

**ST THOMAS AQUINAS CHURCH – ST LUCIA**  
**28<sup>th</sup> July 2024**

**MASS TIMES:**

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>9.30 am</b>
Monday	5.15 pm
Friday	9.30 am (Communion Service)
Saturday	<b>6.00 pm</b>

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

2 <sup>nd</sup> Collection	BSB 064786	ACC 100007132
1 <sup>st</sup> Collection	BSB 064786	ACC 100007130
Musicians Fund	BSB 064129	ACC 10509763

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

**Office Hours:** Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 9:30am to 12:30 pm.

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**St Lucia Spirituality Group** - The next meeting of this group will be held on Zoom at **6pm Tuesday 6 August**. This month's topic is "The Importance of Consciousness in Spirituality". We will discuss various ways of understanding our world and some strategies for developing mature levels of consciousness. To register for the meeting and view the briefing paper, visit our web site [www.stluciaspirituality.com](http://www.stluciaspirituality.com) and scroll down the home page to the Upcoming Events section.

**Business Manager** - After sorting through 18 applications and having 3 interviews with very qualified candidates, we have chosen to appoint **Chris Jacobs** as the new Business Manager across the three Jesuit parishes. He comes well versed in finance administration and has maintenance experience. He started this week and will be present in each of the parish offices on different days. Most business-related work will now cross his desk as we move to stabilise the parishes. Please make him welcome. **Fr Gregory Jacobs SJ PP**

**Annual Cake Stall Fundraiser** - Holy Family Parish, Indooroopilly wish to warmly invite all parishioners, in our 'community of communities' and beyond, to our Annual Cake Stall Fundraiser. The proceeds from this fun-filled fundraising event will go toward the maintenance of the parish. Please gather your family and friends, join us for a cuppa and support us as you select your sweet treats on Sunday **8th Sept from 9:30am** following our 8:30am Mass.

And while you are saving the date for our Cake Stall, please feel welcomed to save the date for our upcoming Multicultural Mass on **Sunday 13th Oct at 9:30am** and the festivities (incl culinary delights) that follow.

The **Order of Malta** invites parishioners to their Lourdes Day Healing Mass on **Saturday 3 August at 10am**. This Healing Mass will be held at St Mary's Catholic Parish, South Brisbane. You will receive water brought from the shrine at Lourdes and a blessing.

**Choral Connection Concert** on **Sunday 11 August at 2.30pm** in St Ignatius Church, Kensington Terrace, Toowong, titled 'Rise Up!' Tickets: Adults - \$30, Students & Concession - \$25, Under 14 - free. Includes afternoon tea. Book at: <https://www.trybooking.com/CTRPV> or purchase at door.

**Grounds Committee** - We are seeking someone to take over the Grounds Committee leadership role. The volunteer work includes organising the roster, and liaising with the parish office. The suitable person would have a commitment to workplace health and safety. Anyone interested please speak with Jim Johnston or contact the office.

**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:* **Will you love me as I have loved you?**  
Will you live with me the darkness as I die?  
For the moon and the stars will be gone like the night,  
and the sun will be shining on you.

Will you give me your life for ever? Like the purest of gold in the furnace,  
Will you carry my cross ev'ry day? is your love strong enough to endure?  
Will you walk in the light of my presence? Does your faith carry on through the shadows?  
Will you follow the truth of my ways. - **R** Does it shine in the night for the world? -**R**

**Refrain: All the ends of the earth,** all you creatures of the sea,  
lift up your eyes to the wonders of the Lord.  
For the Lord of the earth, the Master of the sea, has come with justice for the world.

Break into song at the deeds of the Lord, the wonders he has done in every age. *Refrain*

The Lord has made his salvation known faithful to the promises of old.  
Let the ends of the earth, let the sea and all it holds make music before our King! *Refrain*

**Rec. D'ced:** John Brandenburg.