

Regina Caeli Catholic Church

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NORMAL MASS TIMES

Saturday 6pm.

Sunday 7.30am

Wednesday 9am

Mass of Healing

1st Wed of the month 9am

Reconciliation

5.30pm Saturday / or by appt.



MASS TIMES

Rosary: every
Tues @ 8am

16TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
YEAR A ~ JULY 23, 2023

PROCESSIONAL B HURD I HAVE SEEN THE LORD



*Refrain: I have seen the Lord. I have heard his voice,
And I know he lives, and I know he lives.*

Death where is your sting? Fear, where is your grip?

Hearts now free to love; lives now free to give.

V3 No greater love can there be than this;
to spend one's life to give life. *Refrain:*

OFFERTORY B FARRELL O, GOD YOU SEARCH ME

V1 O God, you search me and you know me.

All my thoughts lie open to your gaze.

When I walk or lie down you are before me:

Ever the maker and keeper of my days.

V2 You know my resting and my rising.

You discern my purpose from afar,

and with love everlasting you besiege me:

In ev'ry moment of life or death, you are.

V5 For you created me and shaped me,

gave me life within my mother's womb.

For the wonders of who I am, I praise you:

Safe in your hands, all creation is made new.

COMMUNION T WATTS I'LL BE ALWAYS LOVING YOU

V1 I am here with you by your side,

Sheltering your heart from the night.

Refrain: Wherever you go, whatever you do,

I'll be always loving you.

V2 Let me love the world through your heart,

Let me heal your wounds with my touch. *Refrain:*

Bridge: I will be your God your comforter.

I will hold you close in my heart.

V3 Let me see the world through your eyes,

Let forgiveness shine through your smile. *Refrain:*

REFLECTION M HERRY SONG OF THE COVENANT

V1 I will take you from the nations

and gather you from the world;

I will bring you into your own land

and you shall be my people and I will be your God,

and your idols will gather into dust.

Refrain: Give us new hearts, O Lord.

Give us new hearts, O Lord.

Give us hearts of flesh;

remove our hearts of stone.

V2 I will put my spirit within you,

and you shall walk in my ways.

You shall dwell in the land,

the land I gave your fathers.

And you shall be my people,

and I will be your God

and your idols will gather into dust. *Refrain:*

RECESSIONAL E SANDS SING OF THE LORD'S GOODNESS

V1 Sing of the Lord's goodness, Father of all wisdom,

come to him and bless his name. Mercy he has shown

us, his love is for ever, faithful to the end of days.

*Refrain: Come, then, all you nations, sing of the Lord's
goodness, melodies of praise and thanks to God.*

*Ring out the Lord's glory, praise him with your music,
worship him and bless his name. Repeat Refrain:*

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On Friday 29 September
at 5:30pm, a special Mass
will be held at
St Stephen's Cathedral
as part of the National
Liturgy & Liturgical Music

MYSTERY AND MISSION: THE ART OF LITURGICAL CELEBRATION ~ Sept 28 - 30

Register now for National Conference on Liturgy and Liturgical Music to be held in Brisbane 28-30 September. It is rare to have expert liturgists, liturgical musicians, & educators together in one place for 3 days of focussed input. In addition to 6 keynote presentations & over 50 workshops, there will be opportunities to engage in facilitated discussions, & to participate in the Conference Mass as well as Morning & Evening Prayer. Visit <https://mysteryandmission.com.au/> to register.

Conference taking place here in Brisbane. All singers from around the Archdiocese are warmly invited to be a part of this choir.
2 rehearsals: 1) Sun 10 Sept, 1-3pm
2) Wed 27 Sept, 7-9pm To register:
<https://lbsurvey.weebly.com/conference-choristers.html>



...to all who support Regina Caeli in any way, be it practically or financially, all assistance is valued important & vital to sustain our parish of the future.

**For new practical helpers contact p/office.
To offer financial support contact office
or you may donate online.**

Details for EFT: **BSB 064 786 A/c 100013354**

please ref donations: **Gifting App** downloadable
<http://parishgiving.brisbanecatholic.org.au/>



Should you require a priest for anything at all, need loved ones receive Sacrament of Healing, want to visit Reconciliation, unable to attend Mass but wish to receive Communion, enquiring about RCIA/RCIC, Funerals, Weddings or Baptism, Sacrament preparation or perhaps volunteer, *need transport to attend Masses; for any Sacramental needs or any enquiries, please contact parish office.*

FYI Regina Caeli delivers newsletters to those who find themselves isolated & unable to visit parish. Please contact parish office with any concerns!



