16TH OCTOBER 2016
29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR C

St. Bernardine's Church, Regents Park
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.

GOSPEL REFLECTION

If the first concern of a lively faith is being alive to God's action in our lives, our prayer should begin and end in recognition that our lives have their real meaning in the unfolding of the plan conceived before all ages in the loving designs of God. This plan - the great virtue of Christian hope assures us - will certainly be realised; and in its realisation, all things will be turned to good. Of course, our personal needs and the concerns of those dear to us should be brought constantly before God in our prayer; but this should be done in the knowledge that these things are part of the plan of God, revealed in all its mercy and generosity in the coming of the Saviour, and realised through a providence that touches every detail of our lives and those who are dear to us. Prayer, Jesus is teaching us, is a living out of our faith; and, at the same time, our faith grows and matures through our life of prayer.

Our reading from the letter to Timothy is a good complement to the lesson of the gospel – urging us to a greater familiarity with the Scriptures. The whole story of the 'inspired Scriptures' is the unfolding of God's plan and the great promise it brings to Christian hope. This story of the Scriptures is important in the life of the Church 'for teaching, for refuting error, for guiding people's lives and teaching them to be holy'.

Scholars assure us that the last words of the gospel are not pessimistic. Jesus knows that he will find faith when he comes – in 'the chosen ones who cry out to God day and night' – but his words are a warning for those who need it.

- From a homily on the Gospel by Fr John Thornhill sm

Gathering Hymn	**GA417 Glory & Praise to Our God**
Psalm Response	Our help is from the Lord, who made heaven and earth.
Recessional Hymn	**GA514 We Are Called**

My grace is sufficient for you, for power is made perfect in weakness (2 Corinthians 12:9)

MASS TIMES

ST. BERNARDINE'S CHURCH
25 Vergulde Road, Regents Park

Mon 17th Oct **NO MASS**
Wed 19th Oct **NO MASS**
Sat 22nd Oct 5.15pm *Reconciliation*
6.00pm
Sun 23rd Oct 7.30am, 9.00am

ST. CATHERINE'S CHURCH
74-76 East Street, Jimboomba

Thus 20th Oct 8.00am
Sun 23rd Oct 5.30pm

OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION CHURCH
Corner of Stoney Camp Road and Mt. Lindesay Highway, Park Ridge

Sun 23rd Oct 7.30am

ST. PAUL DE CHARTRES CHAPEL
12-16 Fedrick Street, Boronia Heights

Mon 17th Oct 8.00am
Tues 18th Oct 9.00am
Wed 19th Oct 9.00am
Thurs 20th Oct 8.00am
Fri 21st Oct 9.00am

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK

Sunday 16th October
29th Sunday in Ordinary Time
7.30am Hospitality after Mass ~*St Bernardine's Church*
10.30am Baptisms ~ *St Bernardine's Church*

Monday 17th October
10am-11am Prayer Group ~ *St Bernardine's Church*
9.30am– 12pm– Arts and Crafts

Tuesday 18th October
10.00am Legion of Mary ~ *The Hut*
7.00pm Flame of Love Prayer Group

Thursday 20th October
9.30am Craft Group ~ *Logan West Library*

Saturday 22nd October

Sunday 23rd October
30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Today's Readings:	Next Week's Readings:
Ex 17:8-13	Sirach 35:12-14, 16-19
2 Tim 3:14-4:2	2 Tim 4:6-8, 16-18
Lk 18:1-8	Lk 18:9-14

Please remember in your Prayers

William Falconer Jr (5th Anniversary)
Mary Sullivan (65th Anniversary)
Mr & Mrs K. Clarke
Astrid Raines, Ngametua Tulia

Prayer list: *Please advise the parish office, if you are aware of any parishioners who are unwell or for whatever reason need to be kept in our prayers.* ***Please get their permission*** *before you advise the parish office. We will include them, by name only (not reason for prayers) in our prayer list in the weekly Newsletter.*
Thank You.

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PARISH NOTICES

Year of Mercy– Meditation Pilgrimage to the Marian Valley. Thank you to everyone who participated in this parish event last Saturday. It was a spiritually uplifting day for all of us.
Fr. John.

Please note there will be no Weekday Masses at St Bernardine's next week.
Weekday masses will resume on Monday24th October for St Bernardine's Thank you.

ADVENT Little (Advent) Book.
These booklets provide a quotation from Scripture with a brief spiritual reflection upon that Scripture. Also provided is a daily 'buffet table' with a variety of thoughts about the Liturgical Season, the feast of the day and various traditions and customs. The Little Book reflections are intended to take about Six Minutes a day. The Books are from Evangelisation Resources Down Under (ERDU) and cost $4.30 each.
If you would like to place an order please put the correct amount in an envelope, with your name and contact details, seal the envelope and write "ADVENT Booklet". Place the envelope in the collection plate or dropped it into the Parish Office **by 30th October.** Thank You.

The month of October is dedicated to the Holy Rosary. On **Monday 31st October** we will gather at our, Our Lady of the Assumption Church in Park Ridge to pray the Rosary which will be by Benediction - starting at 7pm.

PARISH CENSUS 2016
Please take a census form home to complete.
A Parish Census is vital to maintaining and building relationships within our Parish Community. It also gives us a clear idea of how we can serve our community better and to ensure the needs of our Parish
Community are being met. Thank you.

Vocation Brisbane is hosting a Consilium Gathering for young men discerning the call to priesthood to gather for Mass and dinner before hearing the vocation story of priest's from the Archdiocese on Thursday 20th October at the Canali House(47 Clyde Road, Herston, starting at 6.30pm and wrapping up by 9pm. If you are interested please contact Adam Burns on 33243352.

SPC YOUTH CAMP

When: Sunday 18th December 2016
(From 9.00am to 9.00pm.)
Where: St Paul de Chartres Convent
28 Fedrick Street, Boronia Heights,
Brisbnae, Qld 4124
Participants: 15-35 years old (male and female welcomed)
Cost: Free
Registration: From now to 3rd December 2016
Contact: Sr Mary Joseph Sze spc
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Email: 6mj4sze7spc@gmail.com
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Sr Ined Pham spc
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Mobile: 0417798808
Email: srinede@gmail.com
Registration forms will be available at each Church. Please leave completed registration forms on any collection plate for return to the Parish office. Thank you.

The Sisters of St Paul de Chartres own & operate St Paul de Chartres Residential Aged Care/ Retirement Units, Boronia Heights and have two pre-loved, nicely renovated 2-bedroom retirement units available for purchase. If you would like to view or make an enquiry about St Paul de Chartres please contact Libby Calaby on 3809-6323 or the main office 3800-7188

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