CORPUS CHRISTI PARISH

WEEKLY BULLETIN

Diocese of Broken Bay Under the Pastoral Care of the Discalced Carmelites since 2008

ST IVES

1 May 2022 - Third Sunday of Easter

Parish Mass Times: Monday to Friday: 9am Saturday: 9am, 6pm (vigil) Sunday: 8am, 10am, 6pm Public Holidays: 9am Rock Mass: Once a term Baptism: Fourth Sunday of each month by appointment Wedding: Contact Parish Office at least 6 months prior notice Morning Prayer: Monday - Friday: 8:30am Anointing of Sick: 2nd Thursday of the month at 9am or by request Eucharistic Adoration: Saturday 9:30 – 10am concluding with Benediction Reconciliation: Saturday 9:30am Rosary: Immediately after weekday Mass and Saturday (8:35am)



Every Friday (during term time) Lectio Divina facilitated by Fr Greg on Zoom

Second Thursday of Every Month Anointing of the Sick —9am

First Friday of Every Month Exposition/Adoration at 7pm followed by Mass at 7:30pm

Thursday 12 May Parish Social Craft Group 10:30am in the Parish Hall

Acknowledgement of Traditional Owners

We wish to acknowledge the traditional custodians of these lands on which we gather and show our respect to the Elders past and present . We also wish to pay our respects to all Aboriginal people.

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When Simon Peter heard that it was the Lord, he tucked in his garment, for he was lightly clad, and jumped into the sea. (Gospel)

Dear Parishioners,

In the Gospel reading, we are invited to reflect on the third occasion that Jesus 'shows' himself to the disciples following his resurrection. Jesus appears by the Sea of Tiberias and upon seeing the disciples struggling to catch any fish, suggests that they cast the net on the other side of the boat. When they listen to Jesus and do as he says, they catch an abundance of fish. This provokes the question—when and how does Jesus show himself in our lives? Is it through the kind word of encouragement expressed by a work colleague, or is it someone speaking truth in a difficult situation, or perhaps is it in the invitation to share a meal? Jesus shares bread and fish with the disciples, and in so doing, not only shows up, but shares something of himself—his presence and friendship.

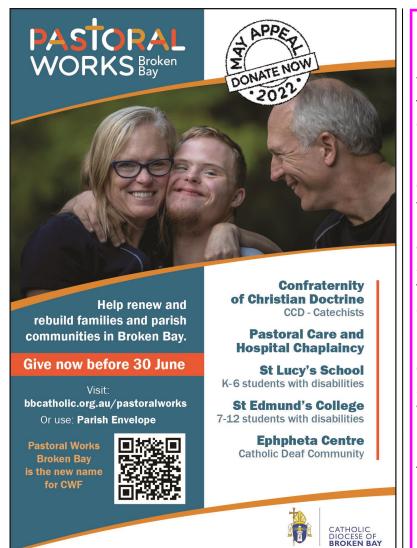
How can we show up in a similar way for others as Jesus did for the disciples? How can we offer words of life and abundance, and give something of ourselves in the name of Jesus, today?

May God bless you. Fr Greg Chee, OCD

PARISH OFFICE TEAM Fr Greg Chee, OCD, Parish Priest Ed Wales, Parish Finance Michelle Miles, Office Manager Jennifer Perrott, Faith Facilitator Gerri Hadwen, Sacramental Co-Ordinator Natalie Yeung, Youth Minister

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WORLD APOSTOLATE OF FATIMA

The Sydney Archdiocese Committee, of the World Apostolate of Fatima invite you to our May Celebration in St. Mary's Cathedral on Saturday May, 14th Honouring our Lady and intercede for peace in the World and the welfare of Australia.

To commence at 11.30am with entrance procession (inside the Cathedral) with the Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Our Lady of Fatima (with the Immaculate Heart) Rosary, Litany of Loreto & Act of Consecration to the Immaculate Heart of Mary followed by Holy Mass at Noon.

We look forward to you joining us in Prayer, especially for this recent outbreak in Ukraine.

Further enquiries please contact us on - 0403578994.

FLORES DE MAYO INVITE

You are invited together with your families and friends to join us in celebrating in a very special way, Mother's Day. Let us honour Mary, Mother of God by praying the rosary, offering her flowers and praying in thanksgiving during mass.

