

Good Shepherd Parish South Brisbane West End Newsletter

12th Sunday in Ordinary Time
21st June 2026



Do not fear those who can kill the body.

Grace and peace to all,
Thank you again to those who have contributed to our Mass Times
Suggestions.

A few people have requested more data about my role with Emmanuel
Community and financial/attendance aspects of this decision.

Some of you know that I am Chaplain to Emmanuel Community. A third of my
time in the week is dedicated to them. Every Sunday I celebrate a Mass at
Emmanuel City Mission for the community at 10:30am, South Brisbane. This will
finish around 1pm. I then have 2 hours or so before I return for the 4pm
Reconciliation and Mass at St Mary's, 5pm.

Regarding the financial situation of the Parish, the most attendance and the
most financial contributions come from our largest communities - St Francis
and St Mary's.

The Archbishop has been adamant that priests begin to follow the Canon Law
on Mass celebrations. It states Canon 905 §1, "A priest is not permitted to
celebrate the Eucharist more than once a day except in cases where the law
permits him to celebrate or concelebrate more than once on the same day."
Paragraph 2 of the same canon expands on the possible exceptions: "If there is
a shortage of priests, the local ordinary can allow priests to celebrate twice a
day for a just cause, or if pastoral necessity requires it, even three times on
Sundays and holy days of obligation." This introduces the very real possibility of
having 3 Masses a weekend which is a new element to consider.

Having gathered all the data, we now come to vote on the suggestions. Allow
me a moment to layout the process.

We will allow for voting on a suggested model until the **19th of July**. The result
of this vote **will not** be the final decision. The outcome of the vote will then
inform a collaborated and organised discussion by the Parish Pastoral Council
who will meet on the **21st of July**. The decision will be made at this meeting.
An announcement then of the final decision will happen on the **26th of July**.

We will then open a space for discussions and clarity on the **28th of July, 4th of
August** and the **11th of August, 6pm** at St Francis Hall.

If you cannot make one of the nights, hopefully you'll be able to make another
night. You are free to email the Parish Office with your input at any time along
the way.

We will then look to begin the new Mass schedule by the **6th of September**.

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Welcome to new Parishioners

We welcome any new Parishioners
among us. Take the time to meet with
our priests and get connected to the
broader community.



Embracing the communities of:
St Mary's, South Brisbane,
St Francis of Assisi, West End
St Ita's, Dutton Park
Our Lady of Perpetual Succour, Fairfield

Readings at Mass

12th Sunday in Ordinary Time
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First Reading

Jeremiah 20:10-13

Jeremiah said:

I hear so many disparaging me,
"Terror from every side!"

Denounce him! Let us denounce him!

All those who used to be my friends
watched for my downfall,
'Perhaps he will be seduced into error.
Then we will master him and take our
revenge!'

But the Lord is at my side, a mighty hero;
my opponents will stumble, mastered,
confounded by their failure;
everlasting, unforgettable disgrace will be
theirs. But you, O Lord of Hosts, you who
probe with justice, who scrutinise the loins
and heart, let me see the vengeance you
will take on them, for I have committed my
cause to you. Sing to the Lord, praise the
Lord, for he has delivered the soul of the
needy from the hands of evil men.

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 68(69): 8-10, 14, 17, 33-35

R/Lord, in your great love, answer me.

It is for you that I suffer taunts,
that shame covers my face,
that I have become a stranger to my
brothers, an alien to my own mother's
sons.

I burn with zeal for your house
and taunts against you fall on me. **R/**

This is my prayer to you,
my prayer for your favour.
In your great love, answer me, O God,
with your help that never fails:
Lord, answer, for your love is kind;
in your compassion, turn towards me. **R/**

The poor when they see it will be glad
and God-seeking hearts will revive;
for the Lord listens to the needy
and does not spurn his servants in their
chains.

