# **15TH SUNDAY ORDINARY YR B 2021** 11 JULY

## The Parish of St James Coorparoo

A Vibrant, Prayerful, Inclusive **Augustinian Parish Archdiocese of Brisbane** 



**Parish Priest** 

Hi Friends! Just a couple of things in relation to updates on

events or gatherings that we are excited to share with you, and invite you to join:

ALPHA — The Bring-a-Friend Alpha Launch will happen on Saturday 31July at 7.30pm. Regular sessions begin on Wednesdays from 11th August at the parish hall.

CATHOLIC MEN'S GATHERING — "Brothers, what must we do? 2021" This gathering will be launched nationally 31st of July. Here at St James, we are inviting men aged 18 and beyond to join us, as we host for



up to 25 men for this gathering. Men of God, Men of Service, Men of Character will be gathering on August 1st & 15th, 10:30am—1:30pm for food, presentations and discussion. To register, click link: <a href="https://bit.ly/3xmMDP2">https://bit.ly/3xmMDP2</a> to scan QR Code in this box.

JUSTICE & PEACE TALK — Parishioners are invited on Tuesday, 3<sup>rd</sup> August, 2021, **7pm**, to

an online gathering via Zoom on "Our Augustinian Path's to Justice" by Fr. Tony Banks OSA, Assistant General of the Augustinian Order. Don't miss this important talk!





# What will help you live well longer?

- ✓ help around the house ✓ sharing my skills.
- getting out more
- great friends
- ✓ doing what I love staying independent

At Centacare, we believe you deserve to live a healthy, safe and independent life in the home and community you love.

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Trish receiving her Certificate of Appreciation for 10 years of service to the Archdiocese of Brisbane. This is my 2nd acknowledgement — my initial 10 years of service were teaching in primary schools in the Archdiocese of Brisbane. I take this opportunity to thank St James parishioners and priests who have made my parish secretary journey such an enjoyable adventure. It has been a joy and a privilege to be part of this amazing parish.

From Bishop Ken Howell VG... With the uncertainty surrounding worship at this current time, it is better that we postpone the Peter's Pence Collection. A new date will be decided in the near future.



Effective 9 July the 'Check in QLD App' is required at all Mass centres. All visitors, employees and volunteers will be <u>required</u> to use the QLD App to check-in. The marshal shall be responsible for ensuring that each visitor has checked-in via the QLD App by viewing the successful check-in screen and keeping a head count to ensure capacity limits are maintained. For those visitors who do not have a smart phone or are unable to connect to the QLD App the marshal must record their

contact details including full name, email address, (residential address if email not available) phone number, date and time of visit. These records must be stored securely and retained for at least 56 days.

## Vinnies Winter Appeal 2021 HELP END THE PAIN OF POVERTY

Every day at the St Vincent de Paul Society, we see that ordinary people are able to make an extraordinary difference in their local communities. We are inspired by the joy of the Gospels and our Catholic social teachings to do things that matter. The spirit to feed, heal, shelter, nurture, and inspire – the power to change lives – is in everyone.

As we enter this winter in the shadow of coronavirus, your commitment to helping those experiencing disadvantage, poverty, loneliness and homelessness is still very much needed and appreciated.

If you are able to make a contribution to the Vinnies Winter Appeal, please do so today. Please help us to help others. If you wish to give a **financial donation**, **envelopes** for this purpose will be available at the door or on the pews.

ALTERNATIVELY - You may wish to make a direct deposit to:

BSB 064786 ACCT No. 100026564

ACCT NAME SVDP St James Conference Coorparoo...

THANK YOU for your generous support.





# ARINGING HOME HOME HOSPEL

# Two by Two

Jesus gathers his twelve apostles and sends them out two by two. He gives them authority to heal and drive out unclean spirits. He tells them to take nothing but a walking stick, the sandals on their feet and the tunics on their backs. If they were not welcomed in a town, they were to leave. The apostles cured many people on their journey.









"He instructed them to take nothing for the journey besides a walking stick—no food, no sack, no money."

## Sheepish Question:

What practical matters worry me as I keep my eyes on the Gospel's prize?

a decision or position, discuss it in private.

