



BOOVAL CATHOLIC PARISH



† Sacred Heart Church, 19 Cothill Rd, Booval

† Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church, 10 Old Ipswich Rd, Riverview

Sacred Heart Primary School, 25 Cothill Rd, Booval

St Peter Claver Secondary College, 10 Old Ipswich Rd, Riverview

TWENTY THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME—4 SEPTEMBER 2022

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Hate your father

I am told that, in most Middle Eastern languages, there is no word for 'prefer'. Perhaps influenced by extremes of heat and cold, the vocabulary of 'love' and 'hate' is used instead. No one can imagine Jesus 'hating' Joseph, but he clearly gave *preference* to his mission, even as a precocious 12 year old in the Temple.

In today's Gospel, Jesus was preparing his followers, imminently and over the generations, for persecution. This would include real-life situations of families denouncing a son or daughter, or a brother turning over a brother to the authorities.

Imagine a Chinese Catholic hearing this Gospel this morning, and this afternoon being betrayed by family members for remaining loyal to the successor of St Peter. Jesus exhorts such a follower to prefer this cross over what the family considers politically correct.

We could pause for a moment to pray for all families, torn apart for allegiance to Jesus in His Church, that they may be re-united in the peace of the Risen Lord.

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**SAFEGUARDING
SUNDAY 2022
SEPTEMBER 11**



Next Sunday is Safeguarding Sunday. The Catholic Church in Australia is committed to the care, wellbeing and protection of children, young people and people at risk in our community. Mindful of the theme for National Child Protection Week, may we work together to ensure all people feel safe and supported.

You can find out more about the Church's work in this area at: www.catholic.org.au/safeguardingsunday

Weekly Mass

Monday 5th Sept 9am Mass

Tuesday 6th Sept No Mass

Wed 7th Sept 5:30 Rosary
6:00pm Mass

Thursday 8th Sept 8:30 Rosary

Thursday 8th Sept 9am Mass

Friday 9th Sept 9am **Mass**

Saturday 10th Sept 4pm Reconciliation

5:00pm Mass - Booval

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday 11th Sept. 7:00am Mass - Riverview

8:00am Divine Mercy OLPH

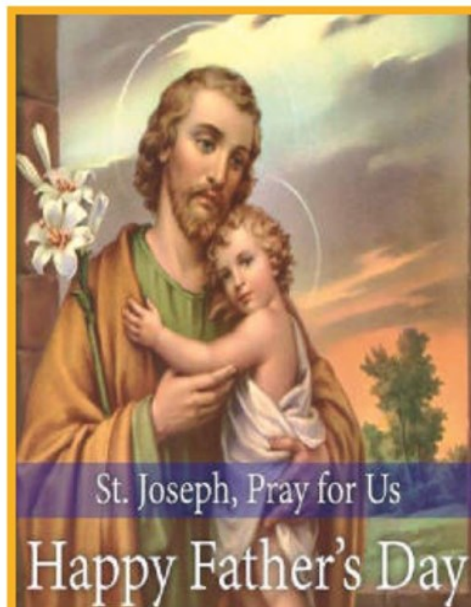
9:00am Mass - Booval

(Childrens' Liturgy in 9am mass)

5:00pm Booval

Marriages by appointment only at least 6 months notice is required.

Baptisms by appointment & Preparation every 1st Thursday.



Father's Day Prayer

Heavenly Father,
You entrusted Your Son Jesus, the
Child of Mary, to the care of Joseph,
an earthly Father. Bless all Fathers
as they care for their families.
Give them strength and wisdom,
tenderness and patience; support
them in the work they have to do,
protecting those who look to them,
as we look to You for love
and salvation, through Jesus Christ,
our Rock and Defender,
in union with the Holy Spirit,
one God, forever and ever.
St. Joseph,
Pray for all of our Fathers.
Amen.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE RECENTLY DIED: Phyllis Cook, Marie Noon,

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHOM WE REMEMBER: Soundar Rajan, Donna Gabriel, Bob Cole, Dorothy Walsh, 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, Giao Ngoc Tran, Peter Joseph, Geoffrey Crocker, Mieu Thi Nguyen, Ban Ngoc Nguyen