Let the heavens and the earth give him
praise, the sea and all its living creatures.
R/

Second Reading

Romans 5:12-15

Sin entered the world through one man,
and through sin death, and thus death has
spread through the whole

human race because everyone has sinned.
Sin existed in the world long before the
Law was given. There was no law and so no
one could be accused of the sin of 'law-
breaking', yet death reigned over all from
Adam to Moses, even though their sin,
unlike that of Adam, was not a matter of
breaking a law.

Adam prefigured the One to come, but the
gift itself considerably outweighed the fall.
If it is certain that through one man's fall
so many died, it is even more certain that
divine grace, coming through the one
man, Jesus Christ, came to so many as an
abundant free gift.

Gospel Acclamation

John 15: 26, 27

Alleluia, alleluia!

The Spirit of truth will bear witness to me,
says the Lord,
and you also will be my witnesses.
Alleluia.

Gospel

Matthew 10: 26-33

Jesus instructed the Twelve as follows: 'Do
not be afraid. For everything that is now
covered will be uncovered, and everything
now hidden will be made clear. What I say to
you in the dark, tell in the daylight; what you
hear in whispers, proclaim from the
housetops.

'Do not be afraid of those who kill the body
but cannot kill the soul; fear him rather who
can destroy both body and soul in hell. Can
you not buy two sparrows for a penny? And
yet not one falls to the ground without your
Father knowing. Why, every hair on your
head has been counted. So there is no need
to be afraid; you are worth more than
hundreds of sparrows.

'So if anyone declares himself for me in the
presence of men, I will declare myself for him
in the presence of my Father in heaven. But
the one who disowns me in the presence of
men, I will disown in the presence of my
Father in heaven.'

Next Sunday Readings:

2 Kgs 4: 8-11, 13-16

Ps 88(89): 2-3, 16-19

Rom 6:3-4, 8-11

Mt 10:37-42.



Upcoming Events & News

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These are the current models...

One Mass Per Church Model

Saturday 5pm, St Ita's

Sunday 7am, OLPS

Sunday 9am, St Francis

Sunday 5pm, St Mary's

-This one is highly interchangeable, but the basis of this model was that each place had a Mass time over the weekend.

Most attendees Model

Saturday 5pm, St Ita's

Sunday 8am, St Mary's

Sunday 9:15am, St Francis

Sunday 5pm, St Mary's

-Although Mass attendance is difficult to judge, this model considers where the most people attend, and it also considers the expansion of St Ita's and the school connection over OLPS.

Less Masses for Priest Model

Saturday 5pm, St Mary's

Sunday 9am, St Francis

Sunday 5pm, St Mary's

-Fr Will also celebrates Mass at 10:30am on Sundays at Emmanuel City Mission, South Brisbane. It is not technically part of the Parish schedule but is a weekly occurrence due to his role as Chaplain to Emmanuel. This will be a model that reduces the Mass schedule for the priest.

Any other suggestion

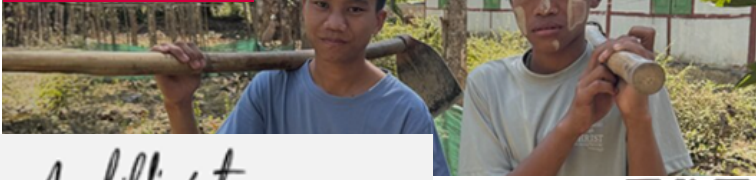
-Having seen what has been collated, we would like to extend another opportunity to make another suggestion. Please make sure you put down at least three Mass times with the name of the Church. We had too many people emailing, on Mass time and it wasn't clear what Church they were considering.

Friends, the rubber has hit the road. We are on this journey. Let us continue to hold each other in charity and generosity. Come Holy Spirit!



