Maria

8.00am – St Patrick's Fortitude Valley

9.00am – St Benedict's East Brisbane

10am & 12 noon – Cathedral of St Stephen

CHILDREN'S SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM

Sacraments are sacred events, in which we
enter more fully into the mysteries of our
Catholic faith. They are community events,
which remind us of the role of the
community in our faith life.

Earlier this year, our parish celebrated the
Sacraments of Confirmation and First Holy
Communion for children in grade 3 and 4
respectively. Here is another wonderful
opportunity for all those who missed out on
the first sacramental program to enrol their
children for the Sacrament. **Parents
Information and Enrolment** day is on
Saturday 1st September 2018, at the Francis
Rush Centre. **Time is 10.30am.** The
Cathedral car park will be available.

RCIA INFORMATION SESSION

If you would like more information on the
Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)
for this year, on **Wednesday 5th September,**
commencing at 6.00pm an information
session will be held in the Hanly Room. The
car park will be available. To register your
interest, contact the Cathedral Office on
cathedral@bne.catholic.net.au or telephone
3324 3030.

PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES

Parishioners who support the parish through
the **Planned Giving envelopes** may collect
their envelopes for the coming year from the
table near the baptism font. If you would
like more information about the Planning

Giving Program, you will discover
information packages at the entrance to the
Cathedral. Everyone is invited to financially
support the work and mission of St
Stephen's. Your financial support is
appreciated.

MASS IN FRENCH

Come and celebrate the Mass in French at
Sts Peter and Paul Church (Bulimba Parish)
on Sunday 19 August. These Masses are
held quarterly and this is the third for 2018.
The Mass starts at 3.00pm. All are welcome,
especially Francophiles. Mass will be
followed by refreshments. (Please BYO plate
to share). For further inquiries, please
phone Aline on 3205 4614.

MASS FOR THE DEAF.

The next Auslan-Supported Mass at St
Michael's Catholic Church, 250 Banks Street
Dorrington/Ashgrove, will be held on
Sunday 9 September at 8.30am. Everyone
who would like to attend is invited to this
special Mass, with morning tea afterwards.
Please spread the word to friends and
family. Our last Auslan Mass for 2018 will
be held on 18 November. Enquiries to
dorrington@bne.catholic.edu.au.

THINK ABOUT IT!

Fr Joseph Canali, an Italian architect
affectionately known as the Apostle of
Brisbane, was invited to Brisbane by the
archdiocese's first episcopal leader Bishop
James Quinn to complete St Stephen's
Cathedral. His work on the Cathedral led
him to the priesthood and a myriad of
pastoral ministries, including work at the
then Brisbane General Hospital. Canali
House, named in his honour, is our
Archdiocesan house of discernment,
providing young men a supportive place to
discern their vocation. We invite young
men to consider joining Canali House this
year. For more information, please email us
at vocations@bne.catholic.net.au or call the
office on 1300 133 544.

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Benediction Hymns and Prayer

O SAVING VICTIM

O saving victim opening wide
The gate of heaven to us below.
Our foes press on from every side
Thy strength supply, thine aid bestow.

All praise and thanks to thee ascend
For evermore blest three in one,
O grant us life that shall not end
In our true native land with thee
AMEN.

HYMN OF ADORATION

Down in adoration falling,
This great sacrament we hail;
Ancient types have long departed
Newer rites of grace prevail
Faith for all defects supplying
Where the feeble senses fail.

Glory let us give and blessing
To the Father and the Son,
honour, might and praise addressing
while eternal ages run;
Equal praise to him confessing
who proceeds from both as one.
AMEN

V. You have given them bread from heaven
R. Having in itself all delight.

GOD WITH HIDDEN MAJESTY (Gather Aust. 388)

God with hidden majesty, lies in presence here,
I with deep devotion my true God revere:
Whom this outward shape and form secretly contains,
Christ in his divinity manhood still retains.

All my other senses, cannot now perceive,
But my hearing, taught by faith, always will believe:
I accept whatever God the Son has said:
Those who hear the word of God, by the truth are fed.

Blest reminder of the death suffered for the world,
Sacrament of living bread, health to every mind,
Let my soul approach you, live within your grace,
Let me taste the perfect joys time shall not efface.

PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY

*Lord Jesus Christ at your last supper
you prayed to the Father
that all should be one.
Send your Holy Spirit
upon all who bear your name
and seek to serve you.*

*Strengthen our faith in you, and make us
love one another in humility.
May we, who have been reborn in one
baptism, be united in one faith under one
shepherd.
Amen*



WEDNESDAY 15 AUGUST 2018

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

A great sign appeared in heaven:
a woman clothed with the sun, and the moon
beneath her feet,
and on her head a crown of twelve stars.

FIRST READING:

Apocalypse 11:19; 12:1-6, 10

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

Ps 44:10-12, 16

**R. The queen stands at your right hand,
arrayed in gold.**

The daughters of kings are among your loved
ones.

On your right stands the queen in gold of
Ophir.

Listen, O daughter, give ear to my words:
forget your own people and your father's
house. R.

