



The Brisbane Oratory in Formation Parish of Annerley Ekibin

The Ascension of the Lord, Year B [OF] & Sunday After Ascension [EF]:
12th/13th May, 2018

Readings for next Sunday 19th/20th May, 2018

1st : Acts 2: 1-11
2nd: Galatians 5: 16-25
Gospel: John 15: 26-27,
16: 12-15

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Dear Parishioners,

This week we have a message from Fr Adrian Sharp, moderator of the Brisbane Oratory in formation, to which I draw your attention. In the lead-up to the feast of St Philip Neri, founder of the Oratory, we would like not only to invite you to join with us in prayer, but also to know that in the future we desire make his relic available for veneration following the Saturday morning Mass. In due course, I'll include a notice in the newsletter of the starting date for this custom.

Our second musical *oratorio* for the year is coming up on May 22, as a way of enhancing our celebration of Pentecost. The programming is a little bit more adventurous this time, and will include a Cantata composed by JS Bach for the third day of the Octave of Pentecost (this year falling on May 22), for which we will welcome a number of guest performers. All are most warmly invited to come along, and perhaps consider inviting someone not directly associated with the parish who might enjoy the occasion.

In Christ,

Fr Scot Anthony Armstrong



The Oratory community invites you to join with us in praying a novena in preparation for the feast day of Saint Philip Neri. The novena prayer can be found on the prayer cards at the front of the church, and also appears below. We'll start praying the novena this Wednesday, 16th May. On Saint Philip's feast day, Saturday 26th May, there will be the usual Low Mass at 8:15am, and also a Solemn High Mass at 7:00pm (after the usual 5:00pm Ordinary Form Vigil Mass for the Sunday). Supper will follow in the hall. All are warmly invited to celebrate this feast in honour of the founder of the Oratory. Fr Adrian Sharp.

Prayer to St Philip Neri

O holy St Philip, patron saint of joy, you who trusted Scripture's promise that the Lord is always at hand and that we need not have anxiety about anything, in your compassion heal our worries and sorrows and lift the burdens from our hearts. We come to you as one whose heart swells with abundant love for God and all creation. Hear us, we pray, especially in this need (*make your request here*). Keep us safe through your loving intercession, and may the joy of the Holy Spirit which filled your heart transform our lives and bring us peace. *Amen.*

On Pentecost Sunday, 20th May, there will be a morning tea after the 9:00am Mass at Mary Immaculate Church. All parishioners are warmly invited to come along. Please bring a platter of food to share and BYO drinks.

On the feast of St Phillip Neri, the following Saturday, there will be a celebratory supper in the hall following Mass and assistance is needed for catering. If you can assist, please phone or message Nicole King on 0413 544 192.

Sacramental Program

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION MASSES 2018

- Saturday 2 June - 5.30pm Vigil at St John Fisher
- Sunday 3 June - 8.30am at St John Fisher
- Sunday 3 June - 5pm at Mary Immaculate

Children who received the Sacraments of Penance and Confirmation in 2017 will be making their First Holy Communion at parish Masses on Saturday 2 June 5:30pm at the Vigil Mass or the 8.30am Sunday Mass 3 June at St John Fisher church; and the Sunday June 3 Mass at 5:00pm at Mary Immaculate church. The preparation sessions are currently underway on Thursdays at 4pm at St Elizabeth's Catholic Primary School.

PARISH DATE CLAIMERS

Monday 14th May	Elizabethan Social Club Bus Trip to Maleny. Cost \$50, all inclusive. Bus departs SJF at 8:30am. Bookings Philomena on 3349 2809 or Joan on 3848 3251.
Monday 14th May	Josephites Association Meeting at Majellan House, Yeerongpilly, at 10:00am. For further information, please contact Jay on 3848 8923 or Clair on 3848 3998.
Saturday 19th May	Baptism Preparation for Parents at 9:00am in MI Music Room. Please phone the Parish Office to book.
Saturday 26th May	Feast of St Philip Neri. 7:00pm Solemn High Mass, followed by supper in the hall.
Monday 9th July	Visit of Archbishop Coleridge for Mass & the Institution to the Ministry of Acolyte for Brothers Tyson King, Conor Power and Matthew Buckley.
Saturday 28th July	The Oratory's 3rd Anniversary Dinner & Dance at Riverside Receptions, New Farm at 6:30pm.
Wednesday 8th August	Solemnity of St Mary of the Cross. Solemn High Mass at 5:30pm.