Some parishioners have been contacted during recent weeks with attempted scams. Scammers are asking

parishioners contact local priests & ultimately seeking funds.

Please be vigilant & ignore & delete ALL messages.
*...and remember parishioners will never be contacted via text/random email seeking donations.
If you wish to financially support parish, please use parish accredited instructions only.*



RECENTLY DECEASED: DIANE O'KEEFFE,
MASS INTENTIONS: MORNA DALTON,
JACK & JOY MCNAMARA, DIANE MCNAMARA,
JACK, PAT & MICK O'CONNOR, GAY & LEO RYAN, IVAN, NANCY &
STEPHEN GARRETT, GLORIA & ANNE-MARIE MCMAHON

IN OUR PRAYERS: BART GAFFNEY, ANNE MARIE GARRIGAN,
CLARE HAMMOND, MARY HAZEL, LUCY HOUGHTON,
MARGARET OWEN, DAVID PARKER, WALLY & JOYCE SMITH;
Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord.

And let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen.

SPECIAL INTENTIONS: JOSHUA CHESTER, VERONICA & CATHY
COMISKEY, BRIAN & THERA HARDING, PAUL HEATHWOOD,
ALLAURA HOWS, KATH KEOGH, NICKY LOGAN, TRISH MCCONNELL,
FR RON MOLLISON, PETER OWEN, PETER REID, LESTER STEEN,
MARIE TAYLOR, NATHANIEL WILLIAMS, PAT WEIR, ZELINA

A MORNING'S PRAYER
SATURDAY 29 JULY

9am - 12pm Cost: \$25
Santa Teresa Spirituality Centre
267 Wellington St Ormiston

Facilitator: Shane Dwyer, Evangelisation **Brisbane**
CATHOLIC FORMATION

A Morning's Prayer - the profound engagement with God - Father, Son & Holy Spirit - who loves us and desires to walk with us. All are welcome to attend.
Register now at https://app.tickets.org.au/eb/amp23_3



Regina Caeli needs **you** with our Music Ministry!! Please share your diverse gifts. Help needed, just once a month. Any talents - **KEYBOARD PLAYERS, INSTRUMENTALISTS,**

GUITARISTS, SINGERS, welcomed.
Contact us at **Mass**, through Jeanne at **P/Office; Brian M 0402 588 296.**



CATHOLIC FOUNDATION
ARCHDIOCESE OF BRISBANE

Catholic Campaign
Aug 19 & 20, 2023



A MESSAGE FROM FR KEVIN, DEAN OF BRISBANE EAST DEANERY [BED]...

BED PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING: Thurs 27 July, Bulimba Catholic Parish Hall, 25 Main Ave at 7pm

AGENDA FOR MEETING: Starting with a cuppa//

In the document, Lamps Ablaze, prepared by A'bp Mark before the Diocesan Summit, in May 2023, Priority 2 is Reshaping Parish Communities...



"Our current structures are based upon the facts of an earlier time & our current mode of provision is unsustainable. In the cities, at least, we have too many parishes and too many churches."

If you believe that the statement has some implications for the Brisbane East Deanery, then perhaps a discussion on the topic may be timely. I propose a conversation around...

- 1. What are the opportunities that could benefit the parishes of our deanery if we looked again at the current structures.**
- 2. What are the challenges that we face in changing structures and expectations that have been in place so long.**
- 3. Are there any initiatives we could begin exploring now in parish life across communities.**
- 4. What does the term "A Community of Communities" mean in the day to day, Sunday to Sunday parish experience life.**

It would be helpful if some initial thinking around the above questions was possible before we gather, but is certainly not essential in attending. Everyone is very welcome and all opinions will be noted.

Where the conversation leads us will depend on the conversation itself.

Our parish has implemented the Archdiocesan Safeguarding Children and Vulnerable Adults policy. We are committed to high standards of recruitment, screening, and selection of all of our employees and volunteers and undertake intentional strategies to maintain a safe and healthy ministry environment for all.



