# BURLEIGH HEADS CATHOLIC PARISH

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#### **PARISH WEEKLY DIARY**

#### Saturday 25 May – St Bede the Venerable \*\* No 8.00am Mass at Burleigh Heads \*\* 10.00am Flores de Mayo Celebration Rosary Procession, Mass (Burleigh Waters)

4.15pm Reconciliation - Miami

5.00pm Mass - Miami

Reconciliation - Palm Beach 5.15pm

6.00pm Mass - Palm Beach

#### 26 May - The Most Holy Trinity Sunday Mass - Burleigh Heads 7.00am 7.00am Mass - Palm Beach 8.30am Mass - Miami 8.30am Mass - Mudgeeraba

10.00am Mass - Burleigh Waters (Livestreamed) 5.00pm Reconciliation - Burleigh Waters 5.30pm Mass - Burleigh Waters (Livestreamed)

27 May – St Augustine of Canterbury Monday

9.00am Mass - Miami

Tuesday 28 May

7.30am Mass - Burleigh Waters (Livestreamed)

Wednesday 29 May – St Paul VI 5.30PM Mass - Palm Beach

Thursday 30 May - St Joan of Arc Reconcilation - Mudgeeraba 5.15pm 5.30pm Mass - Mudgeeraba

Friday 31 May – The Visitation of the BVM

10.00am Mass - Burleigh Waters (Livestreamed)

1 June – St Justin Saturday 8.00am Mass (Burleigh Heads) 4.15pm Reconciliation - Miami 5.00pm Mass - Miami

Reconciliation - Palm Beach 5.15pm

6.00pm Mass - Palm Beach

Sunday 2 June - Corpus Christi 7.00am Mass - Burleigh Heads 7.00am Mass - Palm Beach 8.30am Mass - Miami 8.30am Mass - Mudgeeraba 10.00am Mass, Eucharistic Procession & Benediction - Burleigh Waters (Livestreamed)

5.00pm Reconciliation - Burleigh Waters

5.30pm Mass - Burleigh Waters (Livestreamed)

## THE MOST HOLY TRINITY 26 MAY 2024

Year B/2

This Week's Readings: Deut 4:32-34, 39-40, Rom 8:14-17; Mt 28:16-20 Next Week's Readings: Ex 24:3-8; Heb 9:11-15; Mk 14:12-16, 22-26

This week we return to the liturgical season of Ordinary Time. This Sunday and next Sunday. however, designated as solemnities, special days that call our attention to the central mysteries of our faith. Today, on the first Sunday after Pentecost, celebrate the Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity. This feast invites us to consider what we believe about God, who has revealed himself to us in the Trinity, one God in three Persons.



Jesus commissions his disciples to baptize in the name of the Trinity; this is one of the clearest attestations for Baptism in the name of the Holy Trinity found in Scripture. Other New Testament references to Baptism describe it as being celebrated in the name of Jesus. As we read this Gospel on the Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity, we are reminded that this central mystery of faith is meant to be lived. As baptized Christians, we share in the life of the blessed Trinity and seek to invite others to share in God's love.

The title of today's feast can be misleading to both congregation and preachers. This is not a day we celebrate a dogma of the Church. Dogmas are important, but we don't worship them as we gather for liturgical celebration. Nor is a day for a catechism lesson on how one God can have three faces and be called by three different names. I don't plan to take a shamrock into the pulpit this weekend to show how God could be one and three at the same time.

Someone said once, "Anyone who talks of the Trinity, talks of the cross of Jesus and does not speculate about a heavenly riddle." (Sorry, I don't know the source for this quote.) Christians know about God through our experience and key to that experience is something we have in common -- suffering and the cross.

How do we define the Trinity? After the great commission Jesus sends the disciples out to baptise - Jesus tells us -- "I am with you all days, until the end of the age." Jesus has "defined" God for us -- revealed God already with us.

# LIVING LAUDATO SI ARCHDIOCESE ANTI-SLAVERY AWARENESS ACTION PLAN

HOW MANY SLAVES WORK FOR YOU?









# Gym Rat Pumping Iron Perfecting those biceps Dumbbell takes dedication and drive, but it also requires a lot of equipment. From dumbbells and treadmills to fitness trackers and Heart Rate gym bags, your local gym Monitor is filled with products most likely made with Workout forced labor. Your mus-Shirt cular physique could Duffle Bag leave you with a Slavery Gym Shorts Footprint of at least 34 Water Bottle Deodorant Body Wash How many slaves work for you?





