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# Catholic Bequest Program

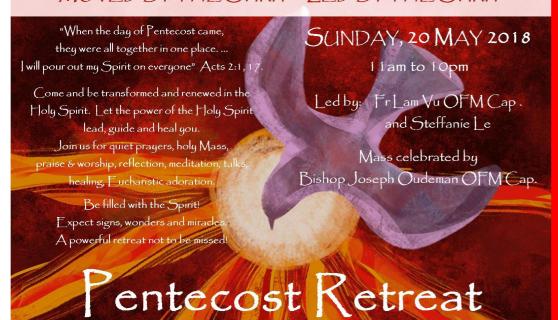
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#### Give the Gift of Faith.

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Please consider naming the Parish as one of the beneficiaries in your Will. You can designate a specific gift amount to the Parish or create a permanent endowment fund in your family name which will provide perpetual support for the Church. Endowments provide a steady stream of income to the Parish forever. For more information on naming our parish in your Will, please contact Anna Herbert from the Catholic Foundation on 07 3324 3211 or herberta@bne.catholic.net.au

## MOVED BY THE SPIRIT - LED BY THE SPIRIT



Cost: \$50 (food and refreshment included) Registration: With Lana by 15th May lana.cheng@optusnet.com.au or 0412421247



At: St Francis' Hall, 47 Dornoch Tce., West End

## ALERT-

St Francis' Driveway Dornoch Tce

Road safety issue entering and leaving the driveway to the church.

Many cyclists ride on Dornoch Tce past St Francis church precinct.

Parishioners are reminded of the danger to cyclists & the need for care as cars move in and out of the Church & Presbytery driveway.



# **DUTTON PARK CATHOLIC PARISH**

EMBRACING THE COMMUNITIES OF: St Ita's, Dutton Park, St Francis of Assisi, West End & Our Lady of Perpetual Succour, Fairfield.

Under the care of the Capuchin Franciscan Friars

#### **MASS TIMES**

#### St Ita's Church

(Pope St., Dutton Park) Monday to Friday: 6.15am Saturday (Vigil): 5pm Sunday: 8.00am 10.30am (Indonesian

**St Francis' Church** (47 Dornoch Tce., West End) Sunday: 9am

Church of Our Lady of **Perpetual Succour** (Victoria St., Fairfield) Sunday: 7am (Anointing of the sick: 1st Sunday and upon request.)

#### **BAPTISMS**

Saturday 9.30am monthly 1st Saturday St Francis' 2nd Saturday St Mary's 3rd Saturday St Ita's Family preparation sessions at St Ita's church on the first Thursday night of each month at 6.30pm

#### **CONFESSION TIMES**

Saturday St Ita's: 4-4.50pm or upon request 30 mins before or after mass)

#### MASS TIMES AT ST MARY'S

(20 Merivale St., South Brisbane) Monday to Friday: 7am Saturday: 8am (Rosary after Mass) Sunday: 9am and 5pm Confession: Sat 8.30-9.30am; Sun 4-4.45pm

Devotion: First Friday of each month at 6pm

#### ST ITA'S SCHOOL

**Phone**: (07)3838 8400 Email: pduttonpark@bne.catholic.edu.au

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## NEWSLETTER

Sixth Sunday of Easter 6th May 2018

Dear Parishioners.

Dutton Park Parish has been selected as one of fifteen parishes to participate in the safeguarding compliance audit. Eventually all the parishes in the Archdiocese will be audited. Our implementation of the policy will be examined by an external auditor. The audit process involves going through our list of volunteers and staff to see if we are compliant with the Safeguarding Policy. There have been recent changes and all volunteers in a position of trust, such as Readers and Extraordinary ministers of the Eucharistic must now obtain a Blue Card and Police Check - these will be obtained through the Archdiocese. If you are volunteering in our parish in ANY role and not registered you will need to contact the Parish Office immediately. If you are a reader or Eucharist minister and do not already hold a Blue Card or have had a Police check in the last 6 months could you also please contact the Parish office. The current Archdiocesan policy for certain volunteering roles is: no Blue Card, no volunteering.

Change in daily Mass times at St Ita's Church. From Monday 14th May onwards the daily Mass at St Ita's (6.15am) will be moved to St Francis' Church at 10am. For those who wish to go to an early Mass, then please go to St Mary's which has a Mass at 7am. St Mary's has parking along Merivale Street and also at the back of the Church. It makes sense loaistically to cancel the 6.15am Mass as it is so close to the 7am Mass at St Mary's. I apologise if this change causes inconvenience to some parishioners. I believe the 10am Mass at St Francis Church will allow more people to attend, for example, workers around the area, single parents, retirees, and the elderly. We will also have anointing of the sick every third Friday of the month, followed by a morning tea in the St Francis Hall. It will be a great social gathering for the parish.