Christian Supplies, East Brisbane seeks retail assistant 15-30 hrs p/w. For details/ to send Resumé [by 24/7/23] contact manager@christiansupplies.com.au

Privacy policy: The privacy of all individuals is important to Regina Caeli Parish, and we are committed to protecting all personal information we collect and hold. Our privacy policy is available on archdiocesan website or request a copy from parish office. <http://brisbane.catholic.org.au>



"Mogens Johansen is Regina Caeli Safeguarding representative. Mogens can be contacted by email at mamo4711@icloud.com or (m) 0400 948 079."

IMPORTANT!!! All volunteers are required by Archdiocese to be suitably



inducted as volunteers. Part of this compliance is asking all volunteers to familiarise themselves with 'best practice,' hence the Archdiocese asks that all volunteers fill out your details & return & watch a short video.

[Safeguarding Essentials \(Level 1\) video](#)

may be found on AOB website <https://brisbanecatholic.org.au>

Follow prompts of: Menu, Safeguarding, Safeguarding Training or follow the link

<https://brisbanecatholic.org.au/safeguarding/safeguarding-training/>

"Reclaim Plus" an initiative for those of 25-40 yrs, to provide space for young parents, professionals, & young adults to create community -



Jugar Café West End, Sat Aug 19 8:30am

Cost: \$20pp or \$45 for a family incl food & coffee for adults & children - live music, inspiring formation; Safe space for kids play!

Reg: <https://app.tickets.org.au/eb/Reclaimplus>



IT'S FRIDAY FORTNIGHT EKKA TIME ~ AUG 4, 9.30-11.30AM, COME & ENJOY YOURSELF @ Regina Caeli's Hall EKKA! Bring a share plate.

Play Cards & Games! Enter 'FINE ARTS' Competition with creatively made 'Table Decorations' & 'Greeting Cards,' by you, **plus** a presentation by Olive ~ 'Fine Bone China,' focussing on English, French & German pieces. Join us!

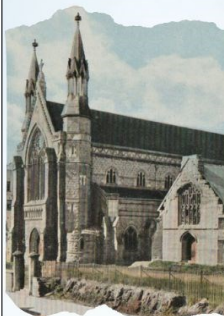
Do you love to sing? Or do you play an instrument, flute, keyboard, guitar, violin, anything. Feel free to join Regina Caeli Parish Jam session! Friday 28th July, 9:30am at the Church; Bring along your instrument & join in or simply listen to the music. All ages welcome!



For more info please contact Brian or Neisha



Celebrating 150 years of Weddings at The Cathedral of St Stephen



In this 150th year of the Cathedral of St Stephen, couples who have been married at St Stephen's are invited to commemorate their years of marriage.

On Saturday, 30th September 2023, the Archbishop will celebrate Mass at 11:30am, followed by refreshments on the Cathedral grounds.

There will be a particular focus on Golden Wedding Anniversaries, however anyone married at the Cathedral or Chapel, is invited to attend.

If you have photos or stories to share, please contact David Todd.

email: todd@bnc.catholic.net.au
telephone: 3324 3030
by 1st September 2023

To register to attend the Mass and for catering purposes please RSVP by Friday 22nd September 2023
cathedral@bnc.catholic.net.au
3324 3030

REGINA CAELI PARISH HAS 2 ITEMS FOR THE CAL-ENDARS!

1. Earlier this year, Australia celebrated Cultural Diversity week with multicultural Masses being celebrated across the Archdiocese. Regina Caeli has a wide multicultural background, hence wish to celebrate diversity, by hosting, 'A MULTICULTURAL DINNER.' A number of ethnicities have been identified.

Dinner will be **SUN, 17 SEPT, 5PM** in hall.

It would involve each country, preparing, sharing, serving a typical main dish or dessert of their home country. This is an invitation, **firstly**, to others who may like to prepare a meal & **secondly**, others who would just like to join in. Entry is by donation of \$20 per person with BYO drinks. Booking & payment is essential 2 weeks prior for **Dinner**, for non-cooking participants. Numbers are limited & bookings essential. Further details to follow in coming weeks. If you would like to join the cooking team, please contact Leo on 0437 088 745 or Vicki on 0400 327 163.



