

Embracing the communities of:

St Mary's South Brisbane, St Francis of Assisi West End. St Ita's Dutton Park and Our Lady of Perpetual Succour Fairfield



The community of St Mary's Catholic Parish and Dutton Park Catholic Parish acknowledge the traditional custodians of the land on which our parishes stand.

5th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME 4 February 2024 - Year B

Hello everyone,

My name is William Aupito Iuliano (OW-PEE-TOH/ YOU-LEE-ARNO). I'm so happy to meet you. I was born in New Zealand, Auckland and moved to Victoria when I was three years old. After high school in the South East Suburbs of Melbourne, I left Vitoria to join NET (National Evangelisation Teams) Ministries who operate out of Brisbane. I completed my first year of NET on the Tablelands in Herberton and then completed my second year of NET in Innisfail.

After a period of discernment at Canali House in 2014, I entered Holy Spirit Seminary for the Diocese of Brisbane in 2015. The seminary was a meaningful time of formation where I learnt a lot about myself and what it means to be a priest for Christ and for the Church.

I was later ordained a Deacon in 2020 and began my ministry in Gympie. The following year in 2021, just before a snap-lockdown in Brisbane, I was ordained with three other men. Our ordination was due to begin at 6pm but it was then moved to 3pm so that everyone could get away in time.

My time in Gympie was short, but I came to really appreciate the ministry of a priest in that period, especially the relationships priests form along the way.

In 2022 I was asked to move to Maroochydore which was a surprise for me at the time, but a sign to me that my life was not my own. I spent a year and six months in Maroochydore enjoying the Sunshine Coast and beach/city-life atmosphere. I thought I was going to be there for three years, but it turns out there were other plans in the mix.

I'm now here and I'm looking forward to how God will work in all of us to bring about new life in our Church. So, let's journey together and discover the plans God has in store for us.

Peace and Blessing, Fr William

ST FRANCIS' MONTHLY MORNING TEA



Please join us to our monthly morning tea this Sunday after 9am Mass, in the Parish Hall.

> All welcome! A plate to share would be most welcome.



ASH WEDNESDAY MASSES 14 February 2024

St Mary's Church: 7 am St Francis of Assisi Church: 6 pm

Welcome to New Parishioners

Please make yourselves known to our Priests and to the parishioners who greet you as you arrive. For more information about our parish or how to volunteer in the Church ministry or our activities, please contact the Parish Office below.

MASS TIMES

St Mary's (20 Merivale St, South Brisbane)

- Mon-Fri: 7am | Sat: 8am (Rosary after Mass)
- Sunday: 9am and 5pm

St Francis of Assisi (47 Dornoch Tce, West End)

Sunday: 9am

St Ita's (Pope St, Dutton Park)

- Saturday (Vigil): 5pm
- Sunday: 10.30am (Indonesian)

Our Lady of Perpetual Succour (68 Victoria St, Fairfield)

Sunday: 7am

CONFESSION

St Mary's: Sat: 8.30am-9am | Sun: 4.15-4.45pm

By appointment (contact parish office)

More information:

Websites: - www.southbrisbanestmarys.org.au

- www.duttonparkcatholic.org.au

FB: - www.facebook.com/stmaryssouthbrisbane/ www.fb.me/duttonparkwestendcatholicparish

PARISH ADMINISTRATION

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- Pastoral Coordinator: Sr. Salvation Bunao SFI
- Parish Secretary: Niken Westerman
- Finance Officer: Kevin Bhasin

Safeguarding Officers:

- St Mary's Church: Chris Bolger (0407 480 205)
- St Francis of Assisi: Liam Cunnane (0477 306 166)
- St Ita's Church: Liam O'Rourke (0411 033 321)
- OLPS Church: Paul Hogan (0418 742 760)

ST ITAS'S PRIMARY SCHOOL

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READINGS AT MASS

First reading: Job 7:1-4,6-7

Job began to speak:

Is not man's life on earth nothing more than pressed service

his time no better than hired drudgery?
Like the slave, sighing for the shade,
or the workman with no thought but his wages,
months of delusion I have assigned to me,
nothing for my own but nights of grief.
Lying in bed I wonder, 'When will it be day?'
Risen I think, 'How slowly evening comes!'
Restlessly I fret till twilight falls.
Swifter than a weaver's shuttle my days have
passed,
and vanished, leaving no hope behind.
Remember that my life is but a breath

and vanished, leaving no hope behind. Remember that my life is but a breath, and that my eyes will never again see joy.