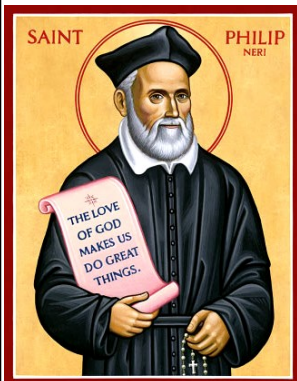
Reflection

We ought to abhor every kind of affectation, whether in talking, dressing, or anything else.

St Philip Neri

On peace when confronted by our faults: "We must hate our shortcomings, but in a peaceful and tranquil way, and not be fretful or troubled. We must have the patience to see our shortcomings and to profit from a saintly abasement of ourselves. Failing that, our imperfections will trouble us more keenly, and, by this, maintain themselves, as there is nothing which sustains our defects more than a sense of anxiety and haste to eliminate them." (St Francis de Sales)

from *Searching For and Maintaining Peace*, by Jacques Philippe (Sceptre, New York, 2002).



LEGION OF MARY



Tuesday Rosary: On Tuesday 15th of May, the Holy Rosary is recited for peace in our communities, in our relationships and in our hearts, 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).

Our Lady's Gift to inactive Catholics: Over the next few months, the Legion of Mary will place a basket marked "Our Lady's Gift to Inactive Catholics" on the table at the back of Mary Immaculate Church and St John Fisher Church. The basket contains little yellow cards, each of which has Parish details and Mass & Confession times, with a Miraculous Medal attached. Please take one and give it to someone you know, who has fallen away from practice of the faith.

SUNDAY
2:00PM
3RD JUNE 2018
ST STEPHEN'S
CATHEDRAL
BRISBANE
PROCEEDINGS BY
ARCHBISHOP MARK COLERIDGE



www.corpuschristibrisbane.com

Let us publicly honour our Lord through the city streets.
 For information regarding parish bus timetables, to donate, or to watch a livestream of the procession, please visit the website. Please phone 0412 802 122 for further details.



Ever wondered how to change society for the good?
 YPAT (Young Political Activist Training) is a seven day intensive conference, aimed at equipping **young leaders aged 18-30**, across a range of professions and industries, to be socially and politically aware and willing to engage in the democratic process for the good. This year the conference will go from July 1-7 at UQ. For more info contact Chris at cdasilva@ncc@gmail.com

WE PRAY FOR: Those who are recently deceased.

Those who are sick: Luke ADENEY, Ksenia BORODIN, Rex BOWEN, Joan BRAMMER, Ted BUTTERWORTH, Duncan CARSTENS, Sylvia DELUCA, Shannon EMSLIE, Jane FARRELL, Bryan FITZPATRICK, Joan FLEW, Anne FRANETTOVICH, Gwen GAIR, Vilma GHOUSE, Bob GILLESPIE, Bronte GREER, Marlene JOHNSTON, 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

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MINISTERS OF THE WORD

Sat (SJF) 5:30pm Kay Holmes

Sun (MI) 7.30am Michael Cooper, Sol Dobinson

Sun (SJF)8:30am Deidre Vokes, Dianne Shanahan

Sun (MI) 5.00pm Maggie Soares, Ken Meissner

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

Sat (SJF) 5:30pm: Bert Jacobs, John Lesina, Prem Nair

Sun (MI) 7:30am: Bertha Clark, Joan Coghlan, Paul Coghlan, Charles Grugan, Kathleen Grugan

COUNTERS

Monday, 14th May, 2018


CHURCH CARE

Sacristy (SEC) Maria Monro

Sanctuary & Sacristy (MI) Mabel Saah

Laundry (MI) Mabel Saah

**Pentecost Oratorio: Bach's Cantata 175 BWV
Tuesday, 22nd May, 7:30pm at MI Church**



In our Oratorio series, we showcase sacred music that can help all of us raise our hearts and minds to God. The Oratorio will feature an instrumental ensemble and the Brisbane Oratory Choir, directed by Mr Warwick Adeney, director of music of the Brisbane Oratory (and concertmaster of the Queensland Symphony Orchestra). Admission is free, but donations are welcome.

