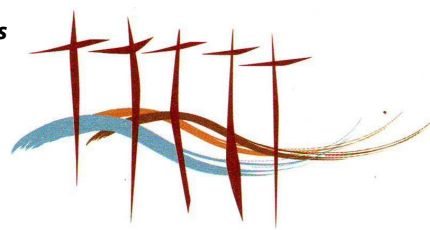


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- **BURLEIGH WATERS** - MARY, MOTHER OF MERCY CHURCH, 3 Sunlight Dr, Burleigh Waters
- **BURLEIGH HEADS** - INFANT SAVIOUR CHURCH, 4 Park Av, Burleigh Heads
- **PALM BEACH** - OUR LADY OF THE WAY CHURCH - Eleventh Ave, Palm Beach
- **MIAMI** - CALVARY CHURCH - Redondo Av, Miami
- **MUDGEERABA** - ST. BENEDICT'S CHURCH - Wallaby Dr, Mudgeeraba
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Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time 14 October, 2018

Year B: Wis 7:7-11; Heb 4:12-13; Mk 10:17-30

next week's Readings: Is 53:10-11; Heb 4:14-16; Mk 10:35-45

An invitation to "maximum love"

A young man comes running to Jesus. He asks Jesus what he must do to inherit eternal life. This rich young man who wanted to follow Jesus had an abundance of everything one needed. There was something essential, something in his heart that material wealth couldn't satisfy. And so he came to Jesus, the miracle-worker, the rabbi everyone was talking about, to find what was missing, and he didn't have the deep sense of meaning, purpose, and interior peace that he longed for.

First, Jesus reminds the young man of the importance of moral wealth by reviewing the basic commandments. The young man was following all the commandments. Jesus loved him for that.

But, the spirituality of Jesus is beyond observing the laws. It is not enough for a person to follow the rules and regulations, its only first step. "I haven't done anything wrong, nor any harm to anyone" This was the feeling of the young man. But question of Jesus is, "What good you have done?" Not doing any wrong is not sufficient. Not doing anything good for others, which you could have done with all your wealth, strength, power and knowledge is also a grave mistake.

Jesus tells him - You lack one thing. Go and sell everything you have and give to the poor, the people who are in need, and follow me. It's an invitation to follow him, even if it means giving up material wealth, popularity, and pleasure, in order to discover the true wealth that our souls desire. So when Jesus challenged him to make God his one true possession and treasure, he became dismayed. It is difficult to 'let go' what one has gained.

Wealth can make us falsely independent. The church at Laodicea was warned about their attitude towards wealth and a false sense of security: "For you say, I am rich, I have prospered, and I need nothing" (Revelations 3:17). Wealth can also lead us into hurtful desires and selfishness. St. Paul writes to Timothy - "Love of money is the root of all evils" (1 Tim. 6:9-10). Look at the lesson Jesus gave about the rich man and his sons who refused to aid the poor man Lazarus (Luke 16:19ff)..... The disciples of Jesus also find this letting go, this leaving everything, difficult to follow. Jesus looked at them and looking at you and me, is saying, "For a human being it is impossible, but not for God. With God all things are possible."

Fr Saji

Parish Weekly Diary....

Monday, 15 October

St Teresa of Avila

9.00am **Mass** - Miami
- followed by Adoration of Blessed
Sacrament until 11am

Tuesday, 16 October

St Margaret Mary Alacoque

7.30am **Mass** - Burleigh Waters

Wednesday, 17 October

St Ignatius of Antioch

7.00am **Mass** - Miami
9.30am **Mass** - Ozanam Villa
5.30pm **Mass** - Palm Beach

Thursday, 18 October

St Luke

7.00am **Mass** - Burleigh Heads
5.30pm **Mass** - Mudgeeraba

Friday, 19 October

St John de Brebeuf and companions

9.00am **Mass** - Robina Hospital
10.00am **Mass** - Burleigh Waters
6.00pm Evening of Marian Devotion - Burleigh Heads

Saturday, 20 October

8.00am **Mass** - Burleigh Heads
4.30pm Sacrament of Penance - Miami
5.30pm Sacrament of Penance - Palm Beach
5.45pm Sacrament of Penance - Burleigh Heads

Saturday, 20 October

Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sat 5.00pm **Mass** - Miami
Sat 6.00pm **Mass** - Palm Beach
sat 6.15pm **Mass** - Burleigh Heads

SUNDAY, 21 October

Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7.00am **Mass** - Burleigh Heads
7.00am **Mass** - Palm Beach
8.30am **Mass** - Miami
8.30am **Mass** - Mudgeeraba
10.00am **Mass** - Burleigh Waters
5.00pm Sacrament of Penance - Burleigh Waters
5.30pm **Mass** - Burleigh Waters

NEW SUNDAY MASS

4th Sunday of the month

Bond University - 7pm - in the Student Lounge
28 October
25 November

EVENING OF MARIAN DEVOTION

Friday 19 October, 6pm, Infant Saviour Church, Burleigh Heads.
An evening of Rosary, Adoration and Benediction
for the defeat of the Queensland Abortion Bill.

