



St. Maximilian Kolbe Catholic Parish

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Mon, Tue, Thur & Fri : 9.00am - 2.30pm | Closed on Wednesday



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Weekday Mass Times

Monday	No Mass
Tuesday	9.00am
Wednesday	9.00am & 7pm
Thursday	9.00am
Friday	9.00am
Saturday	8.00am

Weekend Mass Times

Saturday: 5.30pm

Sunday : 8.00 am & 9.30am

EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME: 27 FEBRUARY 2022

A GOOD MAN BRINGS GOOD THINGS OUT OF THE GOOD STORED UP IN HIS HEART, AND AN EVIL MAN BRINGS EVIL THINGS OUT OF THE EVIL STORED UP IN HIS HEART.

FOR THE MOUTH SPEAKS WHAT THE HEART IS FULL OF.

LUKE 6:45 NIV



In today's first reading, the passage from Sirach reminds us that what comes out of the mouth gives us a clue to what a person thinks and feels.

In the second reading, St. Paul tells the Corinthians that even if they face trying times, if they remain unwavering in their faith as they do the work which GOD has given to them, then their work will be fruitful.

Our Gospel today offers three critical pointers:

- An analogy speaking about the need for an "insightful" teacher rather than a mere fellow blind traveler along the road of faith;
- A challenge to examine one's one life before criticising others;
- A reminder that we can only produce good fruit if we act out of the goodness of our whole being. Jesus is challenging His disciples (past and present) to strive to be good by reflecting on their lives and seeing how they can improve and bear the goodness which GOD has given them.

Very often we tend to speak and act without contemplating how our words and behaviour could affect others. Or, if we do think about what we say and do, we don't realize that these are motivated by selfish pursuits and interests rather than seeking to assist others by lovingly serving them. We need to focus on what good gifts GOD has bestowed on us and how we have used those gifts for not only our betterment, but also for the betterment of others. That takes work, diligently searching our own lives. We must be aware of how GOD has blessed us. Then we must use those blessings to edify and build up others so they can realize the love which GOD has for them.

Source: <https://reflectionsbybob.weebly.com/mar-03-2019---8th-Sunday-in-ord-time.html>

ASH WEDNESDAY

2 March 2022

Mass Times:

9am & 7pm

Dear Lord, as we enter this Solemn and Holy Season of Lent, we pray that you would send us your Holy Spirit, that we might diligently prepare ourselves over the next 40 days of Lent. During this time, we seek to humble ourselves through prayer, sacrament of reconciliation, acts of charity and acts of mercy, so that we can better understand the magnificence of your pure, divine and unmerited Love for us. You humbled yourself to give your life on the Cross to save us sinners, so that we might receive the gift of Eternal Glory with you, the Father and the Holy Spirit, forever and ever, Amen!



Date Claimers

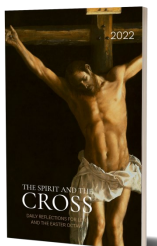
Wed. 2 Mar. : Ash Wednesday Mass at 9am & 7pm
 Fri. 4 Mar. : Mass at 9.00am
 : Eucharistic Adoration at 6.30pm
 : Stations of the Cross at 7pm
 Mon. 7 Mar. : Pastoral Council Meeting at 7pm
 Tue. 8 Mar. : Liturgy Committee Meeting at 7pm
Tue. 8 Mar. : Healing Mass at 10.45am

Important Notice

- Please note that the church is guided by the instructions of the Australian Catholic Bishops Conference to follow the Ordinary Form of the Latin Rite which states that the Body of Christ should be administered only in the hand. To ensure we abide by this and as a continuous Covid-safe measure, **Holy Communion** will only be served on the palm of the hand and not on the tongue (**effective immediately**).
- Parish Ministry **Roster for the months of March and April 2022** is now available; please collect a copy from the table near the entrance of the church.
- The Sacrament of Confirmation for baptised children (Age 8 and above) will be held on **Sunday, 29 May 2022**. Preparation sessions will commence in April 2022 (further information will follow). Registration Forms are now available at the entrance of the Church; **to be returned by 31 March 2022; late applications will not be fitted into this year's batch.**