EF Sung Vespers 4pm May 13 at MI Church

PLEASE NOTE :

There are no changes to Mass times this week.

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

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, 12th May, Private: For a special intention

8:15am Mass at MI: For Mathew Thomas

5:30pm Vigil at MI: For the repose of the souls of Margaret and Frederick Deed

5:30pm Vigil at SJF: Mass for the People 'pro populo'

Sunday, 13th May, 7:30am Mass at MI: For the Holy Spirit to guide the hearts of all Christians to accept the true joys of the Gospel message

8:30am Mass at SJF: For the Holy Souls in purgatory

9:00am Mass at MI: For the repose of the soul of Archbishop Brian Barnes OFM (died 9/5/17)

5:00pm Mass at MI: For the Pope and the Bishops

Monday, 14th May, Private: For the repose of the soul of Robby McCormick

7:00pm Mass at MI:

For Frassati Groups and their members

Tuesday, 15th May, 7:00am Mass at MI:

For the repose of the soul of Peter Hansen, anniversary of death

Wednesday, 16th May, 6:30am Mass at SJF:

For the benefactors of the Brisbane Oratory in Formation, living and deceased

9:00am Mass at MI: For Mathew Thomas

Thursday, 17th May, 7:00am Mass at MI:

For the intention of the donor

Friday, 18th May, 6:30am Mass at SE:

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Parish Diary & Mass Times: 14th-20th May

Monday 14th May

6:30am Mass [OF+] SE

7:00pm Mass [EF] MI

Tuesday 15th May

7:00am Mass [EF] MI

9:00am Mass [OF] MI

Wednesday 16th May

6:30am Mass [OF] SJF

9:00am Mass [EF] MI

Thursday 17th May

7:00am Mass [OF+] MI

9:00am Mass [EF] MI

5:45pm Exposition SE

Friday 18th May

6:30am Mass [OF] SE

9:00am Mass [EF] MI

7:30pm Holy Hour MI (confession available)

Saturday 19th May

8:15am Mass [EF] MI

Pentecost Sunday

5:30pm Vigil [OF] SJF

5:30pm Vigil [OF+] MI

Sunday 20th May

7:30am Mass [OF] MI

8:30am Mass [OF] SJF

9:00am Mass [EF] MI

4:00pm Sung Vespers [EF] MI

5:00pm Mass [OF+] MI

OF = Ordinary Form | OF+ = *Ad orientem* | EF = Extraordinary Form

MI = Mary Immaculate SE = St Elizabeth's SJF = St John Fisher

CONFESSION TIMES:

Mon 6:45pm (MI)

Wed 9:40am - 10:00am (MI)

Thu 9:40am - 10:00am (MI)

Fri 9:40am - 10:00am (MI)

7:30pm - 8:30pm (MI) During Holy Hour

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.

* Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament takes place on Saturdays from 7:15am - 8:00am at MI Church.

* Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament takes place from 9.40am to 11.30am on every First Friday at Mary Immaculate Church.

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An additional rostered adorer is required for 8-9pm at St Elizabeth's on Thursday nights. If you can assist, please contact Father Adrian, 0427 109 054.

>9:00am Mass at MI:

For the repose of the soul of Julio Silva-Ortiz (anniversary)

Saturday, 19th May, St Stephen's Cathedral 11:30am:

For the repose of the soul of Luis Block, recently deceased

5:30pm Vigil at MI:

For Julio Enrique Silva, first anniversary of death

5:30pm Vigil at SJF: For Sam and Connie Farfaglia

Sunday, 20th May, 7:30am Mass at MI:

