CHURCH CLEANING ROSTER: AUGUST: St Patrick's School

**CRYING ROOM:** Feel free to use this room during Mass. Kindly pack away toys at the end of Mass.

**PIETY STALL:** If you wish to buy religious articles, books or cards please contact Fr Marlon

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**FIRST AID BOX:** located inside the Crying Room at the entrance to the Church.

**TOILET FACILITY:** Situated at the back of the Parish house; nearest to school oval.

**RCIA/RCIC:** Anyone interested in learning about becoming a Catholic please contact Fr Marlon or Julie Poett.

<u>WEEKDAY MASSES</u>: WEDNESDAY 30th August 11.00am; FRIDAY 31st August 9.00am; FIRST SATURDAY 2nd September 9.00am

# WEEKEND MASS TIMETABLE:

SATURDAY	26th August	2nd September	9th September	16th September
TAMBELLUP		6.00PM		6.00PM
BROOMEHILL			6.00PM	
SUNDAY	27th August	3rd September	10th September	17th September
KOJONUP	8.30AM	8.30AM	8.30AM	8.30AM
KATANNING	10.30AM	10.30AM	10.30AM	10.30AM

<u>PARISH MINISTRIES:</u> If you are unable to attend on your rostered date please arrange for someone to replace you. Thank you!

	27th August	3rd September	10th September	17th September
Greeter				
Intro & Second Reader	School	D. Cavoli	J. Poett	M. Hanna
First Reader	School	L. Ford	H. Cavoli	D. Bearcroft
Minister of the				
Eucharist				
Offertory	School	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers
Acolyte	Alvarro	Patrick	Albert	Angelo
Altar Servers	Luke & Sharie	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers



## St Patrick's Catholic Parish

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"Inspired by our Patron Saint and guided by the Gospel teachings of Jesus, St Patrick's Parish strives to welcome and serve one another"

Parish Priest: Fr Marlon Chingwangco (on leave)

Parish Pastoral Council Chairperson: Mrs Marie Hanna
Parish Finance Committee Chairperson: Mr Norman Flugge

St Patrick's Catholic Primary School Principal: Mr Brett Wilkie (08) 98208 100

St Patrick's Parish Safeguarding Officers:

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PARISH PRAYER: Please refer to the overhead screen

#### SUNDAY 27th AUGUST 2023 - 21st SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR A

First Reading: Isaiah 22:19-23

Thus says the Lord of Hosts to Shebna, the master of the palace: I dismiss you from your office, I remove you from your post, and the same day I call on my servant Eliakim son of Hilkiah. I invest him with your robe, gird him with your sash, entrust him with your authority; and he shall be a father to the inhabitants of Jerusalem and to the House of Judah. I place the key of the House of David on his shoulder; should he open, no one shall close, should he close, no one shall open. I drive him like a peg into a firm place; he will become a throne of glory for his father's house. The word of the Lord

Responsorial Psalm: Lord, your love is eternal; do not forsake the work of your hands.

#### Second Reading: letter of St Paul to the Romans 11:33-36

How rich are the depths of God – how deep his wisdom and knowledge – and how impossible to penetrate his motives or understand his methods! Who could ever know the mind of the Lord? Who could ever be his counsellor? Who could ever give him anything or lend him anything? All that exists comes from him; all is by him and for him. To him be glory for ever! Amen. The word of the Lord

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, You are Peter, the rock on which I will build my Church, the gates of hell will not hold out against it. Alleluia!

#### Gospel: Matthew: 16:13-20

When Jesus came to the region of Caesarea Philippi he put this question to his disciples, 'Who do people say the Son of Man is?' And they said, 'Some say he is John the Baptist, some Elijah, and others Jeremiah or one of the prophets.' 'But you,' he said 'who do you say I am?' Then Simon Peter spoke up, 'You are the Christ,' he said, 'the Son of the living God.' Jesus replied, 'Simon son of Jonah, you are a happy man! Because it was not flesh and blood that revealed this to you but my Father in heaven. So I now say to you: You are Peter and on this rock I will build my Church. And the gates of the underworld can never hold out against it. I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven: whatever you bind on earth shall be considered bound in heaven; whatever you loose on earth shall be considered loosed in heaven.' Then he gave the disciples strict orders not to tell anyone that he was the Christ.

The Gospel of the Lord

<u>NEXT WEEK'S READINGS:</u> **22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A** 3rd September 2023: Jeremiah 20:7-9; Letter of St Paul to the Romans 12:1-2; Matthew 16:21-27

## Priest's Welfare Foundation "Father's Day" Appeal - Next Weekend "For the care of our Spiritual Fathers"

The Priest's Welfare Foundation Annual Appeal will be held across the diocese next weekend to coincide with Father's Day. Please remember the Foundation's motto - For the care of our spiritual fathers - when making your consideration.

All gifts over \$2.00 are tax deductible.

Brochures and envelopes will be provided in the pews next week.

#### Diocesan Youth Ministry Office - Mt Toolbrunup Pilgrimage for Young Adults

Across almost every culture and religion people climbed to the top of mountains to experience God. The top of a mountain is a place of pilgrimage, of encounter of oneself and encounter of those we journey with. This is a special pilgrimage for young adults +18. We will be hiking up Mt Toolbrunup together in joy, fellowship, reflection and prayer. It will be an awesome experience and a chance to connect with others in a unique way.

An average level of fitness is needed to complete the climb.

For more information and registration:

https://brushfire.com/catholicdioceseofbunbury/events/560476

## "Prayers for Sede Vacante"

"Sede vacante" translates as the "the See is vacant". It identifies that there is no current Bishop of Bunbury at this time. The Diocese of Bunbury is in a time of transition and waiting as the Holy Spirit guides the Church and calls a new Bishop. It is also a time of preparation and renewal for all of us. Therefore, it is important that we gather as community and in our communities to pray together. The practice of the Church is to say special prayers during 'sede vacante' These will be included in the Prayers of the Faithful during this time.



### PARISH NEWS

Today we celebrate the Centenary of the first church built on the current site. We also welcome St Patrick's Primary School staff, parents and students to their Family Mass!



All welcome to join in a cuppa and light lunch after Mass in the School Hall and view a display of church memorabilia.

Let us continue to pray for the sick members of our families and also within our Parish especially: (Wendy Norrish), Laline Ford and David McGuire; Also our parishioners in Kerry Lodge and Bethshan, Eileen Smith, Clara Illiano, Ted Schaefer, Bonnie Quartermaine. Please keep them in your prayers.



**NEW PARISHIONERS:** welcome to our Parish! We pray you will find peace and comfort in our Parish and with our God. Please join us in fellowship and community events. Please complete the "Welcome to our Parish Form" from the front entrance of the Church and return it to the Parish Office. Thank you and God bless.

The ability to budget can only come about through the <u>'generous financial support of members of the Parish who make a pledge through the "Planned Giving Programme."</u> Like all families, everyone's pledge is important and commitment to the financial well-being of St Patrick's Parish is **VITAL**. If you would like to join or know more about the programme please contact the Parish Office or Mr Peter Kerin.



COLLECTIONS	13th August	
1 <sup>st</sup> Collection	\$ 166.55	
2nd Collection	\$ 18.50	
Planned Giving Envelopes	\$ 130.00	
Planned Giving Direct Debit	\$ 302.00	
Candles		
Piety Stall		