



ST FRANCIS XAVIER CATHOLIC PARISH

OUR PARISH MASSES						
Weekday					Saturday	6 th June
1 st	Jun	Mon	9.00am	No Mass The Blessed Virgin Mary	5.00pm	No Vigil Mass
					4.30pm	Reconciliation (till)
2 nd	Jun	Tues	9.00am	No Mass	Sunday 7th June	
3 rd	Jun	Wed	9.00am	No Mass St Charles Iwanga	The Most Holy Trinity	
4 th	Jun	Thurs	9.00am	No Mass	7.00am	No Mass
5 th	Jun	Fri	9.00am	No Mass St Boniface	9.00am	No Mass

Pentecost Sunday **Year A** **31st May 2020**



Action

Jesus came to the world to show God's love for the world. He was born into the world to be one of us in all things, except sin. St. John told us that God loved the world so much; God gave the world His only Son to save us (The Prologue). This extraordinary way of showing God's love was not well accepted by the world. Ironically, the world claimed, that in the name of God, they condemned Jesus for blasphemy, nailing Him on the cross, saying he was only man, and yet claiming to be God. For Jesus' opponents, His saving mission came to an end, when he breathed His last breath on the cross. For Jesus, His earthly life ended at the cross, but not his saving mission. He carried the burden of sins by means of the cross. His saving mission was going to be accomplished on His Second coming as He has promised (Jn. 14,28). Jesus' saving mission continues. It takes a new form, signified by the Paraclete. The day Jesus ascended into heaven was the beginning His apostles' new life. They actively began their mission in His Holy Name. On that day, Jesus' mission on earth was handed over to His apostles, and to those, who through them, believe in Jesus. Jesus said to them *'As the Father sent me, so am I sending you'* 20, 19. After saying this, Jesus breathed on them and said: *'Receive the Holy Spirit'*. Jesus sent His apostles into the world, just as He was sent by the Father to the world. Receiving the Spirit, the apostles began their saving mission. They had no power to save, but only to preach about God's redemptive plan, and God's love for the world. Twice in this passage, Jesus addressed His apostles *'Peace be with you'* 20,20-21. The peace that Jesus gave the

apostles, enabled them to live in the hostile world, which refused to embrace the gift of peace. People were given a choice between God's way, and the way of the world. Those who chose God's way would live in peace; those who follow the way of the world would live in sin for rejecting God. The rejection happened in the forms of hostility, persecution and imprisonment for those who chose God's way. This still happens.

There is a difference between Jesus' teaching and His followers'. Jesus talked about the Father's love. His followers proclaimed Jesus' love. The key message of Jesus' followers was focussing on Jesus' Passion and His invisible presence in the world. In doing their mission, Jesus' followers were not alone. They were accompanied by the invisible, heavenly power of God, The Paraclete, who became their guide and companion. Receiving the Paraclete, Jesus' followers received the power to act. By acts of charity and kindness, they made Jesus' commandment of love, real to the world. Giving them the Paraclete, Jesus told them, that His gift was the Spirit of Truth 14,6 who would teach them everything, reminding them of what He had taught them (14,26), and their faithful commitment to follow would give glory to Him 16,14. Empowered with the Holy Spirit, the apostles entered the world, knowing that rejection, hostility and persecution were ahead of them. However, their love for Jesus was so strong, that nothing could deter them from their mission, not even death itself. We have some of their personal accounts in 'The Acts of The Apostles'.

Fr Vudinh Tuong
Parish Priest

RESOURCES TO PRACTICE YOUR FAITH AT HOME

St Stephen's Cathedral

- www.archbne.org/bzw - Online Mass
- <https://www.cathedralofststephen.org.au/> - Webpage
- www.archbne.org/dwlc - Register for regular emails

Catholic Leader

- www.catholicleader.com.au – Newspaper online

Liturgy Brisbane

- <https://www.liturgybrisbane.net.au/prepare/sunday-readings-and-family-prayer/> – Readings and Prayers

Social Media

- www.facebook.com/archbne - Facebook
- @archbne - Instagram

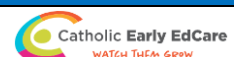
Pope Francis Daily Mass – 3pm

- <https://www.facebook.com/vaticannews/videos/2964182293618950/>
- <https://www.facebook.com/vaticannews/videos/722760748263648/>

WEEKLY INFORMATION

St Francis Xavier Kindergarten

Currently the St Francis Xavier Kindergarten still has vacancies for 2020, they are also taking enrolments for 2021. Please contact their Director/Teacher, Alison Ellis, for any further information.



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PARISH DIARY

Safeguarding Audit

- Please read the attached Safeguarding Commitment from the Most Rev Mark Coleridge.

COVID 19 Protocols

- Funerals may be conducted with a maximum capacity of up to 20 people indoors and 30 people outdoors;
- Weddings may be conducted with a maximum capacity of up to 10 people;
- Baptisms have a maximum capacity of up to 10 people;
- Unfortunately, we are not in a position to open for private prayer;
- Other Sacraments are still on hold;
- Indoor/outdoor events are still on hold.

Feast Days for this Month

- Pentecost Sunday – 31st May 2020;
- The Most Holy Trinity – 7th June 2020;
- The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi) - 14th June 2020;
- The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus – 19th June 2020;
- 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time – 21st June;
- The Nativity of St John the Baptist – 24th June;
- St Peter & St Paul Apostles – 29th June.


Feast Days

PASTORAL MATTERS



Prayer for the Sick

Hudson Mc Hardy, Keith Auld, Lin Merrian, Marj Robbin, Kim Shadwell, Jackie Ledger, Amy and Reagan Whiteman, Amanda Harding, Sarah Kathleen Jones, Marie Bonne, Phil O'Dwyer, Peter Eddy, John Cornwell, Michael Hancock.

Anniversaries 1st June – 7th June

John McKelvey, Catherine Vu, Ernest Bolton, Roy Young, Lily Powell, Marco Vuksic, Kristof Podolak, Anna Helmer, Raimund Maierhofer, Wincenty Kucmin, Cath Cross, Anthony Sabaliagskas, Elizabeth Donoghue, Arthur Burton.

Reading – The Most Holy Trinity – 7th June

1 st Reading	Ex 34:4-6, 8-9
2 nd Reading	2 Cor 13:11-13
Gospel	Jn 3:16-18



Baptism at St Francis Xavier, Goodna

There will be no Baptisms for June. Please keep in touch with the Parish Office as the current restrictions may change at any time. Baptisms are held on the third Sunday of each month during the 9am Mass. Please contact the Parish Office for more information.

Home Visit

Anyone who is sick or housebound and would like a visit from a priest, please contact the parish office and a visit can be arranged.

Recently Deceased

Gladys Beaver, Andrew Vu Van Co, Colin Mann.



Loop System The Church is fitted with a loop system. If you wear a hearing aid, set the control to the 'T' to obtain a better sound.

ROSTERS FOR NEXT WEEK – 1ST JUNE 2020



Flowers

None until Further Notice



Cleaning

None until Further Notice

Ministers Roster for Next Week – NONE UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

Date	Time	Leader/Welcome	1st Reader	2nd Reader	Ciborium	Chalice	Chalice

KNOWLEDGE

When a person reads the sacred scripture with an open heart, it is believed God speaks to that person – Jesus said “if anyone loves me he will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we shall come to him and make our home with him.” John 14:23

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