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 146(147):1-6

R: Praise the Lord, who heals the broken-hearted.

Praise the Lord for he is good; sing to our God for he is loving: to him our praise is due. **R/**

The Lord builds up Jerusalem and brings back Israel's exiles, he heals the broken-hearted, he binds up all their wounds. He fixes the number of the stars; he calls each one by its name. **R/**

Our Lord is great and almighty; his wisdom can never be measured. The Lord raises the lowly; he humbles the wicked to the dust. **R/**

Second reading: 1 Corinthians 9:16-19,22-23

I do not boast of preaching the gospel, since it is a duty which has been laid on me; I should be punished if I did not preach it! If I had chosen this work myself, I might have been paid for it, but as I have not, it is a responsibility which has been put into my hands. Do you know what my reward is? It is this: in my preaching, to be able to offer the Good News free, and not insist on the rights which the gospel gives me.

So though I am not a slave of any man I have made myself the slave of everyone so as to win as many as I could. For the weak I made myself weak: I made myself all things to all men in order to save some at any cost; and I still do this, for the sake of the gospel, to have a share in its blessings.

Gospel Acclamation: Matthew 8:17

Alleluia, alleluia! He bore our sickness, and endured our suffering. Alleluia!

Gospel: Mark 1:29-39

On leaving the synagogue, Jesus went with James and John straight to the house of Simon and Andrew. Now Simon's mother-in-law had gone to bed with fever, and they told him about her straightaway. He went to her, took her by the hand and helped her up. And the fever left her and she began to wait on them.

That evening, after sunset, they brought to him all who were sick and those who were possessed by devils. The whole town came crowding round the door, and he cured many who were suffering from diseases of one kind or another; he also cast out many devils, but he would not allow them to speak, because they knew who he was.

In the morning, long before dawn, he got up and left the house, and went off to a lonely place and prayed there. Simon and his companions set out in search of him, and when they found him they said, 'Everybody is looking for you.' He answered, 'Let us go elsewhere, to the neighbouring country towns, so that I can preach there too, because that is why I came.' And he went all through Galilee, preaching in their synagogues and casting out devils.

Communion Antiphon:

Cf. Ps 106: 8-9

Let them thank the Lord for his mercy, his wonders for the children of men, for he satisfies the thirsty soul, and the hungry he fills with good things.

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THIS WEEK'S Psalm Responses

Monday 5th: Memorial (St Agatha) Lord, go up to the place of your rest!

Tuesday 6th: Memorial (St Paul Miki & companions) How lovely is your dwelling-place, Lord, mighty God!

Wednesday 7th:

The mouths of the just murmur wisdom.

Thursday 8th:

Lord, remember us, for the love you bear your people.

Friday 9th:

I am the Lord, your God: hear my voice.

Saturday 10th: Memorial (St Scholastica)

Lord, remember us, for the love you bear your people.

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st reading: Leviticus 13:1-2,44-46
2nd reading: 1 Corinthians 10:31-11:1

Gospel: Mark 1:40-45

HOLY COMMUNION FOR THE SICK

If you know anyone who is homebound and wishes to receive Holy Communion at their home, please contact the Parish Office (details at the back page).

MASS INTENTION

If you wish to have a mass intention for your departed loved ones, please use the envelope provided at the foyer of the Churches.

Please print the names for whom the mass is intended clearly with the specific date of the mass, and hand it in to the Priest/Church Coordinator.

FAREWELL AND THANK YOU TO THE CAPUCHIN FRIARS AND FR JOSHY





Top row:

Fr Fernanto Panangadan, Parish Priest
Fr James Grant
Fr Pio Hendi (Chaplain, *Indonesian Catholic Family*)
Bishop Joseph Oudeman
Fr Dean Mathieson
Fr Henry Paul

2nd row:

Fr Lam Vu, Parish Priest Fr John Nguyen, Assistant Parish Priest Fr Martinus Situmorang (Chaplain, *Indonesian Catholic Family*) Fr Bollar Barretto, Assistant Parish Priest

3rd row:

Fr Luan Le Fr Shinto Poulose

Fr Joshy Parappully, Parish Priest



The majority of Capuchin Friars also assisted with convening the Capuchin Friars Coffee & Chat Ministry outside St Mary's for a number of years until COVID arrived in March 2020. Assisted by Sr Salvacion and volunteers the Capuchins served coffee, sandwiches etc to the disadvantaged and homeless providing a safe environment for them to relax and have a conversation with a Friar.

