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11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Year A

14th June

Pastor's Message

At a time when the role of Church is sometimes confusedly understood even by Christians, our Scriptures remind us that Christianity from the beginning was communitarian in nature. Jesus never intended an individualistic do-it-yourself approach to salvation.

Paul tells us that we are called and brought into a special relationship with God not because of anything we have done. We are justified and reconciled with God because of the death and resurrection of Christ. It is not something we can do on our own. Exodus also assures us that it was God who brought Israel to Sinai. It was on God's initiative that salvation or the freeing of Israel from the slavery of Egypt was accomplished. Jesus too had compassion and pity and sent the apostles forth to continue his work of preaching the Good News.

We are reminded also of our new relationship with God because of what God has done for us. The beautiful images in our first reading and Gospel recall this intimacy. "I bore you on eagle wings," "You shall be my special possession," and "his heart was moved to pity" are all ways of telling us how God has loved us. Paul reminds us that Christ's death is a sign of that love. That love too, he tells us, is poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit.

We live today in that special relationship, with the corresponding obligations that we have as God's people. The message of Good News is not meant only for ourselves. God reminded Israel that "all the earth is mine." Like the apostles, we too are sent forth with power to proclaim the goodness of our God. **God Bless, Fr Mark.**

Encounter Catholic Kids Holiday Program



Monday 29th June, OLR School Hall - CCC

A day of fun, faith and friends for prep to Yr 6. Hosted by OLR Parish and run by the Children & Family's team from Archdiocesan Ministries. **9am to 3pm with supervision from 8:30am to 5:30pm.**

Parish Diary

Monday 15th June

- 9:15am Bridge Group, St Catherine's Moggill

Tuesday 16th June

- 5:00pm Youth Group Planning, OLR Church Meeting Room

Wednesday 17th June

- 9:15am Mass, OLR Church Kenmore
- 9:15am Craft Group, St Catherine's Moggill
- 5:00pm Youth Band Practice, OLR Church Meeting Room
- 6:30pm Young Adult Adoration, OLR Chapel
- 7:00pm Bible Study, OLR Church Meeting Room
- 8:00pm State of Origin 2

Thursday 18th June

- 9:15am Mass, St Catherine's Moggill
- 7:00pm Maranatha Prayer Group, St Catherine's Moggill

Friday 19th June

- 9:15am Mass, OLR Church Kenmore
- 3:00pm Primary School Youth Group (Launch Pad) OLR School Hall
- 6:30pm High School Youth Group (Magnify) OLR School Hall

Saturday 20th June

- 9:30am Youth Footy Festival, Holy Spirit Seminary
- 11:00am Communion Minister Training, OLR Church Kenmore
- 4:30pm Confessions, OLR Church Kenmore
- 5:00pm Vigil Mass & thank you to Natali Cirillo, OLR Church Kenmore

Sunday 21st June – 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 8:00am Mass & Morning Tea, St Catherine's Moggill
- 9:45am Mass, Children's Liturgy & Morning Tea, OLR Church Kenmore
- 5:30pm Mass, OLR Church Kenmore

Parish Update – Electronic Newsletter

To subscribe to our full electronic newsletter, please go to: <https://OLRKM.flocknote.com/ParishUpdates>

Sunday Readings

1st Reading: *Exodus 19:2-6*

2nd Reading: *Romans 5:6-11*

Gospel: *Matthew 9:36-10:8*

Readings at Home

Liturgy and Prayer resources for 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time: <https://universalis.com/australia.brisbane/20260614/mass.htm>

Vision: To be a welcoming and inclusive community, sharing God's kingdom with all.

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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 **Rosalie Cavalerie** and all those whose anniversaries occur at this time.

Sick: Please pray for **Tekan Khoo**, Maty Gleeson, Hilda Birmingham, Liam MacCormick, David & Christine Blakeney, John Tangeman, Jonathan Stekhoven, Ursula Abercrombie, Terry Hunter, Susan Miller, Mary Kent, Bronwyn Tingley, Joyce Gough, Rick Dela Cruz, Margaret Kerwick, Bruce Leggat, Veda Francoise Cateaux, Kay Shannon, Sandia Ryan, Edwing Ling, Olivia Pinwill, Camilla Cowley, Eric Olsen, Deanna McNamara, Doris Fern, Ian Turner, Sandra Dickson, Sian Fitzpatrick, Pat Dryden, Stewart Behan, Alicea Longford, Pat Nelson, Eli Bartlett, Krystyna Kazimierczuk, Stephen Jones, Elizabeth Shand, Hayley Shatkovsky, Mario Garza, Juliet Quiterio, James McGrath, Graham Jackson, Leonard Cox, Prida Dibbayawan, Clint Quinlivan, Rosemary Foxon, Judy Kocho, Pat Clohessy, Matthew Gilroy, Maria Langenberg, Nina Smart, Evelyn Gardner, John Green, Cherry Austin, Denise Reeves, Chris Morris, and all the sick.

