



**Second Sunday of Easter - Year A**

**16<sup>th</sup> April, 2023**

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**CHILD PROTECTION - is everyone's responsibility**

Check the Parish Website for:

Child Safety & Code of Conduct Policy  
Parish Privacy Act / Professional Standards

*A parent must accompany any child leaving the church during Mass.*

**Parish Email** [gisborne@cam.org.au](mailto:gisborne@cam.org.au)

**Parish Website** <http://pol.org.au/gisborne/Home.aspx>

**Secretary Hours** Tuesday & Thursday 9:00am – 5:00pm

**CONTINUING PRAYER LIST:**

Please pray for those who are in ill health:

*Eileen Seric, Corrine Van der Merwe, Megan Brannigan,  
Andrew Moore, Michael Wisniewski, Glenys O'Dea,  
Anthony Seric, Ryan Fitzgerald, Jessica Cochran,  
Gerard Hede, Mary-Rose Carroll, Cheryl Lapworth,  
Stephania Cremasco, Archie Power, Kylie Inserra &  
Joe Marchitto.*

We pray for the recently deceased, and for those who have an anniversary at this time, especially *John Cutajar*.

**May they rest in peace** ☩

*Please email Tam if you would like an Anniversary included in the prayers.*

**Special Collection through Lent - Caritas - Project Compassion - 22 February – 8 April**

Please return Mite boxes and Collection envelopes in the coming weeks.

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT.**

**BAPTISM PRAYER**

We pray for

**Phoebe**



who will be Baptised in our parish this week.

The parishioners of St. Brigid's Parish welcome and support you

**CONGRATULATIONS FR. VINOTH**

April 15<sup>th</sup>, 2023 will mark the 16<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Ordination into the Priesthood for Fr. Vinoth.

It is a gift to answer the call and give your life in service of others. Thank you

Fr. Vinoth and Congratulations on a wonderful achievement.

**EASTER SERVICES - THANK YOU**

On behalf of Fr. Vinoth and all parishioners, I'd like to extend a big THANK YOU to all those who helped make all of the Easter Services run so smoothly and touch so many people.

Special mention must go to The Liturgy team and our Amazing Choir but it certainly takes a village.....

Readers, Special ministers, Florists, Greeters, Sacristans, Gardeners, to name just a few.

**BOURKIE'S BAKE HOUSE WOODEND**

Have kindly donated the beautiful hot cross buns you will have enjoyed on Good Friday.

Thank you to Adam and Maurie for organising these treats.

**SPECIAL COLLECTION – GOOD FRIDAY HOLY PLACES**

The total contribution was \$361.85

Thank you for your generosity.



**THAT VIDEO GUY**

The sound systems provided for the Choir at the Good Friday & Easter Vigil services have been provided by local business, **That Video Guy**.

For enquiries or to book their services; please contact That Video Guy on 5426 1354, or at [www.facebook.com/ThatVideoGuyAUS](http://www.facebook.com/ThatVideoGuyAUS)

**Cardinal Pell Luncheon & Lecture**

**Aid to the Church in Need** is launching an annual **George Cardinal Pell Luncheon & Lecture** with the inaugural event to take place in Melbourne CBD on Sunday 21 May.

The keynote speaker will be Mr David Pell, brother of the late Cardinal. For information and to register, please visit [www.trybooking.com/CGUDA](http://www.trybooking.com/CGUDA).



# Rosters & Events



Ministers for next weekend's Masses

3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Easter – Year A

22<sup>nd</sup> & 23<sup>d</sup> April, 2023

**6:00pm Mass** **St. Brigid's**  
**Reader:** T. Wilson & F. Murone  
**Offertory:** to be chosen on the day.  
**Eucharist:** L. Scott

**8:00am Mass** **St. Ambrose's**  
**Welcomer:** Jim White  
**Reader:** P. Sammut  
**Offertory:** to be chosen on the day.  
**Eucharist:** -----

**Counters:**  
Not currently needed.

**Flowers:**  
T. Armstrong & D. Egan

**9:30am Mass** **St. Patrick's**  
**Reader:** M. Redman  
**Offertory:** to be chosen on the day.  
**Eucharist:** K. Petherbridge

**11:00am Mass** **St. Brigid's**  
**Reader:** D. Egan  
**Offertory:** to be chosen on the day.  
**Eucharist:** K. Page



## WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

### "Live Your Best Life in Love"

The weekend is based around Catholic values and couples of all faiths are welcome. Enhance communication and rekindle the passion in your marriage!

