

ST THOMAS AQUINAS CHURCH – ST LUCIA

14th September 2025

MASS TIMES:

Sunday	9.30 am
Monday	5.15 pm
Friday	9.30 am (Communion Service)
Saturday	6.00 pm

For people who are able to help the Church by **contributions**:

2nd Collection BSB 064786 ACC 100007132

1st Collection BSB 064786 ACC 100007130

Musicians Fund BSB 064129 ACC 10509763

Reconciliation: *None until further notice.* **Phone:** 3371 5860

Office Hours: Tuesday & Thursday 9:30am to 12:30 pm (*Call First*).
Friday 9:30am to 12:30 pm.

Website: www.stluciacatholic.org.au **Email:** stlucia@bne.catholic.net.au

AOB Safeguarding Office: www.brisbanecatholic.org.au/safeguarding

This Sunday the Catholic Church in Australia will mark **Safeguarding Sunday**, coinciding with the conclusion of **National Child Protection Week**.

Safeguarding Sunday is an important opportunity for us to come together as a community of faith to reaffirm our commitment to creating safe, welcoming, and nurturing environments for all. It reminds us of the responsibility we share in protecting children and adults at risk, and in promoting healing. 2025 Safeguarding Sunday resources: www.tinyurl.com/SafeguardingSunday25.

Jubilee Pilgrimage - During this Jubilee Year, and concluding the Season of Creation, we are planning to have a Pilgrimage Walk on **Saturday 04 October** (feast of St Francis of Assisi). Starting with a Creation Mass at Holy Family Parish, **Indooroopilly at 9:30am**, then walking to St Stephen's Cathedral to pass through the Holy Door. Please bring water and sun protection. **Contact Fr Gregory** for further details.

The Youth and Young Adults team from Archdiocesan Ministries - the Catholic Collective - invites you to celebrate the **Canonisation** of the Church's newest saints, **Carlo Acutis and Pier Giorgio Frassati**, and venerate their holy relics. When: **Sunday 13 September from 4:30pm** Where: St Patrick's Catholic Church, Fortitude Valley All are welcome to join in a Holy Hour leading into a Youth Mass followed by a festival and celebration. To find out more, please visit www.catholiccollective.org.au.

Parish Maintenance – We have had several large jobs completed recently. Please be mindful of the scaffolding in the side chapel. This was used to repair a window that had broken apart and was hanging precariously above the carpark. Two new spotlights were installed to replace the lights that were not working around the Church, they were upgraded to LED. The parish organ has had a significant repair recently; it still needs further repairs. If you have any concerns about parish maintenance, please contact our operations manager, **Edwina Cornish** at business.jesuit@bne.catholic.net.au.

Flocknote Giving – A reminder that if you are registered with the parish and have provided your email, you can log in to Flocknote from our website and view your details and your contribution amount. Flocknote has provided the following for our parish: 89 households gave 1,141 gifts. 9.1% of households are contributing.

The Musicians Fund needs your donations to continue to support the current high standard of music within the St Thomas Aquinas Parish. The **Fund is a Deductable Gift Recipient** so all donations over \$2 are tax deductible. There are envelopes around the Church, or you can make a direct debit to BSB 064 129 AC 10509763.

All you works of God, Every mountain, star and tree,
Bless the One who shapes your beauty, Who has caused you all to be
One great song of love and grace, Ever ancient, ever new.
Raise your voices, all you works of God.

Sun and moon: Bless your Maker! Stars of heaven: Chant your praise!
Showers and dew: Raise up your joyful song! *Refrain*

Refrain: **One bread, one body**, one Lord of all, One cup of blessing which we bless.
And we, though many, throughout the earth, We are one body in this one Lord.

Gentile or Jew, servant or free, woman or man, no more. *Refrain.*
Many the gifts, many the works, one in the Lord of all. *Refrain.*

Refrain: **We are companions on the journey**, breaking bread and sharing life;
and in the love we bear is the hope we share
for we believe in the love of our God, we believe in the love of our God.

No longer strangers to each other, no longer strangers in God's house;
we are fed and we are nourished
by the strength of those who care, by the strength of those who care. *Refrain*

We have been gifted with each other, and we are called by the Word of the Lord:
to act with justice, to love tenderly,
and to walk humbly with our God, to walk humbly with our God. *Refrain*