Our very own Awaken ministry is running a one day Pentecost Retreat on Sunday 20th May, 11am to 10pm. The retreat will be led by Steffanie Le and myself. Bishop Joseph Oudeman will be the main celebrant for our Mass. Come and be transformed and renewed in the Holv Spirit. Let the power of the Holy Spirit lead, guide and heal you. Join us for guiet prayers, Holy Mass, praise and worship, reflection, meditation, talks, healing, and Eucharistic adoration. Be filled with the Spirit! Expect signs, wonders and miracles. A powerful retreat not to be missed!

Pax et Bonum Fr Lam Vu OFM Cap

**Administrator:** Fr. Lam Vu OFM Cap Ass. Administrator: Fr Bollar Barreto OFM Cap **Parish Secretary**: Bernadette Maguire Sacramental Administrator: Kate Dart **Email:** stitaspar@bne.catholic.net.au **Telephone:** (07) 3844 2744

Mail: PO Box 3857, West End, Old 4101

Parish Office: 47 Dornoch Terrace

West End Qld 4102

**Office Hours:** 9am - 2pm, Mon-Fri Website: www.duttonparkcatholic.org.au Entrance Antiphon Cf. Isa 48:20

Proclaim a joyful sound and let it be heard; proclaim to the ends of the earth:

The Lord has freed his people, alleluia.

First reading cts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48

The gifts of the Holy Spirit was poured out upon the gentiles also.

Responsorial Psalm Psalm 97:1-4

The Lord has revealed to the nations his saving power.

Second reading

1 John 4:7-10

God is love.

Gospel Acclamation John 14:23

Alleluia, alleluia!

All who love me will keep my words,

and my Father will love them and we will come to them.

Alleluia!

Gospel John 17:11-19

Jesus raised his eyes to heaven and said:

'Holy Father,

keep those you have given me true to your name, so that they may be one like us.

While I was with them,

I kept those you had given me true to your name.

I have watched over them

and not one is lost

except the one who chose to be lost,

and this was to fulfil the scriptures.

But now I am coming to you

and while still in the world I say these things

to share my joy with them to the full.

I passed your word on to them,

and the world hated them,

because they belong to the world

no more than I belong to the world.

I am not asking you to remove them from the world.

but to protect them from the evil one.

They do not belong to the world

any more than I belong to the world.

Consecrate them in the truth;

your word is truth.

As you sent me into the world,

I have sent them into the world,

and for their sake I consecrate myself

so that they too may be consecrated in truth.'

Communion Antiphon

Jn 14:15-16

If you love me, keep my commandments, says the Lord.

and I will ask the Father and he will send you another Paraclete,

to abide with you for ever, alleluia.

Next Sunday's readings: 1st reading: Acts 1:1-11; 2nd reading: Eph 4:1-13; Gospel: Mark 16:15-20

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Come and join **Young Adults** from around Brisbane on Wednesdays at 7.00 pm at **St Mary's** for **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**. Adoration is held as part of the Capuchin Franciscan Friars Coffee Ministry.

#### TWO MINUTE CATECHISM

From the Catechism of the Catholic Church

#### THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

Baptism, the Eucharist, and the sacrament of Confirmation together constitute the "sacraments of Christian initiation," whose unity must be safeguarded. That the reception of the sacrament of Confirmation is necessary for the completion of baptismal grace. For "by the sacrament of Confirmation, [the baptized] are more perfectly bound to the Church and are enriched with a special strength of the Holy Spirit. Hence they are, as true witnesses of Christ, more strictly obliged to spread and defend the faith by word and deed."

#### The Effects of Confirmation

It is evident from its celebration that the effect of the sacrament of Confirmation is the special outpouring of the Holy Spirit as once granted to the apostles on the day of Pentecost.

From this fact, Confirmation brings an increase and deepening of baptismal grace:

- —it roots us more deeply in the divine filiation which makes us cry, "Abba! Father!"
- —it unites us more firmly to Christ;
- —it increases the gifts of the Holy Spirit in us;
- —it renders our bond with the Church more perfect:

—it gives us a special strength of the Holy Spirit to spread and defend the faith by word and action as true witnesses of Christ, to confess the name of Christ boldly, and never to be ashamed of the Cross.

Extract taken from the Catechism of the Catholic Church

**Attention Volunteers** who have not done the Safeguarding Training yet:- you don't have to wait until our Parish one in September, they are now offering centralised Safeguarding Training sessions The first one is:

**Date:** Thursday, 10 May 2018 **Time:** 12:30pm – 2:30pm

**Location:** Hanley Room – Francis Rush Centre, 277 Elizabeth St Brisbane Qld 4000 Contact the parish office to register.

# This Week's Liturgical Calendar (Psalm Responses) 6th Sunday of Easter

Monday 7th:

R/ The Lord takes delight in his people.

Tuesday 8th:

R/Your right hand has saved me, O Lord.

Wednesday 9th:

R/ Heaven and earth are filled with your glory.