**April 28 to 30, 2023** in Melbourne  
(Book early to avoid disappointment)

For details and application, visit:

[wwme.org.au](http://wwme.org.au)

or Phone Mercy & James 0409 183 676

Marriage refers to the Catholic understanding of the spousal relationship between a man and a woman.

## ALPHA PROGRAM STARTING IN OUR PARISH

An Alpha Program is a way of Evangelisation with several decades of successful fruits here and internationally. It can be used by a parish, led by a team of parishioners who facilitate a series of faith conversations for participants who will also share a meal.

We are planning to start an Alpha Program, to be held at St Brigid's Gisborne, on May 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2023 from 10 am to 12 pm.

If you are interested in attending please email us at [gisborne@cam.org.au](mailto:gisborne@cam.org.au) or call us on 03 5428 2591 for further details.

## WELCOME

St. Brigid's Parish community warmly welcomes visitors and new parishioners. We invite new parishioners to introduce yourself to Fr. Vinoth, fill in a census card located in the church foyer and place in either collection or contact Tam directly at the parish office.

## THANKSGIVING

Any parishioner wishing to join the Thanksgiving program is invited to contact Tam at the parish office to arrange some Thanksgiving envelopes.

Thanksgiving contributions by Direct Debit or Credit Card are also welcome.

## 2023 CONCERT SERIES

### Friday April 21st, 2023 6pm-7pm

Join us at St Patrick's Cathedral for the next concert in our 2023 Concert Series: a recital by acclaimed international organist Johann Vexo, the Choir Organist at Notre Dame Cathedral, Paris.

Taking full advantage of our impressive cathedral organ, this performance will include masterworks by Bach, Franck, Vierne, Messiaen and Duruflé.

Tickets: \$30 full, \$25 concession, free for those aged 15 years and under, or simply pay by cash or card at the door.

For all enquiries, email [music@cam.org.au](mailto:music@cam.org.au)

## KARATE CLASSES FOR ALL AGES

Thursday evenings 6pm - 1st TWO lessons free then \$7 per class  
No term commitment required; pay as you come.

Enquiries: Kathryn Aprile—0404 340 892

## SCRIPTURE STUDIES

Every Thursday—10am—St. Brigid's Church

Enquiries: Bernie Floreani—0414 890 377

## Weekly Social Cards Night

St. Brigid's Hall – Tuesday 7:30pm start - Entry \$10 per player  
Light supper served on completion of play

EVERYONE WELCOME

**Open House** - meet after 11:00 am Sunday Mass at the Kaffee Bar – 30 Aitken Street for a coffee and chat.

Everyone Welcome

## Weekday Services 18<sup>th</sup> April to 21<sup>st</sup> April, 2023

10am  
**Tues** 10am to 10:30am – Mass at the Oaks  
**Tues** 5:00pm to 5:30pm - Mass at St. Brigid's  
**Wed** 9:15am to 10:00am - Mass at St. Brigid's  
**Thurs** 9:15am to 10:00am - Mass at St. Brigid's  
**Fri** 9:15am to 10:00am - Mass at St. Brigid's

Reconciliation & Spiritual Direction:

APPOINTMENT ONLY—please call Parish Office 5428 2591 to book a time

## St Brigid's Parish Weekly Thanksgiving Sunday – 9 April, 2023

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| Total Amount Pledged  | \$ | 1269 |                            |
| Total Amount received | \$ | 1169 | (envelopes)                |
| Total Amount received | \$ | 100  | (credit cards)             |
| Total Amount received | \$ | 285  | (direct debit)             |
| Presbytery Collection | \$ | 1699 | (cash, c/c & d/d combined) |

Thank you for your ongoing support through the Thanksgiving Program.  
May the Lord bless you all.