So will the king desire your beauty:

He is your lord, pay homage to him.

They are escorted amid gladness and joy;
they pass within the palace of the king. R.

SECOND READING:

1 Corinthians 15:20-26

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia!

Mary is taken up to heaven,
and the angels of God shout for joy.
Alleluia!

GOSPEL:

Luke 1:39-56

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

All generations will call me blessed,
for he who is mighty has done great things
for me.

THURSDAY 16 AUGUST 2018

Thursday of the Nineteenth Week in Ordinary Time

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

Look to your covenant, O Lord,
and forget not the life of your poor ones for
ever.

Arise, O God, and defend your cause,
and forget not the cries of those who seek
you.

FIRST READING:

Ezekiel 12:1-12

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

Ps 77:56-59, 61-62

They put God to the proof and defied him;
they refused to obey the Most High.
They strayed, as faithless as their fathers,
like a bow on which the archer cannot count.

With their mountain shrines they angered
him;
made him jealous with the idols they served.
God saw and was filled with fury:
he utterly rejected Israel.

He gave his ark into captivity,
his glorious ark into the hand of the foe.
He gave up his people to the sword,
in his anger against his chosen ones.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia!

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

GOSPEL:

Matthew 18:21-19:1

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

The bread that I will give, says the Lord,
is my flesh for the life of the world.

FRIDAY 17 AUGUST 2018

Friday of the Nineteenth Week in Ordinary Time

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

Look to your covenant, O Lord,
and forget not the life of your poor ones for
ever.
Arise, O God, and defend your cause,
and forget not the cries of those who seek you.

FIRST READING: Ezekiel 16:1-15, 60, 63

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

Isaiah 12:2-6
Truly, God is my salvation,
I trust, I shall not fear.
For the Lord is my strength, my song,
he became my saviour.

With joy you will draw water
from the wells of salvation.
Give thanks to the Lord, give praise to his
name,
make his mighty deeds known to the peoples!

Declare the greatness of his name,
sing a psalm to the Lord!
For he has done glorious deeds,
make them known to all the earth!
People of Zion, sing and shout for joy
for great in your midst is the Holy One of
Israel.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia!
Receive this message not as human words,
but as truly the word of God.
Alleluia!

GOSPEL: Matthew 19:3-12

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

O Jerusalem, glorify the Lord,
who gives you your fill of finest wheat.

SATURDAY 18 AUGUST 2018

Saturday of the Nineteenth Week in Ordinary Time

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

Look to your covenant, O Lord,
and forget not the life of your poor ones for
ever.
Arise, O God, and defend your cause,
and forget not the cries of those who seek you.

FIRST READING:
Ezekiel 18:1-10, 13, 30-32

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

Ps 50:12-15, 18-19
R. Create a clean heart in me, O God.
A pure heart create for me, O God,
put a steadfast spirit within me.
Do not cast me away from your presence,
nor deprive me of your holy spirit. R.

Give me again the joy of your help;
with a spirit of fervour sustain me,
that I may teach transgressors your ways
and sinners may return to you. R.

For in sacrifice you take no delight,
burnt offering from me you would refuse,
my sacrifice, a contrite spirit.
A humbled, contrite heart you will not spurn. R.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia!
Blessed are you, Father, Lord of heaven and
earth;
you have revealed to little ones the mysteries of
the kingdom.
Alleluia!

GOSPEL: Matthew 19:13-15

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

The bread that I will give, says the Lord,
is my flesh for the life of the world.

SATURDAY MORNING

Marian Prayer

Mary, Mother of God,
We acclaim your grandeur.
Hail, Mother of the God-Man.
Hail, Mother most holy.
Hail, Mother of love and mercy.
Hail, Mother filled with kindness.
Hail, Mother of unending life.
We have a Father in God
and a Mother in you.
Most loving Mother,
watch over me every day
and at every moment.
Amen

Australia is a continent of extremes!

From floods and torrential rain to destructive bushfires, those who live beyond the city fringe face many challenges. The news reports and visual images of the current drought affecting so much of the country are particularly disturbing. The devastation caused by the lack of rain tears at the very fabric of families and country communities. In response to the hardship faced by our sisters and brothers on the land, the Archbishop has established the **Archbishop's Drought Relief Fund** which will help directly those most in need. You can support the fund by going online- <https://catholicfoundation.org.au/drought-relief-appeal/> or next weekend placing your donation in an envelope marked **Archbishop's Drought Relief Fund** on one of the collection plates.

BRISBANE CITY SOCIAL BRIDGE CLUB

The Brisbane City Social Bridge Club (formally the Qld Irish Assoc. Bridge Club) is now located on the lower level of Penola Place in the grounds of St Stephen's Cathedral. Bridge is played on Monday, Wednesday & Thursday from 10am until 1pm. Table Fees of \$8.00 for visitors and \$7.00 for members apply. For enquiries please contact Beris on 3300 1332 or Jan on 3366 6008.

Visitors are most welcome!

*At our Masses on Friday we have a collection to allow weekday parishioners to support the Cathedral.
Thank you for your contribution.*