8th of May 2022 - Sunday 2:30 pm for the 2:45 start of ROSARY followed by FLORAL OFFERING and MASS

Please bring flowers to offer. We also encourage the children to wear Sunday's best dress and everyone to wear white and blue.

Let's make this day a special celebration for all the mothers by honouring Mama Mary.

Do not hesitate to contact us if you have any queries.

Kind regards,

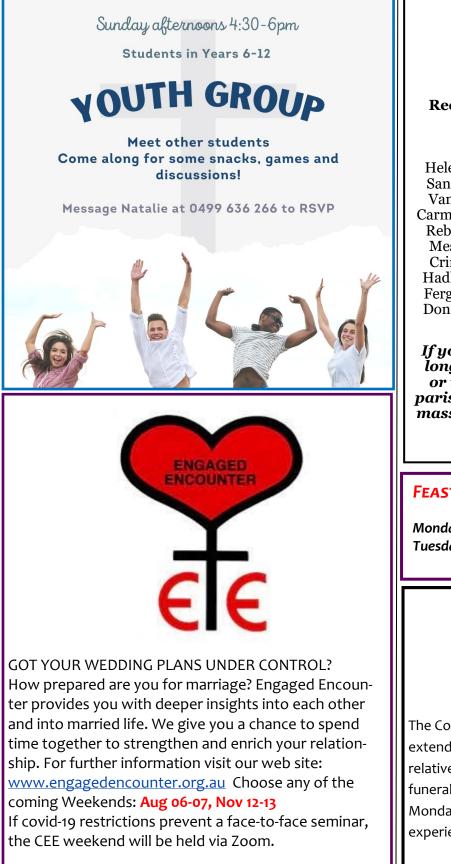
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First Friday of Every Month

Friday 7 May 2022

Exposition / Adoration at 7pm followed by Mass at 7:30pm





Anniversary: John Barrie

Rececently Deceased: Allan Leung

Please pray for the ill:

Helen McCarthy; Quentin Stewart; Rob Sanders; Anne Jardane; Naomi Upton; Vanessa Park; Rebecca Davies; Denise Carmody; Grace Cheah; Elizabeth Walsh; Rebecca Anderson; Maria Garcia; Jose Mestres; Meacheal; Estelle Sok; Lewis Crinitti; Thi Nguyen; Victoria; Carmel Hadley; Carmel Hurrell, Mary Sanzone, Fergus O'Brien, Michelle Soumier, Jane Donnelly, Lisa Doherty, Gracie Spencer, Brendan Stone

If you know of anyone who can no longer attend mass due to illness; or if you have noticed one of our parishioners is no longer attending mass, could you please let the office know.

FEAST DAYS-MAY

Monday 2nd , St Athanasius, bishop, doctor Tuesday 3rd, St Philip and James, apostles

Our Deepest Sympathy Allan Leung

The Corpus Christi parish family would like to extend its prayerful sympathy to the family, relatives and friends of Allan Leung. Allan's funeral will be held at Corpus Christi on Monday 2 May at 10:30am. May Allan experience the fullness of Christ's peace.

MOTHERS' DAY MORNING TEA IS ON!

Join us after the 10am mass on 8 May. Friends and neighbours are warmly invited.

Whole cakes and cakes by the slice will be available for purchase.

Raffle tickets are available now at \$5 for 2 tickets.

- \$100 voucher from Season Thai, Gordon
- Carafe and a bottle of wine
- Beautiful pot plant

Raffle tickets will be drawn during the Mother's Day morning tea.

