

NORTHERN MISSION

incorporating Queanbeyan, Michalego, Bungendore and Braidwood Parishes.

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS: Thurs 9.00am - 5.00pm.



Mission Sunday Masses:

St Raphael's Q'bn 5.30pm Sat

9am & 5.30pm Sun

St Mary's Bung. 8.30am Sun

St Bede's B'wood 6.00pm Sat

Ministries for our Easter Ceremonies

	30 June	7 July	14 July
Commentator:	H Hart	P Coady	H Hart
Readers:	W Hart B Beale	A Monkhouse H Bopping	W Hart B Beale
Acolyte:	L Hart	J Gunderson	F Schlager
Sp. Ministers	A Monkhouse W Hart	W Hart H Bopping	B Schlager H Pieper
Welcomer:	C Ffrench	H Pieper	G Sutton
PowerPoint:	J Flores	H Hart	A Monkhouse
Gifts:	Laffan Family	Flores Family	Eileen & Denis

Ministries of Service:	6 July	13 July	20 July
Altar Decorating:	Helen P	Cathy	Margaret
Cleaners:	Joan	Margaret & Barbara	Wendy & Pauline

Sp. Min hospital: 1st Sun: Eileen Dempsey. 2nd Sun: Helen Pieper.
3rd Sun: Jane Gardner. 4th Sun: Ann Monkhouse. 5th Sun: Brian Berg.

Counters: 1st Sun: K & M Toirkens. 2nd Sunday: G Kain. 3rd Sunday: Wendy Hart.
4th Sunday: E Hannaford. 5th Sunday: H Bopping.

World Community for Christian Meditation is held Thursdays at 10.30am at St Bede's Presbytery. For information please contact Br. Brian on 4842 2444. Newcomers are always welcome. Check out the websites: www.wccm.org or www.christianmeditationaustralia.org

St Vincent de Paul Society Braidwood Conference:

"Giving a helping hand up"

Office Hours: Fridays 11am to 1pm.



Readings:

This week: 1st: Wis. 1:13-15,2:23-24. 2nd: 2 Cor. 8:7,9,13-15. Gospel Mk. 5:21-43.

Next week: Ezek. 2:2-5. 2nd: 2 Cor. 12:7-10. Gospel: Mark 6:1-6.

Northern Mission



**13TH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME
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1 July 2018**

Join us in Prayer

Entrance Antiphon:

All peoples, clap your hands. Cry to God with shouts of joy!

Responsorial Psalm:

Response: I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me.

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia! Alleluia! Our Saviour Jesus Christ has done away with death and brought us life through his gospel. Alleluia!

Communion Antiphon:

O Father, I pray for them, that they may be one in us, that the world may believe that you have sent me, says the Lord.



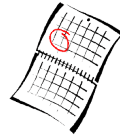
Because of Her, We can!

National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Sunday **1 July 2018**

Next weekend Mass time: Vigil Saturday at 6pm in St Bede's Church.
Weekday Mass: Tuesday at 10am in the Presbytery.
Liturgy of the Word: None this week.
Meditation: Thursdays at 10.30am in the Presbytery.
Braidwood AA meets each Tuesday at 7.30pm in the Centre.
Social Justice Group next meeting Sunday 5 August at 10.30am.

Today is Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Sunday, a day in which we celebrate the ancient peoples who cared for this land for thousands of years. Elements of our Mass today will acknowledge this.

SAVE THE DATE: Social ladies luncheon. Hosted by the Call to Connect prayer groups for the women of the parish and friends. On Thursday July 19th from 12 noon. Details to follow.



The World Meeting of Families with Pope Francis takes place in Dublin this August. Let us pray for the success of the meeting. Some quotes regarding families will be printed each week to help us keep the meeting in mind. We start with this quote from Pope Francis:

“When I meet someone who is getting married I say to them, “You are the ones who have courage!” Because it is not easy to form a family, not easy to commit your lives forever; it takes courage. And I am proud that you are courageous.”

Holy Land Pilgrimage

Departures: 26th August & 11th November

You are invited for a 14-day Holy Land Pilgrimage (Jordan & Israel) lead by Catholic Priests featuring Petra, Bethlehem, Sea of Galilee, Dead Sea, Jericho, Masada, Mt Carmel, Mt Tabor, Mt Nebo & Jerusalem all-inclusive price of \$5190. See poster on noticeboard for details.

Presbytery Painting: the remainder of the painting of the public rooms will commence next week

Please pray for the sick: Carmel Waddell, Catherine Sheridan, Marj Byrnes, Neil Quinn, Diana Wiley, Tony Ryan, Luke Ward, Len Kanowski, Tony Riley, Dave Kelly, Robin Marsden, Barbara Monaghan, John Sheldon, Sarah Lewis, Richie Simpson, Mark Sissian, Sarah Cree, the residents of Narbethong & the aged care unit and all who need prayers.

Please pray for those who have died in recent days:

Gilda Hagen, Iris Griggs, Ted Blewitt, Warren Harrison Joanna Kelly (1st anniv.) and our own deceased relatives and friends.

Reflection on the Gospel - Desperation and Faith

Jairus is a desperate father: His dignity is cast aside; his longing is expressed in his whole body fallen at the feet of Jesus. Such is the quality of his desperation. Jesus says nothing, he promises nothing. His action speaks for itself – he goes with Jairus. And the crowd presses forward into the new drama.

Out of the press of people a woman comes up behind Jesus. She suffers from an incurable haemorrhage, an affliction that makes her, and anyone she touches, ritually unclean. She had already exhausted all attempts at a cure, and her treatments have exhausted her savings. She is all spent. She jostles her way through the crowd, hoping that if she can touch Jesus' clothes, that contact will be enough. Such is the quality of her desperation. Such is the quality of her faith in the power of Jesus.

Consider an “unredeemable” aspect of your life: a broken relationship, an unhealed wound, an unshakable temptation. Imagine yourself as one who clutches at the clothes of Jesus asking to be saved.

Make your request as confidently as the people in today's gospel.

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