



ST EDWARD'S CATHOLIC PARISH

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29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (B)

17 OCTOBER 2021

Entrance Antiphon | Cf. Ps 16: 6, 8

To you I call; for you will surely heed me, O God;
turn your ear to me; hear my words.
Guard me as the apple of your eye;
in the shadow of your wings protect me.

First Reading | Isaiah 53:10-11

A reading from the Prophet Isaiah

The Lord has been pleased to crush his servant with suffering.
If he offers his life in atonement,
he shall see his heirs, he shall have a long life
and through him what the Lord wishes will be done.
His soul's anguish over,
he shall see the light and be content.
By his sufferings shall my servant justify many,
taking their faults on himself.

The word of the Lord. *Thanks be to God.*

Responsorial Psalm | Psalm 32(33):4-5,18-20,22

*Response: Lord, let your mercy be on us,
as we place our trust in you.*

The word of the Lord is faithful
and all his works to be trusted.
The Lord loves justice and right
and fills the earth with his love.

The Lord looks on those who revere him,
on those who hope in his love,
to rescue their souls from death,
to keep them alive in famine.

Our soul is waiting for the Lord.
The Lord is our help and our shield.
May your love be upon us, O Lord,
as we place all our hope in you.

Second Reading | Hebrews 4:14-16

A reading from the letter to the Hebrews

Since in Jesus, the Son of God, we have the supreme high priest who has gone through to the highest heaven, we must never let go of the faith that we have professed. For it is not as if we had a high priest who was incapable of feeling our weaknesses with us; but we have one who has been tempted

in every way that we are, though he is without sin. Let us be confident, then, in approaching the throne of grace, that we shall have mercy from him and find grace when we are in need of help.

The word of the Lord. *Thanks be to God.*

Gospel Acclamation | Mark 10:45

Alleluia, alleluia!
The Son of Man came to serve
and to give his life as a ransom for all.
Alleluia!

Gospel | Mark 10:35-45

A reading the holy Gospel according to Mark.

James and John, the sons of Zebedee, approached Jesus. 'Master,' they said to him 'we want you to do us a favour.' He said to them, 'What is it you want me to do for you?' They said to him, 'Allow us to sit one at your right hand and the other at your left in your glory.' 'You do not know what you are asking' Jesus said to them. 'Can you drink the cup that I must drink, or be baptised with the baptism with which I must be baptised?' They replied, 'We can.' Jesus said to them, 'The cup that I must drink you shall drink, and with the baptism with which I must be baptised you shall be baptised, but as for seats at my right hand or my left, these are not mine to grant; they belong to those to whom they have been allotted.'

When the other ten heard this they began to feel indignant with James and John, so Jesus called them to him and said to them, 'You know that among the pagans their so-called rulers lord it over them, and their great men make their authority felt. This is not to happen among you. No; anyone who wants to become great among you must be your servant, and anyone who wants to be first among you must be slave to all. For the Son of Man himself did not come to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.'

The Gospel of the Lord. *Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.*

Communion Antiphon | Cf. Ps 32: 18-19

Behold, the eyes of the Lord
are on those who fear him,
who hope in his merciful love,
to rescue their souls from death,
to keep them alive in famine.

PARTS OF THE MASS

Gloria

Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people of good will.
We praise you, we bless you,
we adore you, we glorify you,
we give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King,
O God, almighty Father.
Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us;
you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father,
have mercy on us.
For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father.
Amen.

Credo | The Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the Only Begotten Son of God,
born of the Father before all ages.
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father;
through him all things were made.
For us men and for our salvation he came down from
heaven,

*At the words that follow, up to and including
'and became man', all bow.*

and by the Holy Spirit
was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate,
he suffered death and was buried,
and rose again on the third day
in accordance with the Scriptures.
He ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory
to judge the living and the dead
and his kingdom will have no end.
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son
is adored and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.
I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.
I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins
and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Orate fratres

Pray, brethren (brothers and sisters),
that my sacrifice and yours...

The people will stand and reply:

May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands
for the praise and glory of his name,
for our good and the good of all his holy Church.

Sanctus

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts.
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.

Mysterium fidei

We proclaim your Death, O Lord,
and profess your Resurrection
until you come again.

Libera nos

Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil,
graciously grant peace in our days...

The people conclude the prayer, acclaiming:

For the kingdom, the power
and the glory are yours now and for ever.

Agnus Dei

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us. (2x)
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,
grant us peace.

After the Lamb of God, the people kneel.

Ecce Agnus Dei

Behold the Lamb of God,
behold him who takes away the sins of the world.
Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

And together with the people, the priest adds:

Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my
roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.



