

## ST THOMAS AQUINAS CHURCH – ST LUCIA

6<sup>th</sup> October 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**:

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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Enrolment for both Sacramental Programs available to St Lucia **close this coming Tuesday 8th October. Program 1** – Preparation for First Holy Communion and First Penance/Reconciliation (Grade 4 and above; and have received the Sacrament of Confirmation), **Program 2** – Preparation for First Penance Reconciliation (Grade 5 and above; and have received the Sacraments of Confirmation and First Holy Communion).

**Full information on our website:** [www.stluciacatholic.org.au](http://www.stluciacatholic.org.au).

**Final Reminder - 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. **Live Stream Link:** <https://youtube.com/live/i8JXJqNLvgE>

**Toowong Parish & QLD Conservatorium** present a charity concert by **The QLD Conservatorium Chorus**, directed by **Dr. Anthony Young** and accompanied by **Kylie Loss**. Entry is free and a collection will be taken up to **support the Jesuit Mission in Myanmar**. Performers are volunteering so money collected will go directly to the mission. **15<sup>th</sup> October** starts at **7pm** and will finish by 8pm. Repertoire will include works by Praetorius, Handel, John Farmer, Ralph Vaughan Williams, Michael Head, George Gershwin, and more... Why not come to the 5:30pm mass and stay for the concert?

The 2nd session of **Synod24** will be this coming **11<sup>th</sup>/12<sup>th</sup> October, Fr Gregory Jacobs SJ** will be in attendance. **Pope Francis'** prayer: "We pray that the Church continue to sustain in all ways a Synodal lifestyle, as a sign of co-responsibility, promoting the participation, the communion and the mission shared among priests, religious and lay people."

**Archbishop Mark** has provided a prayer for Peace in the Middle East. There are copies around the Church and on our website.

**Holy Family Church** invites you to join them for **Eucharistic Adoration every Wednesday between the hours of 11am to 6pm**. This period will close with Benediction then Holy Mass. This period could be extended into the night with enough interest. If you can commit to adoration of Our Lord for a specific hour during the above-mentioned period, kindly contact Anne Rego at [pastoral.jesuit@bne.catholic.net.au](mailto:pastoral.jesuit@bne.catholic.net.au). You are also invited to the annual **Multicultural Mass** on **Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> October** at **9:30am** and festivities (incl culinary delights) that follow.

**Alleluia! Sing to Jesus!** His the scepter, his the throne.  
Alleluia! His the triumph, his the victory alone;  
Hark! The songs of peaceful Sion thunder like a mighty flood;  
Jesus out of ev'ry nation hath redeem'd us by his blood.

Alleluia! King eternal, thee the Lord of lords we own.  
Alleluia! Born of Mary, earth thy footstool, heav'n thy throne:  
Thou within the veil has entered robed in flesh our great High Priest;  
Thou on earth both priest and victim in the Eucharistic feast.

**Galilee Song:** Deep within my heart I feel, voices whispering to me.  
Words that I can't understand; meanings I must clearly hear!  
Calling me to follow close, lest I leave myself behind!  
Calling me to walk into evening shadows one more time!

*Refrain:* So I leave my boats behind! Leave them on familiar shores!  
Set my heart upon the deep! Follow you again, my Lord!

As I gaze into the night, down the future of my years  
I'm not sure I want to walk past horizons that I know.  
But I feel my spirit called like a stirring deep within  
Restless till I live again, beyond the fears that close me in. *Refrain*

*Refrain* **Create a new heart**, Holy Lord. Beckon our lives through your word.  
Open our eyes to your call, united as one for your world.  
Heighten our minds to your thoughts. Heal us of pride and of hurt.  
May we go forth in your name. We pray our hearts change.

The heart of the cross lowly and poor, calls us on.  
Lord, it is you promising hope, promising truth. *Refrain*

**Ann:** Angela Frank.