



# BOOVAL CATHOLIC PARISH



† Sacred Heart Church, 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

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### Weekly Diary

#### Monday 2nd August

9.00am Mass of Anointing

#### Tuesday 3rd August

NO Mass

#### Wednesday 4th August

5.30pm Rosary

6.00pm Mass

#### Thursday 5th August

9.00am Mass

#### Friday 6th August

9.00am Mass

#### Saturday 7th August

5.00pm Mass

#### Sunday 8th August

St Mary of the Cross

6.30am Rosary - Riverview

7.00am Mass - Riverview

9.00am Mass - Booval

5.00pm Mass - Booval

**Marriages** by appointment - at least six months notice is required.

**Baptisms** by appointment.

## Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - YEAR B 1st August, 2021



### REFLECTION

In many ways the Exodus story of the bread from heaven is very similar to last Sunday's accounts. However, the focus today is not divine prodigality shown through the overabundance of food, but total dependence on God. The bread comes from heaven, not merely because the food seems to come down from the sky, but because it comes from God. The restriction about collecting it was meant to emphasise this point. Our survival is in God's hands, not ours.

Jesus insists that he is the true bread from heaven; he is the real basis of our survival. The people followed him because they saw him as a source of bread; they did not realise that he is really the source of life. If we fill ourselves with all that the world provides as nourishment we will still hunger. Only faith in Jesus can satisfy our deepest hungers, and we will not be able to survive apart from him.

Acceptance of Jesus as the source of our life and the very nourishment of our spirits effects a total transformation in us. We will no longer be content to live with full bellies but empty minds. We will put aside our old selves steeped in ignorance and self-interest and put on a new self, created in his image. Having fed on the bread from heaven, we will be mysteriously transformed into it. The spirit of our minds will be renewed by his teaching. As a result, we will be able to launch out into a way of living that witnesses to our new understanding, our new life.

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**ANOINTING MASS this  
Monday 2nd August at 9.00am**

**REMINDER: SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION** Children who are of grade 3 age or over and have been baptised are eligible to enrol for the Sacrament of Confirmation. A parent information evening will be held in the church at **6.30pm on THIS Tuesday 3rd August, 2021** about the preparation process. It is essential that parents wishing to enrol their children attend this information evening.



## DIARY DATES

Tuesday	3 August	9.30am	Craft Group
Wednesday	4 August	7.00pm	Pastoral Council meeting

**DATE CLAIMER: DAY AT MARIAN VALLEY** - Leaving Sacred Heart at 8am Saturday 14th August. 10.00am Adoration & Rosary, 11.00am Mass, 12pm Eucharistic Procession, 1pm Lunch BYO. Returning approx. 5pm. Private transport - some carpooling will be available for those who don't wish to drive. Please let us know by indicating on the sheet in the foyer of the Church as to whether you will be driving and the number of passengers you are able to take with you.



1-8 AUGUST 21 **LIVE YOUR VOCATION**

### Position Vacant – Booval Parish

Applications are open for a position at the Booval Parish. A person with excellent administration and secretarial skills is required for a part time 3-year contract position of Parish Secretary for 20 hours per week, 5 hours on a Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday.

For additional information, please visit the Archdiocese of Brisbane website- <https://clientapps.jobadder.com/68451/aob-internal-career-opportunities/333164/parish-secretary-booval>

Closing date – 19 August 2021

**The Archdiocese of Brisbane has standards of conduct for workers to maintain a safe and healthy environment for children. Our commitment to these standards requires that we conduct working with children checks and background referencing for all persons who will engage in direct and regular involvement with children and young people (0 - 18 years) and/or vulnerable adults. The organisation is fully committed to child safety and has a 0 tolerance to abuse of children or vulnerable adults.**

**BOOVAL/RIVERVIEW FAMILY GROUPS** would like to thank all those who generously supported our stall and raffle in any way last weekend. To date the total amount raised so far is \$847.00 which will go towards sending children on the Passionist Youth Camp. The winners of the raffle are -



**1st Mrs Pleash, 2nd Anne Malone, 3rd Vince Toohill**

**CARDS - Hoy & Euchre:** This Wednesday 4th August commencing at 10.00am in the Parish Centre. All welcome.

**CANCELLED** -The Peter Kearney Concert-Reflection advertised to take place on Friday 6th August has been cancelled due to the QLD/NSW border closure.