Prayer for the Year of St Joseph



*Hail, Guardian of the Redeemer,
Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary.
To you God entrusted his only Son;
in you Mary placed her trust;
with you Christ became man.*

*Blessed Joseph, to us too,
show yourself a father
and guide us in the path of life.
Obtain for us grace,
mercy and courage,
and defend us from every evil.
Amen.*

Wear facemask

Fully Vaccinated

Vaccination Proof

Check-in via QR Code or manually

Physical Distancing



For the health and safety of all concerned, parishioners are encouraged to comply with all relevant Public Health Orders.

NEWS / ANNOUNCEMENTS

Jubilee Calendar

We are now taking orders for the St Edwards Jubilee Calendar. Please add your name to the sign up sheet in the foyer if you would like to purchase a copy. We are proposing that this will take the place of the Columban Calendar for 2022.

Jubilee Morning Tea

This Wednesday 20 October, our parish will celebrate her 60th foundation anniversary. A simple morning tea will follow the 9.30am Mass. 30 fully vaccinated people may attend (if still under 70% road map) or 50 fully vaccinated people (if 80% has been reached this weekend.) Kindly sign your name at the sign-up sheet at the foyer if attending. Please bring a plate to share. Another jubilee morning tea may be organised in December where a much bigger number of parishioners can attend.

70% Road map

Dispensation: During the 70% vaccination road map, those who are not fully vaccinated are dispensed from their Sunday Mass obligation.

Singing: Singing is not permitted by congregants

- There may be a sole singer if they are fully vaccinated or a choir of up to 10 people at Mass who are: All are fully vaccinated, socially distanced from each other and are separated from the parishioners.

NSW Road Map @ 80%

From the Monday after NSW hits the 80% (aged 16 and over) double-dose vaccination target, places of worship reopen for people who are not fully vaccinated with density limits. For more information on NSW road map, see page 4 of the bulletin.

2021 Confirmation Mass

Group 1 Saturday 13/11, 03.00pm

Group 2 Sunday 14/11, 11.00am

Catholic Mission

Sr Chalaad and the Good Shepherd Sisters have created a Kindergarten Centre in Bangkok Thailand, which offers children from disadvantaged backgrounds a chance to go to school, learn in the classroom, play with friends and receive nutritious meals. However, this incredible and essential program relies on the kindness and support of people like you. Your gift this World Mission Month can help give many more children in need the gift of education by supporting Sr. Chalaad and the Centre. Envelopes are available at the foyer.

In your charity, please pray for

our sick

Fr John Willis	Shelly Howlett	Frances Cartwright	John Green
Barry Winning	Sally Shrago	Eduardo Morales	Julien Ryan
Harryson Rits	Angela Allan	Narelle Albans	Chris Fardy
Petrina (Fardy) Keys	Peachy Family	Joan de Souza	

health & safety of

Anthony Shwe Hla Paw Ginavis Naw Pha Day

our deceased

+ Elizabeth Dambiec	+ Sr Virgil Vertue, RSJ	+ Sr Phyllis McCann, RSJ
+ Phineas Herden	+ Sr Claire Burgess, RSJ	+ Sr Joan Farrell, RSJ
+ Simon Cartwright	+ Sr Margaret Daly, RSJ	+ Sr Margaret Keane, RSJ
+ Romeo Polinar	+ Florence Baniqued	+ Kalati Rex Toleafoa
+ Nora Trompp, anniversary 23/10	+ Lima Goran, anniversary 29/10	

Roman Martyrology

18/10 St Luke, *evangelist*
 19/10 St Paul of the Cross, *priest*
 20/10 St John Cantius, *priest and confessor*
 21/10 Sts Ursula & her companions, *martyrs*
 22/10 St John Paul II, *pope*
 23/10 St John Capistrano, *priest*

Omnes sancti mártýres, oráte pro nobis

TV / ONLINE MASS SCHEDULE

TV Mass - Channel 10, Sunday 06.00am

Online:

Armidale Cathedral | Sunday 10.00am

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=M1Sy9lxmzlw>

Sydney Cathedral | Sunday 10.30am

<https://www.stmaryscathedral.org.au/>

Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

Mass this week (18-24 October)

Monday	7.00am
Tuesday to Friday	9.30am
Saturday	5.30pm
Sunday	9.00am & 5.30pm

Our History, Our Story | 1981-1991

The parish received an illustrious visitor in 1984. Cardinal Luigi Barbarito, the Vatican's ambassador in Australia, the Papal Nuncio, was driving back from a visit to Bishop Kennedy in Armidale. They called in to visit and admire the Church. The Cardinal was much impressed with Mary, Help of Christians Church and the striking views over Tamworth from it. He had a Parish Reception in the Hall that evening; a delightful man, he made a great impression. After his Australian appointment, Cardinal Barbarito was sent to London to the Court of St James, as Papal Nuncio

In 1984, Father Gerard Hanna was moved to St Nicholas Parish in Tamworth. We were sorry to see him leave, but he was still in town. Father Hanna moved to Moree where he remained until he became the 5th Bishop of Wagga Wagga in 2002 and retired in September 2016.