CORPUS CHRISTI PARISH, ST IVES

Income & Expenditure

9 Months to 31 March 2022

	ACTUAL \$	ACTUAL \$	ACTUAL\$
	31-Mar-22	31-Mar-21	31-Mar-20
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INCOME			
Planned Giving (Credit Cards, Envelopes & EFTs)	104,401	113,435	117,486
Loose Second Collection	7,184	16,142	38,065
Tap & Go Collection	13,840	22,000	850
Donations & bequests	3,650	3,568	-
Pastoral Activities, Advertising,& other income	11,945	18,468	13,079
Alpha Program, Discipleship & Formation	5,000	4,851	12,606
Interest Received	500	1,080	3,399
Roof Donation Collection	100	100	2,108
Job Keeper Subsidy (No GST)	-	54,000	-
Cash Boost Stimulus via ATO	-	10,000	-
Total Income	146,620	243,645	187,592
OPERATING EXPENSES			
Church Requisites	6,551	4,667	7,038
Employment Expenses including on-costs	92,801	78,729	99,149
Jobkeeper Expense		32,377	
Insurance	22,323	20,357	21,101
Office Expenses	3,839	8,010	14,082
Pastoral programmes, Utilities, Admin. & other expenses	12,582	18,901	33,757
Alpha Program, Discipleship & Formation	3,099	5,507	13,734
Repairs and maintenance	20,364	28,965	23,110
Clergy Car Expenses	7,422	6,699	6,492
Interest repayment on Roof Loan	133	1,099	2,645
Total Operating Expenses	169,115	205,312	221,107
Operating Surplus/(Deficit)	(22,496)	38,333	(33,515)
Non Recurring Income	28,512	-	-
Non Recurring Expenses	(9,000)	(10,585)	(9,393)
Specific Sponsorships	-	1,100	-
Roof repayments to 31 March 2022	(13,321)	(25,050)	(25,050)
Surplus (Deficit) after non-recurring items and roof repayments	(16,304)	3,798	(67,958)



Do You have Skills in Marketing & Visual Communications?

Communications and Marketing skills can make a significant difference in helping our parish realise our vision.

"To be an invitational Church that leads people to an experience of God's love continually growing in relationship with Jesus as Missionary Disciples to connect and serve, pray, worship and actively share our gifts."

Why?

It is significant because only 10% of Catholics attend Church each week. As Missionary Disciples and in keeping with Jesus' Great Commission, we want to reach out to and embrace the other 90%. It is important that communication creatively promotes the vision of the parish and its identity.

Skills needed:

- Skills such as graphic design, further development of existing website, development of parish app, videography/video production
- Communications across different platforms; both in print and digital formats
- Communications and marketing planning

If you would like to volunteer <u>ANY</u> of your skills in these areas, we want to hear from you. Be a part of this exciting initiative in the parish, as we seek to better connect with each other and the wider community.

Fr Greg Chee, OCD

Please contact: Michelle Miles; Email: <u>office@corpuschristi.com.au</u> or by phone: (02) 9144 6998

men

menALIVE is a National Catholic Ministry to Men which was founded out of a response to a great need in the hearts and lives of men, and a great need in the life of the Catholic Church.

The purpose of menAlive is to bring men together, to renew their faith in God and to encourage them to become an active force within the Church.

Through a variety of events and programs, men are invited to explore what God would want for their lives and how they might come to experience the fullness of life that God wants for us all. when was the last time you felt

men's weekend

ULLY ALIVE?

18th - 19th June 2022 Corpus Christi Parish St Ives

Contact Roman: 0414 497 558 Atat: 0414 317 431

www.menalive.org.au

God is glorified when men are fully alive St Irenaeus

The Word Sunday 1 May 2022, Third Sunday of Easter

First Reading

From the Acts of the Apostles Acts 5:27-32. 40-41

We are witnesses of these words, and so is the Holy Spirit.

The high priest demanded an explanation of the apostles. 'We gave you a formal warning,' he said 'not to preach in this name, and what have you done? You have filled Jerusalem with your teaching, and seem determined to fix the guilt of this man's death on us.' In reply Peter and the apostles said, 'Obedience to God comes before obedience to men; it was the God of our ancestors who raised up Jesus, but it was you who had him executed by hanging on a tree. By his own right hand God has now raised him up to be leader and saviour, to give repentance and forgiveness of sins through him to Israel. We are witnesses to all this, we and the Holy Spirit whom God has given to those who obey him. They warned the apostles not to speak in the name of Jesus and released them. And so they left the presence of the Sanhedrin glad to have had the honour of suffering humiliation for the sake of the name.

The Word of the Lord.

