

ST THOMAS AQUINAS CHURCH – ST LUCIA
30th March 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 & 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

Fr Gregory Jacobs SJ has released **Easter Mass** times:

Holy Thursday: **6:00pm**

Good Friday: **3:00pm**

Easter Vigil: **6:30pm**

Easter Sunday: **9.30am**

In St Thomas Aquinas Parish, we will have **three RCIA people** (two Catechumens and one Candidate) being fully **received into the Catholic Church this Easter** (at the Easter Vigil). All parishioners are invited to **bring a plate to share** for a brief period of refreshments and celebration **in the hall after the Easter Vigil Mass.**

Enrolment for the **Sacraments of First Penance** and **First Holy Communion** will open early next week, via the Toowong parish website. Kindly select from the drop-down box, the Parish in which your child will make their Sacraments. Enrolment Fee: \$120 per child. **Enrolments Close: Friday 25 April.** Late enrolments will not be accepted. There is more information on our website or email Anne via pastoral.jesuit@bne.catholic.net.au.

The **Archbishop's Vocation Dinners for Women (24 April) and Men (22 May)** offer a unique opportunity to explore the call to priesthood and religious life in a welcoming setting. These evenings include dinner with the Archbishop, personal vocation stories, and time for discussion and prayer. Email to express interest: vocation@bne.catholic.net.au

St Lucia Spirituality - The next online meeting of St Lucia Spirituality will be held on **Tuesday, 1 April at 5:45pm for 6:00pm.** The meeting will consider a discussion paper on **Lessons from Pilgrims and Mystics**, exploring some themes relevant to a vibrant spiritual journey. SLS seeks to support spiritual growth. To learn more and to obtain the paper, register and receive the zoom link, visit the website www.stluciaspirituality.com.

The Musician Fund needs help to continue our support of our musicians. If you would like to contribute to the Musicians Fund, there are envelopes around the Church or direct deposit into BSB 064129 ACC 10509763. Donations above \$2 are **tax deductible.**

Holy God, We Praise Thy Name

Lord of all, we bow before thee.
All on earth thy scepter claim,
All in heaven above adore thee.
Infinite thy vast domain,
Everlasting is thy reign.

Hark! The loud celestial hymn,
Angel choirs above are raising;
Cherubim and seraphim,
In unceasing chorus praising,
Fill the heavens with sweet accord
Holy, holy, holy Lord.

Holy Father, holy Son,
Holy Spirit, Three we name thee,
While in Essence only One
Undivided God we 'claim thee;
And adoring bend the knee,
While we own the mystery.

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: Behold the glory of God, the Day-Star arising!
Christ Jesus shines on the earth, with mercy enduring!

Night of hope, night of glory divine— Darkness conquered evermore.
Christ triumphant shines on the earth With joy that endures. *Refrain*

Dance for joy all you angels of God, Let the pow'rs of heav'n exult.
All creation, join now in song: "Salvation is won!" *Refrain*