*(Faith of Our Fathers, Living Still...
Recounted and written by Kitty Thomas)*

Collections 10/10/2021

Planned Giving	\$674.00
First Collection	\$652.10
Loose	\$50.00

September Direct Debits \$1730.00



NSW ROADMAP

Easing restrictions at 80% full vaccination

From the Monday after NSW hits the 80% (aged 16 and over) double-dose vaccination target, eased restrictions will allow those who are fully vaccinated to have:

- up to 20 people visit their home
- participate in community sport.

All premises will operate at 1 person per 4sqm indoors and 1 person per 2sqm outdoors.

People under the age of 16 who are not fully vaccinated are allowed unaccompanied in their workplaces and all outdoor settings, but must be with a fully vaccinated member of their household in hospitality venues (unless collecting takeaways), entertainment facilities, major recreation facilities and places of worship, unless they work at the venue.

For settings in regional NSW with vaccination requirements for staff and customers, staff can return to work on 11 October if they have had at least 1 dose of a COVID-19 vaccine, but must be fully vaccinated by 1 November 2021.

For people who are fully vaccinated

Masks and QR codes

- Masks required for all staff and customers in all indoor settings including on public transport, planes and in airports (except children under the age of 12).
- Masks no longer required in office buildings (unvaccinated people must still wear a mask in the office).
- Masks no longer required in outdoor settings (except for front-of-house hospitality staff).
- COVID Safe check-ins and proof of vaccination required for staff and customers.

Visiting family and friends

- Up to 20 visitors allowed in your home at any one time (visitor limits do not apply for children under the age of 12).
- Small outdoor gatherings and recreation permitted for up to 50 people (2-person limit for people not fully vaccinated).
- Visitors to residents in aged care facilities and disability homes permitted in line with their policies.

Weddings and religious services

- Wedding ceremonies permitted with no person limit (5-person limit for people who are not fully vaccinated), density limit still applies.
- Wedding receptions permitted with no person limits (not permitted for people who are not fully vaccinated), eating and drinking while standing, and dancing is permitted, density limit still apply.
- Funerals permitted with no person limit (10-person limit for people who are not fully vaccinated) and eating and drinking allowed while standing, density limits still apply.
- Places of worship reopen for people who are not fully vaccinated with density limits.
- Up to 10 fully vaccinated singers may perform in places of worship and at religious services.

Exercise and recreation

- Gyms, indoor recreation and sporting facilities open with density limits and up to 20 people in classes.
- No distance limits apply for exercise or recreation.
- Indoor swimming pools open for swimming lessons, training and rehab activities.

- Community sports permitted for fully vaccinated staff, spectators and participants.

Schools

- Schools open with Level 3 COVID-19 safety measures (visit Department of Education NSW website).

Shopping and personal services

- Non-critical retail open with density limits (people who are not fully vaccinated can only access non-critical retail via Click & Collect).
- No customer limit for personal services (including hairdressers, spas, beauty and nail salons, tattoo and massage parlours), density limits apply.

Restaurants and hospitality

- Hospitality open with density limit for up to 20 people per booking (takeaway only for people who are not fully vaccinated).
- From 1 November bookings for hospitality venues will no longer be capped.
- No singing indoors (except for performers).
- Dancing is permitted indoors and outdoors (except at night-clubs).
- Drinking indoors and outdoors may be seated or standing.

Working from home

- Employers allow staff to continue to work from home, if reasonably practicable.
- Employers require staff who are not fully vaccinated to work from home, if reasonably practicable.

Events and entertainment

- Major recreation facilities (including stadiums, theme parks, and race courses) open with density limits for up to 5000 people, or by exemption.
- Entertainment facilities (including cinemas and theatres) reopen with density limit or 75% fixed seated capacity.
- Information and education facilities (including art galleries, museums and libraries) reopen with density limits.
- COVID safe outdoor gatherings permitted for up to 200 people.
- Controlled outdoor public gatherings (for example – fenced, seated ticketed) permitted for up to 3000 people with density limit.

Travel and transport

- Travel for holidays and recreational visits including day trips between Greater Sydney (including Central Coast, Wollongong, Shellharbour and Blue Mountains) and regional NSW permitted from 1 November (not permitted for people who are not fully vaccinated).
- Carpooling permitted (restrictions remain for people who are not fully vaccinated).
- Caravan parks and camping grounds open (including people who are not fully vaccinated).

About the roadmap

- The roadmap is subject to further fine-tuning and health advice if circumstances change drastically or cases remain too high.
- COVID-Safe check-ins and proof of vaccination required for staff and customers in most settings.
- Density limits of 1 person per 4sqm for indoor areas and person per 2sqm for outdoor areas apply to some activities listed above.
- COVID-19 Safety Plans apply.

For a complete road map to freedom, please visit:
<https://www.nsw.gov.au/covid-19/easing-covid-19-restrictions/80-percent>

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