12-13 NOVEMBER 2022

THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

YEAR C

MISSION STATEMENT

St Theresa's Catholic Parish is a vibrant, inclusive and welcoming community committed to living and sharing the good news of Jesus Christ. Under our baptismal mission and inspired by the Spirit, we are bread for one another and nourished we reach out to make a HEALING FOR THE SICK difference in the world.

ANOINTING AND HEALING MASS

A wonderful celebration of grace and fellowship was held on Wednesday 9 November with our Anointing and Healing mass. About 75 people enjoyed the Sacrament of Anointing during mass followed by a lovely light luncheon prepared by the Care and Concern team and helpers. A great catch up amongst patrons was evident with the smiling faces and the hum of chatter abounding throughout the luncheon. Congratulations to the team of workers organised by the Care and Concern group and its co-ordinator Mary Otto.





















RECENTLY DECEASED

Kerry Dillon

(Monica Morrison's Nephew)

Parishioners:

Anne O'Connor **Christine Scott Brian Carter** Murray Doyle **Margaret Barry**

Leo Flynn **Anne Thomas** Mova Schaefer Glenda Walsh **Bert Pervan**

Friends and Family

Jennifer Fogarty

(Beverley Patterson's Friend)

Anna Sinclair (Mary Conaghan's mother)

Di Winterton

Erica Armagnacq (Bill Armagnacq's Daughter in Law)

Margaret Chiesa

Janette Ansell (Patricia Stevens sister) Will Wildig (Meg Hicks' Brother in Law)

Geoff Doyle (Mary Otto's brother)

Anna O'Toole (Maryanne Long's friend)

Madeline (Sally) Gray

(Kathy Sternes' Mother)

Phil Connolly (Glen & Bernadette

Whisson's friend)

Kate Sturgeon (Rita Sturgeon's

Granddaughter)

Kathleen le Gras (Sister of Sr Una)

Shona Kraayvanger

(Gabrielle Adam's daughter)

Indiana Harman

(Ray & Madeline Taylor's (Granddaughter)

Louis Gandini (Lina Pervan's brother)

Connie Bamgart(Lina Pervan's friend)

Simon Riethmuller (Shirley's son)

Max Shearer (Grandson - Judy Shearer)

John Mullen (Helen McNaught's

nephew)

Rev. Brian Sparksman Fr Peter McGrath .CP

Molly Schmidt (Aileen Collins' friend)

Peter Brown (Denis' brother)

The Dowling Family

Reg Parsons (Powell family group)

ANNIVERSARIES

Michelle Bender Lil Kenny Fr Tom Breen Isaac Murphy Vera Ruffini Robert Watson Pat Mulhall Viv Cuskelly Eugene Clark Vera Leach Toni Abrahams Ron Cartwright Gregory Thompson

Peter McKeering

Ellis Kingsley Gray(Mick)

MASSES READINGS NOTICES

MON	NO MASS
TUE	NO MASS
WED	LAY LED LITURGY 9AM
THU	NO MASS
FRI	LAY LED LITURGY 9AM
SAT	6PM VIGIL
SUN	9.30AM MASS
If you are Gluten intolerant and	

require a special host, please

advise the coordinator.

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C

First Reading: Malachi 3: 19-20

The sun of righteousness will shine on you.

Responsorial Psalm: 97: 5-9

The Lord comes to rule the world with

iustice.

Second Reading: *2 Thessalonians 3: 7-12* Do not give anyone food who refuses to work.

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, Alleluia!

Lift up your heads and see, your redemption

is near at hand.

Alleluia!

Gospel: *Luke 21: 5-19*

Your endurance will win you your life.

Next week's readings,

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe Year C

2 Samuel 5: 1-3 Colossians 1: 12-20 Luke 23: 35-43

BAPTISM

Baptisms are held on the 2nd & 4th Sunday of the month either during Mass at 9.30am or after Mass at 11.00am



MELBOURNE CUP FUNDRAISER

Once again this year the Diocesan Social Justice Commission hosted a Melbourne Cup Fundraiser with the benificiary being The Dignity Project. The evening raised \$1468.30 Thank you to all who supported this annual fundraiser.

