



BOOVAL CATHOLIC PARISH



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Second Sunday in Lent - YEAR C - 13th of March 2022

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REFLECTION - *Transfigured Bodysouls*

One often hears the conventional wisdom: 'All religions are the same, with somewhat different packaging.' But, do they believe the same thing about the human person?

What if one believed that the most vital part of a person was 'the soul' which alone was destined for Heaven? This is not the Christian belief.

Today's Gospel recounts that Jesus' *body* was transfigured. This was no out-of-the-body experience of religious ecstasy. Jesus' *body* was totally translucent, totally radiant with Divine Light. Every molecule of his materiality was reverberating in the halo of divine glory.

That is the destiny which God desires for us also. When we are really in harmony with God, when we really participate in the life of God, then that Divine Life envelops and permeates our whole person, *bodysoul*. That is our *ultimate* destiny, but can it be anticipated in the lives of those close to God?

You might care to read the story of St Seraphim of Sarov from the Russian Orthodox tradition. A follower recounts the dazzling bodily transformation of the saint with the blaze of light spilling over onto the snow-covered meadow.

We might pause for a moment to affirm our Christian hope that, with God's grace, we will be radiant with Divine Light, our bodies immersed in translucent glory, filled with infinite joy in our hearts.

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HOLY WEEK & TRIDUUM—TIME TABLE 2022



PALM SUNDAY : 09th / 10th April

Saturday 5.00pm - Booval Sunday
7.00am - Riverview

Sunday 9.00am & 5.00pm - Booval

Monday 11th of April

9.00am—Mass of Anointing
6.30pm—II Rite of Reconciliation

Wednesday of Holy Week

TENEBRAE - 13th April Wednesday
6.30pm - Booval

HOLY THURSDAY - 14th April

7.00pm – Mass of the Lord's Supper -
Booval

GOOD FRIDAY - 15th April

10.30am – Stations of the Cross
[Amare Centre, School Hall]

3.00pm – Passion of the Lord - Booval
(Church)

HOLY SATURDAY - 16th April

6.00pm – Vigil of Easter and Mass of the
Resurrection - Booval

EASTER SUNDAY - 17th April

7.00am – Mass of the Resurrection
Riverview 9.00am – Mass of the Resur-
rection - Booval

NO SUNDAY EVENING MASS

Weekly Mass Times

Monday 14th March: 9:00am Mass
Tuesday 15th March No Mass
Wed 16th March 5:30pm Rosary
6:00pm Mass
Thursday 17th March 9:00am Mass
Friday 18th March 8:30am Stations of the Cross
9:00am Mass
Saturday 19th March 4:00 Reconciliation
5:00pm Mass - Booval
Sunday 20th March 7:00am Mass - Riverview
(3rd Sunday in Lent) 9:00am Mass - Booval
5:00pm Mass - Booval

Marriages by appointment only at least 6 months
notice is required

Baptisms by appointment



FROM THE HEART INVITES YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS

We look forward your contributions. Does your group have news that could be shared with our community? Do you have a significant event that you would like to share with us? Do you have a short, special recipe that others of us would like to try? You may have a poem that you have written or a funny story to tell. We would love to hear your stories. We would love to hear from everyone. Please send your contributions to: Email: shbooval@gmail.com or place them into the Magazine Contribution Box at the Parish Office. Thank you. - Editorial Team.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE RECENTLY DIED: Lorna Baker, Robert Massey.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHOM WE REMEMBER: Soundar Rajan, Donna Gabriel, Bob Cole, Dorothy Walsh, Tracie Files, Rita Vanderbyl, Tom Brown, Bernie Kinnane, Chris Garton, Ken Adkins, Frank Van Gestel, Lorraine Murphy, David Samson, Jack & Eileen McMahon, Bob, John & Mark Skippington, Thomas Boyle, Margery Boyle, Ellie & Ossie Cody, Rob & Margaret Kane, Mike Cody, Helen Cody, Roy Folan, Alfred & Stella Grech, Moira Murphy, Melinda & Arthur Murphy, Bernice & Clement Goan, Arthur, Brian & Dane Bracey, Grahame Coultas, Noreen Lund, Ta Thi Thin, Paul Armstrong.

