Regina Caeli Catholic Church

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Fr Martinho Da Costa O.Carm, Parish Adm.

NORMAL MASS TIMES

Saturday 6<u>pm</u> Sunday 7.30am

Wednesday 9am

Mass of Healing

Rosary: every Tues @ 8am

MASS TIMES

1st Wed of the month 9am Reconciliation

5.30pm Saturday / or by appt.

3RD SUNDAY IN LENT MARCH 3, 2024 ~ YEAR B

GATHERING

M HERRY LORD TO WHOM SHALL WE GO Refrain: Lord, to whom shall we go? You are our bread, broken and shared, Lord, to whom shall we go? Yours are the words of life.

V1 Our fathers ate, yet their hunger remained.
Their hearts were not satisfied.
V4 Your word, O Lord, is a lamp for my steps;
A light for my path of life.

OFFERTORY

J L BELL

BE STILL AND KNOW

Cantor: V1 Be still and know that I am God,
All: And there is none beside me.
Be still and know that I am God,
And there is none beside me.

V2 I am the one who calls you my friends,

All: And there is none beside me.

I am the one who calls you my friends,

And there is none beside me.

V3 I am the one whose love never fails,

All: And there is none beside me.

I am the one whose love never fails,

And there is none beside me.

COMMUNION

J MAHER

YOU ARE OUR HOME

Refrain: You are our home, you are our happiness.
You are our comfort and our hope,
you are our blessedness.

You are the place that we come from, you are our destiny, in you our hearts find lasting peace.

You are our home, you are our spirit's rest.
You run to us with open arms
and constant tenderness.

You lay your life aside in love, you offer ev'rything, in you our lives are made complete. You are our home.

V1 You're the ground on which we stand, you make us strong.

It's the space within your walls that let us breathe.
In your rooms we find our rest,
in your love we are alive.

At your table we are nourished, all our hunger satisfied.

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Bridge: You made us for yourself O God, and our hearts are restless 'till they rest in you. You made us for yourself O God and our hearts are restless 'till they rest in you, in you.

Refrain: ... You are our home. You are our home.

REFLECTION M JONCAS

I HAVE LOVED YOU

Refrain: I have loved you with an everlasting love,
I have called you, and you are mine;
I have loved you with an everlasting love,
I have called you, and you are mine.

V1 Seek the face of the lord and long for him:
He will bring you his light and his peace. *Refrain:*V2 Seek the face of the lord and long for him:
He will bring you his joy and his hope. *Refrain:*

RECESSIONAL D SHUTTE

HERE I AM LORD

V1 I, the Lord of sea and sky,
I have heard my people cry.
All who dwell in dark and sin my hand will save.
I, who make the stars of night,
I will make their darkness bright.
Who will bear my light to them?
Whom shall I send?

Refrain: Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord? I have heard you calling in the night. I will go, Lord, if you lead me. I will hold your people in my heart.

V2 I, the Lord of snow and rain,
I have borne my people's pain.
I have wept for love of them. They turn away.
I will break their hearts of stone,
give them hearts for love alone.
I will speak my word to them.

Whom shall I send? *Refrain:*V3 I, the Lord of wind and flame,
I will tend the poor and lame.
I will set a feast for them.
My hand will save.
Finest bread I will provide
till their hearts be satisfied.
I will give my life to them.
Whom shall I send? *Refrain:*



this Wednesday March 6 @ 9am

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Should you require a priest for anything at all, need your loved ones receive Sacrament of Healing, want to visit Reconciliation, unable to attend Mass however wish to receive Communion, need transport to attend Masses, enquiring about RCIA/RCIC, Funerals, Weddings or Baptism or wishing to participate in our Sacrament preparation or for any Sacramental needs, or perhaps you would like to become a volunteer; or any other enquiries, please contact parish office anytime.

Your financial support is essential and valued. There are a variety facilities available to donate. Parishioners may organise monthly direct debits through parish office, or donate via EFT.

EFT Details: BSB 064 786 A/c 100013354

Payee Account Name: Coorparoo Heights Parish

Please ref all donations! OR Perhaps take advantage of planned giving envelopes, and, we still pass the plate. Parishioners may also use 'pay pass' facility in foyer.



All donations however they arrive, are most welcome.

'The Cliffters' make music at the Church on 4th Fri of each month. Next session ~ Fri March 22 @ 6pm

Bring along instrument & join in, play or sing or come & simply listen to music. All ages welcome! For more info,

contact either Brian Moffett or Neisha Pulle

We remember those recently deceased, those with anniversaries who have gone before and those who are unwell or in need of our prayer.

> We remember in anniversary... Margaret Owen & George Lee, Trevor Smith & Laura Gleadhill

Ennio, Antoinetta & Sabatino Morlacci

Join internationally acclaimed Catholic speaker

Fr Richard Leonard SJ as he presents...