THANK YOU FROM THE CARE AND CONCERN TEAM

Thank you to all who were able to contribute to the Anointing and Healing Mass celebrated in the parish last Wednesday: to Monica and Norma for the Liturgy, to those who generously donated slices and sandwich fillings and to the members of the team and other parishioners, who were able to give of their time in some way to help through the donation of fresh flowers, the setting up and clearing away, the organising of the lucky door prizes and welcome table, the preparation of the fresh sandwiches and refreshment boxes, and the management of the tea and coffee service. All who attended seemed to appreciate the

liturgy and the camaraderie to follow.

The lucky winners of the prizes were:

Moreton & Coote Gift Basket: Doug Meiklejohn

\$25.00 Betros Voucher: Maureen Meiklejohn

\$25.00 Betros Bros Voucher Mel Kelinowski

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DOMESTIC VIOLENCE APPEAL

During November and early December, Joann Hodal is generously giving of her time to organise the collection of items which she will then make into the domestic violence packages from St Theresa's. Thank you Joann for the tremendous gift of your time and energy for these precious packages of dignity.

Toiletries, toothpaste and personal hygiene items etc are ideal donations.

Cash donations are also gratefully



accepted. Baskets will be available in the foyer for you to place your donations intoor they can be left at the parish office during office hours.

We thank you all sincerely for your continuing support for this community outreach project.



Roll up vour sleeves; make a difference overseas.

Do you require professional renewal, or are you seeking a retirement challenge? Communities abroad are asking for qualified and experienced Australians able to mentor their people in education, health, administration, trades, agriculture and more. Imagine yourself re-engaging your vocational passion in Africa, Asia or the Pacific. Since 1961 Palms Australia has been recruiting Australians able to offer mentoring that will allow overseas counterparts opportunities otherwise unattainable. Sharing your skills will strengthen the capacity of workers overseas to serve their communities for generations to come, long after you return home.

Communities in American Samoa, Cambodia, Kiribati, Papua New Guinea, Samoa, Solomon Islands, Tanzania, Thailand, Timor-Leste, and Zambia are seeking to fill a variety of roles.

Enquire about those roles via www.palms.org.au or by calling 02 9560 533 or 0422 472 567.

St Theresa's Parish

November - the month of Remembrance

During this month of November as the Liturgical Year draws to a close, Christians throughout the world take time to remember and reflect upon the graced lives of our loved ones who have died.

This year you are invited to sit quietly here at St Theresas', to hold the lives of those whom you have loved close to your hearts in thought and prayer.

A special place for this purpose has been set up in our Chapel which will be opened at the following times.

5.30pm before Saturday Vigil Mass

9am before Sunday Morning Mass

7.30am to 8.15am Tuesday and Thursday mornings

9.30am to 10am Wednesday and Friday mornings immediately following Morning Mass

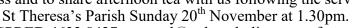
You are invited to light a candle in memory of your loved ones, place it in the sand tray and write their names on small golden hearts to be found in the sacred space. Place the heart or hearts around the sand tray on the table. If you have any questions please contact Janet or Monica at the Parish Office on 4639 4688.



SPRED THANKSGIVING MASS



You are very warmly invited to attend the annual SPRED community Thanksgiving Mass and to share afternoon tea with us following the service.



Please RSVP to SPRED 4632 8427 or spred@twb.catholic.org.au for catering purposes.



SPRED Where Faith and Friendship Meet

INFORMATION EVENING

DATE: Wednesday, November 30 TIME: 5:30pm – 6.30pm

WHERE: SPRED Centre, 34 Hume Street Toowoomba Ph. 4632 8427

SPRED is having a friend to walk beside you in the everyday happenings of life, which is exactly where God is to be found.

Please refer to flyer in the foyer for further information.

ABRAHAMIC FAITHS GATHERING

Date: Wednesday, 16th November 2022 Time: 5.45pm, followed by light dinner

Venue: St Anthony's Community Hall, 3 Memory Street, Toowoomba Qld 4350

The evening will begin with a short presentation by each faith group on "The art of living."