#### **DON'T FORGET!**



**ANOINTING MASS** – First Friday of each month, 10 am Mary, Mother of Mercy Church. All Welcome. Care and Concern will be providing morning tea in the Community Centre.

**YOUTH MASS** –  $1^{st}$  and  $3^{rd}$  Sunday of each month at 5:30pm, Mary Mother of Mercy Church. We invite you to be involved with reading or altar serving, please contact the Parish Office or see the priest before Mass.





**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT** – 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday of each month from 9:00am till 9:50am in Mary Mother of Mercy Church. Please join us in spending some time with Jesus, truly present in the Blessed Sacrament.

**CHILDREN'S FAMILY MASS** – Fourth Sunday of each Month, 10am, Mary, Mother of Mercy, Burleigh Waters the Mass will be specifically dedicated to a Children's Mass and Liturgy. The Readings and Homily will be for the children.

**PARISH LUNCHEON** – First Thursday of each month at 11.30am, Burleigh Heads Sports Club. Please bring a friend and join us for fellowship, cake and celebrating birthdays.

**PLANNED GIVING** – Thank you for the generosity and support of all who contribute to the Parish Planned Giving. Details for electronic banking are as follows: BSB: 064 786; A/C No: 100010144. Reference: PG/Surname.

#### **SYNOD24 PRAYER**

Creator Spirit, whose breath of life makes all things new.

We gather around Your table of communion, as many parts of one body. grounded in the hope, joy and mission of the Risen Christ.

We open our minds and hearts, so we can be nourished and enlivened by Your presence, ready **to be** the hope, joy and mission of the Risen Christ.

We make space for the many stories of hurt, exclusion and silence of those within, and on the very edges of our communities, so we may be *in service* of the hope, joy and mission of the Risen Christ.



As your breath of life flows in us and through us, may we be a vessel for Your bold creativity so we may be the *hands and feet* of the hope, joy and mission of the Risen Christ.

We ask this in the name of the Risen Christ, Amen.



#### **NEWS AROUND THE PARISH**

# ALL SAINTS PARISH PILGRIMAGE Gold Coast to the Harbour 27<sup>th</sup> October – 1<sup>st</sup> November 2024



**Jingaree** – Burleigh Parish in the *Year of Prayer* celebrates 150 years since the first Mass in their parish and their first church called All Saints.

In 1874 a Mass was celebrated under the tree at Berrigans Rd near Mudgeeraba by Fr Scortechini. Fr Scrotechini was very good friends with Fr Julian Tennison Woods the co-founder of the Sisters of St Joseph with Saint Mary Mackillop. A church was later built in 1886 at Tallebudgera called All Saints. Bishop Vaughan, the second Bishop of Sydney, as part of his overland trip to visit Brisbane via the Cobb and Co track through Murwillumbah between 1878-1879 visited our little slab hut church at Tallebudgera.

Our *Year of Faith Pilgrimage* will meet with Mary Mother of God, St Patrick, Fr Scrotechini, Fr Julian Tennison Woods, Saint Mary of the Cross Mackillop, Sisters of St Joseph, Bishops, Servant of God Eileen O'Connor, Fr Dixon (first priest to celebrate Mass in Sydney Cove), Friar Pere Receveur (first European buried in the colony), and Pope Saint John Paul II relics Shrine. We end the pilgrimage on the Feast of All Saints.

Join our parish in the Year of Prayer as we discover the men and women of faith in Australia.

Please ring the Parish Office to Book ph. 5576 6466.



#### ST VINCENT DE PAUL WINTER APPEAL

Envelopes for the SVDP Infant Saviour Burleigh Heads Conference Winter Appeal will be available in churches this weekend. The local conference has been helping people in need across our Parish area

for over 20 years. Due to increasing needs of the people we visit and increasing costs of the help needed, we would be very appreciative if the Parish Community can again contribute to our winter appeal.

Please use the appeal envelopes provided to ensure that any donation made will be utilised in our local area. The envelopes can be placed in the Parish collection plates over the next few weeks.

We will ensure that any monies donated are used appropriately to provide a HAND UP to those in need of food, those who need help to sustain their accommodation and utility services, those that need to get back on their feet after domestic violence and/ or sudden injuries, job losses.

