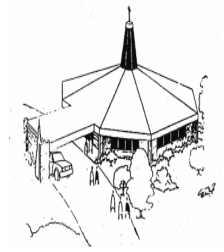


St Benedict's Catholic Church



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Pentecost Sunday - Year C 8 & 9 June 2019

NEW PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Tues – Fri 9am - 12pm

WEEKEND MASS TIMES:

Saturday 6pm
Sunday 9am
Sunday 6pm (Charismatic Mass)
Sunday 6pm Youth Mass
(every last Sun of the Month)
Saturday 8am

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES:

Tuesday 5.30pm
Wednesday 12.30pm
Thursday 5.30pm
Friday 5.30pm (Healing Mass)

RECONCILIATION:

Friday following Healing Mass from. 6:15-7pm
Saturday 5pm – 5.30pm or by appointment

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH:

Every 3rd Friday Padre Pio 5pm
Every Saturday 7.30am

ROSARY:

Saturdays after 8.00am Mass
Thursdays – 7.00pm (during May & October)

BAPTISMS: during Weekend Masses or by appointment

WEDDINGS: By appointment

ANOINTING OF THE SICK:

During the 5.30pm Mass on first Fridays,
10.30am at Jindalee 1st Thursday of the month
10.30am at Mt View 3rd Thursday of the month

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION:

Monday 9am – 8pm
Tuesday 10am – 10pm
Wednesday 11am – 10pm
Thursday 11am – 10pm
Friday 9am – midnight
Saturday 12am – 8am

Hearing Loop is located in the right Centre rows of the church. Please ensure your hearing aid is tuned to make the best use of this facility.



PENTECOST: I pray as we celebrate Pentecost again this year that we would ask for the Holy Spirit to renew us individually, as a local community and as the Church. Come Holy Spirit bring healing, Reconciliation and hope to us all! Fr Dan

FUNDRAISER
for Indonesian Mission
and 22 June 2019 @ St Benedict's School Hall,
Narrabundah | 2pm starts & 3.30 afternoon tea

FAREWELL
to Fr. David

MGL mission in Maumere, Flores, Indonesia

With Special Performances from Fr. David,
the MGL brothers, and Friends
Sponsored by MGL Spiritual Association

Pentecost Sunday - Year C

8 & 9 June 2019

FIRST READING

Acts 2:1-11

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles

They were all filled with the Holy Spirit, and began to speak different languages.

When Pentecost day came round, the apostles had all met in one room, when suddenly they heard what sounded like a powerful wind from heaven, the noise of which filled the entire house in which they were sitting; and something appeared to them that seemed like tongues of fire; these separated and came to rest on the head of each of them. They were all filled with the Holy Spirit, and began to speak foreign languages as the Spirit gave them the gift of speech.

Now there were devout men living in Jerusalem from every nation under heaven, and at this sound they all assembled, each one bewildered to hear these men speaking his own language. They were amazed and astonished. 'Surely' they said 'all these men speaking are Galileans? How does it happen that each of us hears them in his own native language? Parthians, Medes and Elamites; people from Mesopotamia, Judaea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya round Cyrene; as well as visitors from Rome – Jews and proselytes alike – Cretans and Arabs; we hear them preaching in our own language about the marvels of God.'

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 103:1. 24. 29-31. 34. R. v.30

(R.) Lord, send out your Spirit and renew the face of the earth.

1. Bless the Lord, my soul!
Lord God, how great you are,
How many are your works, O Lord!
The earth is full of your riches. (R.)
2. You take back your spirit, they die,
returning to the dust from which they came.
You send forth your spirit, they are created;
and you renew the face of the earth. (R.)
3. May the glory of the Lord last for ever!
May the Lord rejoice in his works!
May my thoughts be pleasing to him.
I find my joy in the Lord. (R.)



SECOND READING

1 Cor 12:3-7, 12-13

A reading from the first letter of St Paul to the Corinthians

In the one Spirit we were all baptised, making one body.

No one can say, 'Jesus is Lord' unless he is under the influence of the Holy Spirit.

There is a variety of gifts but always the same Spirit; there are all sorts of service to be done, but always to the same Lord; working in all sorts of different ways in different people, it is the same God who is working in all of them. The particular way in which the Spirit is given to each person is for a good purpose.

Just as a human body, though it is made up of many parts, is a single unit because all these parts, though many, make one body, so it is with Christ. In the one Spirit we were all baptised, Jews as well as Greeks, slaves as well as citizens, and one Spirit was given to us all to drink.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!

**Come, Holy Spirit; fill the hearts of your faithful
and kindle in them the fire of your love.**

Alleluia!

GOSPEL

Jn 20:19-23

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John

As the Father sent me, so I send you: Receive the Holy Spirit.

In the evening of the first day of the week, the doors were closed in the room where the disciples were, for fear of the Jews. Jesus came and stood among them. He said to them, 'Peace be with you,' and showed them his hands and his side. The disciples were filled with joy when they saw the Lord, and he said to them again, 'Peace be with you.

'As the Father sent me,
so am I sending you.'

After saying this he breathed on them and said:

'Receive the Holy Spirit.

For those whose sins you forgive,
they are forgiven;

for those whose sins you retain,
they are retained.'

SEQUENCE

The sequence may be said or sung.

Holy Spirit, Lord of light, From the clear
celestial height Thy pure beaming
radiance give.