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE 2024 For children in year 5 or older ENROLMENT IS NOW OPEN!

If you would like to enroll your child to join our sacramental program, please complete this enrolment forms and return to the Parish Office by Monday, 5 February 2024.

Information Evening Wednesday, 7 February 2024 - 6pm St Ita's Church Dutton Park

You could also download the forms from our websites: www.southbrisbanestmarys.org.au or www.duttonparkcatholic.org.au





MESSAGE OF GRATITUDE FROM ST ITA'S COMMUNITY

"On behalf of St Ita's School and Parish, we warmly wish Father Joshy and the Capuchin Friars farewell. We are grateful for Father Joshy's priestly ministry and his service these last four years at St Ita's. We are especially thankful for the calmness and diligence shown when guiding our faith community through the difficult COVID years.

Father Joshy and the Capuchin ministry have been integral in linking the School and Parish on the early steps of our children's faith journey.

We wish God's blessing on Father Joshy and the Capuchin Friars our convey deepest appreciation for all you have done in the service of God at St Ita's School and Parish."

Liam O'Rourke



ST MARY'S LUNAR NEW YEAR MASS Sunday, 11 February

You are invited to join in celebrating Lunar New Year on Sunday, 11 February at St Mary's 9 am and 5 pm Masses.

All are encouraged to wear traditional dress or The colour red.

Please bring a plate of food to share for morning tea or supper following the Masses.

SAINT

VALENTINE'S

MARY IMMACULATE CATHOLIC CHURCH HALL

In honour of Saint Valentine's feast day and his uncompromising teachings on love, please join us for an old-fashioned social dance to raise funds for the pro-life charity Pregnancy Crisis Incorporated.

\$35pp includes a glass of wine upon arrival, \$20pp for ages 10-17, and ages 0-9 are complimentary.

All ages; youth and young adults, families, and seniors are most welcome.

Please see this booking link for further information, such as dress theme:

https://www.trybooking.com/COEVT

Xavier School of Mission

mission the key to a synodal Church?

"Go and make disciples of all nations" Matthew 28:19

The Xavier School of Mission will ask: How do we listen to all the voices in the body of Christ? How do we have respectful conversations with people with diverse opinions? How do we understand our own 'call to mission' and that of other people and groups? How can looking outward help us to face the challenges we face within our groups and communities?

This formation experience will include prayer and reflection, lectures and small group experiences, daily Eucharist, and opportunities for one-to-one mentoring.

Sunday 9 - Friday 14 June 2024

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PARISH ACTIVITIES 2023

BAPTISMS

2nd Saturday of the Month - 9.30am: St Mary's (Booking is essential.)

PRAYER & ADORATION

• Tuesday 6.30pm: St Mary's Church • Sunday 4pm: St Mary's Church

PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Saturdays after 8am Mass until Sundays 8.30am

ANOINTING OF THE SICK MASS

• 1st Friday - 7am: St Mary's Church 1st Saturday - 5pm: St Ita's Church 1st Sunday - 7am: OLPS Fairfield

CHILDREN'S LITURGY (School Term Only)

• Saturday - 5.00pm: St Ita's Church (Vigil Mass)

• Sunday - 9.00am: St Mary's Church

FAMILY MASS (School term only) • 4th Saturday - 5pm: St Ita's Church

ST FRANCIS TABLE - Ministry to the Elderly

1st and 3rd Monday: 9am -1pm

St Francis Hall, 47 Dornoch Tce, West End

PLANNED GIVING PROGRAM

Please consider giving to our planned giving program.

Your continued support for our Parishes is appreciated. If you'd like to use direct debit please complete the form below and return to the Parish Office.

- St Mary's Parish Direct Debit Request Form
- **Dutton Park Parish Direct Debit Request Form**

Other ways of giving direct internet transfer:

St Mary's Parish South Brisbane

BSB: 064-786

Acc No: 100 009 890

Ref: Your Last Name and Collections

Dutton Park Parish:

BSB: 064-786

Acc No: 100 022 825

Ref: Last Name and Collections

We also have Tap n Go see Church Coordinator at Mass.

SAFEGUARDING

St Mary's Catholic Parish and Dutton Park Catholic Parish have zero tolerance for all forms of abuse and are committed to safeguarding everyone involved in their activities, ministries and services. The safety and wellbeing of children and adults-at-risk is paramount.



To make an anonymous report call 1300 304 550. For more information visit brisbanecatholic.org.au/safeguarding