



28TH SEPTEMBER 2014
26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR A

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 Our Lady of the Assumption Church, Park Ridge
 St. Catherine's Church, Jimboomba

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*The name of Jesus is the glory of preachers,
 because the shining splendour of that name
 causes God's word to be proclaimed and heard.*

SOCIAL JUSTICE SUNDAY

**Summary of 2014-2015 Statement
 A Crown for Australia**

Striving for the best in our sporting nation

The Australian Catholic Bishops' Social Justice Statement for 2014–2015 challenges us to look at the place of sport in our lives. Where are its strengths and how can we ensure that sport can thrive and in return can nourish our society? Equally, what are the influences that are undermining and distorting sport's ideals?

Most importantly, how can we work to realise sport's potential to unite communities, overcome differences and be a force for social justice and reconciliation?

The Statement's title refers to St Paul's First Letter to the Corinthians (1 Corinthians 9:24–27), where Paul compares the athletes of the time competing for a 'wreath that will wither' with our aspiration for an imperishable crown as followers of Christ.

Australians are passionate about their sport. The nation seems to stop for a grand final or a crucial cricket test. Local sporting clubs are a nucleus around which a true community can grow up and flourish. Lifelong friendships are forged; young people learn skills and resilience; volunteers devote time and energy to their organisations. Sport brings together people who otherwise might never come in contact.

As our lifestyles become more and more sedentary, sport makes an essential contribution to our health and wellbeing, both physical and mental.

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Gathering Hymn	GA212 Come As You Are
Psalm Response	Remember your mercies, O Lord.
Recessional Hymn	GA498 City of God

MASS TIMES

ST. BERNARDINE'S CHURCH

25 Vergulde Road, Regents Park



Mon 29th Sept 8.00am
Wed 1st Oct No Mass
Sat 4th Oct 5.15pm Reconciliation
 6.00pm
Sun 5th Oct 7.30am, 9.00am

ST. CATHERINE'S CHURCH

74-76 East Street, Jimboomba

Thurs 2nd Oct 8.00am
Sun 5th Oct 5.30pm

OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION CHURCH

Corner of Stoney Camp Road and Mt. Lindesay Highway, Park Ridge

Sun 5th Oct 7.30am

ST. PAUL DE CHARTRES CHAPEL

12-16 Fedrick Street, Boronia Heights

Mon 29th Sept 8.00am
Tues 30th Sept 8.00am
Wed 1st Oct 8.00am
Thurs 2nd Oct 8.00am
Fri 3rd Oct 9.00am

(Friday only— Hostel Community Hall)

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK

Sunday 28th September

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Social Justice Sunday

Monday 29th September

Tuesday 30th September

7.00pm Flame of Love Prayer Group

~ St Bernardine's Church

Wednesday 1st October

10.00am Fifties Plus Group ~ see notices

6.30pm Cleo Dinner—Ladies Night Out

~ see notices

7.00pm Baptism Preparation

~ St Bernardine's Church

Thursday 2nd October

9.30am Craft Group

~ Logan West Library

Sunday 5th October

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7.30am Hospitality after Mass

~ Our Lady of the Assumption Church

5.30pm Hospitality after Mass

~ St Catherine's Church

Today's Readings:	Next Week's Readings:
Ezek 18:25-28	Is 5:1-7
Phil 2:1-11	Phil 4:6-9
Mat 21:28-32	Mat 21:33-43

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But there is another side to sport, one that can bring us disillusionment instead of delight. Too often, we see violence on the field, on the sidelines or in the street; we see abuse of drugs and alcohol; we see racism and abuse or exploitation of women; and we see a growing potential for crime and corruption.

This Social Justice Sunday, we are invited to explore how sport can help us celebrate sport's gifts and use them to bring about God's kingdom on Earth.

To download the full statement, visit the Australian Social Justice website (<http://www.socialjustice.catholic.org.au>)

National Day of Prayer and Fasting

Friday 10 October
for the
Synod on the Family

The Bishops of Australia invite us all to pray earnestly for the Synod on the Family taking place in Rome 5-19 October and especially to join in a National Day of Prayer and Fasting on Friday 10th October.

Mass of Reparation for the sins of mankind (especially the sin of abortion) will be offered on Monday 29th September at 8.00am in St Bernardine's Church. Holy Rosary for the Unborn will be prayed after Mass. All welcome. For further information please phone 32970007.