### The Catholic Leader August 2021



- Ipswich mayor Teresa Harding finds space to pray in her office
- Queensland nurses speak out against VAD
- Celebrating Catholic Education Week in July
- Queensland's newest priests race lockdown clock to be ordained
- Brisbane doctoral student opens up Catechism in new podcast
- Toowoomba family watch as daughter makes first vows in New York

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**The Blackstone-Ipswich Cambrian Choir** invites you to "A Lovely Day for A Wedding" Theatre Restaurant featuring music from the shows of Rodgers & Hammerstein. **28 & 29 August, 3,4,10,11 September.** Bookings essential - cambrianchoir.org.au or 0410 310 846

### Fan the Flame

Towards Plenary Assembly One October 2021

**'I am the bread of life.**

**He who comes to me will never be hungry; he who believes in me will never thirst.'**

Matthew 28:16-20

The ethical and missionary implications of the Eucharist for the Church's communion of faith will always be incomplete while the poor go hungry, for "we cannot properly receive the Bread of Life without sharing bread for life with those in want".

(Pedro Arrupe, "Address prior to Eucharistic Congress 1976", The Portal to Jesuit Studies, accessed 23 April 2021, [https://jesuit.portal.bc.edu/research/documents/1976\\_arrupeucharist/](https://jesuit.portal.bc.edu/research/documents/1976_arrupeucharist/))

[www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au/fantheblade/](http://www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au/fantheblade/)

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.

They are to be treasured, nurtured and safeguarded by all.

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We respectfully acknowledge the Jagera, Yuggera and Ugarapul people, as the traditional owners and caretakers of the land which is the Booval Catholic Parish. We acknowledge the Elders, past and present. May we, too, be good stewards of this land.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE RECENTLY DIED:** Jacqueline Diaz (Melanie's daughter).



**PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHOM WE REMEMBER:** Soundar Rajan, Margaret Kane, Monica Missingham, 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 Kane, Mike Cody, Helen Cody, Roy Folan, Alfred & Stella Grech, Moira Murphy, Melinda & Arthur Murphy, Bernice & Clement Goan, Arthur, Brian & Dane Bracey, Grahame Coultas.

**LET US PRAY** for those who are sick or recovering from surgery: Kath King, Lynne Connors, Elenor Tedenborg, Declan Simmonato, Marie Noon, Irina Coady, Rebecca Smith, Fr John Scarrott, Grace Thompson, Lilian Morrison, Joana Ambrad-Isip, Rod Perry (brother of Joan Jones), Josephine Smith, Desolie King, Graeme Peters, Trish Rowlands, Rae Clark, 2 Special Intentions, Kath Cole, Eileen Adkins, Erin, Benjamin Palmer (Chris' Garton's Grandson), Hannah Smith, Julia Telford, Karen Purdie.

**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.**

(Please contact us when you feel that it is appropriate to remove the name of your friend or loved one from our Parish Prayer List)

**BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE ANNIVERSARIES**      1 August - 7 August

Daisy Brown, Josephine Keenan, Vera & Phonse Tobin, Oscar Cipa, May Harris, Maud Hayes, Bridget Kelly, Colin Roberts, Wilhelm Rohl, Mark Wolff, Marie Faint, Patrick Loye, Patricia Luca, Eddie Mitchell, Ferdinand Ollenburg, Sue Armit, Margaret Caruana, Vincent Coman, Vince Larter, Petra Pontarollo, Meryl Savage, John (Jack) Smith, James Doolan, Johannah Hardy, Gladys Hawkins, Peter Henry, Beaty Kelly, Veronica Roberts, Michael Baker, Veronica Brinkley, Patricia Harmey, Sheila McMullen, George Moylan, Patricia Reilly, Thomas Sedgewick, Trish Taylor.

**NEXT WEEK'S LITURGY - GROUP 2**

**YEAR B - St Mary of the Cross**

**1st Reading: 1 Kg 17:8-16      2nd Reading: Col 3:12-17      Gospel: 6:25-34**

7/8 August	5.00pm Vigil	7.00am - Riverview	9.00am	5.00pm
<b>READERS</b>	Katherine Toohill Ryan Prenzler James Prenzler	Stellina Manutai Lucky Lakha Misi So'onalote	Angela Ryan Anne Ryan Patricia Hogan	Karen Sotiriadis Kate Sotiriadis _____
<b>CHURCH CLEANING</b>	Dulunaqio Family			