Now on Sale at the Parish Piety Shop

- ♦ 'The Spirit of the Cross' 2022 Daily Reflection for the Season of Lent/Easter - \$5/book
- ♦ The Catholic Leader \$4:00/copy



Roster for the week ending 5/6 March 2022

Mass Coordinators:

5 Mar. 5.30pm - Luis Vasquez
 6 Mar. 8.00am - Nimfa Brookes
 6 Mar. 9.30am - Christine Lapalapa

Readers

5 Mar. 5.30pm - Hilda Bowden
 - Adeline Barncastle
 6 Mar. 8.00am - Brian Cunningham
 - Buxton Thomas
 6 Mar. 9.30am - Maria Setefano
 - Ron Klerks

Altar Servers

Vera, Antonio & Andrew
 Vitolina, Paula & Michael

Special Ministers for Eucharist:

5 Mar. 5.30pm - Patricia Vasquez
 6 Mar. 8.00am - Repeka Kasipale
 6 Mar. 9.30am - Joy Wallace

Choir :

5 Mar. 5.30pm - Saturday Night Choir
 6 Mar. 8.00am - St. Max Choir
 6 Mar. 9.30am - Divine Mercy Choir

Counters : Malcolm & Wilda, Noel Swindells

Cleaners : Rosary Group, Repeka Kasipale, Agnes Faamausili

Flowers : Suli, Litia, Telesia and Luta

Eight Sunday in Ordinary Time: 27 February 2022

First Reading: Sirach 27: 4-7

Do not praise someone before they have spoken.

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 91: 2-3, 13-16

Lord, it is good to give thanks to you.

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 15: 54-58

Victory has been given to us through Jesus Christ.

Gospel Acclamation: Philippians 2: 15-16

Alleluia, alleluia!

*Shine on the world like bright stars;
 you are offering it the word of life.*

Alleluia!

Gospel: Luke 6:39-45

A person speaks from what is in his heart.

Collection: Week-ending 20 February 2022

Envelopes Received	: 35
Total Amount	: \$ 2,241.25
Yarrabilba Mass Centre	: \$ 115.35
TOTAL	: \$ 2,356.60



YARRABILBA MASS CENTRE

Weekend Community Mass
 will be held at **5pm on Sundays:**

27 Feb. & 5 Mar. 2022

Centre Location:

St. Clare's Primary School, 2 Combs St, Yarrabilba

All are Welcome!



Please Pray for the Sick

R Kasipale, J&A Pale, F.Bowden, L.Seeto, J.Collins, M.Dunlop, D.Curtis, M.Pierce, R.Henwood, V.Reid, V.Gspejon, V.Dancey, S.Daniel, A.Purkis, L.Guadez, K & S Talatonu, B.Hodgson, M. Finnerty, L.Guadez, M.Glorioso, D.Hall, J. Lachlan, A.Van Uitregt, N.Cutuk, V.Toalepai, K Brown, M.Trehane, J.Maloney, E.Kruger, J&A Dent, G&M Gorosito, Asiatata J.Lealaitafea, A.Carter, E.B Sebuano, Pona Vai, N.Dunmore, V.Venables, T.Gibson, F. Petelo, Helen Guadez, M.Vaigafa, Verity Madsen, Oliver Barrett, Tatiana Tagirova, Ruperto Martinez, John Daley, Mikaele Tito, Nora Philips, Alzira D'souza, Agnes Hamilton, Wena Prowse, Tuala V & M L Petelo, Catherine Hetherington, Pete Pietkiewiez. Zhaylee Curtis, Sesilia Muevae, Hilda DMello.



CHILDREN'S LITURGY

Sessions will be held at the Parish Hall at **8.00am every Sunday**. Parishioners who have children between the ages of 5 up to 13, are encouraged to send their children to attend these faith-forming, fun-filled and learning sessions. For further information, parents/guardians can contact our Children's Liturgy Ministry Coordinator, **Tilesa Vaigafa** (Ph No: 0434 570 123).

Kolbe Youth Ministry



Young parishioners **aged 14 and above**, are invited to join the Kolbe Youth Ministry. We welcome and need all, especially those who have special talents...e.g. able to play any musical instrument or has a beautiful voice to share or is an avid sports person?...come and join us in this ministry!