Come, thou Father of the poor, Come
with treasures which endure; Come,
thou light of all that live! Thou, of all
consolers best,

Thou, the soul's delightful guest, Dost
refreshing peace bestow; Thou in toil
art comfort sweet; Pleasant coolness in
the heat;

Solace in the midst of woe. Light
immortal, light divine, Visit thou these
hearts of thine,

And our inmost being fill: If thou take
thy grace away, Nothing pure in man
will stay;

All his good is turned to ill. Heal our
wounds, our strength renew; On our
dryness pour thy dew; Wash the stains
of guilt away: Bend the stubborn heart
and will; Melt the frozen, warm the
chill; Guide the steps that go astray.

Thou, on us who evermore Thee
confess and thee adore, With thy
sevenfold gifts descend: Give us
comfort when we die;

Give us life with thee on high; Give us
joys that never end.

PARISH NEWS

St Benedict's Social Group : Coffee and Catch up at 10.30am on Thursday 13th June at 'Gryphons At Griffith'.

Stations of the Resurrection: Sun 12 May to 16 June.

- **9 June: 6pm Pentecost Mass**, then Prayer to receive the baptism of the Holy Spirit.
- **16 June: Growth in Proclaiming the Risen Christ. Sun 6pm Mass , 7.30pm Soup**, teaching and sharing.

Refugee Week 16-23 June: Our parish has been helping refugees on Manus for three years. Sadly, after the election, most now have no hope of safe resettlement. So we've had an increase in requests for help. Recently Pope Francis, in his message "It is not just about migrants", calls on us to respond compassionately to the suffering of refugees. To help please contact Tim McKenna on 0416 062 849 or mckennas_home@hotmail.com or donate to Manus Lives Matter BSB 062 922 Account Number 1020 4914.

Marian Statue: If you would like to have Our Lady in your home, please write your name and contact details in the "Marian Statue" record book which will live on a table in the confessional. It will then be your responsibility to co-ordinate the exchange of Our Lady with the previous custodian. We ask that visits be kept to around 2 weeks duration. If there is nobody next on the list, please keep her safely with you until somebody requests a visit! If you have any questions or any issues arise, please contact Ingrid Kensey on [0401489525](tel:0401489525) or ingridparker86@gmail.com.

Safeguarding Children and Vulnerable Persons WWVP Card Reminders:

If your card is due to expire in June & July 2019 and you have renewed, are waiting to, or have received a new card please bring the card to the Parish Office.

ST BENEDICT'S PARISH FAMILY CHOIR:

"He who sings well prays twice" - St Augustine.

St Benedict's Parish Family Choir sings at the 9am Mass on the **third Sunday of each month**. Come and share your favourite songs and ideas. Choir practice is at 830am before the Mass. Singing lifts the Spirit - all are most welcome. For more info please email Maria on Narrabundah@cg.org.au

As A Parish Let Us Pray For...

Our Sick: Clem Dick, John Aguis, Dorothy Lamb, Lorraine Davis, Betty O'Brien, Mathew, Noeleen Carrick, Pam Pini, Stan Marris, Flora Arias, Pat Atkins, Helen French, Ellen Brennan, Carol Rees, Rhys Evans, Jindalee & Mt View residents.

Recently Deceased & Anniversaries: Ellen Brennan, Sr Zita Barron, William Smith, Athol Knight, Beth Moran Clare Drinkwater, Antoinette & John Martin, Tom French, Peter Knight, Sam & Nina Agius, Ian Smith & family, Correy Browning, Heather Daly, John De Freitas, Gerry Agnew, Jim Kirkman, Barbara Jeffery, Edna Keir, Lawrence Power, Barrie Marshall, Stella Ienco, Louise Agnew, Louis Camilleri.

NEW ROSTER COMMENCE FOR THIS WEEKEND 8 & 9 June 2019

	Sat 6 pm	Sun 9am
Welcomers	A Pace & S Cotsell	A Burg
Readers	M Najdecki	P & C Moncuquet
Presentation of the Gifts	B & L Barron	Children Liturgy
Eucharistic Ministers	R Parker & B Barron	J Douglas & M Molyneux
Flowers, Altar Cleaning	M Brown & L Barron	
Church Cleaners	R Caputo & R Caldwell	
Mt View	MGL Garran	
Jindalee	Louise O'Rance	

READINGS & ROSTER FOR NEXT WEEKEND 15 & 16 June 2019

<u>1ST READING</u> <i>Prv 8:22-31</i>	<u>2ND READING</u> <i>Rom 5:1-5</i>	<u>GOSPEL</u> <i>Jn 16:12-15</i>
Sat 6 pm		Sun 9am
Welcomers	L & B Barron	Priscilla Kinyanjui
Readers	E Matthews & D Jeffery	School Mass
Presentation of the Gifts	S Cotsell & BA Daly	School Mass
Eucharistic Ministers	S Neimanis & M Doverty	M & B Boland
Flowers, Altar Cleaning	L Thomas & S Neimanis	
Church Cleaners	Ian Smith	
Mt View	MGL Priest	
Jindalee	Rita Parker	

St Benedict's Catholic Parish acknowledges the Ngunnawal People, the Traditional Owners who have walked upon and cared for this land for thousands of years. We acknowledge the continued deep spiritual attachment and relationship of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples to this country and commit ourselves to the ongoing journey of Reconciliation.