For the intentions of the donor

9:00am Mass at MI: For the Pope and the Bishops

8:30am Mass at SJF: For the Butterworth Family

5:00pm Mass at MI: For the intentions of the Oratory priests

MASS READINGS

First Reading: Acts 1:1-11

In my earlier work, Theophilus, I dealt with everything Jesus had done and taught from the beginning until the day he gave his instructions to the apostles he had chosen through the Holy Spirit, and was taken up to heaven. He had shown himself alive to them after his Passion by many demonstrations: for forty days he had continued to appear to them and tell them about the kingdom of God. When he had been at table with them, he had told them not to leave Jerusalem, but to wait there for what the Father had promised. 'It is,' he had said 'what you have heard me speak about: John baptised with water but you, not many days from now, will be baptised with the Holy Spirit.' Now having met together, they asked him, 'Lord, has the time come? Are you going to restore the kingdom to Israel?' He replied, 'It is not for you to know the times or dates that the Father has decided by his own authority, but you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you, and then you will be my witnesses not only in Jerusalem but throughout Judaea and Samaria, and indeed to the ends of the earth.' As he said this he was lifted up while they looked on, and a cloud took him from their sight. They were still staring into the sky when suddenly two men in white were standing near them and they said, 'Why are you men from Galilee standing here looking into the sky? Jesus who has been taken up from you into heaven, this same Jesus will come back in the same way as you have seen him go there.'

The Word of the Lord

Response: Thanks be to God

Responsorial Psalm 46 (Said by all)

All peoples, clap your hands, cry to God with shouts of joy! For the Lord, the Most High, we must fear, great king over all the earth.

God goes up with shouts of joy; the Lord goes up with trumpet blast. Sing praise for God, sing praise, sing praise to our king, sing praise.

God is king of all the earth. Sing praise with all your skill. God is king over the nations; God reigns on his holy throne.

Second Reading: Ephesians 1:17-23

May the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, give you a spirit of wisdom and perception of what is revealed, to bring you to full knowledge of him. May he enlighten the eyes of your mind so that you can see what hope his call holds for you, what rich glories he has promised the saints will inherit and how infinitely great is the power that he has exercised for us believers. This you can tell from the strength of his power at work in Christ, when he used it to raise him from the dead and to make him sit at his right hand, in heaven, far above every Sovereignty, Authority, Power, or Domination, or any other name that can be named, not only in this age, but also in the age to come.

He has put all things under his feet, and made him, as the ruler of everything, the head of the Church; which is his body, the fullness of him who fills the whole creation.

The Word of the Lord

Response: Thanks be to God

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia! Go and teach all people my gospel. I am with you always, until the end of the world. Alleluia!

Gospel: Mark 16:15-20

Jesus showed himself to the Eleven, and said to them, 'Go out to the whole world; proclaim the Good News to all creation. He who believes and is baptised will be saved; he who does not believe will be condemned. These are the signs that will be associated with believers: in my name they will cast out devils; they will have the gift of tongues; they will pick up snakes in their hands, and be unharmed should they drink deadly poison; they will lay their hands on the sick, who will recover.' And so the Lord Jesus, after he had spoken to them, was taken up into heaven: there at the right hand of God he took his place, while they, going out, preached everywhere, the Lord working with them and confirming the word by the signs that accompanied it.

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ

Memorial Acclamation: Number One

We proclaim your Death, O Lord, and profess you Resurrection until you come again.

The Catholic Inquiry Group is currently in recess. Please contact Teresa on 0413 763 256 for more information on further offerings of this important introduction to and formation for the sacraments for adults.

LIGHTHOUSE CD THIS MONTH: Saint John Paul the Great, by Jason Evert. Available in the churches.

COLLECTIONS LAST WEEKEND: \$2,361.50 ELECTRONIC CONTRIBUTIONS AVERAGE FOR WEEK: \$1,856.54. Thank you from a grateful Parish.

ARE YOU A NEW PARISHIONER? OR ARE YOU FROM ELSEWHERE IN BRISBANE BUT REGULARLY ATTEND MASS HERE AND WOULD LIKE TO BE REGISTERED AS A FRIEND OF THE BRISBANE ORATORY? If so, please fill in the form below and place it on the collection plate or mail to our Parish Office:

P.O. Box 3131, Tarragindi. 4121.

- I am a new parishioner
I am from elsewhere but would like to be registered as a friend of the Brisbane Oratory

Name.....

Address.....

Phone.....Mobile.....

E-mail.....