LET US PRAY for those who are sick or recovering from surgery: Patricia Eade, Rebecca Eade, Geoff Frost, Kathy & Graeme Smith, Kath King, Lynne Connors, Declan Simmonato, Marie Noon, Grace Thompson, Lilian Morrison, Joana Ambrad-Isip, Rod Perry (brother of Joan Jones), Desolie King, Graeme Peters, Trish Rowlands, Jill Carlyle.

We also include in our prayers all the aged and sick to whom we take Communion.

We pray for the safety and good judgement of those serving in our defence forces overseas

BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE ANNIVERSARIES : 13th - 19th March

Fr Maurice Lane (1929) – Builder of Sacred Heart Church, William & Ellen Noon, Desmond Wight, Hazel Jorgensen, Bet Lilley, Denise Owen, Margaret Shaw, Ena Barnes, Pat Dixon, Patrick Dwyer, Bill Fullelove, John Heenan, John Heeney, Annie Silvester, James Slack, Emily Ferreira, Charlie Fick, Thelma McCarthy, Muriel Scott, Arthur Baxter, Branko Eremic, Frank Everding, Gertrude Lynes, Doug McFadyen, Denis Mangan, Ambrose O’Sullivan, Helen Rogers, John Cullen, Teresa Gabriel, Brodie Hirning, Joanne Meij, Geoff Porter, Monty Seng, Fr G Thomas Fitzgerald (1992) – 3rd Parish Priest, Tom Gribbin, Mary Petie,

The Spirit & The Cross 2022 \$5 Written for busy individuals but easily adapted for groups, each day includes a scripture reading and a reflection upon it, some questions to aid prayer and discussion, and relevant quotes from Pope Francis.

New Life In Christ 2021 - 2022 Year C \$5 A 4 week prayer & reflection program for use during advent or at anytime as the need to turn to God arises. **If you would like to purchase, copies are in church.**

Day	Date	Time	Group
Monday	14th Mar	5:30pm	Penance Workshop 2
Tuesday	15th Mar	9:30am	Craft Group
Thursday	17th Mar	7:00pm	Easter Choir Practice
Friday	18th Mar	8:30am	Stations of the Cross
Friday	18th Mar	10:00am	Liturgy Team
Friday	18th Mar	All day	Penance Paperwork due
Saturday	19th Mar	7:00am	St Josephs Garden
Saturday	19th Mar	2:30pm	Sacrament of Penance
Sunday	20th Mar	9:00am	Mass to acknowledge children
Sunday	20th Mar		Prayer Cards for Penance

LENTEN ADORATION 2022.

As we enter the holy season of lent church advise us to strengthen our spiritual life with prayer, fasting and almsgiving. Lent is time of intense prayer. Lenten adoration gives us an opportunity to pray together and prepare personally for Easter. Let us come together on Friday 25th March from 9am - 5pm. Please put your names in the sign in register kept in front of the church.

HEALING MASS - BARDON

Would you like to receive personal prayer for healing? Come to the first Friday of the month Healing Mass at St. Mary Magdalene's, 24 Cecil Road, Bardon, Friday, 1st April, 2022 at 7.30pm. Fr. Thomas Varkey, PP, Sacred Heart Parish, Booval will be the celebrant. Personal prayer for healing will be offered after the homily. Sponsored by CCR Bardon. For further information, contact Len Airey on 0421 977 849 or by email to lenpatairey@gmail.com

On behalf of the CCR Brisbane Service Committee.
God Bless, LP Seow.



EASTER CHOIR PRACTICE:

Choir Practice to prepare for our Easter ceremonies will be held on four consecutive Thursdays commencing Thursday 17th March at 7pm. The format will be:
17th March: Palm Sunday and Holy Thursday,
24th March: Good Friday
31st March: Easter Vigil,
7th April : Revision.
You are warmly invited to join the Choir and help us prepare for Easter. All welcome.



World Day of Prayer 2022 England, Wales & Northern Ireland




DATE: 18th March 2022 TIME: 10am,

LOCATION: All Saints Anglican Church, Brisbane Road, Booval

Newsletter Submissions Cut-off: Tues COB before Friday publish

Join a Caritas Conversation

You can register for a Caritas Conversation by going to lentcaritas.org.au or scanning the QR code



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The Archdiocese of Brisbane holds that children, young people and vulnerable adults are a gift from God with an intrinsic right to dignity of life, respect and security from physical and emotional harm.

We respectfully acknowledge the Jagera, Yuggera and Ugarapul people, as the traditional owners and caretakers of the land which is the Booval Catholic Parish.