Baptism

This weekend, we celebrate the Baptisms of **Archer Smith and Harriet & Jemima Laizans**. Let us pray for them and may they be guided in faith with the help of their parents, godparents, and this parish community.

RCIA

We welcome **Tom Wills** who will be welcomed at the 9.45am Mass on Sunday as he commences his Journey of Faith.

Thank You Natali

Next Saturday the 20th of June, at the Vigil Mass, Fr Mark will recognise Natali Cirillo's service to the Parish. We will thank Natali as a community for her dedication to parishioners and visitors for her more than six years as a member of the parish office staff. Natali has taken up an employment opportunity elsewhere but continues in numerous volunteer roles in the Parish. Please join us in thanking her next week.

Living Faith Booklet

The latest Living Faith - Daily Catholic Devotions booklet for July to September is now available at the church piety stalls. Only \$10.00 each, get yours before they sell out.

Your Parish Offering

For arrange or to review your level or method of giving please contact the Parish Manager at finchm@bne.catholic.net.au For electronic funds transfer, our bank details are:

BSB: 064 786 Account Number: 100001192

(Ref., name, planned giving number or purpose of gift).

St Vincent de Paul Helpline Phone: 1800 846 643

Email: helpline.bne@svdpqld.org.au

St Vincent De Paul Winter Appeal

Our Lady of the Rosary St Vincent De Paul Conference will hold this year's **Winter Appeal** across the Parish this weekend. Donation envelopes are available in both churches, please place them on the collection plate or in the giving boxes at Mass over the coming weeks. OLR Vinnies conference members will be at Masses to answer any questions. Your generosity will help those in need in our local community.

DONATE TO THE VINNIES WINTER APPEAL TODAY.
<https://donate.vinnies.org.au/winter-appeal>

OLR Youth Groups

Primary School Youth Group Launch Pad (Yr.3-6) Friday during school term 3:00pm – 4:30pm @ the CCC Hall, OLR Primary School. **High School Youth Group Magnify (Yr.7-12)** Friday during school term 6:30pm – 8:30pm @ the CCC Hall, OLR Primary School. **Young Adult Events Every Week (18 – 35)** Community, Prayer, Social. All queries to Caleb at: youth.kenmore@bne.catholic.net.au

Maranatha Prayer Group

Please consider this a personal invitation to join us at Maranatha Prayer Group for Praise & Worship, Spiritual Enrichment & Prayer, followed by a cuppa and fellowship. Held on the 1st, 3rd, & 5th Thursdays of each month at 7:00pm at St Catherine's Moggill.

Special 4 part video series on "Real Suffering" by Dr. Bob Schuchts PHD of the JP2 Healing Centre, being run on the 4th & 18th of June and 2nd & 16th July, All Welcome.

Bible Study

Come join us for a 9-week study of Romans (part 2). Commencing Wednesday 22 July, 7.00-8.30pm, OLR Church meeting room, Kenmore. Study Book required \$12. **Register and pay by 28 June through the Parish office.**

OLR Kindergarten Closure Notice

We regretfully inform the Parish community of an important update regarding the Parish Kindergarten operated by Catholic Early Ed Care (CEEC). Following a review by Catholic Early Ed Care, and having consulted with the Parish and school, CEEC have made the decision to close the Kindy service. This decision has been communicated to effected families by Mrs Susan Chimonides, Head of Operations – Early Years at CEEC.

While this service has been an important part of our parish community, it is important to note that CEEC, as the operating authority, has made this decision based on its broader organisational considerations. As this service is separate to the school service, we acknowledge the impact this change may have on our families and the wider community. Outside School Hours Care (OSHC) also operated by CEEC as a Parish service, remains open on the OLR site as per normal. There is no change to OSHC. Any queries should be directed to Susan Chimonides at susan.chimonides@catholicearlyedcare.qld.edu.au

Our Lady of the Rosary Education Ministry

Our Lady of the Rosary Parish education services, please contact these for further information.

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