

Counters

July 14 / 15 Phill & Danielle

July 21 / 22 Mark & Celeste

NEXT WEEK July 21 / 22	SATURDAY 6 PM	SUNDAY 7AM	SUNDAY 9AM	SUNDAY 6PM
COMMENTATOR	B. O'HARA	M-J VIDLER	M. SLACK	YOUNG
LECTOR	K. O'REILLY	D. TALLON	J. KISSANE	ADULTS GROUP
EUCHARIST	P. DEVLIN PRIYA	H. LEWIS R. BOLLARD M. NORRIS	M. CHEEVA C. TREWERN	J. WALSH M. REA D. STRANO
HOSPITALITY	M. CHAPMAN C. WHELAN	E. GANNON	S. NICOL N. RICHARDS	J. REA
ALTAR SERVERS	MAX	DON, GENE, DENEK	*	JOHN, RODEL, RAMIL, ALYSSA, KLARIS
POWERPOINT	PAUL	GENE, GILBERT	DI, OLIVER, JUNE	SYDEL

Mass Times WEEKEND: Saturday 8 am; Vigil 6 pm;
Sunday 7 am, 9 am, 6 pm.
RECONCILIATION: Saturday 4.30—5.30 pm.
WEEKDAY: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday 8 am.
ADORATION: Thursday 8 am.
PRAYER GROUP: each morning prior to Mass.
ALL NIGHT VIGIL: Friday 3rd August 2018.
NEXT ANOINTING MASS: Friday 3rd August 2018, at 10am (no 8am mass on this day).
NEXT MASS WITH CHILDREN'S LITURGY: Sunday 5th August, 2018 — 9am mass.

**DATE CLAIMER- ORDINATION OF DN DANG OSA ON SATURDAY 22ND SEPTEMBER
 AT 10AM, BY ARCHBISHOP MARK COLERIDGE.**

Fr Joseph Lam's book "Late Have I Loved You" is available in the church. For \$17, all proceeds are going to the establishment of a new Augustinian Community in Vietnam 2019. Please support this important initiative to share the joy of the Gospel in a country which needs to hear God's invitation to an authentic Christian life. Payment can be given to the Augustinians (Sacristy) or parish secretary (letterbox near steps of Priory).



WINTER APPEAL
"ORDINARY PEOPLE CAN MAKE AN EXTRAORDINARY DIFFERENCE"
 Every Winter the number of requests for help grows from people struggling to pay their bills. Envelopes have been placed on the seats for this purpose. THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT.
 TOGETHER WE CAN DO HEROIC THINGS...

St James School Fete...29th July 10am-2pm



Friends of St Augustine meeting... held at the Priory dining room... August 8th (to avoid Ekka holiday) at 6.30pm in the Priory. Phone Ray 3892 1682 for apologies.

Queensland Irish Choir INC. Invite you to attend: July 2018 "Celtic Winter" Concert The Choir will sing a range of Celtic songs, which you are sure to enjoy. Guest: International Trumpeter and Recording Artist John Coulton. Place: The Brisbane German Club – Vulture St. East Brisbane. Date: Sunday 22nd July 2018, Time 2pm – 4.00pm. Cost \$15 Bookings through Jennifer Dunbar Mob: 0447 744 788. Email: jennifer.dunbar@hotmail.com Tickets can be purchased at the door. Afternoon Tea is included

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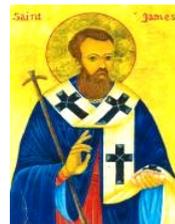


The Parish of St James

**15TH SUNDAY
ORD TIME
YR B 2018
14 / 15 JULY**



**The Parish of St James
Coorparoo.
A Vibrant, Prayerful,
Inclusive and Augustinian
Parish:
Archdiocese of Brisbane.**



From the Outside of the Window

This week's Gospel and the one for next week describe how Jesus sent the disciples to minister in his name and the disciples' return to Jesus afterward. Jesus' instructions to the apostles are very specific. He repeats the mission that they are sent to preach and to share his authority to heal and to drive out demons. Jesus sends them in pairs, establishing his mission as a communal endeavour. Jesus also instructs them to travel lightly, without the customary food, money, and extra set of clothes. These instructions mean that the Twelve will be dependent on the hospitality of others, just as Jesus depended on others to provide for his needs. Jesus continues to send us into the world as his disciples. But like the first disciples, we are not sent alone. Jesus has given us the community of the Church, which strengthens our life of discipleship. The Christian message can only authentically be proclaimed in and through the community of faith that is the Church. In our work with others, we build this community of faith and can invite others to share in it.

Trish, our parish secretary, will also be on the road for the next three weeks or so. Unlike the Apostles, I think Trish and her family won't travel light and without money. With kids and hubby as travel companions, one cabin luggage might not be enough. Like the Apostles, however, they will be relying on the hospitality of the host countries they travel to. You may guess where she and her family might go to. We wish her a very safe trip and lots of fun.



Because of Trish's absence, the next three parish bulletins will be thin ones. Any information that you consider important for the parish, please contact Deacon Dang who may put it on the weekend PowerPoint slides to share with parishioners at the weekend masses. During Trish's absence the parish office will remain open on Mondays (Lorie Rivera and Sylvia Phillips), Wednesdays (Jean Day) and Fridays (Fr. Saldie and Deacon Dang). I would like to thank Lorie, Sylvia and Jean for their generous assistance during Trish's annual leave.

I, too, will have a very busy month ahead, including some travels. From Wednesday to Sunday, I was in Sydney for a baptism and a wedding celebration. While in Sydney, I picked up a professional barista coffee machine donated by a good friend of Fr. Saldie. Once it is installed, our YAG may offer you barista style coffee after the 9am mass on Sunday. All proceeds will assist the poor in our community. Perhaps, you may consider baking a cake too. After Sydney, I will fly out to Vietnam on July 23rd. There, I will visit the lepers in remote places. For more than two decades, I am a member of the so-called "friends of lepers" who dedicate their lives to pray and to serve those outcasts who Jesus cared particularly for. From Vietnam, I will take a flight to Germany where I want to stay with my dad, who is still grieving at the passing of my beloved mother. I hope to be back on August 25th, right on time for the preparation of Deacon Dang's priestly ordination on September 22nd.

During my absence, Fr. Saldie will represent me in all parish matters. Can I ask you to be patient with Fr. Saldie. Also, Fr. Brian will assist Fr. Saldie with weekday and weekend masses. To both, I express my heartfelt gratitude.

By the way, the new school playground will be blessed on July 18th at 11am. The local MP will be present as well. If you are around, just come and see.

As always, let us pray for each other.

Have a great weekend,

Fr. Joe.