Living Liturgy: Being Sent Out on Mission to the World Liturgy in Focus

Wed 13 March 2024, 7 - 8:45pm Hanly Room, Francis Rush Centre

(located beside the Cathedral) 60 minute presentation,

20 minute tea/coffee/chat, 20 minute Q&A REGISTER AND PURCHASE TICKETS ONLINE

\$10 individual, \$8 per ticket for bookings of 5 or more







To celebrate the 150th Anniversary of the Cathedral of St Stephen

The Queensland Symphony Orchestra conducted by Umberto Clerici

will perform concerts in the Cathedral

Friday 10 May 2024 -7:30pm Saturday 11 May 2024 - 1:30pm Saturday 11 May 2024 - 7:30pm

Psalm 24 - The Earth is the Lord's Lili Boulanger (1893–1918)

Mass in C minor ('Great') K427 Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart (1756–1791)

Sara MacIver - soprano Sofia Troncoso – soprano Andrew Goodwin - tenor David Greco - baritone St Stephen's Schola Brisbane Chamber Choir

Tickets are available from the QSO websit https://qso.com.au/events/2024/special-events/special-event-mozart-n

3rd Gunday of Lent.

In the Gospel, it is not clear why Jesus is angry with the money changers and others.



Perhaps they are cheating people by raising the prices on the animals and charging high exchange fees to those needing the appropriate coins for the Temple tax. Whatever the reason,

Jesus believes these individuals collectively represent a great source of injustice. Jesus refuses to passively stand by and do nothing in the presence of such injustice, so he chooses a course of action that clearly speaks out against the injustice.

What injustices remain today that we can raise our voices against to get addressed and corrected?

We're here at... THE YEAR OF PRAYER

called for by Pope Francis

LENTEN PRAYER GATHERINGS

6 FRIDAYS DURING LENT, 6 - 6.40PM Fri 16th Feb (following Ash Wednesday) Fri 23rd Feb.

Fri 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd March

Focus on the following Sunday's Gospel... Respond with a range of great prayer traditions we have received from both the Scriptures and genius saints, including St Benedict & St Francis, St Teresa of Ávila & St Ignatius Loyala

- The Examen
- Christian Meditation
- Lectio Divina
- ♦ Scripture Rosary
- The Liturgy of the Hours (Prayer of the Church)
- The Stations of the Cross (from St Stephen's Cathedral)

If you need a lift, people have volunteered to help you. Contact Brian: 0402 588 296 You'll be very welcome!!

March 2024

Sun 3 3rd Sunday of Lent

Tues 5 Rosary Wed 6 Mass of Healing and Hope @ 9am

Fri 8 Lenten Prayer Gathering @ 6pm (Week 4)

Sun 10 4th Sunday of Lent

Tues 12 Rosary Wed 13 Mass @ 9am

Fri 15 Friday Social in the hall @ 9.30am

15 Lenten Prayer Gathering @ 6pm (Week 5)

Sun 17 5th Sunday of Lent





Easter Raffle 2024



Proceeds to: Project Compassion & Regina Caeli Parish

1st Prize 2 night stay (nights to be negotiated, valid 2024 only) **Beach Palms Holiday Apartments** 1111 Gold Coast Hwy, Palm Beach



2nd Prize \$50 3rd Prize \$25



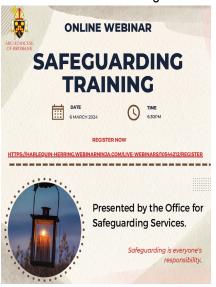
Tickets \$5

100 tickets only

Drawn Easter Sunday 31/3/2024



Keeping up to date with Safeguarding Training is essential for clergy, parish employees and parish volunteers. It is a requirement under the National Catholic Safeguarding Standards for this training to be completed every 2 yrs.



Generally the program is offered via an online module in ArcheLearn. our Archdiocesan training platform. However, Archdiocesan Safeguarding Office is trialing the training in webinar format which some may find

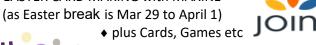
> Register now! for Webinar on March 6 2024

more convenient.

HTTPS://HARLEQUIN-HERRING.WEBINARNINJA.COM/ LIVE-WEBINARS/10544212/REGISTER

Next Regina Caeli 'Friday Social' in Parish Hall Friday March 15 @ 9.30am

- ◆ An Irish St Patrick's Day Sing-a-Long to get toes tapping
- **♦ EASTER CARD MAKING with MAXINE**



Please bring a small plate of goodies to share! See Charmaine for more info or contact parish office!





