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13<sup>th</sup> Sunday Ordinary Time

Year B

27<sup>th</sup> June 2021

### Our Pastor's Message

In today's gospel, the woman with the twelve-year-old haemorrhage had undergone long and painful treatment under various doctors, without getting better. Of course, up to quite recently, medicine was fairly primitive. For most of human history people prayed for real miracles to cure their infirmities. In the Middle Ages, death stalked everywhere, not least in plague-ridden cities. Local wars were fairly constant and hygiene unknown. Town and country swarmed with the deformed, the maimed, the crippled and the blind. Death ran riot throughout Europe during the horrific period of the bubonic plague, aptly called the Black Death. Nothing stood between the individual and death except God. The centre of every church was its shrine containing relics of the saints. People flocked to these shrines in search of cures. Many travelled great distances to Rome, the Holy Land, Compostela in Spain, believing, like the woman with the haemorrhage, that even touching an important relic might restore them to health. Compostela claimed to have such a relic, no less than the remains of St James, who had watched Christ raise the daughter of Jairus to life. One could hardly come closer to the healing power of Christ than that.

But the world has changed much since then. In our own time cures have been found for almost every ailment. We have all become fervent believers in the "miracles of modern medicine." Clinics have replaced churches for the stricken. The few relics that have survived seem like embarrassing reminders of our naïve past.

But was it all that naïve to hope for a miracle? Jesus attributed his two miracles to the faith of the seekers. "Your faith has restored you to health," he told the woman who was cured of her haemorrhage. All that separates us from her is the depth of our faith. Even modern medicine, in spite of all its successes, has rediscovered the importance of the patient's faith in his cure.

Christ can, now as was then, cure our sicknesses.

All he needs is our faith. With a little faith we could find the cloak of Christ like the women in the story. With a little courage we could touch it. "Do not be afraid," he says to us, as he said to Jairus, "only have faith."

*God Bless, Fr Mark*

### Parish Diary

#### Monday 28<sup>th</sup> June – St Irenaeus, *bishop, martyr*

- 9:15am Bridge Group, St Catherine's, Moggill
- 1:00pm Mahjong Group, St Catherine's, Moggill
- 1:30pm 1<sup>st</sup> Communion Interviews, OLR Parish Office (until 5:15pm)

#### Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> June – Sts Peter and Paul, *apostles*

- 9:15am Mass, OLR Church, Kenmore
- 7:00pm Ordination (**Francis Fernandes**), Cathedral of St Stephen

#### Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> June

- 9:15am Craft Group, St Catherine's, Moggill
- 1:30pm 1<sup>st</sup> Communion Interviews, OLR Parish Office (until 4:00pm)
- 6:30pm Mass, OLR Church, Kenmore
- 7:00pm Choir Practice, St Catherine's, Moggill

#### Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> July

- 9:15am Mass, St Catherine's, Moggill
- 3:30pm 1<sup>st</sup> Communion Interviews, OLR Parish Office (until 5:00pm)
- 7:15pm Maranatha Prayer Group, OLR Church, Kenmore

#### Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> July

- 9:15am Mass, OLR Church, Kenmore
- 6:00pm Adoration, OLR Church, Kenmore

#### Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> July – St Thomas, *apostle*

- 10:00am 1<sup>st</sup> Communion Interviews, OLR Parish Office (until 12:00pm)
- 5:00pm Vigil Mass, OLR Church, Kenmore

#### Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> July – 14<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 8:00am Thanksgiving Mass (**Fr Francis Fernandes**), St Catherine's, Moggill
- 9:45am Mass, OLR Church, Kenmore
- 12:00pm Baptism, OLR Church, Kenmore
- 5:30pm Mass, OLR Church, Kenmore
- 6:30pm Young Adult BBQ, OLR Parish Office

### To Attend Mass in the Parish:

Mass attendees are required to register attendance upon arrival using the **Check-In QLD App**. Mass monitors will be able to assist if you have any difficulty. **NOTE: We no longer require online booking for regular Masses.**

### Sunday Readings

1<sup>st</sup> Reading Wis 1:13-15, 2:23-24

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading 2 Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15

Gospel Mk 5:21-43

### Readings at Home

Liturgy and Prayer resources for the 13<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time: <https://universalis.com/20210627/mass.htm>

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## PARISH INFORMATION

### Prayer Requests

If your relative or friend has been removed from this list and you wish them to remain on it, please call the Parish Office.