Parish Book of the Names of the Dead

During the 30 days of November, we remember our deceased relatives and friends at all Masses. Many names have now been inscribed in our books, and we pray for those named each year. You are invited to let us know of any **new** names you wish to add to the book by taking home one of the forms at the back of the church. Please print the name clearly, and place the completed form on any collection plate **by 5th October**. This will allow time to have the new names inscribed by the end of October.

Hospitality after 7.30am Mass at Our Lady of the Assumption Church, and after 5.30pm Mass at St Catherine's Church, Jimboomba

A reminder that next Sunday, 5th October, those attending these Masses are invited to stay for a cup of tea or coffee after Mass. A small plate of food to share would be welcome.

Columban Calendars

There are order forms available at each church for parishioners who wish to purchase the 2015 Columban Art Calendar. The closing date for orders is **31st October**.

The cost of each calendars is \$8.20. If parishioners wish to have the calendar posted to them, there is an additional cost of \$1.60 per calendar. The completed order form should be placed in a sealed envelope on any collection plate, clearly marked 'Columban Calendar order form'. Payment must be included with the order.

BISHOP PUTNEY MEMORIAL LECTURE

Queensland Churches Together and the Brisbane Roman Catholic Commission for Ecumenism & Inter-religious Relations invite you to The Bishop Michael Putney Memorial Lecture (including the celebration of the 50th Anniversary of the *Decree on Ecumenism* from the Second Vatican Council) Friday 21 November 2014 at 7:30pm at St Colomb's Ministry Centre, Anglican Church, 25 Victoria Street, Clayfield. Cost \$10 (includes a light supper). Contact Margaret Naylor 33243453 or ecum@bne.catholic.net.au.

BREAK OPEN THE WORD: the book for readers.

'Break Open the Word' is a resource for Ministers of the Word prepared by Liturgy Brisbane. It includes a commentary on the readings, a pronunciation guide and training for ministers. The new books will take effect from the First Sunday of Advent - 30th November.

Each Minister of the Word who would like to purchase a copy is asked to complete one of the order forms available at each church this weekend. Please include your email address or phone number.

Place the order form and payment (**\$17.00 per book**) on any collection plate in the envelope provided. Orders will be accepted **until Sunday 19th October**. The books will be ordered on 20th October, so that they are available to ministers before the beginning of Advent.

By ordering in bulk, we are able to buy the books at a reduced price. **Any books ordered after 19th October will be \$20.00 per book, plus postage \$7.20.**



The Catholic Leader proudly presents The Community Leader Awards

Nominations are now open for a new Australian Catholic award recognising outstanding commitment to the faith and service to our community.

All Australian Catholics are invited to nominate a friend, or themselves, for one of five categories – Young Leader of the Year, School Leader of the Year, Professional Leader of the Year, Volunteer of the Year, and the major award, Community Leader of the Year. Nominations close on October 31.

Then join Archbishop Mark Coleridge, our sponsors, esteemed guests, all nominees and The Catholic Leader team for The Community Leader Awards Cocktail Party on November 19 at the Francis Rush Centre from 6:30pm.

Tickets are on sale now.

Visit www.catholicleader.com.au/awards2014 to nominate and purchase your ticket for this momentous event, or call our office on (07) 3336 9382.

Kids Corner

The Parable of the Two Sons

"Which of the two did what his father wanted?" "The first," they answered. Matthew 21:31 (NIV)

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"What do you think? There was a man who had two _____. He went to the first and said, 'Son, go and _____ today in the vineyard.'

"I will not,' he answered, but later he changed his mind and _____.

"Then the father went to the other son and said the same thing. He answered, 'I will, sir,' but he did not _____.

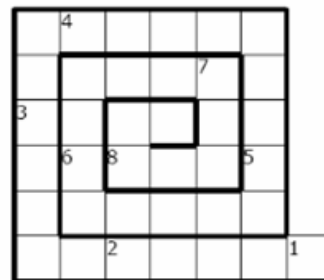
"Which of the two did what his _____ wanted?"

"The _____," they answered.

Jesus said to them, "I tell you the truth, the tax collectors and the prostitutes are entering the _____ of God ahead of you. For _____ came to you to show you the way of righteousness, and you did not _____ him, but the tax collectors and the prostitutes did. And even after you saw this, you did not _____ and believe him.

Matthew 21:28-32 (NIV)

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- To perform a job or task
- To have an opinion or idea about something
- An adult male
- To think that something is true or correct
- A male parent
- A statement proven or accepted as accurate
- A person's male children
- The number following one or correct

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