



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-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 15.09.24 (Yr. B)

Parish Priest

Fr. Peter Gablonski

Parish Secretary

Leanne Cook

Chairperson - Pastoral Council

Cathy Peacock

Safeguarding Parish Representative

Leanne Cook

Isr.booval@bne.catholic.net.au

Chairperson - Finance Council

Neville Stagg

Children's Liturgy Coordinator

Janet Habermann

School Principals

Sacred Heart School - Mr Chris Thomas

St Peter Claver College - Mr Bruce McPhee

Outside School Hours Care Co-Ordinator

Naomi Steinhardt

Parish Office Information:

Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri: 8.30am - 1.30pm

Ph: 3282 1888

Email: booval@bne.catholic.net.au

Web: <http://www.boovalcatholicparish.org.au>

Weekday Mass (Cycle 2)

Monday 16 Sept. 9:00am Mass

Tuesday 17 Sept. No Mass

Wed 18 Sept. 5:30pm Rosary

6:00pm Mass

Thurs 19 Sept. 9:00am Mass

Friday 20 Sept. 9:00am Mass

Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Yr B)

Saturday 21 Sept. 4:00pm Reconciliation

Saturday 21 Sept. 5:00pm Mass—Booval

Sunday 22 Sept. 7:00am Mass—Riverview

9:00am Mass—Booval

Children's Liturgy

Sunday 22 Sept. 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 3 October**, at 6:30pm in the Sacred Heart Church.



Welcome to everyone participating in the celebration of the Eucharist this weekend, and to any newcomers with us.

May grace and peace be yours in full measure (1 Peter 1:2).

SUNDAY READINGS (Jerusalem Bible—JB):

Isaiah 50:5-9; Ps 114:1-6, 8-9; James 2:14-18; Mark 8:27-35

REFLECTION

There are several messianic traditions, each one characterising the anointed one of the future in a unique way. Do we expect a prophetic figure who will enter our world and reform the structures of society, or a strong leader who will overturn these structures and establish a new order? Are we waiting for a teacher who will transform our minds and hearts, or a judge who will punish us for our infidelities? Are we expecting someone who will renew the face of the earth, or someone who will come in fire and brimstone to destroy it? What kind of a messiah do we expect? For what kind of a change are we preparing ourselves?

Jesus seems to overturn our expectations. We look for one who will save us from the predicaments in which we find ourselves, and he comes to us as one who seems to be a victim of his own predicament. God's thinking seems to be the reverse of ours: Those who save their lives, lose them; those who lose their lives, save them; the seed must die before it can bear fruit; Jesus will be killed, but will then be raised from the dead.

Can we claim to understand Jesus? Or are we more like the people in James' community: people who profess faith in Jesus, but who do not live it out; people who speak pleasant words to others, who say the right things, but who do not back up their words with good works? Is our faith really living?

© Dianne Bergant CSA

QUESTIONS TO PONDER THIS WEEK

If someone asked you to tell them who Jesus is, what would you say?

Recall some names for Jesus. How do these names help you to think about Jesus?

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD:

CLOW

We heard in the gospel reading last Sunday how Jesus healed a deaf man and then discussed how amazing it must have been to be able to finally hear – especially to hear the voice of Jesus! Sometimes we can find it hard to listen to what our parents, teachers or even Jesus is saying to us - but it is important to try our best to hear and obey and set a good example.

We would like to introduce 2 new arrivals:

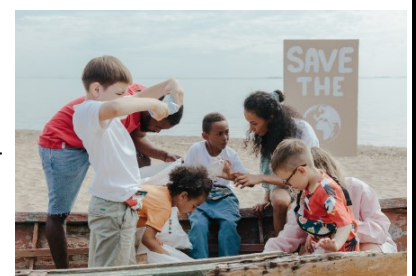
Abram

Tarvos



SEPTEMBER PRAYER INTENTIONS OF THE POPE

For the cry of the Earth: Let us pray that each of us listens with our hearts to the cry of the Earth and of the victims of environmental disasters and the climate crisis, making a personal commitment to care for the world we inhabit.



PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE RECENTLY DIED: Kevin Buchanan.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHOM WE REMEMBER: Neville Schostakowski, Mary Smith, Brian Larter, Arsenio, Isabel & Paquito Aribal, Romeo Francisco, Bernardo Buran, Lolita Amora, Ao Thi Nguyen, Maximino & Sally Gepitulan, Lyall Newsome, Gerard Flanagan, Geoffrey Frost, Sung Van Nguyen, Marie Noon, Bernard Graham, Denis & Nora Muir, Donna Gabriel, Bob Cole, Bill & Dorothy Walsh, Bernie Kinnane, Ken Adkins, Lorraine Murphy, Bob Massey, John & Mark Skippington, Geoffrey Crocker, Thomas & Margery Boyle, Ellie & Ossie 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, 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: Cathy Jorgensen, Margaret Vincent, Leesa Besgrove, Trish Watter, Delores Morgan (Derek Morgan's mother), Nev Harm, Kevin Murphy, Peggy Newton, Lynne Connors, Helena M. Siczek, Desmond Daly, Patrick Phipps-Ellis, Karen Cooper, Pauline & Graeme Peters, Patricia Eade, Rebecca Eade, Kathy & Graeme Smith, Kath King, Declan Simmonato, Lilian Morrison, Joana Ambrad-Isip, Desolie King, 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 : 15 September—21 September

Mervyn Kinnane, Joseph McHugh, Ambrose O'Sullivan, David Gough, Hubert Jones, Marie Pender, Earl Pommer, Betty Tewes, Jack James, Annie Lyons, Mary Murphy, David Samson, Irene Chandler, Ron Higgs, Iris Skinner, James Carroll, Mick Conway, Frances Elmore, Gwendeline Gough, James O'Dempsey, Leo Quinane, Andrew Crilly Snr, Ian Baddiley, Myrtle ,Hendy, Bob Kinman, Loraine Lynch, Elsie Baker, Lawrie Corley, Ernest Kane, Mary Killin, Peter Maczyszyn, Lorraine Murphy, Francis Ollenburg, Doreen Wallace.

Should you wish to make any changes to the above information, please inform the office.

Collection for week ending 08.09.2024 = \$1797.80

Booval Parish Diary Dates

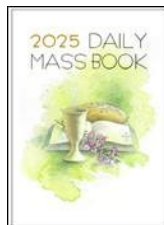
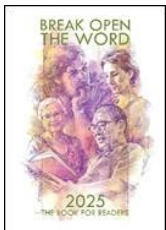
Tuesday	17 Sept.	9:30am	Craft Group
Thursday	19 Sept.	4:30pm	 SDVP
Friday	20 Sept.	10:00am	No Liturgy Meeting
Saturday	21 Sept.	7:00am	St Josephs Garden
Sunday	22 Sept.	After 7am Mass	 Divine Mercy Prayers: Riverview
Sunday	22 Sept.	9:00am	Children's Liturgy

2025 BOOKS

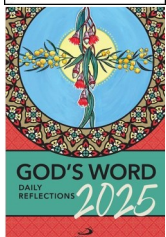
It is coming up very quickly to that time of year when we need to order next year's books. The office will not be ordering any extra resources to keep on hand so if you would like to order any of the following Mass resources, please let the office know as soon as possible. Both Break Open the Word 2025 (an **excellent resource** for Readers) and the Daily Mass Book 2025 start at Advent which commences on Sunday 1st December this year.

Break Open the Word
2025 @ \$26

Daily Mass Book 2025
@ \$26



Watch this space for availability.
This resource commences with the calendar year.
Please remember to get in early once these books arrive to ensure that you do not miss out as they are in high demand and once they run out, the office will not be able to obtain more copies.



CARE AND ASSIST MINISTRY

Each week, there are a few parishioners who visit the Aged Care Homes of which there are a few in the vicinity. They also visit people who no longer can attend services in the churches. The parishioners being visited now have been long-standing parishioners, many of these visited homebound people in the 1970s, 80s and 90s. The number of people to visit both in Aged Care Homes and homebound people is increasing. If you can assist by joining in a regular roster, please contact the Parish Office.



SACRED HEART SCHOOL NEWS

Great news for the school. Last week, some of the children participated in Wakakirri (a school Performing Arts Showcase) and the Sacred Heart School children won the State Award for "Best History Story". Congratulations!!!

Staying on school news, the fete on the weekend was also a huge success. As mentioned last week, a number of children also started the weekend of with receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation. Therefore it was a huge weekend for the school. I am sure both students and teachers are looking forward to the final lot of school holidays starting on Monday 16 September before the final school term.

Great work Sacred Heart School!!!

EXTRA SHORT NOTICES:

Adoration and Benediction—1st Friday of each month following the 9:00am Mass in the Sacred Heart church, Booval. All are welcome.

The next Sacred Heart School Mass will be Sunday 9:00am October 13 at Sacred Heart Church, Booval. Again, all are welcome to come and celebrate in this Mass with the children.

Planned Giving—Thank you for your continued generosity and support to Booval Parish. The new Donation Point is located just inside the front doors of the Sacred Heart Church. With this device, you may choose \$5, \$10, \$20 or other amount by using your card. Alternatively, if you wish to make use of Direct Debit, please contact the office.

Multicultural Mass — will be on Sunday 27 October. Watch this space for more information on this special event.



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.