



# BOOVAL CATHOLIC PARISH



† Sacred Heart Church, 21 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-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 07/08.10.2023 - Year A

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### Weekday Mass(Cycle 1)

Monday 9th Oct 9:00am Mass + Anointing

Tuesday 10th Oct No Mass

Wed 11th Oct 5:30pm Rosary

6:00pm Mass

Thursday 12th Oct 9:00am Mass

Friday 13th Oct 9:00am Mass

### 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday 14th Oct 5:00pm Mass—Booval

Sunday 15th Oct 7:00am Mass—Riverview

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. The next Baptism Preparation session is to be **Thursday 2 November** in the church.



### REFLECTION by Dianne Bergant CSA

The metaphor of the vineyard, cherished by both ancient Israel and the early Christians, suggests that while vines might be hardy, they are also vulnerable. So is the reign of God. It must be tended and protected from what might endanger it, so that it may produce abundant and delectable fruit. In the gospel account, the vine does indeed produce an abundant crop. In fact, it is the very productivity of the vineyard that sets the stage for the treachery described. We can see ourselves in both uses of the vineyard metaphor. There are times when, regardless of what God seems to be doing for us, we simply rebel against God's plans. We stand in defiance. There are other times when we, who are disciples of Jesus, act as if the kingdom is ours. We might even marginalise or force out others with whom we do not agree, so that we have sole control. When we consider the justice of God, it is important that we place it within the right context, lest we create a picture of God that is false and misleading. It is because of God's tender love for the vineyard that treachery cannot be tolerated. If we have produced unacceptable fruits, it is for our own good that God steps in and dismantles the structures that enabled us to produce bad fruit. It is appropriate that God would snatch the vineyard from our grasp and entrust it to one who will faithfully carry out God's plans.



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### CHILDREN'S LITURGY

From last Sunday's Gospel reading we focused on being obedient and doing what we are asked to do, and also spoke about our **actions speaking louder than words**.

The children made their own "keys to obedience" that have helpful ways to obey printed on each key. It was very heart-warming that the children already knew these important ways to be obedient...*obey immediately, obey cheerfully, obey without complaining* and *obey completely*.



On Sunday October 8 there will be NO Children's Liturgy because there will be a Multi-Cultural Mass on this day.

### THE MULTI-CULTURAL MASS

This weekend we are celebrating the Multi-Cultural Mass at the 9:00 Mass in the Sacred Heart Church at Booval. After the Mass, there will be the usual Morning Tea but we hope all parishioners will bring a plate to share.

Hopefully the food will represent the diverse cultures that we

have in our Booval/Riverview Catholic faith community.

All are welcome to celebrate.



### SACRED HEART CHURCH GROUNDS

If you or you know anyone who is interested and/or able to help with the mowing and whipper snipping around Sacred Heart Church, please call or email the office.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE RECENTLY DIED:** William (Bill) Walsh, Kerry Jones,

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHOM WE REMEMBER:** Marie Noon, Bernard Graham, Denis Muir, Nora Muir, Donna Gabriel, Bob Cole, Dorothy Walsh, Bernie Kinnane, Ken Adkins, Lorraine Murphy, Bob Massey, 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, Giao Ngoc Tran, Peter Joseph, Geoffrey Crocker, John Malone, Raymond Gale, James Hogan, Biao Ngoc Tran, Mieu Thi Nguyen, Ban Ngoc Nguyen, Louis Phipps-Ellis, Mary Phipps-Ellis, baby Lou Phipps-Ellis.

**LET US PRAY for those who are sick or recovering from surgery:** Barry Wade, Lynne Connors, Jill Roberts (Lyal Newsome's sister), Marye Casey, Helena M Siczek, Desmond Daly, Patrick Phipps-Ellis, Karen Cooper, Pauline & Graeme Peters, Patricia Eade, Rebecca Eade, Geoff Frost, Kathy & Graeme Smith, Kath King, Declan Simmonato, Grace Thompson, Lilian Morrison, Joana Ambrad-Isip, Desolie King, Trish Rowlands, Patrick Phipps-Ellis,

**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 :** 8 October—14 October

Agnes Flynn, Fr Ray Glasby ODC (1999), Jerzy Hebda, Melinda Murphy, Fr Tom Murphy (1998), Philip Wilson, 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 Ollenburg, Ollie Pryor, Bessie Tupper, Jack Deaves, Agnes Flynn, Marion Halls, Amelia Ollenburg, Pauline Parry, Marie Sheahan, Hilary Vujica.