Thursday 10th:

R/ The Lord has revealed to the nations his saving power.

Friday 11th: (Pentecost Novena begins)

R/ God is king of all the earth.

Saturday 12th:

R/ God is king of all the earth.

Pro Musica Singers present
By the Water
A Choral collection of songs considering
water in a variety of forms.



Saturday, 19th of May, 3.00pm St. Mary's Anglican Church 455 Main Street, Kangaroo Point

Admission \$20 (tickets available at the door, cash only) Children enter free For more information either e-mail

info@promusicasingers.com or call 3366 3474

#### POSTION VACANT

The Brisbane team of **Catholic Mission** is expanding. We are looking for someone with passion, energy and a sense of humour to join us as a **donor relations officer**.

If you know someone who wants to make a difference in the world and has a heart for mission and evangelisation please share the link below with them. http://catholicmission.org.au/about-us/work-with-us



### St Francis of Assisi West End SUNDAY 6th MAY

Morning Tea following the 9am Mass



#### Our Lady of Perpetual Succour Fairfield SUNDAY 6th MAY

Anointing the sick during 7am mass and afterwards morning tea.

Notice to all Readers and Communion Ministers

#### Training for Readers of the Word

Saturday 5th May 2018 9am-10am

Training for Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion Saturday 2nd June 2018 9am-10am

This is a Mandatory training for all volunteers in these ministries.

Please contact the Parish Office to register for this training We encourage anyone in the parish if you would like to volunteer in one of these ministries to register and come along

#### OZ ROSARY AROUND AUSTRALIA – Sunday MAY 13

On Sunday, 13 May, Feast Day of Our Lady of Fatima Australia will hold a national Rosary across the country at fifty-three locations. We are praying for the future of our country and committing our nation to God and to Our Lady. You are invited to join Oz Rosary at St Mary's 3.30 pm. Rosary 4.00pm. Adoration, Confession. 5.00 pm. Parish Mass.

#### Sister Salvacion's Silver Jubilee Mass

Sr Salvacion celebrates her 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Religious Profession in May.
Parishioners are invited to attend Sr Salvacion's Silver Jubilee Mass at St

Mary's on Sunday, 27 May commencing at 9.00 am followed by morning tea.

Please bring a plate of food to share for morning tea.

## Parish Activities in 2018



Awaken Together In Christ Tuesday 8th May - 7pm Mass & Rosary

A ministry bringing hope and the tangible presence of Christ to the lost and a deeper connection for those who know Him.

We invite you to come along and enter into God's presence, watch Him move in your circumstances today.

Everyone welcome!

Calling ALL Musicians—singers and instrumental 2nd June at ACU Banyo

Fr Lam is organising a group booking for this and would like to extend an invitation to anyone who would like to join our music ministry and all current members of the music ministries.

Registration covers morning tea and resources BYO Lunch

Please consider giving to our planned giving program

The parish is investing the cost for this group booking.

The 2nd collection covers the costs of running and upkeep of our parish. To give you an idea of the costs involved on an annual basis I have listed below some of last years costs

A few of the areas of expense for the West End, Dutton Park and Fairfield churches, St Francis Hall and both presbyteries

Electricity \$ 7,200 Insurance \$15,532 Water \$ 4,100 Altar Bread, wine and candles \$ 2,022 Repairs and Maintenance \$43,105

If you are able to assist with this program, please collect a planned giving form at the back of the church or contact the office. Thank you, Fr Lam.

#### **Pilgrim Virgin Statue May-Oct**

Invite a Pilgrim Virgin statue into your home and commit to praying the Rosary everyday while it is there. It will bring great peace and holiness to your life, and is the best method of honouring Mary. The statue usually stays with each family for one week. The statue may be taken away after the 8am Mass on Saturday at St Mary's. The purpose of the Pilgrim Virgin Statue home family visitation is to aid families in responding to the requests made by the Blessed Mary during her apparitions at Fatima. The essence of her requests is threefold: return to God; make reparation for sins; pray the Rosary for Peace. To arrange for a home family visitation of the Pilgrim Virgin Statue from May to October please contact the Parish Office.



CELEBRATING

#### PENTECOST RETREAT

A Pentecost Retreat will be held on Sunday, May 20th from 11.00am—10.00pm. Parishioners are invited to attend

"Moved by the Spirit—Led by the Spirit" which will be led by Fr Lam Vu & Steffanie Le,

Mass to be celebrated by Bishop Joseph Oudeman
St Francis Hall, 47 Dornoch Tce, West End. Cost is \$50 which includes food & refreshments. Register by May 15th to

lana.cheng@optusnet.com.au

#### Dutton Park, West End & Fairfield Collections Last Weekend

1st Collection: \$1063.85 + \$160.77 (Direct Debit) = \$1224.62 2nd Collection \$803.90 + \$228.46 (Direct Debit) = \$1032.36