Come participate in and enjoy the fellowship with others in your age group, to strengthen your faith journey and get involved in our upcoming events for the rest of the year. Watch this space for notice of our upcoming first Kolbe Youth Meeting of 2022!

Meanwhile, please join in our next Youth Mass which will be at **8.00am on Sunday, 27th February 2022**.

LOGAN DEANERY PRESENTS



VENUE

PCYC

Logan Youth Club
Cnr Kingston Rd
and Compton Rd
Slacks Creek

DATE

22nd May 2022
11am till 3pm

Fun for all the family.
Come along.



Sacramental Preparation for Children



Infant/Children Baptism Information Brochure is available at the entrance of the church. Arrangements can be made by contacting our Parish Office (during office hours).

Our Parish's Children Baptism Coordinator is Mrs. Helen Swindells.



SYNOD ON SYNODALITY

Dateline for submission has been extended to 18 March 2022! All Catholics are invited to have their say about their experiences of 'synodality' – of walking together as a Church. All submissions received nationally will help the Australian Bishops develop a report to support the global process leading to an international gathering in 2023.

This is not to be confused with the Australian Plenary Council which is running concurrently with the Synod. The Plenary Council focus is on the Church in Australia. The Synod is focussed on the Church globally. Your voice matters, and it could be as simple as getting together with family, friends or fellow parishioners and having a "Coffee Conversation". This short video offers encouragement on how easy it can be to have your say: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YrgZ-N79Kf0> You can make your submission here:

<https://www.catholic.org.au/synodalchurch>.

WEEKLY LENTEN RESOLUTIONS

(FOR THOSE WHO HAVEN'T
STARTED YET)

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THANK THOSE WHO
SHOW YOU THE
GOODNESS OF GOD

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BE SILENT, KEEP
YOUR INTERIOR AND
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A SACRIFICE TO THE
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THE GIFTS THAT GOD
HAS GIVEN YOU

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FROM EVERYTHING
THAT KEEPS YOU
AWAY FROM GOD

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REFLECT

THINK OF THIS PAST
WEEK AND HOW YOU
CAN IMPROVE

"WHATEVER YOU EAT, THEN,
OR DRINK, AND WHATEVER
ELSE YOU DO, DO IT ALL FOR
THE GLORY OF GOD."

1 CORINTHIANS 10:31



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Ashes on our foreheads,
A longing in our hearts.
Ready for a journey,
Beyond the cross.
Wanting to be changed,
To be transformed,
To be made new.
Jesus may we follow you,
On the pilgrim way of Lent,
Into the wilderness,
Beyond the ordinary,
To unexpected sacred places,
Filled with surprise,
New understanding
Of who you are,
And who you call us to be.

(c) Christine Sine <http://godspace.wordpress.com>

Going Deeper :

A journey to rediscover what it means to be a Catholic

If you have been a Catholic for sometime (doesn't matter how long) but are longing to just learn more about the Catholic faith, we would like to invite **YOU** to delve into the heart of our belief through a short 5 weeks of 1-hour sessions entitled 'Going Deeper'; brought to us by Evangelisation Brisbane.

Each group would have not than **10 parishioners** at a time. Participants will together reconnect with what it is to truly be a Catholic and explore different aspects of what it means to live a Catholic life. Together, they will dive beneath the teachings and practices and instead ponder, 'what is this all for?' Here they enter into the wonder and mystery of God's relationship with each of us individually and collectively. No matter your faith background or experience, you will find that Going Deeper is for you. To provide more information on what is involved, please use this link to watch this video which would give you a sampler of the topics that will be shared:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OZem_X-jOE

So take the first step and register your interest through our Parish Office (Ph. No: 3803 0862 / E: Marsden@bne.catholic.net.au). The day/dates/time for the each group will be finalized once we have the numbers and group consensus (if we have sufficient numbers, we can arrange for a morning session and another session in the evening). So you are interested to participate, it is recommended that you arrange your time so that you are available to attend ALL five sessions which will be fully funded by the Parish and held at the Parish.

Thank you,
Fr. Mikhael & Fr. Long