

ST THOMAS AQUINAS CHURCH – ST LUCIA

15th September 2024

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

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

We welcome back **Fr Gregory Jacobs SJ** from his recent back surgery, who after only two weeks is up and about.

Date Claimer - Fr Mark Raper SJ's talk on 'Escalating Crisis in Myanmar and the Role of the Church' will be held on **Thursday 10 October at 7.00pm** in St Ignatius Church. Entry is free; however, donations will be collected for Jesuit Mission's work in Myanmar.

Golden Wedding Anniversary Mass - is coming up on **Saturday the 28th of September at 11:30am**. Celebrated by **Archbishop Mark**. People who are celebrating their 50th are invited to attend. Friends and family are also welcome. Please **RSVP** by **Wednesday 25 September** via email cathedral@bne.catholic.net.au or by phone on 33243030.

Holy Family Parish – You are invited to the annual Multicultural Mass on **Sunday 13th October** at 9:30am and festivities (incl culinary delights) that follow.

The Grail invites you to hear **Janet Galos** speak on 'Christian Spirituality and Ecology' at **2pm, Sunday 22 September** at the Parish Hall, Little Flower Church, 80 Turner Rd, Kedron. Janet brings together elements of the Christian tradition that shape a vibrant 21st century spirituality in tune with modern cultural and scientific understandings. She campaigns for ecological conversion and eco-justice locally and has presented to regional, national and international groups. Enjoy afternoon tea with new and old friends. Contact Ann Aboud 0400344921 or Judy Brown 0407580174 for more information.

Local Safeguarding Representative – Is someone who processes complaints about parishioners or parish staff that involve children and/or vulnerable adults. Our current LSR is retiring soon, and we are looking for a replacement. A good understanding of two factor authentication is required to access emails and phone calls, as well as a current blue card and police check, which will be organised and paid for by the Parish. Please contact **Fr Gregory Jacobs SJ** or the office to apply or for more information.

Deanery News: Youth Touch Footy – **Saturday 28th September** 4.00p-5.30p, OLR School Oval for 18-30yrs, Sausage Sizzle and Drinks. **Emmanuel City Car Wash Fundraiser** – **Saturday October 19th** 8am-12pm, OLR Church Carpark. \$15. Alpha Youth, **September 29th** 11am, St Catherine's Moggill. More info: www.olr.org.au.

Praise, my soul, the King of heaven; To the throne your tribute bring;
Ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven, Evermore God's praises sing:
Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise the everlasting King.

Praise the Lord for grace and favour To all people in distress;
Praise God, still the same for ever, Slow to chide, and swift to bless:
Alleluia! Alleluia! Glorious now God's faithfulness.

Angels in the heights adoring, You behold God face to face;
Saints triumphant now adoring, Gathered in from every race:
Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise with us the God of grace.

Refrain: **Yahweh, I know you are near**, standing always at my side.
You guard me from the foe, and you lead me in ways everlasting.

Lord, you have searched my heart, and you know when I sit and when I stand.
Your hand is upon me protecting me from death, keeping me from harm.

Where can I run from Your love? If I climb to the heavens You are there;
If I fly to the sunrise or sail beyond the sea, still I'd find You there.

Refrain: **Like a shepherd** he feeds his flock and gathers the lambs in his arms,
holding them carefully close to his heart, leading them home.

Say to the cities of Judah: Prepare the way of the Lord.
Go to the mountain top, lift your voice; Jerusalem, here is your God. *Refrain*

Come unto me if you are heavily burdened,
and take my yoke upon your shoulders, I will give you rest. *Refrain*

Ann: Joseph Robson.