CORPUS CHRISTI PARISH ST IVES

## WEEKLY BULLETIN

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

## 9 October 2022, 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Parish Mass Times: Monday to Friday: 9am Saturday: 9am, 6pm (vigil) Sunday: 8am, 10am, 6pm Public Holidays: 9am Rock Mass: Once a term Baptism: Third 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: 2<sup>nd</sup> 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 - Friday 4 November** Exposition/Adoration at 7pm followed by Mass at 7:30pm

**Thursday 13 October** Parish Social Craft Group Parish Hall - 10:30am

**Carmelite Conversations** Please contact Maggie Rodely for more information - 0408 944 050

**Commencing Thursday 13 October for 4 weeks** How Do We Pray, a short course led by Fr Gerard Moran Parish Hall - 7:15pm



As he entered one of the villages, ten lepers came to meet him. They stood some way off and called to him, 'Jesus! Master! Take pity on us.' (Gospel)

**Dear Parishioners** 

Like the nine lepers who didn't think it necessary to thank Jesus for the healing received, many of us take for granted our innumerable everyday blessings! We seem to move about with a sense of entitlement convinced we are deserving of the blessings received. True happiness lies not in what we receive, but in how we receive. As is evident from Jesus' commendation, 'your faith has saved you', the thankful Samaritan had understood the full meaning of what he had experienced. St Ignatius of Loyola says, 'Gratitude is an attitude that keeps us aware of how we are blessed and who it is that blesses us.' No doubt, all ten lepers had cried out in faith, 'Jesus, Master, take pity on us'. But only one felt inclined to show gratitude. When in trouble or pain we, like the lepers, desperately seek God and when help does come, be it through family, neighbour or friend, do we bother to thank God or that person? Or do we simply take it for granted, saying, 'Oh! He or she was just doing their duty'. Today let us take the time to recall gratefully ten miracles God has wrought in our lives! Lord, let your touch warm us and heal us.

May God bless you. Fr Greg Chee, OCD

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#### **KURINGAI INTER-CHURCH GROUP**

Corpus Christi St Ives has been chosen to host the 2023 World Day of Prayer. We are fortunate to have Cheryl Doyle representing Corpus Christi on the Kuringai Inter-Church Group and we would like to have another volunteer join Cheryl in supporting Christian Unity. Please contact Cheryl for further information on 0400 467 901 or 9488 8803.

## FATHER CHRIS RILEY'S YOUTH OFF THE STREETS

I am currently recruiting additional people for our food roster for Father Chris Riley's Youth off the Street's Don Bosco House, in Marrickville. Families from the Corpus Christi community have been supporting the house in Marrickville for the last 20 years. There are approximately 20 families/people who provide a frozen home cooked meal in a tinfoil container (Glad tuckaway box 20x18x5cm), once a month, which is collected by one of the volunteers at their home, in the St Ives area, on a Sunday morning. They are then taken by the designated volunteer, that afternoon, in eskies to Don Bosco in Marrickville. We only need, at the moment, people who can provide the frozen meal not the delivery to Marrickville.

This is a very important charity which is easy to support behind the scenes! They appreciate all our help!

If you are interested in joining the food roster or finding out more about this charity, you can contact me on my mobile 0401044334 or email: <u>tamal1@hotmail.com</u>

Tammy Malouf





#### Our Lady of the Rosary Parish The Entrance Celebrations

This year marks the 75th Anniversary (1947) of the founding of OLOR parish and the 6oth Anniversary (1962) of the opening of our parish church (on the same site as the original church). To mark these two milestones, Bishop Anthony will be joining us for a special celebration on the feast of Christ the King, Sunday 20 November, at the 9.30am Mass, followed by a morning tea in our parish centre. All are welcome to help us celebrate!

#### 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.

## HOW DO WE PRAY? A SHORT COURSE LED BY FR GERARD MORAN, OCD



"For me, prayer is a surge of the heart; it is a simple look turned toward heaven, it is a cry of recognition and of love, embracing both trial and joy." St. Therese of Lisieux.

In this short course we will look at: "How we pray". We will try to address together the basic questions: What is prayer? Why pray? When do we pray? Where do we pray? With what do we pray?

Each evening will include an input, an opportunity for questions and comments and a short period of praying quietly together.

When: Thursday evenings 7:15 – 9pm on 13, 20, 27 October and 3 November.

Where: Corpus Christi Parish Hall, 263 Mona Vale Road, St Ives

Registration: You can register by emailing the Parish Office, office@corpuschristi.com.au or by calling 9144 6998. This is important for preparing the hall for the event.

Payment: There will be a donation box for people to contribute if they wish.

All who are seeking to deepen their relationship with God are welcome.

## **Our Deepest Sympathy**

## Teresa Cornale

The Corpus Christi parish family would like to extend its prayerful sympathy to the family, relatives and friends of Teresa Cornale. Teresa's funeral will be held at Corpus Christi on Tuesday 11 October at 11am.

## Mark Rheinberger

The Corpus Christi parish family would like to extend its prayerful sympathy to the family, relatives and friends of Mark Rheinberger. Mark's funeral will be held at Corpus Christi on Monday 17 October at 11am.

## **Marie Simpson**

The Corpus Christi parish family would like to extend its prayerful sympathy to the family, relatives and friends of Marie Simpson. Marie's funeral will be held at Corpus Christi on Tuesday 18 October at 11am.

