

MANSFIELD PARISH

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

29th/30th January 2022

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR C



The Mansfield Catholic Parish is committed to the safety of children and vulnerable adults

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Rather than visit, we would prefer that you call or email Nance.

St Mary's Primary School – Principal & Parish Safety Officer – Mrs Trish Etccl 5775 2670

➤ **ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:** (Used only when there is no Entrance Hymn)

Save us, O Lord our God! And gather us from the nations, to give thanks to your holy name, and make it our glory to praise you.

➤ **RESPONSORIAL PSALM:**

R. I will sing of your salvation.

In You, O Lord, I take refuge; let me never be put to shame. In your justice rescue me, free me: pay heed to me and save me.

Be a rock where I can take refuge, a mighty stronghold to save me; for you are my rock my stronghold. Free me from the hand of the wicked.

It is you, O Lord, who are my hope, my trust, O Lord, since my youth. On you I have leaned from my birth, from my mother's womb you have been my help.

My lips will tell of your justice and day by day of your help. O God, you have taught me from my youth and I proclaim your wonders still.

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➤ **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:**

Alleluia, alleluia! The Lord sent me to bring Good News to the poor and freedom to prisoners. Alleluia!

➤ **THE MYSTERY OF FAITH:**

When we eat this bread and drink this cup, we proclaim your death, O Lord, until you come again.

➤ **COMMUNION ANTIPHON:** (Used only when there is no Communion Hymn)

Let your face shine on your servant. Save me in your merciful love. O Lord, let me never be put to shame, for I call on you.

Recently deceased: Noel Egan and Graeme Keddie

Anniversaries: Garry Moroney

Prayers for those who are sick: Carlton D'Cruz, Amy, George D'Arcy, Amy Duckworth, Logan, Enzo Robinson, Patricia Lawson, Bernie Carroll, David Arbuthnot, Margaret Ramma, Tom & Bernard Read

To book St Mary's Hall please call Greg Hogarth on ☎0408 618 135

St Vincent de Paul (St Mary's Hall) Tuesday & Friday 1pm – 3pm ☎5775 3156

President: Zaldah Kirley on ☎0427 500 260

PARISH PRAYER

Heavenly Father,
We the people of Mansfield Parish entrust
you with our prayers, our needs and our
hopes.

We thank you for giving us your Son as
our Saviour, our life and our inspiration.

Help us to work as one in the Spirit
building up the Body of Christ and
bringing peace through forgiveness to the
world.

EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

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Tuesday	6.00 pm Rosary followed by Mass at 6.30 pm
Wednesday	9am Rosary 9.30am Mass
Thursday	9am Rosary 9.30am Mass
Friday	9am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament followed by Mass

MASSES NEXT SUNDAY 5th/6th February

Saturday 6pm Mansfield
Sunday 9am Mansfield
6pm Bonnie Doon

1st & 3rd Sunday 6.00 pm Bonnie Doon 2nd & 4th Sunday
11.00 am Jamieson 5th Sundays 11am Tolmie

5th Sunday of the Month 11.00 am Tolmie

ROSTERS for 5th/6th February

SATURDAY 5th February:

Reader/ Prayers of the Faithful: Fay Smith
Special Minister: Helen Mullins

SUNDAY 6th February:

Reader/Prayers of the Faithful: Griffin family
Special Minister: Jan Berry

Counters: Pat Gardiner & John Berry

Church Cleaning: 31/1 – 12/2 Griffin Girls

Flowers for February: Kathleen Bock

SACRAMENTS IN THE MANSFIELD PARISH **BAPTISMS**

Baptisms are usually held on Saturdays. Please call the
Parish Office on 5775 2005

MARRIAGES

Please contact the Parish Office on 5775 2005

PLEASE NOTE: 3 months' notice is required before a
wedding.

RECONCILIATION

Saturdays 9.45am & 5.30pm

This weekend's second reading from Paul's First Letter to the Corinthians speaks about the gifts. The last verse speaks of the gifts that endure: "three things that last: faith, hope and love and the greatest of these is love." (1 Cor 13:13) These are the three theological virtues, which are the foundations of Christian living. A virtue is an habitual and firm disposition to do the good...to give the best of one's self... and according to St Gregory of Nyssa the goal of a virtuous life is to become like God (Cf CCC 1803). The greatest is love. 'Christ died out of love for us...The Lord asks us to love as he does, even our enemies, to make ourselves neighbour to those farthest away... (CCC 1825) Such love is superior to all other virtues.

Fr George

CONGRATULATIONS to Zaldah Kirley for being named the Senior Citizen of the Year for Mansfield. Zaldah does so much for the Parish, St Vinnies and the wider community- a well-deserved honour!!

WELCOME to the staff and students of St Mary's who will return from holidays this week. Please remember them in your prayers.

The Start of the Year School Mass will be celebrated on Thursday 3rd February at 10.15 am.

There will be a **CUPPA AFTER MASS** next Sunday morning.

COLUMBAN CALENDARS: This weekend is the last opportunity to buy one of these calendars.

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