LET US PRAY for those who are sick or recovering from surgery: Pauline Peters, Patricia Eade, Rebecca Eade, Geoff Frost, Kathy & Graeme Smith, Kath King, Lynne Connors, Declan Simmonato, Grace Thompson, Lilian Morrison, Joana Ambrad-Isip, , Desolie King, Graeme Peters, Trish Rowlands,

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 : 4th September—10th September

Bernice Goan, Kathleen Gomez, Mary Killin, Tom Lynam, Stella O'Shea, Norm Zupp, Maria Bufalino, Robert Dorman, James Kenny Jnr, Peter August Klupfel, Ferdinand Ollenburg, Ada Stella Ryan, Douglas Steffens, Thomas & Mary-Ann Dalton, Jimmy Douglas, Kathleen Doring, Eleanor Farquharson, Owen Kinnane, Donny Maher, Paddy O'Shea, Les O'Sullivan, Iris Peters, Murray Stewart, Amy Tierney, Toby Brennan, Elma Chiconi, Dulcie Cooling, Michael Kearney, Mary Mattingley, Rae Skinner, Lilian Alford, Ethel Graham, Harry McNeish, Edward Quinn, Mary Brennan, Jim Drake, Fr. Syd Kattie, Eileen Knopke, Annie McCarthy, Monica Missingham, Monica O'Connor, Johanna Ross, Harry Russell, Eunice Bev Steele, Maureen Ainslie,

Day	Date	Time	Group
Tuesday	6th Sept	9:30am	Craft Group
Wednesday	7th Sept	7:00pm	PPC
Friday	9th Sept	10:00am	Liturgy Team
Saturday	9th Sept	7:00am	St Josephs Garden
Saturday	10th Sept	11:00am	Multi-Cultural Mass Mtng.
Sunday	11th Sept	9:00am	Childrens' Liturgy in Mass

Multi-Cultural Mass 18th September

As there will be a multi-cultural Mass celebrated at the 9am Mass on 18th September at Sacred Heart Booval church, **there will be no 7:00am Mass celebrated at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church at Riverview. There will also be NO 5:00pm Mass on Sunday 18th.**

We are still welcoming any volunteers, especially those who represent our diverse cultural backgrounds, to organize cultural food, cultural music and cultural dress. If you are interested in volunteering please contact the parish office by email booval@bne.catholic.net.au or 32821888.

Sacramental Programme 2022:

We want to congratulate all the children who took part in the Sacrament of Confirmation on Friday night. Welcome to the next stage of your Catholic life. CONGRATULATIONS!!! We will put photos in next week's newsletter.

Hospitality for Sunday Cuppa:

We are also in great need for more people to help with hospitality ministry by helping with a cuppa after Mass. If you feel you can help with this please **contact Martin on 0421 525232.**

St Joseph's Garden

A reminder if possible, could you please save the centres of your toilet rolls as they can be used in the garden. Your collection of toilet roll centres can be placed in the garage next to the garden. Thankyou.

Father Thomas wishes to thank everyone for his birthday wishes and prayers.

Bequests to the Parish

Should any parishioner be considering making a financial bequest to Sacred Heart Parish Booval, such a bequest must be included in your Last Will and Testament. There is an exactly worded statement required to be used when making such a bequest. This exact statement can be obtained from the Parish Office.

2022 Catholic Campaign

You still have the opportunity to make a donation to this year's annual Catholic Campaign. The envelopes provided in the pews will remain for another week and can be placed in with the usual collection. Alternatively, you may drop it into the parish office during the week. I am sure any support will be greatly appreciated.

CHURCH CLEANERS

The parish needs more people to clean the church. If you believe you can help in this, please contact the parish office: ph. **3282188** or booval@bne.catholic.net.au

FROM THE HEART INVITES YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS : 3rd Edition

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.

The Catholic Leader:

Please remember if you enjoy reading the Catholic Leader that the parish is moving to order for only those parishioners who subscribe and pay \$50 at the parish office. Thank you.



Newsletter Submissions Cut-off: Tues COB before Friday publish.

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Archdiocese of Brisbane's Office for Safeguarding - <https://brisbanecatholic.org.au/support/safeguard/>

The Archdiocese of Brisbane holds that children, young people and vulnerable adults are a gift from God with an intrinsic right to dignity

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