# May Teresa, Mark and Marie experience the fullness of Christ's peace.

## **POSITIONS VACANT**

## **BROKEN BAY DIOCESE CHANCERY**

The Broken Bay Diocese Chancery are seeking to fill the following positions:

## Administration Assistant to Director, Evangelisation Broken Bay

Position vacant – Clergy Administration Officer

Both these roles are based at the Chancery in Pennant Hills. For further information on these roles including to obtain a copy of the position description and details on how to apply, please contact recruitment@bbcatholic.org.au. Applications close Friday 21 October 2022.



Anniversary: Henry Parsons

Recently Deceased: Teresa Cornale

## Please pray for the ill:

Sylvia Fishburn; Nicolette Harris; Marshall O'Brien; Helen McCarthy; Quentin Stewart; Rob Sanders; Anne Jardane; Naomi Upton; Vanessa Park; Rebecca Davies; Grace Cheah; Elizabeth Walsh; Rebecca Anderson; Maria Garcia; Jose Mestres; Meacheal; Estelle Sok; Thi Nguyen; Victoria; Carmel Hadley; Carmel Hurrell, Mary Sanzone, Fergus O'Brien, Michelle Soumier, Jane Donnelly, 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— OCTOBER

Saturday 15th, St Teresa of Jesus, virgin, doctor

Monday 17th, St Ignatius of Antioch, bishop Tuesday 18th, St Luke, evangelist Friday 28th, Sts Simon and Jude, apostles

## WORLD YOUTH DAY Only 41 weeks to go!

The good news is that there is still time to register your interest in joining the DBB WYD23 pilgrimage to Portugal. Bookings for young adults are filling up fast, so don't wait too long: ask yourself today whether God might be calling you to World Youth Day Lisbon in 2023! Visit <u>https://bbwyd.org.au/register-for-wyd/</u> to register

## PARISH BANK ACCOUNT DETAILS

First Collection EFT DetailsAccount Name: Discalced CarmelitesBSB: 012 403Account Number: 300503777Reference: Your Name

## **Second Collection EFT Details**

Account Name: St Ives Catholic Parish BSB: 062 784 Account Number: 100001798 Reference: SC + Your Name

If you would like to swap to monthly Credit Card giving , please collect a form in the foyer of the church.



#### The Word Sunday 9 October 2022, 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

### **First Reading**

A reading from the second book of the Kings 2 Kgs 5:14-17

## Naaman returned to Elisha, the prophet, and acknowledged the Lord.

Naaman the leper went down and immersed himself seven times in the Jordan, as Elisha had told him to do. And his flesh became clean once more like the flesh of a little child. Returning to Elisha with his whole escort, he went in and stood before him. 'Now I know' he said, 'that there is no God in all the earth except in Israel. Now, please, accept a present from your servant.' But Elisha replied, 'As the Lord lives, whom I serve, I will accept nothing.' Naaman pressed him to accept, but he refused. Then Naaman said, 'Since your answer is "No," allow your servant to be given as much earth as two mules may carry, because your servant will no longer offer holocaust or sacrifice to any god except the Lord.'

The Word of the Lord.

### Responsorial Psalm Ps 97:1-4. R. see v.2

(*R*.) The Lord has revealed to the nations his saving power.

- 1. Sing a new song to the Lord for he has worked wonders. His right hand and his holy arm have brought salvation. (*R.*)
- 2. The Lord has made known his salvation; has shown his justice to the nations. He has remembered his truth and love for the house of Israel. (*R*.)
- 3. All the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our God. Shout to the Lord all the earth, ring out your joy. *(R.)*

#### Second Reading

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From the the second letter of St Paul to Timothy 2 Tm 2:8-13

If we hold firm, we shall reign with Christ. Remember the Good News that I carry. 'Jesus Christ risen from the dead, sprung from the race of David'; it is on account of this that I have my own hardships to bear, even to being chained like a criminal – but they cannot chain up God's news. So I bear it all for the sake of those who are chosen, so that in the end they may have the salvation that is in Christ Jesus and the eternal glory that comes with it. Here is a saying that you can rely on: If we have died with him, then we shall live with If we hold firm, then we shall reign with him. If we disown him, then he will disown us. We may be unfaithful, but he is always faithful, for he cannot disown his own self. The Word of the Lord.

#### **Gospel Acclamation**

Alleluia, alleluia! For all things give thanks to God, because this is what he expects of you in Christ Jesus. Alleluia!

#### Gospel

From the holy Gospel according to Luke Lk 17:11-19

## It seems that no one has returned to give thanks to God except this foreigner.

On the way to Jerusalem Jesus travelled along the border between Samaria and Galilee. As he entered one of the villages, ten lepers came to meet him. They stood some way off and called to him, 'Jesus! Master! Take pity on us.' When he saw them he said, 'Go and show yourselves to the priests.' Now as they were going away they were cleansed. Finding himself cured, one of them turned back praising God at the top of his voice and threw himself at the feet of Jesus and thanked him. The man was a Samaritan. This made Jesus say, 'Were not all ten made clean? The other nine, where are they? It seems that no one has come back to give praise to God, except this foreigner.' And he said to the man, 'Stand up and go on your way. Your faith has saved you.'

The Gospel of the Lord.