**SENIOR WORDSEARCH**

The Lord sent them bread from heaven

Ex 16:2-4, 12-15  
Ps 78:3 & 4cdef, 23-24, 25 & 54ab, R, v.24b  
Jn 6:24-29

S T I V B I R D S U K U Z A A E  
 E H R X J P I Q Y N K W D W X N  
 S B R E A D O B R Z M X V Q K J  
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 M S E L P I C S I D B H U W T R  
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 L I I X I F S B O E U S R C U F  
 D D N M E U E S A R V V I C U K  
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 A F A A K I J J W U T R O C L C  
 A J X N M E P P U M T V R X K V  
 P I M T M D S T A O B E S Z D L

Try to find these words:

- birds
- boats
- bread
- Capernaum
- disciples
- faith
- food
- life
- Moses
- Rabbi
- rain
- starve

# Liturgical Music for the Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

## PROCESSIONAL HYMN

### Gather Us In

Here in this place new light is streaming,  
Now is the darkness vanished away,  
See in this space our fears and  
our dreaming,  
Brought here to you in the light of this day.  
Gather us in the lost and forsaken,  
Gather us in the blind and the lame;  
Call to us now, and we shall awaken,  
We shall arise at the sound of our name.

We are the young, our lives are a myst'ry,  
We are the old who yearn for your face,  
We have been sung throughout all  
of hist'ry,  
Called to be light to the whole human race.  
Gather us in the rich and the haughty,  
Gather us in the proud and the strong;  
Give us a heart so meek and so lowly,  
Give us the courage to enter the song.

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## GLORIA [Sung]

Glory to God in the highest,  
and on earth peace to people of good will.  
We praise you,  
we bless you,  
we adore you,  
we glorify you,  
we give you thanks for your great glory,  
Lord God, heavenly King,  
O God, almighty Father.  
Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,  
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,  
you take away the sins of the world,  
have mercy on us;  
you take away the sins of the world,  
receive our prayer;  
you are seated at the right hand of the  
Father,  
have mercy on us.  
For you alone are the Holy One,  
you alone are the Lord,  
you alone are the Most High,  
Jesus Christ,  
with the Holy Spirit,  
in the glory of God the Father.  
Amen.

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## PSALM RESPONSE Psalm 77

**The Lord gave his people  
bread from heaven.**

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## GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

**Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

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## NICENE CREED

I believe in one God,  
the Father almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all things visible and invisible.  
I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,  
the Only Begotten Son of God,  
born of the Father before all ages.  
God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made, consubstantial with  
the Father;  
through him all things were made.  
For us men and for our salvation  
he came down from heaven,  
and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the  
Virgin Mary, and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under  
Pontius Pilate,  
he suffered death and was buried,  
and rose again on the third day  
in accordance with the Scriptures.  
He ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand  
of the Father.  
He will come again in glory  
to judge the living and the dead  
and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord,  
the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,  
who with the Father and the Son is adored  
and glorified,  
who has spoken through the prophets.  
I believe in one, holy, catholic and  
apostolic Church.  
I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of  
sins and I look forward to the  
resurrection of the dead  
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

## OFFERTORY

### Quiet Music

## HOLY, HOLY [Sung]

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## ACCLAMATION [Sung]

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup,  
we proclaim your Death, O lord,  
until you come again.

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## AMEN [Sung]

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## LORD'S PRAYER [Sung]

## LAMB OF GOD [Sung]

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## COMMUNION

### Lord To Whom Shall We Go

**Lord to whom shall we go?  
You are our Bread, broken and shared.  
Lord to whom shall we go?  
Yours are the words of life.**

The manna we ate,  
yet our hunger remained;  
Our hearts were not satisfied.

O Lord, you feed us  
with the finest of wheat,  
our pledge of eternal life.

The bread you give  
is the living bread,  
your flesh for the life of the world.

Your word, O Lord,  
is a lamp for my steps;  
A light for my path of life.

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## RECESSIONAL

### A New Heart for a New World

**Create a new heart, Holy Lord.  
Beckon our lives through Your word.  
Open our eyes to Your call,  
United as one for Your world.  
Heighten our minds to Your thoughts,  
Heal us of pride and of hurt.  
May we go forth in your name.  
We pray our hearts change.**

The heart of the cross, lowly and poor,  
calls us on.

Lord, it is you promising hope,  
promising truth.

Restless, the hearts who yearn  
for your peace in this land.  
Deepen the dream:  
justice brings life,  
justice redeems.

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