**Please inform the office if you wish to make any changes to "Please Pray for those Whom we Remember" and "Let us Pray".**

**TOTAL COLLECTION FOR THE WEEKEND OF 01.10.2023: \$2341.25**

### Parish Diary Dates

Tuesday	10 <sup>th</sup> Oct	9:30am	Craft Group
Wednesday	11 <sup>th</sup> Oct	7:00pm	PFC Meeting
Friday	13 <sup>th</sup> Oct	10:00am	Liturgy Meeting
Saturday	14 <sup>th</sup> Oct	7:00am	St Josephs Garden
Sunday	15 <sup>th</sup> Oct	After 7am Mass	 Divine Mercy Prayers at Riverview
Sunday	15 <sup>th</sup> Oct	9:00am	Children's Liturgy

### STEWARDSHIP- A TIME FOR REFLECTION

#### 27<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

*"The stone that the builders rejected has become the corner stone..." - Matthew 21:42*

Jesus was rejected by the religious and political leaders of his day, as well as ordinary citizens, but he was still obedient to God, the Father. Similarly, living a stewardship lifestyle may cause you to be "rejected" by others, but we, too are called to be obedient. Saying grace before a meal in a restaurant may attract some strange looks from some. But to others it is a sign that God is alive and well!

Accessed on October 3, 2023 from [www.archstl.org/about-stewardship/bulletin-inserts/weekly-bible-reflections](http://www.archstl.org/about-stewardship/bulletin-inserts/weekly-bible-reflections)

### WORK, HEALTH, SAFETY

If you notice that something is broken, needs repairing or any other items that seem not quite right, it would be greatly appreciated if you could inform the office so that the job is done. This is to maintain a safe environment for all who attend.

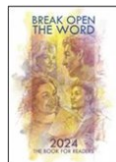
#### FAMILY OR GROUP REFLECTION ACTIVITY: MATTHEW 21:33-43

In an ideal household or any situation, people know the rules and follow them consistently. Even the most conscientious among us, however, sometimes needs to be reminded of the rules and their importance. How we respond to such correction may reveal our true character. In today's Gospel Jesus exposes the religious leaders for their failure to heed God's messengers. It is an opportunity for us to consider how we respond to those who are God's messengers today, calling us to correct our ways and return to the way of the Lord.

As you gather as a family or extended group, talk about some of the most important rules of your household (or school, community, sports club). Consider how consistently people follow these rules. How are people reminded when rules are not being followed? How do they respond? In today's Gospel Jesus corrects the religious leaders through a parable telling them that they have not heeded God's messengers. *Read Matthew 21:33-43.* What are some of God's rules that we must follow? How do we respond to God's messengers today? Pray that you will heed God's messengers and follow God's ways. You could pray the [Act of Contrition](#) for the times when God's word has not been heeded. Adapted from [loyolapress.com](http://loyolapress.com)

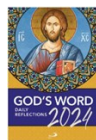
### BREAK OPEN THE WORD 2024

If you are a Reader/Leader and wish to purchase your own copy of Break Open the Word, please inform the office as orders are now open for 2024. The Readings start from the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent which is 3<sup>rd</sup> December. The price is \$25.



### GOD'S WORD 2024 DAILY REFLECTIONS

God's Word 2024 Daily Reflections are now available from the parish office. The Readings in this book start with the 1st January so you have a bit of time. The cost of this useful resource is \$10.



### MASS OF THE ANOINTING

There will be a Mass of the Anointing on Monday 9th October at 9:00am. After this Mass, there will also be a morning tea in the meeting room so please bring something light to share. The final Mass of the Anointing for this year will be Monday December 11.



### BENEDICTION & ADORATION

The next Benediction and Adoration will be Friday, November 3 and the final one for the year will be Friday, December 1.



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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.