3rd Sun of Lent 2 & 3 March





Samoa may be a country surrounded by water, but access to clean drinking water is scarce in some areas, with many families facing extreme hardship as a result. Leaia lives with her five children, husband, brother & sister-in-law on the island of Upolu in Samoa. Not having access to a reliable source of clean water caused Leaia a lot of worry. Their home is not connected to a piped water system, so

they had to rely solely on rainwater collected in old fridges. When their water ran out, Leaia had to walk with her young children to collect water in buckets & containers from a neighbour down the street. With support of Caritas Australia's local partner, Caritas Samoa, a water tank was installed at Leaia's home. She and her family now have a steady supply of clean drinking water at home. Next year, they will also have a toilet built, with the support of Caritas Samoa, which will further improve their health and living conditions. Leaia said, "We are very thankful and grateful for the water tank. It has helped us so much and made our daily life easier," Please donate to Project Compassion.

Together, we can help vulnerable communities face their challenges today and build a better tomorrow...

for all future generations.

You can donate through Project Compassion donation boxes / envelopes available from your parish, or visit



caritas.org.au/project-compassion or call 1800 024 413. Photo: Laura Womersley/Caritas Australia

Parishioners, please be cautious of emails falsely claiming to be from your parish priest, requesting personal or financial support. Verify the authenticity of such emails and remember, official parish communications will never solicit sensitive information or money in this manner. Please do not respond.

Instead, contact the parish office directly to report the incident and for further guidance. Beware of email scams!!



Mass 3 March 2024

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

Exodus 20:1-3, 7-8, 12-17 (Year B) (JB) Short Version A reading from the book of Exodus The Law was given through Moses.

God spoke all these words. He said, 'I am the Lord your God who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery.

'You shall have no gods except me.

'You shall not utter the name of the Lord your God to misuse it, for the Lord will not leave unpunished the man who utters his name to misuse it.

'Remember the sabbath day and keep it holy.

'Honour your father and your mother so that you may have a long life in the land that the Lord your God has given to you.

'You shall not kill.

'You shall not commit adultery.

'You shall not steal.

'You shall not bear false witness against your neighbour.

'You shall not covet your neighbour's house.

'You shall not covet your neighbour's wife, or his servant, man or woman, or his ox, or his donkey, or anything that is his.'

The word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 18:8-11 (Year B)

R. Lord, you have the words of everlasting life.

Lector: The law of the Lord is perfect,

it revives the soul.

The rule of the Lord is to be trusted, it gives wisdom to the simple. R.

Lector: The precepts of the Lord are right,

they gladden the heart.

The command of the Lord is clear,

it gives light to the eyes. R.

Lector: The fear of the Lord is holy,

abiding for ever.

The decrees of the Lord are truth

and all of them just. R.

Lector: They are more to be desired than gold, than the purest of gold and sweeter are they than honey, than honey from the comb. R.

Second Reading 1 Corinthians 1:22-25 (Year B)

A reading from the first letter of St Paul to the Corinthians We are preaching a crucified Christ, a scandal to many, but to those who have been called, the wisdom of God.

While the Jews demand miracles and the Greeks look for wisdom, here are we preaching a crucified Christ; to the Jews an obstacle that they cannot get over, to the pagans madness, but to those who have been

called, whether they are Jews or Greeks, a Christ who is the power and the wisdom of God. For God's foolishness is wiser than human wisdom, and God's weakness is stronger than human strength.

The word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation John 3:16 (Year B) Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory! God loved the world so much, he gave us his only Son, that all who believe in him might have eternal life.

Gospel John 2:13-25 (Year B)

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John Destroy this sanctuary, and in three days I will raise it up. Just before the Jewish Passover Jesus went up to Jerusalem, and in the Temple he found people selling cattle and sheep and pigeons, and the money changers sitting at their counters there. Making a whip out of some cord, he drove them all out of the Temple, cattle and sheep as well, scattered the money changers' coins, knocked their tables over and said to the pigeon-sellers, 'Take all this out of here and stop turning my Father's house into a market.' Then his disciples remembered

the words of scripture: Zeal for your house will devour me. The Jews intervened and said, 'What sign can you show us to justify what you have done?' Jesus answered, 'Destroy this sanctuary, and in three days I will raise it up.' The Jews replied, 'It has taken forty-six years to build this sanctuary: are you going to raise it up in three days?' But he was speaking of the sanctuary that was his body, and when Jesus rose from the dead, his disciples remembered that he had said this, and they believed the scripture and the words he had said. During his stay in Jerusalem for the Passover many believed in his name when they saw the signs that he gave, but Jesus knew them all and did not trust himself to them; he never needed evidence about any man; he could tell what a man had in him.

The Gospel of the Lord. Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

HOLY WEEK MASS TIMES

March Sun 24 Passion Sunday - normal times Thurs 28 Holy Thursday @ 6pm Fri 29 Good Friday

- Stations of the Cross @ 10pm
- Friday of the Passion of the Lord @ 3pm

Sat 30 Easter Vigil @ 6pm

Holy Week

Starting with Blessing of Fire in grounds

Sun 31 Easter Sunday @ 7.30pm



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