



**13TH NOVEMBER 2016**  
**33RD 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**

The Church's year is drawing to a close. During the coming weeks, the liturgies invite us to look forward in hope to the glorious fulfilment of God's plan for creation. At the time of Jesus' ministry, the Jewish nation was full of restless expectations – giving rise at times to uprisings seeking to throw off the yoke of Roman occupation. The Jerusalem Temple not only symbolised the nation's life and hopes; it was one of the wonders of the ancient world, filling God's people with joy and pride each time they saw it. The disciples of Jesus would have been shocked, therefore, when Jesus interrupted their buzz of admiration to foretell the Temple's destruction. This prediction was well known - at the trial of Jesus, outrage was expressed that he had spoken of the destruction of the Temple. Today's scholarship sees his dramatic disrupting of the life of the Temple, at this same time, as an act pointing to the end of the era symbolised by the old Temple.

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



<b>Gathering Hymn</b>	<b>GA456 Seek Ye First the Kingdom of God</b>
<b>Psalm Response</b>	The Lord comes to rule the earth with Justice
<b>Recessional Hymn</b>	<b>GA416 Lift Up Your Hearts</b>

## MASS TIMES

### ST. BERNARDINE'S CHURCH

25 Vergulde Road, Regents Park



**Mon 14th Nov** 7.30am  
**Wed 16th Nov** 9.00am  
**Sat 19th Nov** 5.15pm *Reconciliation*  
 6.00pm  
**Sun 20th Nov** 7.30am, 9.00am

### ST. CATHERINE'S CHURCH

74-76 East Street, Jimboomba

**Thus 17th Nov** 8.00am  
**Sun 20th Nov** 5.30pm

### OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION CHURCH

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

**Sun 20th Nov** 7.30am

### ST. PAUL DE CHARTRES CHAPEL

12-16 Fedrick Street, Boronia Heights

**Mon 14th Nov** 8.00am  
**Tues 15th Nov** 9.00am  
**Wed 16th Nov** 9.00am  
**Thurs 17th Nov** 8.00am  
**Fri 18th Nov** 9.00am

Today's Readings:	Next Week's Readings:
Mal 3:19-20	2 Sam 5:1-3
2 Thess 3:7-12	Col 1:12-20
Lk 21:5-19	Lk 23:35-43

#### Arts and Crafts Stall

#### AFTER MASS

**6PM SAT-26th / 10AM SUN-27th**

**November, 2016**

**At St Bernardine's Church**

All funds raised will go in support of :

**St Vincent de Paul Society**

**Blind Eye Ministries &**

**Shared Dignity ( Centrecare )**

Donation of all homemade items will be Appreciated.

**If you have any queries, please contact Jean, or, you can call in and talk with the Arts & Crafts group members, who meet each Monday morning at The Hut from 9.30am – 12noon. Raffle tickets will be available after each Mass. With great Prizes up for grabs.**

## WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK

### Sunday 13th November

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

10.30am Baptisms~ St Bernardine's Church

### Monday 14th November

10am-11am Prayer Group ~ St Bernardine's Church

9.30am- 12pm- Arts and Crafts

### Tuesday 15th November

10.00am Legion of Mary ~ The Hut

7.00pm Flame of Love Prayer Group

### Thursday 17th November

9.30am Craft Group ~ Logan West Library

### Saturday 19th November

### Sunday 20th November

Christ The King Of The Universe

7.30am Hospitality after Mass

~ St Bernardine's Church

### Advent Program

Advent is a season of waiting, expecting, and hoping. Advent helps us prepare for the coming, or "advent" of the Christ child at Christmas.

**You are INVITED** to participate in a four week Advent program (one hour per week x 4 weeks). A session will be offered at each of our parish mass centres.

**St Bernardine's Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> November at 7.00pm**

**St Catherine's Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> November at 9.00am**

**Our Lady of the Assumption Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> November at 7.00pm**

To register, or if you have any queries, please contact

Jean in the parish office, or speak with Lorraine

(St Catherine's)

or Teresa (Our Lady of the Assumption). Thank You.

### Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults RCIA

This weekend (Saturday vigil) we welcome eight candidates into full communion with the Catholic Church. They will be receiving the sacrament of Holy Eucharist for the first time. Please make them feel welcome:

The Tuliau family - Senio, Madeline, Ngametua and Eneliko.

The Pouhila brothers, Jared and Tonga;

Caitlyn Madden and Kiana Brennan.

## PARISH NOTICES

### **Hospitality after 7.30am Mass**

**at St Bernardine's** A reminder that next Sunday 20th November, those attending the 7.30am Mass are invited to stay for a cup of tea or coffee after Mass. A small plate of food to share would be welcome.

### **First round of External Audit Report Released.**

This week, the Archdiocese released the independent, external audit report on the implementation of the Safeguarding Policy. While all parishes throughout the Archdiocese are internally audited annually, this is the first round of independent, external audits to be commissioned by the Archbishop.

Hanrick-Curran, an authorised auditing firm, was engaged to conduct the audit and their office selected from the list of eligible parishes.

To be eligible Parishes had to have completed the initial implementation processes and conducted at least one internal audit.

The Audit report and the list of 12 recommendations may be found on the Archdiocesan website.

The Safeguarding team wish to express their sincere thanks to the parishes involved for their time and openness.

### **VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY - GIFTING TREES**

#### **'Help Complete Their Christmas'**

It's a tradition at St. Bernardine's and Our Lady of the Assumption Churches for a Christmas Gifting Tree to be placed in the church by the St. Vincent de Paul Society. The Christmas Tree will be up next weekend .It is to help families in the local area who will have an otherwise bleak Christmas. If you would like to participate, please take a tag from the tree, buy and wrap your gift, attach the tag, and place your gift under the tree by 10th\11th **December**.

The parish has been very generous in past years, and we look forward to your generosity again. Cash donations are welcome with envelopes available under the St Vincent de Paul Christmas Tree. There will be Christmas baubles for sale at \$2 each. You can right the name of a deceased loved one and place it on the Christmas tree. All proceeds will go to St Vincent de Paul.

November continues to be the month we especially remember our deceased loved ones.

They remain in our hearts and we continue to keep them in our prayers.

Below is a Poem which was read at the Mass we celebrated in Commemoration of all the Faithful Departed (All Souls Day) on: Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2016

### **Always There**

*When you remember me  
Please do not weep  
Heaven is my home now,  
and this is where I'll stay.  
I'm where I belong.  
I want you to be happy  
and try to stay strong  
The angels are with me  
and have welcomed me home.  
I have no fear.  
All my pain is gone,  
and Jesus took my tears away.  
My soul lives on  
Looking down, watching over  
You and everyone  
And when you feel sad  
And life seems so blue  
Just remember  
That my spirit has its arms around you*

*And on those special days,  
Times that you wish I could see,  
That cool breeze flowing past you...  
Well, that will be me  
So don't be sad  
Have no fear  
God has taken me under his wing  
But I'll always be near  
I still watch you  
Every minute, every day  
My love and soul are with you  
And that's where they will stay.*

*(The above is a combination of two poems  
By Emma Etwell © Emma Etwell (Always There)  
and Deborah Garcia Gaitan (Don't Cry For Me)  
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