Jesus tells his disciples that where two or three are gathered in his name, he is with them (Matthew 18:20). This is the distinct advantage of Christian parenting; we know we are not alone. Just as the apostles knew Jesus walked with them in their ministry, we know Christ is also with us.

Jesus sends his apostles out on a practice run. They are to preach as he preached. They will be anointing the sick and driving out demons. He deliberately sends them out in pairs because he knows they will need each other for support and discernment.

Parenting, too, is a job best done in pairs. It is an exhausting, frustrating, uncertain, business that can lead a single person to doubt his capability and sometimes even his sanity. If you are a single parent, get help! Find a couple of friends or relatives who will listen and help out. Connect with other parents who will listen, support (advise if needed) and champion you.

When there are two of you raising a child, learn to rely on each other. It doesn't matter if both parents work outside the home or one parent is the primary wage-earner, both partners should share equally in the job of parenting. Consult with each other often, making sure you provide an undivided front. If you disagree about

#### **FAMILY RESPONSE**

Ask each family member to talk about the last time they needed help from someone. What did they do?

#### PERSONAL RESPONSE

What part of parenting do you most need help with? Where and how can you get that help? What do you want to remember from last week? What are you looking forward to next week? What are your concerns?

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Please pray for recently deceased: Arturo Canillas; Jovencio Talite Jr;

John Drapes; Margaret Therese Hilton; Geronimo Tenchavez Sr; Daniel Causon; Peter Mitchell; Hazel Yared.

And these anniversaries: Sr M Dorothea RSM; Palmiero Savini; Marclina Robles; Paul Donohue. Please pray for these unwell: Ty De Paoli; Kevin Sheehan; Tony McBride; Bill Trewern; Des Crawford; Susan Blunt; Frank Cassidy; Manon Hollander; Hugo

Abril; Marilou Balatinsayo; Lani & John Szeremeta.

Please pray for our Baptismal children: Molly Foote.

## Parish news

**Brisbane East Deanery** Scripture Study Group

CATHOLIC LEADER

at entrances

#### begins this week...

- + Wednesdays 14 July mornings & Thursdays 15 July mornings OLOG Carina 10.30am
- + Fridays **16 July** evening St James 6.30pm We will also be running a 24week Bible Timeline Course which is the extended version of Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible for those interested: contact Louise Simento Ph: 0456700040.



Sacrament of First Holy Communion Program for Year 4 children - 9 years old, and other children who are older than this. Wednesday 6pm July 21st Parent info session. Email osastjames@bne.catholic.net.au with your interest.



The Catholic Leader July 2021

\*Get to know Queensland's newest priests, Fr Tuan Ahn Le & Fr Ashwin Acharya

\*Brisbane couple Paul and Libby Blom share openly about the ups and downs of raising five children

- \*Former aspiring ballerina to make final vows as religious Sister
- \*Meet new rector of Holy Spirit Seminary
- \*Monthly Archbishop's View
- \*Trending world and Vatican news



**DATE NIGHTS! THE MARRIAGE COURSE — Dates** are finally here! 7 Sessions beginning 29 October - 3 December, 2021 Fridays from 7pm—9pm. If you're willing to invest 7 evenings on your lifelong relationship, please send your intention to join by emailing pp.stjames@bne.catholic.net.au. Seats limited to 12 couples!

The Archdiocese of Brisbane has standards of conduct for employees and volunteers to maintain a safe and healthy environment. Our commitment to these standards requires that we conduct background referencing for all persons who will engage in direct and regular involvement with children, young people and/or vulnerable adults.





26 June —July 12 Fr Tuan Anh away.

16 Friday 9am mass

16 Friday evening St James Priory Brisbane East Deanery Scripture Study Group 6.30pm

17 / 18 Saturday 4.30-5.30pm Reconciliation (book through Eventbrite); Year B/1 16<sup>th</sup> Sunday Ordinary (Saturday Vigil 6pm; Sunday 7 & 9am) No Baptisms.

