

CHURCH CLEANING ROSTER: AUGUST: Cora and Geoff
CRYING ROOM: Feel free to use this room during Mass.
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.

WEEKDAY MASSES: Wednesday 14th August 11.00am; Friday 16th August 9.00am with the St Patrick's School staff and students in honour of the Feast of the Assumption

Our Parish Bulletin may also be accessed through the St Patrick's Primary School website under "Our Community" and then "Parish"

WEEKEND MASS TIMETABLE:

<u>SATURDAY</u>	10th August	17th August	24th August	31st August
TAMBELLUP		6.00PM		6.00PM
BROOMEHILL				
<u>SUNDAY</u>	11th August	18th August	25th August	1st September
KOJONUP	8.30AM	8.30AM	8.30AM	8.30AM
KATANNING	10.30AM	10.30AM	10.30AM	10.30AM

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

	11th August	18th August	25th August	1st September
Greeter			CONFIRMATION	
Intro & Second Reader	Whole	R. Whitmore	School	JP Collins
First Reader	School	S. Watterson	School	D. Quartermaine
Minister of the Eucharist	Family			
Offertory	Mass	Volunteers	School	Volunteers
Acolyte	Sam		Albert	Alvarro
Altar Servers	Volunteers	Volunteers	School	Volunteers



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PARISH PRAYER: Please refer to the overhead screen

SUNDAY 11th AUGUST 2024 - NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR B

First Reading: First Book of Kings 19:4-8
 Elijah went into the wilderness, a day's journey, and sitting under a furze bush wished he were dead. 'O Lord,' he said 'I have had enough. Take my life; I am no better than my ancestors.' Then he lay down and went to sleep. But an angel touched him and said, 'Get up and eat.' He looked round, and there at his head was a scone baked on hot stones, and a jar of water. He ate and drank and then lay down again. But the angel of the Lord came back a second time and touched him and said, 'Get up and eat, or the journey will be too long for you.' So he got up and ate and drank, and strengthened by that food he walked for forty days and forty nights until he reached Horeb, the mountain of God. **The word of the Lord**

Responsorial Psalm: Taste and see the goodness of the Lord.

Second Reading: Letter of St Paul to the Ephesians 4:30-5:2
 Do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God who has marked you with his seal for you to be set free when the day comes. Never have grudges against others, or lose your temper, or raise your voice to anybody, or call each other names, or allow any sort of spitefulness. Be friends with one another, and kind, forgiving each other as readily as God forgave you in Christ. Try, then, to imitate God as children of his that he loves and follow Christ loving as he loved you, giving himself up in our place as a fragrant offering and a sacrifice to God. **The word of the Lord.**

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, Alleluia! I am the living bread from heaven, says the Lord; whoever eats this bread will live forever. **Alleluia!**

Gospel: John 6:41-51

The Jews were complaining to each other about Jesus, because he had said, 'I am the bread that came down from heaven.' 'Surely this is Jesus son of Joseph' they said. 'We know his father and mother. How can he now say, "I have come down from heaven"?' Jesus said in reply, 'Stop complaining to each other.

'No one can come to me unless he is drawn by the Father who sent me, and I will raise him up at the last day.

It is written in the prophets:

They will all be taught by God,
and to hear the teaching of the Father,
and learn from it,
is to come to me.

Not that anybody has seen the Father,
except the one who comes from God:
he has seen the Father.

I tell you most solemnly,
everybody who believes has eternal life.
'I am the bread of life.

Your fathers ate the manna in the desert
and they are dead;

but this is the bread that comes down from heaven,
so that a man may eat it and not die.

I am the living bread which has come down from heaven.
Anyone who eats this bread will live for ever;
and the bread that I shall give is my flesh,
for the life of the world.'

The Gospel of the Lord

Next Week's Readings: Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B 18th August 2024:

Book of Proverbs 9:1-6; St Paul to the Ephesians 5:15-20; John 6:51-58

Yesterday, Saturday 10th August marks 62 years that our current church, following major extensions and renovations to the original church built in 1923, was consecrated by Bishop L.J. Goody, the Parish Priest was Rev Fr E. McSweeney and the designer/builder was S. Costelloe.



The parish will be updating their parishioner data base; and Parishioner Census forms are included with this bulletin. Although not compulsory, it is a way of keeping in touch with parish events and news and updating parishioner information. Forms may be returned to Fr Marlon or Acting Secretary Diana Cavoli. The information will be held in the strictest of confidence.

PARISH NEWS

Today we welcome students, staff and families of St Patrick's School to their Family Mass; we are very fortunate to have the school in our parish, established by the Sisters almost 100 years ago, maintaining the ethos of our faith and providing encompassing education. Everyone is invited to join in a sausage sizzle after Mass at the school!

Please keep in your prayers our Confirmation candidates **Brayden MeHarry, Estera Rudd and Georgia Holzknrecht**, to be confirmed on Sunday 25th August;

..And our new Altar Servers **Meg Wilkie, Miles Wilkie, Mathew James Hunt and Gabby Oclarit** who will be commissioned on that day.

'Grant that they may grow into the fullness of the stature of Christ.
Fill them with the joy of your presence.
Increase in them the fruit of your Spirit.
Help them to experience and trust your dwelling within,
so that they can count on your guidance every day.'



Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary will be celebrated on Friday 16th August (in lieu of the 15th August) with our St Patrick's School family attending. On this Holy day Catholics and many other Christians celebrate the feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary when she was assumed into heaven following her death.



Let us continue to pray for the sick members of our families and also within our Parish especially: Laline Ford and David McGuire; Also our Parishioners in Kerry Lodge and Bethshan, Clara Illiano and Bonnie Quartermaine. Please keep them in your prayers.

The ability to budget can only come about through the 'generous financial support of members of the Parish who make a pledge through the "Planned Giving Programme." 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	28th July	4th August
1 st Collection	\$ 270.90	
2nd Collection	\$ 57.60	
Planned Giving Envelopes	\$ 125.00	
Planned Giving Direct Debit	\$ 302.00	
Candles		