**Recently Deceased:** Please remember all those who have died recently.

**Anniversaries:** Please remember **Marie Kiriakos** and all those whose anniversaries occur at this time.

**Sick:** Please pray for **Gabrielle Finch, Melinda Craig, Brian Rohweder, Judy Castley, Madeleine Brown, Hope Taylor, Leonard Cox, Michael Fitzgerald, Prida Dibbayawan, Lara Dunn, Kerry Lannoy, Tony Nelson, Nicole Dyer, Mary Robba, Wayne Waters, Kurt Ebert, Clint Quinlivan, Krystyna Kazimierczuk, Hans Gockel, Rosemary Foxon, Anna Stewart, Theresa Crook, Judy Kocho, Pat Clohessy, John O'Dea, Matthew Gilroy, Maria Langenberg, Nadine Jones, Clare Hickey, Nina Smart, Evelyn Gardner, Paul Cherian, John Green, Jackie Rutter, Cherry Austin, Denise Reeves, Brian West, Pat Logan, Benjamin Stekhoven, Chris Morris, Sobhon (Mo) Kanithasevi, Annette Boyle, Noelene Casey, and all those who are sick.**

### Ordination – Deacon Francis Fernandes

Deacon Francis invites us to his Ordination on Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> June at 7:00pm at the Cathedral of St Stephen, and to his Thanksgiving Mass on Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> July at 8:00am at St Catherine's Moggill.

The Ordination is now fully booked, however a Livestream of the ceremony can be accessed via: [archbne.org/bzt](http://archbne.org/bzt)  
Bookings are also open for the Thanksgiving Mass at St Catherine's.

Please note this is a fully ticketed & seated event and all those wishing to attend must pre book online at [bit.ly/OLRParishtrybooking](http://bit.ly/OLRParishtrybooking) or through the Parish office before midday Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> July.

The Parish has purchased gifts for Deacon Francis which will be presented to him by Fr Mark on our behalf. If you wish to give him a gift personally, you are welcome to do so, there will be a gift table on the day. Ordination cards are available in the Kenmore Piety Stall.

Light refreshments will be provided by the Parish following Mass. *(Please note that due to Covid Safe Regulations we are not able to serve any food prepared at home by individuals).*

After the Thanksgiving Mass, Deacon Francis (Fr Francis) will be offering his special blessing in the Church for 30 minutes following the cutting of the cake.

Contact the Parish for more information.

### Emmanuel City Mission Appeal

Parish Appeal to be taken up on the weekend 26<sup>th</sup> / 27<sup>th</sup> June to support Emmanuel City Mission to the Homeless South Brisbane.

There will be envelopes on the pews at the weekend Masses for this appeal.

To see more about the Mission to the Homeless see the link below: <https://emmanuelcitymission.com/>

### Youth News

#### YOUNG ADULTS (18+) – Young Adult BBQ

1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of each month, after 5:30pm mass, behind Kenmore Church. **Next Event – Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> July**

**Holy Hour** – Last Thursday of each month, 5:45pm - 7:00pm at OLR Church, Kenmore.

**HIGH SCHOOL (Yr. 7-12) – MAGNIFY** (Youth Group)

*Will resume for Term 3 on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> July.*

**PRIMARY SCHOOL (Yr. 4-6) – Launch Pad** (Youth Group)

*Will resume for Term 3 on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> July.*

### Further Easing of Covid Restrictions & Introduction of Qld QR Code Check In From Friday 25<sup>th</sup> June 2021

Following notification from the Qld government of a further easing of Covid restrictions and the impending mandatory requirement on Places of Worship for use of the Check In Qld App we advise the following Mass attendance requirements will be effective from this coming Friday:

- Attendance capacity under the new 3 person per 4sqm rule will change to 210 attendees at both Kenmore & Moggill Churches.
- Under the new capacity rules, for regular weekend Masses in the Parish, you will **no longer be required to book online via TryBooking to attend.**
- All attendees will be required to check in on arrival using the **Qld Government's Check In Qld App** – **NOTE: if you do not have a smart phone, the Mass coordinator will assist or you can have a family member or friend check you in on their phone.**

### 1<sup>st</sup> Communion Programmes 2021

**For children in year 4 and above who have been confirmed**

This year the Parish will be conducting three separate 1<sup>st</sup> Communion programmes for children who have been Baptised and Confirmed.

Each Programme has a limit of **40 Children** (Covid Safe Practices) and are being rolled out progressively across terms 3 and 4.

**The first programme commences with 15-minute interviews with Fr Mark for those who wish to be part of the August intake. (see 1<sup>st</sup> Programme details below)**

Please call or email the Parish Office on 3324 3630 – [kenmore@bne.catholic.net.au](mailto:kenmore@bne.catholic.net.au) to make an appointment.

As places are capped at 40 for each programme please contact us promptly.

**PLEASE NOTE only 11 places left in the August intake.**

#### 1<sup>st</sup> Programme – Interview dates open for Booking NOW

- Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> June 1.30pm – 4.30pm
- Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> July 3:30pm – 5:00pm
- Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> July 10:00am – 12noon

#### Preparation Sessions

- Sunday 1<sup>st</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup> August (11.30am – 12.30pm)

#### Celebrations of 1<sup>st</sup> Communion

- 28<sup>th</sup> August 5:00pm Saturday Vigil OLR Kenmore
- 29<sup>th</sup> August 8:00am Sunday St Catherine's Moggill
- 29<sup>th</sup> August 9:45am Sunday OLR Kenmore

## Our Lady of the Rosary Education Ministry

Our Lady of the Rosary Parish has a number of education services, please contact these for further information

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