- 21 Wednesday 6pm Parent info session in the Art room / Church for First Holy Communion Sacramental program
- 22 Thursday St Vincent De Paul's meeting 6.30pm in the Priory.
- 23 Friday 9am mass including School mass to celebrate St James Dav.
- 23 Friday evening St James Priory Brisbane East Deanery Scripture Study Group 6.30pm

#### **Thanksgiving**

donation envelopes (for July 2021—June 2022) are now available at the side **entrance**. If you would like to contribute via this way, please give us a call—office 3397 1671.



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If you are 15-20 years of age, living within the Eastern Deanery of the Archdiocese of Brisbane and wanting to get answers to some of life's questions, you are invited...



#### 2021 Alpha-Youth@ Our Lady of Graces, Carina

The Alpha Youth Series has been totally reimagined for today's youth culture. Through 13 sessions filmed in Vancouver, London, Paris, Rome, Israel, and many other incredible locations, the Alpha Youth Series explores timeless questions about life and faith from a Christian perspective.

There are **9 weekly episodes and 4 episodes** for the Alpha Weekend/Day. The series offers compelling stories, images, questions, and discussion topics well spread throughout each episode to better engage youth, helping them think about how these issues relate to their lives as they discuss with their friends and leaders.

Alpha-Youth@Our Lady of Graces journey starts on 28 July with dinner at 6.30 and session proper from 7pm to 9pm at the Our Lady of Graces Parish Library, 100 Mayfair Road, Carina.

For more information please contact: Vilma Simbag- Mob: 0433 514 634;

Email: vsimbag@gmail.com

OLOG Parish Office- Ph: 07 3398 2977;

Email: carina@bne.catholic.net.au

#### Planned Giving for the Week of 4th July, 2021 Envelopes Direct Credit **Collection Account numbers have** Loose money Total now changed from 1st March [pledged] Debit [not pledged] card 1<sup>st</sup> Collection Augustinian Priory BSB: 064 786 \$611.05 \$210 \$485 Week 4 \$1,306.05 Account #: 100019791 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection St James Parish \$455 \$1,082.20 BSB: 064 786 \$372.20 \$255 only Account #: 100005891

#### The Parish of St James

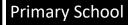
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#### This Sunday's Readings

15th Sunday Ordinary Time

First Reading Amos 7: 12-15 Go, prophesy to my

people.

Second Reading Ephesians 1: 3-14 Before the world was made, he chose us in Christ. Gospel Reading Mark 6: 7-13 He called the Twelve, and began to send them out.

Weekly Mass times

WEEKEND: Saturday 8am; Vigil 6pm.

Sunday 7am, 9am, no longer 6pm.

WEEKDAY: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday 8am WEEKDAY: Friday 9am.

RECONCILIATION: Saturday 4.30—5.30pm... by Eventbrite link or call parish office.

**HEALING + ANOINTING MASS:** Friday 6th August @ 9am.

ALL NIGHT VIGIL: Friday 6th August. NO CHILDREN'S LITURGY (at this stage).

Counters

**July 10 / 11** Sylvia & Lorie

July 17 / 18 Karleen & Sandra

Next week July 17 / 18	VIGIL SATURDAY 6PM	SUNDAY 7AM	SUNDAY 9AM
CHOIR (3rd weekend)	Dizon family	n/a	Canossa Choir
COMMENTATOR	Ron S	Jana V	Kate P
LECTOR	Anne C	Trish R	Cathy M
EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF COMMUNION	Rosemarie Y Collette S	Berenice T-F	Mike S Morag S
ALTAR SERVER/S	Rodel / Ramil	Gene T-F	Leah S / Sean H
POWERPOINT	Sydel	Gilbert / John D	Di / June S
MARSHAL	Lorie / Karen / Edward	Brendon G / Trish R	Cathy M

**16th Sunday Ordinary Time** Next Sunday's Readings

First Reading Jeremiah 23: 1-6 The remnant of my

flock I will gather to me, and bring them back to their pastures.

**Second Reading** *Ephesians 2: 13-18* Christ, our peace, has made us one. Gospel Reading Mark 6: 30-34 They were as sheep without a shepherd.

For complete Sunday's readings, visit our St James website (look for the Prayer tab).