Ø Mohammad Aminul Islam, Imam of Garden City Mosque.

Ø Ariel Heber, President and Community Liaison, Queensland Jewish Community Services Inc.

Ø Richard Gummow, Minister of St Matthew's Anglican Church at Drayton.

For further information please contact,

Eric Donges – Phone: 4637 2009 email: opaeric@gmail.com or John Agnew – Phone: 4666 3225 email: agnewjj@yahoo.com.au

CHRISTMAS CENT SALE



The Missionary Sisters of St Peter Claver are holding their Christmas Cent Sale at **The Cathedral Centre on Saturday December 3.** Entrance is just \$5 which includes a free sheet of tickets and afternoon tea. Doors open at **1.00pm** with afternoon tea at **1.30 pm before 2.00 pm** calling of tickets. Many wonderful prizes can be won. There are great prizes in the multidraw including a ham, homemade Christmas cake, fruit tray and more. Raffles, including a total of \$1000 in cash prizes are to be won. In addition a \$100 number prize board is on offer.

All funds go to The Missions. Sisters can be contacted on 4632 1818.

CONTACTS NOTICE

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Parish Pastoral Council

Fr Brian Noonan, Tim Burgess, Gailene Jurgs, Matt Boyd, David Wilson, Kath Doherty, Trish Kennedy-Lee, Glen/ Bernadette Whisson, Greg Hallam, Elizabeth Curtis. Monica Brennan.

Finance Committee

Fr. Brian Noonan, Warren Dredge, Ray Taylor, Shane Blakeley, Pat Richardson, Tim Burgess.

Liturgy Team

Fr. Brian Noonan, Jan Mayo, Peter Kenny, Peter Nolan, Monica Brennan, Gay Jorgensen, Elizabeth Stewart.

Norma Kenny, Kathy Sternes, Elizabeth Stewart, Libby Rosentreter.

Baptism Team:

Cath Kelly, Jenny Ryan, Tracy George, Bernadette Hede, Anne Anderson, Jan Watkins, Jane Burgess, Catherine Cooper Tracy Stinson, Elizabeth Curtis, Monica Brennan

Sacramental Team:

Monica Brennan, Kathy Doherty, David Wilson, Gay Jorgensen.

Consolation Team:

Fr Brian Noonan, Peter Kenny, Josephine Nolan, Monica Brennan

Welcome & Hospitality Team:

Paul & Kathryn Marangelli, Maureen Burke.

<u>Family Groups:</u> Contact Parish Office 4639 4688

Care & Concern Team

Coordinator: Mary Otto

Coordinator: David Wilson

0451 131 849



DATES TO REMEMBER FOR **NOVEMBER**

Sat/Sunday 12/13 November Scrolling of

Names

20 November School/Parish mass Sunday

led by Mater Dei Prep and Yr 6 9.30am

20 November SPRED Thanksgiving Sunday

Mass **1.30pm**

Wednesday 23 November Releasing of

Memories Liturgy 10am

ELECTRONIC COLLECTIONS DEVICE

St Theresa's now has the ability to accept donations/money for the collection through cards electronically. It does not replace

Planned Giving envelopes or Direct Credits.

This device enables you to donate any amount you choose using your cards, either by tapping, inserting or swiping the card. Once your

transaction has occurred, a paper receipt will be

printed for you to take.

An instruction procedure is near the electronic device pictured.

POPE FRANCIS'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR NOVEMBER 2022

Children Who Suffer

We pray for children who are suffering, especially those who are homeless, orphans, and victims of war; may they be guaranteed access to education and the opportunity to experience family affection.



Care & Concern Meeting

Care & Concern Meeting 5 December 3pm

Second & Fourth Tuesday of the Month

St Vincent de Paul St Theresa's Conference, 4pm, Contact 0408 808 437



Parish morning tea at 9.45am, Cobb & Co Museum

Second Sunday

Mad Toowoomba Group from 7.00pm at St Anthony's.