The SVDP Conference volunteers are proud to provide this service on behalf of the Parish Community and will be most grateful for any donations that can be made.

#### **CORPUS CHRISTI**

Burleigh Parish Corpus Christi Procession 2<sup>nd</sup> June after 10am Mass, Mary Mother of Mercy Church. **All Welcome** 

#### WALKING A SACRED PATH: WALKING THE LABYRINTH AS A SPIRITUAL

**PATH"** Join us as we explore the labyrinth, its history through the ages, and how it can be used as a spiritual tool for reflection, contemplation and discernment. This event is open to all, and is being hosted by the Australian Network for Spiritual Direction, facilitated by Sue Thomas. Includes morning tea and all resources. BYO lunch. Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> June 9am for 9.30am – 2.30pm. Mary Mother of Mercy Church, Burleigh Waters. Cost \$40 for donation to Parish and for supplied resources. Register with Denise ansdqueensland@gmail.com or Sue Thomas sue@suethomas.net.au.

#### MUSIC FOR THIS WEEKEND'S MASS

#### **GATHERING**

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heav'nly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

All hail, adored Trinity; all praise eternal Unity; O God the Father, God the Son, and God the Spirit, ever One.

O Trinity, O Unity, be present as we worship thee; and to the angels' songs in light, our prayers and praises now unite.

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#### **RESPONSORIAL PSALM**

Happy the people the Lord has chosen to be his own.

### **COMMUNION HYMN**

Love is his word, love is his way, feasting with friends, fasting alone, living and dying, rising again.
Love, only love, is his way.

Richer than gold is the love of my Lord; better than splendour and wealth.

Love is his way, love is his mark, sharing his last Passover feast, Christ at his table, host to the twelve. Love, only love, is his mark. *(Refrain)* 

Love is his mark, love is his sign, bread for our strength, wine for our joy. 'This is my body, this is my blood'. Love, only love, is his sign. *(Refrain)* 

Love is his sign, love is his news, 'Do this,' he said, 'lest you forget all my deep sorrow, all my dear blood.' Love, only love, is his news. (*Refrain*)

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#### **THANKSGIVING**

Father, in my life I see you are God who walks with me. You hold my life in your hands. Close beside you I will stand. I give all my life to you. Help me Father to be true.

Jesus, in my life I see you are God who walks with me. You hold my life in your hands. Close beside you I will stand. I give all my life to you. Help me Jesus to be true.

Spirit, in my life I see you are God who walks with me. You hold my life in your hands. Close beside you I will stand. I give all my life to you. Help me Spirit to be true.

#### **RECESSIONAL**

Firmly I believe and truly God is three and God is one; and I next acknowledge duly manhood taken by the Son.

And I trust and hope most fully in that manhood crucified; and each thought and deed unruly do to death, as he has died.

Simply to his grace and wholly light and life and strength belong; and I love supremely, solely, him the holy, him the strong.

Praise and thanks be ever given, with and through th'angelic host, to the God of earth and heaven, Father, Son and Holy Ghost.

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#### PRAYERS FOR THE SICK & SPECIAL NEEDS

William Korab, Jess Hall, Michael Onn, Jason Hill, Katrina Kerkow-Hill, Fred Grioli, Mary Wagner, William & Gladys McCleary, Peter Flynn, Anthony Metzen, Hannes Rieck, Quetta Mace, Doreen Kennedy, Bernard Clark, Irene Garland, Caitlin Ibbotson, Edward Tudor, Dick O'Halloran, Lynne Nunan, Petrina Stewart, John Christopher, Deirdre Irwin, Linda Ledbrook, Paul Holford, Leah Bolland, Warren Wilson, Doug Tronc, Evelyn North, Margaret Russell, Jose Antonio, Chris Grioli, Des Stuckey, Mary Ann Rogers, Roy Goodger, Audrey Griffin, Joan Elsie, Doreen Coop, Tom Pritchard, Lee Capri, the sick of our Parish and all in need of God's healing Spirit.

#### PRAYERS FOR RECENTLY DECEASED & ANNIVERSARIES

Masses have been requested for the recently deceased and for those anniversaries occurring at this time, Geromy Grima, Basil Nolan, Ronald Clark, Frances Hanrahan. Robert George, Charlie Gatt, Alfred Gatt, Angela Gatt, Mary Ruth Kennedy. Also praying for all for whom Masses have been requested. Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord. And let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen.