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**Reflection**

One of the most excellent means of obtaining perseverance is by discretion; we must not wish to do everything at once, or become a saint in four days, but gradually, little by little.

St Philip Neri

“The way to God and the perfection demanded of us is shorter and more efficacious, markedly easier too, when one has learned, little by little, how to conserve, in all circumstances, a profound peace of heart. Because then the heart allows itself to be driven by the Holy Spirit, and God is able to do more with it by His grace than the heart could do by its own efforts.

God is a God of peace. He does not speak and does not operate except in peace, not in trouble and agitation. Our discussion is not an invitation to laziness and inaction. It is an invitation to act, sometimes considerably, under impulse of the Holy Spirit, not in a spirit of disquietude, agitation or excessive hurry.”

Searching For and Maintaining Peace: A Small Treatise on Peace of Heart, Fr Jacques Philippe (St Paul's, New York, 2002).

**PUBLIC ROSARY RALLY ON THE FOOTPATH AT MARY IMMACULATE CHURCH**

9:00 am - SATURDAY, 25TH AUGUST 2018 AFTER 8:15 am Mass

PRAYING FOR THE ORATORY OF ST PHILIP NERI IN FORMATION

FOR THE SANCTITY OF MARRIAGE, IN REPARATION FOR BLASPHEMY COMMITTED AGAINST JESUS & MARY, IN REPARATION FOR THE CULTURE OF DEATH, IN DEFENCE OF FREEDOM OF SPEECH & FREEDOM OF RELIGION, FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY, FOR OUR COUNTRY, ITS SPIRITUAL AND SECULAR LEADERS & IN THANKSGIVING FOR BLESSINGS RECEIVED.

Christus Rex pilgrimage (26th – 28th October, 2018): registrations are open for this year’s pilgrimage in honour of Christ the King. For more details, or to register, go to [http://crex.org/wordpress/](http://crex.org/wordpress/).

**Tuesday Rosary:** On all Tuesdays in August, the Holy Rosary is recited for 'those who know they are spiritually poor; the Kingdom of heaven belongs to them!' And for the Pope, the Bishops and the Priests, through the intercession of Our Lady of Grace. It begins 10 minutes after the 7am Mass in Mary Immaculate Church. All welcome.

Enquiries: Legion of Mary on 0421 258 418 (Bill).

**WE PRAY FOR:** Those who are recently deceased: Des CALLEN, Peter BROPHY (Cairns), Robert ENGLAND (Mermaid Waters), Noreen GREALY, Bob GILLESPIE, Carmel LEE and Elwyn THOMPSON.

**Those who are sick:** Luke ADENEY, Ksenia BORODIN, Rex BOWEN, Joan BRAMMER, Ted BUTTERWORTH, Duncan CARSTENS, Shannon EMSLIE, Jane FARRELL, Bryan FITZPATRICK, Joan FLEW, Anne FRANETTOVICH, Gwen GAIL, Vilma GHOUSE, Bronte GREER, Marlene JOHNSTON, Tony LEVICK, Aroha MCCORMACK, Marie MITCHELL, Bernie O’HARA, Valerie ORTON, Mila PICKARD, Ron ROFE, Joan ROONEY, Rosa Maria SANTOS, Matt VASIL, Josephine & Bill WRIGHT and Matthew ZEMEK.

All the faithful departed.
Rosters for next week

MINISTERS OF THE WORD
Sat (SJF) 5:30pm Barbara Nicolaides
Sun (MI) 7.30am Judy Harris, Marie Melski
Sun (SJF) 8:30am Deidre Vokes
Sun (MI) 5.00pm John Butterworth

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION
Sat (SJF) 5:30pm: Bert Jacobs, John Lesina, Prem Nair
Sun (MI) 7:30am: Joan Coghlan, Paul Coghlan, Charles Grugan, Kathleen Grugan

COUNTERS
Monday, 20th August, 2018

CHURCH CARE
Sacristy (SEC)
Sanctuary & Sacristy (MI) Mabel Saah
Church Cleaning (MI) Laundy (MI) Mabel Saah

Mass Intenions

Saturday, 18th August, Away, Private:
For the intention of the donor.
8:15am Mass at MI:
For Julitta Diego Cunanan, anniversary of death
5:30pm Vigil at MI: For a special intention
5:30pm Vigil at SJF: Mass for the people “pro populo”

Sunday, 19th August, Away:
For the intention of the donor.
9:00am Mass at MI: For the Adeney Family, in thanksgiving for talents shared
6:30am Mass at SE:
For the repose of the soul of Sydney Dawson Farrah, 10th anniversary of death (20th August)

Tuesday, 21st August, Away:
For the intention of the donor.
9:00am Mass at MI: For the Holy Souls in purgatory

Sunday, 26th August
5:30pm Vigil [OF] at MI:
9:00am Mass [OF] at MI:

St Gregory's Latin Mass Community:
Thirteenth Sunday After Pentecost, Wilston 7:30am

Please Note:
There are no changes to Mass times this week.