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Fr William

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can grow from this soil*

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having you as part
of our flock

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via email **COMING SOON**




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**St Francis Table is joining Australia's biggest
Morning Tea for the Cancer Council on
Monday, 22nd June at 9:00 am
47 Dornoch Tce., West End
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ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI SVDP CONFERENCE



'Serving Christ in the Poor' in
the suburbs of West End,
South Brisbane, Highgate
Hill, Dutton Park & Fairfield



The St Vincent de Paul Society QLD's 2026 Winter Appeal

is taking place until the end of June. The theme for this year's Appeal is 'Homelessness is Just One Sudden Crisis Away'. Vulnerable people are being pushed into homelessness and poverty – all it takes is one sudden crisis. This winter, you can help people experiencing or at risk of homelessness get the help they need. Donation envelopes are available to support our Conference. Donations can also be made via bank transfer or the QR Code to: Account/Conference Name: St Francis West End BSB: 064-786 Account Number: 100026566. If making a bank transfer, you may receive a verification warning. It is OK to proceed if you confirm the BSB and Account Number. All donations over \$2 are tax deductible. Between January and May this year we received 286 requests for visits from people and families. Altogether we provided 303 Coles cards for food and 124 Vinnies cards for clothing from Vinnies shops. The total assistance provided was worth \$23,000. This included \$15,000 for food, \$2,000 for rent, \$1,300 for electricity bills and \$2,800 for school expenses. Your continuing prayerful support is also greatly appreciated. "Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers & sisters of mine, you did for me (Matthew 25:40)."

Annointing of the Sick Mass



St Mary's- 1st Friday of the month:
St Francis & Fairfield - 1st Sunday of the month
St Ita's - 1st Saturday of the month

Community News

A few notes:

Archdiocese of Brisbane

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Sunday Mass

Walking Together in Christ:
A Celebration of Faith and Culture

Sunday 5 July 2026
9:45am at the Cathedral of St Stephen

Marking 40 years of Pope St John Paul II's visit
and 50 years of NAIDOC

Followed by a celebration of culture, community and faith in the Hanly Room

Archdiocesan MINISTRIES NAIDOC WEEK 50 YEARS NAIDOC 1971-2021 RECONCILIATION ACTION PLAN Murri MINISTRY The Archdiocese of Brisbane

This event has been made possible by funding from the National Indigenous Australians Agency.



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Mass Times

ST MARY'S**20 Merivale St, South Brisbane**

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

ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI**47 Dornoch Tce, West End**

- Sun: 9am

ST ITA'S**247 Gladstone Rd, Dutton Park**

- Sat(Vigil): 5pm
- Sun: 9:30am (Indonesian)

OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL SUCCOUR**72 Victoria St Fairfield**

- Sun: 7am

CONFESSIONS**St Mary's**

Fri: 7:30-8am | Sat 8:30am-9am

Sun: 4:15pm-4:45pm

PARISH ACTIVITIES**BAPTISMS**

- Sat: 10am

Booking is essential

Contact Parish Office 07 3324 3736

PRAYER & ADORATION

- Tue: 6:30pm - St Mary's Church
- Sun: 4pm - St Mary's Church

PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

- Sat: after 8am Mass until Sundays 8:30am

ANOINTING OF THE SICK MASS

- 1st Fri - 7am - St Mary's Church
- 1st Sat - 5pm - St Ita's Church
- 1st Sun - 7am - OLPS Fairfield

CHILDREN'S LITURGY (SCHOOL TERM ONLY)

- Sun: 9am - St Mary's Church

ST FRANCIS TABLE - MINISTRY TO THE ELDERLY

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

Have you considered Planned Giving?

Many parishioners use Direct Debit for 'Planned Giving' to support the upkeep of Good Shepherd Parish. We ask that you prayerfully consider contributing to our planned giving program.

To obtain the **Direct Debit Form** Please Contact the Parish 07 3324 3734, Or see your Church Co-ordinator if you are interested.

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Zero tolerance.
No excuse for abuse

Good Shepherd Parish has zero tolerance for abuse and is committed to safeguarding everyone involved in any of its activities, ministries and service. The safety of children and adults at risk is paramount.

To make an anonymous report call 1300 304 550

For more information visit:

www.brisbanecatholic.org.au/safeguarding