2. At both Masses, on weekend of July 29/30, the Finance Committee would like to deliver a **Financial profile** of Regina Caeli Parish.

This report is of interest to all. Report will review previous years and give parishioners an idea of impending and longer term needs & the vital roll you as parishioners play in the wellbeing of **OUR WONDERFUL PARISH.**

Sun July 23: 16th Sunday in Ord Time

Tues July 25: Rosary

Wed July 26: Daily Mass @ 9am

Sun July 30: 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Tues Aug 1: Rosary

Wed Aug 2: Daily Mass & Sacrament of Healing

Sun Aug 6: The Transfiguration of the Lord

Tues Aug 8: Rosary, recognising St Mary of the Cross

Sun Aug 13: Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Tues Aug 15: Rosary, recognising Feast of Assumption BVM



Acknowledgement:

Scripture Readings: Jerusalem Bible Translation of Scripture used in Australian Lectionary for Mass, Vols I, II and III (London: Collins Liturgical, 1981)

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First Reading

Wisdom 12:13, 16-19

A reading from the book of Wisdom

In the place of sin, you give repentance.

There is no god, other than you, who cares for everything, to whom you might have to prove that you never judged unjustly. Your justice has its source in strength, your sovereignty over all makes you lenient to all. You show your strength when your sovereign power is questioned and you expose the insolence of those who know it; but, disposing of such strength, you are mild in judgement, you govern us with great lenience, for you have only to will, and your power is there. By acting thus you have taught a lesson to your people how the virtuous man must be kindly to his fellow men, and you have given your sons the good hope that after sin you will grant repentance.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 85:5-6, 9-10, 15-16

R. Lord, you are good and forgiving.

Lector: O Lord, you are good and forgiving, full of love to all who call.

Give heed, O Lord, to my prayer and attend to the sound of my voice. **R.**

Lector: All the nations shall come to adore you and glorify your name, O Lord:

for you are great and do marvellous deeds, you who alone are God. **R.**

Lector: But you, God of mercy and compassion, slow to anger, O Lord, abounding in love and truth, turn and take pity on me. **R.**

Second Reading

Romans 8:26-27

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Romans

The Spirit himself pleads for us in a way that could never be put into words.

The Spirit comes to help us in our weakness. For when we cannot choose words in order to pray properly, the Spirit himself expresses our plea in a way that could never be put into words, and God who knows everything in our hearts knows perfectly well what he means, and that the pleas of the saints expressed by the Spirit are according to the mind of God.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation

cf Matthew 11:25

Alleluia, alleluia! Blessed are you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth; you have revealed to little ones the mysteries of the kingdom. Alleluia!

Gospel

Matthew 13:24-30

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew

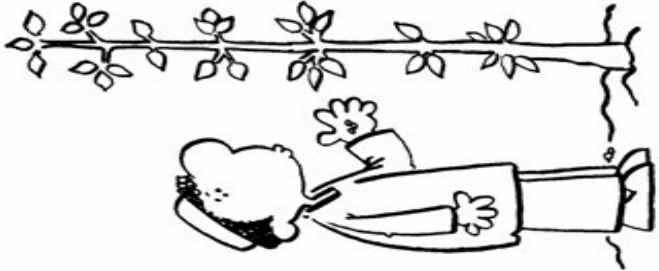
Let them grow together until the harvest.

Jesus put a parable before the crowds, 'The kingdom of heaven may be compared to a man who sowed good seed in his field. While everybody was asleep his enemy came, sowed darnel all among the wheat, and made off. When the new wheat sprouted and ripened, the darnel appeared as well. The owner's servants went to him and said, "Sir, was it not good seed that you sowed in your field? If so, where does the darnel come from?" "Some enemy has done this" he answered. And the servants said, "Do you want us to go and weed it out?" But he said, "No, because when you weed out the darnel you might pull up the wheat with it. Let them both grow till the harvest; and at harvest time I shall say to the reapers: First collect the darnel and tie it in bundles to be burnt, then gather the wheat into my barn."'

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

PARABLE SEED FIELD ENEMY DARNEL WHEAT SPROUTED SERVANTS WEED BUNDLES BURNT BARN



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