Responsorial Psalm Ps 29:2. 4-6. 11-13. R. v.2 (*R.*) *I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me.*

- 1. I will praise you, Lord, you have rescued me and have not let my enemies rejoice over me. O Lord, you have raised my soul from the dead, restored me to life from those who sink into the grave. (*R*.)
- 2. Sing psalms to the Lord, you who love him, give thanks to his holy name. His anger lasts but a moment; his favour through life. At night there are tears, but joy comes with dawn. (*R*.)
- 3. The Lord listened and had pity. The Lord came to my help. For me you have changed my mourning into dancing; O Lord my God, I will thank you for ever. *(R.)*

Second Reading

From the book of the Apocalypse Rv 5:11-14

The Lamb that was sacrificed is worthy to be given power, wealth, glory, and blessing. In my vision, I, John, heard the sound of an immense number of angels gathered round the throne and the animals and the elders; there were ten thousand times ten thousand of them and thousands upon thousands, shouting, 'The Lamb that was sacrificed is worthy to be given power, riches, wisdom, strength, honour, glory and blessing.' Then I heard all the living things in creation - everything that lives in the air, and on the ground, and under the ground, and in the sea, crying, 'To the One who is sitting on the throne and to the Lamb, be all praise, honour, glory and power, for ever and ever.' And the four animals said, 'Amen'; and the elders prostrated themselves to worship.

The Word of the Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia! Christ is risen, the Lord of all creation; he has shown pity on all people. Alleluia!

Gospel

From the holy Gospel according to John Jn 21:1-19

Jesus stepped forward, took the bread and gave it to them, and did the same with the fish.

Jesus showed himself again to the disciples. It was by the Sea of Tiberias, and it happened like this: Simon Peter, Thomas called the Twin, Nathanael from Cana in Galilee, the sons of Zebedee and two more of his disciples were together. Simon Peter said, 'I'm going fishing.' They replied, 'We'll come with you.' They went out and got into the boat but caught nothing that night.

It was light by now and there stood Jesus on the shore, though the disciples did not realise that it was Jesus. Jesus called out, 'Have you caught anything, friends?' And when they answered, 'No', he said, 'Throw the net out to starboard and you'll find something.' So they dropped the net, and there were so many fish that they could not haul it in. The disciple Jesus loved said to Peter, 'It is the Lord.' At these words 'It is the Lord', Simon Peter, who had practically nothing on, wrapped his cloak round him and jumped into the water. The other disciples came on in the boat, towing the net and the fish; they were only about a hundred yards from land. As soon as they came ashore they saw that there was some bread there, and a charcoal fire with fish cooking on it. Jesus said, 'Bring some of the fish you have just caught.' Simon Peter went aboard and dragged the net to the shore, full of big fish, one hundred and fifty-three of them; and in spite of there being so many the net was not broken. Jesus said to them, 'Come and have breakfast.' None of the disciples was bold enough to ask, 'Who are you?'; they knew quite well it was the Lord. Jesus then stepped forward, took the bread and gave it to them, and the same with the fish. This was the third time that Jesus showed himself to the disciples after rising from the dead. After the meal Jesus said to Simon Peter, 'Simon son of John, do you love me more than these others do?' He answered, 'Yes Lord, you know I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Feed my lambs.' A second time he said to him, 'Simon son of John, do you love me?' He replied, 'Yes, Lord, you know I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Look after my sheep.' Then he said to him a third time, 'Simon son of John, do you love me?' Peter was upset that he asked him the third time, 'Do you love me?' and said, 'Lord, you know everything; you know I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Feed my sheep. 'I tell you most solemnly, when you were young you put on your own belt and walked where you liked; but when you grow old you will stretch out your hands, and somebody else will put a belt round you and take you where you would rather not go.' In these words he indicated the kind of death by which Peter would give glory to God. After this he said, 'Follow me.'

The Gospel of the Lord.



POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER INTENTION FOR APRIL

Health Care Workers

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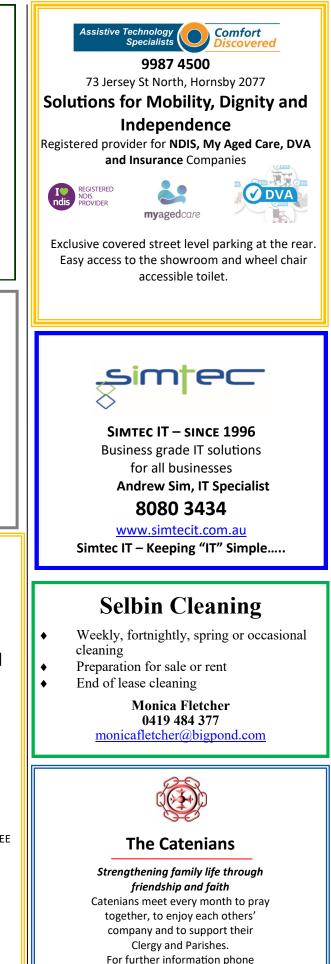
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