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Mass Times

9am Friday and 8am Sunday

Reconciliation - By appointment

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ST LUKE'S PARISH NEWSLETTER

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21st Sunday in Ordinary Time – Year C

21st August 2022

FIRST READING [Is 66:18-21](#)

A reading from the prophet Isaiah

The Lord says this: I am coming to gather the nations of every language. They shall come to witness my glory. I will give them a sign and send some of their survivors to the nations: to Tarshish, Put, Lud, Moshech, Rosh, Tubal, and Javan, to the distant islands that have never heard of me or seen my glory. They will proclaim my glory to the nations. As an offering to the Lord they will bring all your brothers, on horses, in chariots, in litters, on mules, on dromedaries, from all the nations to my holy mountain in Jerusalem, says the Lord, like Israelites bringing oblations in clean vessels to the Temple of the Lord. And of some of them I will make priests and Levites, says the Lord.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

(R.) Go out to all the world and tell the Good News.

1. O praise the Lord, all you nations, acclaim him all you peoples! **(R.)**
2. Strong is his love for us; he is faithful for ever. **(R.)**

SECOND READING [Heb 12:1-4](#)

A reading from the letter to the Hebrews

Have you forgotten that encouraging text in which you are addressed as sons? My son, when the Lord corrects you, do not treat it lightly; but do not get discouraged when he

reprimands you. For the Lord trains the ones that he loves and he punishes all those that he acknowledges as his sons. Suffering is part of your training; God is treating you as his sons. Has there ever been any son whose father did not train him? Of course, any punishment is most painful at the time, and far from pleasant; but later, in those on whom it has been used, it bears fruit in peace and goodness. So hold up your limp arms and steady your trembling knees and smooth out the path you tread; then the injured limb will not be wrenched, it will grow strong again.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!
I am the way, the truth, and the life,
says the Lord;
Alleluia!

GOSPEL [Lk 13:22-30](#)

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke

Through towns and villages Jesus went teaching, making his way to Jerusalem. Someone said to him, 'Sir, will there be only a few saved?' He said to them, 'Try your best to enter by the narrow door, because, I tell you, many will try to enter and will not succeed.

'Once the master of the house has got up and locked the door, you may find yourself knocking on the door, saying, "Lord, open to us" but he will answer, "I do not know where you come from." Then you

will find yourself saying, "We once ate and drank in your company; you taught in our streets" but he will reply, "I do not know where you come from. Away from me, all you wicked men!"

'Then there will be weeping and grinding of teeth, when you see Abraham and Isaac and Jacob and all the prophets in the kingdom of God, and yourselves turned outside. And men from east and west, from north and south, will come to take their places at the feast in the kingdom of God.

'Yes, there are those now last who will be first, and those now first who will be last.'



ENTRANCE

Lift Up Your Hearts

Antiphon:

Lift up your hearts to the Lord
praise God's gracious mercy!
Sing out your joy to the Lord,
whose love is enduring.

Shout with joy to the Lord, all the earth!
Praise the name above all names!
Say to God "How wondrous your works,
how glorious your name!"

Let the earth worship,
Singing your praise.
Praise the glory of your name!
Come and see the deeds of the Lord;
bless God's holy name!

Listen now, all you servants of God,
As I tell of these great works.
Blessed be the Lord of my life
whose love shall endure!

COMMUNION

Bread of Life, Hope of the World

Refrain:

Bread of life, hope of the world,
Jesus Christ our brother:
feed us now, give us life,
lead us to one another.

As we proclaim your death,
as we recall your life,
we remember your promise,
to return again.

The bread we break and share
was scattered once as grain:
just as now it is gathered,
make your people one.

We eat this living bread,
we drink this saving cup:
sign of hope in our broken
world,
source of lasting love.

RECESSIONAL

Diverse in Culture, Nation, Race

1. Di - verse in cul - ture, na - tion, race, We
2. God, let us be a bridge of care Con -
3. When cha - sms wid - en, storms a - rise, O
4. God, let us be a ta - ble spread With

4.
come to - geth - er by your grace. God, let us be a
nect - ing peo - ple ev - 'ry - where. Help us con - front all
Ho - ly Spir - it, make us wise. Let our re - solve, like
gifts of love and bro - ken bread, Where all find wel - come,

meet - ing ground Where hope and heal - ing love are found.
fear and hate And lust for pow'r that sep - a - rate.
steel, be strong To stand with those who suf - fer wrong.
grace at - tends, And en - c - mies a - rise as friends.

**PARISH
FAREWELL**

**MONSIGNOR
PETER**

YOU'RE INVITED TO MORNING TEA

SUNDAY, 28 AUGUST
(immediately following the 8.00am mass)

St Luke's Green Dining Area

Morning tea will be provided.

If you wish to donate towards a thank you
gift for Monsignor Peter, envelopes are
available at both entrances of the church.
Thank you.

Blessings for the week ahead.

NOTICES

REFLECTION

Can the Dalai Lama be saved?

'[People] from east and west, north and south . . . will feast in the Kingdom of God.' Amongst those people, will there be Buddhists, Muslims, Hindus, atheists? The surprising answer of Catholic Christianity is: 'Yes, but always through the working of the Holy Spirit of Our Lord Jesus Christ, who can prompt the heart of *any* person *anywhere* at *any* time with divine grace so that that person strives to lead a life of compassion and justice and not harming innocent creatures.' Obviously, this work of the Holy Spirit could encompass millions if not billions of people who have never heard the Gospel.

If the slogan: 'No salvation outside the Church' is taken to mean no-one can be saved unless he/she is a baptised member of the Catholic Church then it is a heresy explicitly condemned by Popes.

Nevertheless, we must pray and work for the conversion of all people so that they might have the advantage of all the aids of Word and Sacrament which we draw on as direction and strength on our journey towards the destiny which God desires for each one of us.

We could pause for a moment to acknowledge the boundless mercy of God, but also praying that

FEAST DAYS

Mon - The Passion of St John the Baptist
Sat - St Gregory the Great

all peoples might share our privilege of participating in that Holy Communion which is the foretaste of the banquet prophesied by Jesus in today's Gospel.

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ANOINTING MASS will be held at St Luke's on the first Friday of each month at the usual time of 9.00am. *Any changes will be communicated via the newsletter.*

Social Justice Statement Launch in Brisbane This year's Australian Catholic Bishops Conference Social Justice Statement, **Respect: Confronting Violence and Abuse**, is now on-line. Its focus is on domestic violence against women and children. You can find the statement, along with a range of resources, including a prayer and action card and liturgy notes for Social Justice Sunday (August

Social Justice Statement 2022 – 2023 Respect: Confronting Violence and Abuse from the Australian Catholic Bishops Conference.

A Brisbane launch of the Social Justice Statement will take place at **St. James' Hall, 92 Kirkland Ave Coorparoo, on Tuesday 23 August, at 7 for 7:30 PM.**

All are welcome to this event which will also be livestreamed.

28), at: <https://socialjustice.catholic.org.au/2022/08/02/sjs2022-23/>

CONTAINERS FOR CASH



 ELIGIBLE CONTAINERS

Your efforts have saved 327 containers from going into landfill and raised \$32.70 for charity. That's just the beginning? Please keep bringing your containers in. Containers must display the 10c refund mark.



Are you seeking some spiritual direction or spiritual accompaniment? There is a list of directors on offer in the Archdiocese and these can be accessed easily via the web-site.

<https://brisbanecatholic.org.au/life/spiritual-direction/>

VOLUNTEERS AT ST LUKES We are currently undertaking our Safeguarding Audit of the parish. Some of our volunteers are yet to register. If you volunteer in any capacity, please go to <http://archbne.org/welcome> to register or contact Catherine in the office.

St Luke's [unique parish link](#) and QR Code will take you directly to the Annual Catholic Campaign 2022 site.

Hover your phone over this code to donate or pick up an envelope.



If you are a Parish Volunteer or working in the parish the onus is on you to comply with all Archdiocesan policies. Safeguarding training & registration is available online - www.safeguardingaob.com.au If you see any unsafe practice or reportable occurrence please contact the Parish Office or STOPline Service - 1300 304 550

THE ORDER OF MASS

THE INTRODUCTORY RITES

*In the name of the Father, and of the Son,
and of the Holy Spirit.*

Amen.

PENITENTIAL ACT

*Brethren (brothers and sisters), let us acknowledge our
sins, and so prepare ourselves to celebrate the sacred
mysteries.*

**I confess to you almighty God
and to you my brothers and sisters,
that I have greatly sinned,
in my thoughts and in my words,
in what I have done and in what I have failed to do,
through my fault, through my fault,
through my most grievous fault (*striking the breast*)
therefore I ask the blessed Mary ever-virgin,
all the angels and saints,
and you, my brothers and sisters,
to pray for me to the Lord our God.**

*May almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us our
sins, and bring us to everlasting life.*

Amen.

GLORIA (when spoken)

Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people of good will.
We praise you, we bless you,
we adore you, we glorify you,
we give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.
Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us;
you take away the sins of the world,
receive our prayer;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father,
have mercy on us.
For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father.
Amen.

THE APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
Creator of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, (*all bow*)
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried;
he descended into hell;
on the third day he rose again from the dead;
he ascended into heaven, and is seated
at the right hand of God the Father almighty,
from there he will come to judge
the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and life everlasting. **Amen.**

AFTER THE PREFACE

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts.
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.

THE MYSTERY OF FAITH

We proclaim your Death, O Lord,
and profess your Resurrection,
until you come again.

THE CONCLUDING RITES

The Lord be with you.
And with your spirit.
*May almighty God bless you
the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit.*
Amen.

Go forth, the Mass is ended.

Thanks be to God

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