CONFESSION TIMES:

Mon 6.45pm (MI)
Wed 9.40am - 10.00am (MI)
Thu 9.40am - 10.00am (MI)
Fri 9.40am - 10.00am (MI)
Sat 7:15am - 8:00am (MI)
Sat 4:45pm - 5:15pm (MI)
Sat 5:15pm by request (SJF)
Sun During 9:00am Mass where possible (MI)

* The Angelus and the Rosary are prayed half an hour before the early weekday Masses, at SE & SJF.
* All night Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament takes place each Thursday at SE beginning at 6.00pm and ending at 6.45am on Fridays.
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* The Holy Rosary is prayed at Mary Immaculate after the 7am Mass on Tuesdays, at 7.30am on Saturdays and after the 8.15am Mass on every first Saturday.

Saturday, 25th August, Private:
In thanksgiving, at the request of the donor.
5:30pm Vigil at SJF: For the repose of the soul of Melinda Melville, anniversary of birth (8/8/1973)
5:30pm Vigil at MI: For the people, “pro populo”

Sunday, 26th August, 7:30am Mass at MI:
For the intention of the donor.
8:30am Mass at SJF:
For the repose of the soul of Bob Gillespie, recently deceased.
9:00am Mass at MI: For the Pope and the Bishops
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MASS READINGS

First Reading: Proverbs 9:1-6
Wisdom has built herself a house, she has erected her seven pillars, she has slaughtered her beasts, prepared her wine, she has laid her table.
She has despatched her maidservants and proclaimed from the city's heights:
‘Who is ignorant? Let him step this way.’ To the fool she says, ‘Come and eat my bread, drink the wine I have prepared! Leave your folly and you will live, walk in the ways of perception.’

The Word of the Lord

Response: Thanks be to God

Responsorial Psalm 33
(Said by all)

I will bless the Lord at all times,
his praise always on my lips;
in the Lord my soul shall make its boast.
The humble shall hear and be glad.

Revere the Lord, you his saints. They lack nothing, those who revere him. Strong lions suffer want and go hungry but those who seek the Lord lack no blessing.

Come, children, and hear me that I may teach you the fear of the Lord.
Who is he who longs for life and many days, to enjoy his prosperity?

Then keep your tongue from evil and your lips from speaking deceit.
Turn aside from evil and do good; seek and strive after peace.

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Second Reading: Ephesians 5:15-20
Be very careful about the sort of lives you lead, like intelligent and not like senseless people. This may be a wicked age, but your lives should redeem it. And do not be thoughtless but recognise what is the will of the Lord. Do not drug yourselves with wine, this is simply dissipation; be filled with the Spirit.
Sing the words and tunes of the psalms and hymns when you are together, and go on singing and chanting to the Lord in your hearts, so that always and everywhere you are giving thanks to God who is our Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

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Gospel Acclamation:
Alleluia, alleluia! All who eat my flesh and drink my blood live in me and I in them, says the Lord. Alleluia!

Gospel: John 6:51-58
Jesus said to the crowd: ‘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.’ Then the Jews started arguing with one another: ‘How can this man give us his flesh to eat?’ they said.
Jesus replied: ‘I tell you most solemnly, if you do not eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you will not have life in you. Anyone who does eat my flesh and drink my blood has eternal life, and I shall raise him up on the last day.
For my flesh is real food and my blood is real drink. He who eats my flesh and drinks my blood lives in me and I live in him. As I, who am sent by the living Father, myself draw life from the Father, so whoever eats me will draw life from me. This is the bread come down from heaven; not like the bread our ancestors ate: they are dead, but anyone who eats this bread will live for ever.”

The Gospel of the Lord

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ
Memorial Acclamation: Number One
We proclaim your Death, O Lord, and profess your Resurrection until you come again.

The Catholic Inquiry Group continues to meet on Tuesdays at 7:30pm at the Parish Office, 14 Ferndale Street, Annerley. If you would like to know more about the Catholic Church or are interested in becoming a Catholic, please contact Teresa on 0413 763 256 or email: sacramental_annek@bne.catholic.net.au.

COLLECTIONS LAST WEEKEND: $2,458.70
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