



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-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME—9 OCTOBER 2022

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Weekly Mass

Monday 10th Oct. 9:00am Mass

Tuesday 11th Oct. No Mass

Wed 12th Oct. 5:30pm Rosary
6:00pm Mass

Thurs. 13th Oct. 9:00am Mass

Friday 14th Oct. 9:00am Mass

Saturday 15th Oct 4pm Reconciliation
5:00pm Mass - Booval

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday 16th Oct. 7:00am Mass - Riverview

8:00am Divine Mercy OLPH

9:00am Mass - Booval
Children's Liturgy

5:00pm Mass—Booval

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

Baptisms by appointment & Preparation every 1st Thursday.

Leprosy, AIDS and Salvation

Like the other nine lepers, the Samaritan was cured of his skin disease. Unlike the other nine, he thanked Jesus and expressed faith in Jesus as the agent of his divine healing. Only to him did Jesus say: 'Your faith has brought you *salvation*.'

So, 'salvation' is evidently more than physical cure. Every aspect of this man's personality, bodily, socially, relationship with God, was made whole. Being brought to this 'holistic' situation we call 'salvation'.

This Gospel assures us that there is nothing which makes me 'taboo' to Jesus. Jesus is only too willing to reach out to that part of me which is dis-eased, ill-at-ease with myself, other people, creation, or God. Having faith in Him allows the full force of His love to heal me, to take effect.

We could pause for a moment to pray that we might join the Samaritan walking along the road to final salvation, praising God.

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Prayer

Loving God, you made each of us in your image and likeness. Open our eyes to recognise one another as equals, replacing domination and control, violence, and abuse, with mutuality, reciprocity, respect, and freedom. Help us to love like you.

Jesus Christ, you rejected the use of religious traditions to justify violence. Teach us to unmask manipulations of our faith used to justify violent, abusive, or coercive behaviour.

Teach us to be people who show tenderness, respect and care for others as you did.

Holy Spirit, you are with us always, showing us the way. Move us to assist those who experience violence and abuse and support their call for justice. Empower us to hold perpetrators of violence and abuse responsible, encouraging them to change their behaviour.

Amen.

New Projectors!!!

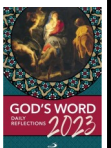
A few people have generously donated towards the new projectors and Father Thomas thanks everyone for these donations. We have not quite reached the halfway mark yet.

You may place money in an envelope and write "**Attention Projector Donation**" and put it in the collection plate or come in to the office. Any amount that you can give is greatly appreciated as it all adds up. Thankyou.

God's Word Daily Reflections 2023 : Limited Copies!

Good news! There is a price reduction God's Word 2023 Daily Reflections.

This is now available from the front of the church over the weekend at a cost of \$15. Hurry! There are limited supplies.



FROM THE HEART : 3rd Edition

"From the Heart" is now available from this weekend. It's a great read about people and ministries in our parish. There are interesting stories, photos from Multi-Cultural Mass, laughs and children activities (or adults). Make sure you get a copy and share with family and friends.



PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE RECENTLY DIED: Mathew Orathel (Father Thomas's uncle) Shirley Whitehouse,

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: Karen Cooper, Kathy Jorganson, Pauline Peters, Patricia Eade, Rebecca Eade, Geoff Frost, Kathy & Graeme Smith, Kath King, Lynne Connors, Declan Simmonato, Grace Thompson, Lillian 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 : 9th October—15th October

Pope Pius XII (1958), Mary Hoffman, Ann Robertson, Bob Ruff, Ashleigh Cobbo Beverley Coyle Arthur Halls (2007) Very Rev. Dean Andrew Horan (1924) – Founding Pastor, Roy Iseppii, Brian O'Donohue, Bridget Roach, Lillie Emma Stephens, Joe Tobin, Alan Bowden, Ivy Dobbie, Clarence Doring, Mavis Kenny, Patricia Winchester, Thomas Dimmick, Marion Illingworth, Eileen Malaw, Mary McMahon, Amelia Ollen-burg, Ollie Pryor, Bessie Tupper, Jack Deaves, Agnes Flynn, Marion Halls, Amelia Ollen-burg, Pauline Parry, Marie Sheahan, Hilary Vujica, John Frame, Fred Todd, Neville Williamson,

Day	Date	Time	Group
Monday	10th Oct	9.00am	Anointing Mass
Tuesday	11th Oct	9:30am	Craft Group
Wednesday	12th Oct	7:00pm	PFC
Thursday	13th Oct	4:30pm	No SVDP meeting
Friday	14th Oct	10:00am	No Liturgy Team Meeting
Saturday	15th Oct	7:00am	St Josephs Garden
Sunday	16th Oct	9:00am	Children's Liturgy

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

It was a coolish, wet Sunday morning but the kids were warm, dry and ready to learn more about Jesus! We spoke a little about how having faith as tiny as a mustard seed is enough for God to do great things through us, but our main focus was "Do your duty, with love." Whatever your responsibilities, feeding your pet, putting your toys away etc, do without expecting any reward. Blessings and have a great week!

FUNDAY! 13 November after 9:00am Mass

This is open to all children including those in Children's Liturgy, Altar Servers, DPO's and everyone else. There will be a sausage sizzle and Old MacDonald's Farm for animal interaction. It should be a great day.



Save the Date : 20th November 9:00am Mass

Some members of the Children's Liturgy will give a short presentation regarding Advent. Please pray for the children and come and support them on this day.



Blaze

Please remember Blaze is open to High-School-aged people every 2nd and 4th Sunday.

SAVE THE DATE!

ROSARY IN THE GARDEN

As October is the month for the Rosary, a special Rosary devotion on **24th October starting at 11:30am**. It will be at Queens Park in the Bush Chapel. We are grateful the ICC have granted the permit.

MASS—ALL SOULS DAY

All Souls will be on **Wednesday, 2nd November 6:00pm**.

THANKSGIVING MASS

Significant Wedding Anniversary Celebration
Volunteers get-together

If you are celebrating a significant wedding anniversary (or any other anniversary) this year, please inform the parish office know and attend the combined Thanksgiving and Significant Anniversary Mass which will be held on **Wednesday 16th. November at 6:00pm**. Everyone is welcome to come along. After Mass there will be a sausage sizzle at the parish centre.

ANOINTING MASS

There will be an Anointing Mass at **9:00am Monday 10th October**. So please take the opportunity to attend this extra special Mass. As usual, there will be a "cuppa" after so also bring a plate to share if possible.

NOVEMBER INTENTIONS

If you wish to offer a Mass for your departed loved ones, envelopes can be found at the entrance of the church for you to complete. Please put them on the collection plate during Mass. The names of your departed ones will be placed in a folder at the altar in the church for November.

MORNING TEA!!!

Great news! Morning teas are back! From now morning tea will be offered after 9:00am Sunday Mass. **Rosies** will run Morning Tea on the **1st Sunday, 2nd and 4th Sundays** to be run by **Martin**, **3rd Sundays** will be run by **Scholastica**. We are grateful that there are new people in the hospitality ministry.

Newsletter Submissions Cut-off: Tues COB before Friday publish

STOPline Service. STOPline is an external service provided for the Archdiocese to receive confidential disclosures.

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 Boval Catholic Parish.