TO THE PEOPLE OF GOD
OF THE ARCHDIOCESE OF BRISBANE



The painting of the patron of the Archdiocese, St Mary MacKillop, copies of which are in our parish churches, will soon have a permanent home in one of the turrets at the front of the Cathedral. Beneath it will stand a marble image of the Sacred Heart from the Cathedral before the 1989 renovation, keeping in mind that the full name of the Congregation founded by St Mary MacKillop is the Sisters of St Joseph of the Sacred Heart.

I have also decided that in this space we will entrust all victims and survivors of sexual abuse to the intercession of St Mary MacKillop, who knew the pain of the victim and the strength of the survivor. The turret will contain a candle and inscription remembering those who have been abused and their loved ones, and entrusting them to the loving intercession of Mother Mary of the Cross. The candle will stand on stone from Jerusalem, linking the memorial to the whole story of salvation. In the turret we will also place another marble from old St Stephen's – an image of the crucifixion with Mary and John beneath the Cross. The one on the Cross represents all who have been abused and the two figures beneath the Cross represent their family and friends who have shared their suffering.

The new shrine will be dedicated during 10.00am Mass in the Cathedral on Sunday 21 October. This will be the day before the national apology to the victims and survivors of abuse in the parliament in Canberra. So the dedication of the new shrine will be a simple way for the Archdiocese of Brisbane to share deeply, sincerely and permanently in the apology to all who have been abused, but especially those who have been abused in the Church.

May this be a powerful and enduring response inspired by the Gospel which so inspired St Mary MacKillop to respond to the needs of her own time.

Archbishop of Brisbane
9 October 2018

PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO MARIAN VALLEY



To celebrate the end of the Rosary month of October, an invitation is extended to visit Marian Valley, Canungra, on Saturday 27 October.

Fr Saji will be accompanying parishioners on the day, which will honour Our Lady of the Holy Rosary, in procession, prayer and special intentions, concluding with Benediction.

Please bring your picnic food for morning tea and lunch.

Bus transport will be available for those not wishing to drive, leaving from the Marymount car park (adjacent to the Doyle Centre) at 9.30am and returning around 3pm. The cost for the bus will be approximately \$20 per seat - to book you must register by phoning the Parish Office on 5576 6466.

Please join Fr Saji on this Parish Pilgrimage in honour of Mary, our Blessed Mother, at her local shrine of Marian Valley.



menALIVE SCRIPTURE JOURNALING GROUP gathers Monday and Thursday mornings. 7 - 8am Monday, 7 - 9am Thursday (inclusive of Eucharist).

For further information contact Chris Kennedy 0412 270828. All men of the parish and visitors are most welcome.

EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

Centacare Pastoral Ministries will conduct a **Pastoral Care Training Course on the Gold Coast in January 2019.**

Parishioners interested in training to become volunteer pastoral carers at the Gold Coast and Robina hospitals are invited to attend an information session on **Thursday 22 November, 10am - 11.30am** at the Sacred Heart Parish Hospitality Centre, Clear Island Waters. **Parishioners currently providing pastoral care in the hospitals and in aged care/nursing homes are very welcome to attend.**

For more information, or to register for the information session, please email: adminpasmin@bne.catholic.net.au or call Judy Norris on 3324 3193. rsvp by 19 November.

Parish News and Happenings



PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO HOLY LAND - September 2019. Please register your interest at the Parish Office. **Especially suitable for 75+ age group.*

- Would you like to know more about the Catholic faith? **RCIA ENQUIRY NIGHT** (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) will be held on 23 October at 7.30pm in Infant Saviour Meeting Room, Burleigh Heads. This is a night when anyone who may be interested in becoming a Catholic or in learning about the Catholic faith is welcome to attend. People willing to be sponsors or to accompany someone to the Enquiry Night are also invited. For further information phone the Parish Office on 5576 6466 or Josee Hill on 0430 546465.
- **ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT** will be held on the fourth Sunday of each month from 4.30 - 5.30pm at Mary, Mother of Mercy Church, in the Blessed Sacrament chapel.
- **MASS FOR YOUTH** - Sunday 21 October, Mary, Mother of Mercy Church, 5.30pm. Musicians and singers wanted. Please meet at 4.30pm for practice.
- **PARISH DIARY - 2019** - Please let us know your group's bookings for Mary, Mother of Mercy community centre or Infant Saviour meeting room for 2019 so that the Parish diary can be finalised.
- **PARISH YOUTH WORKER** - Our parish will employ a part time Youth Worker 2019 - 2021. We are seeking a granny flat or accommodation for this young person. Any parishioners who know of a place, please let us know.

• **WOMEN'S REFLECTION DAY** - 9.30am - 3pm, Saturday 10 November, Mary, Mother of Mercy Church, Burleigh Waters. Open to women of all ages and stages. Come, take some quiet reflective apart, as we explore "Mary: Mother of Mercy. With Mary as model, what does our discipleship look like for us as women in the Church in the 21st Century? How do we give birth to mercy in our lives?" What to bring: BYO lunch. Pen and journal. Hat and sunscreen. Morning tea and tea/coffee during the day will be supplied. RSVP essential. Please email Sue Thomas sue@suethomas.net.au or phone the Parish Office by Tuesday 6 November. A donation is invited to cover costs - paid at the door.

• **INVITATION: FREE VOCAL and CHORAL TRAINING** is offered for all interested singers and non singers. Rehearsals by qualified experienced mentor. We hope to encourage active participation through joyful singing at Mass. Phone Emma 5530 3614 or 0402 110366.

• **THE CATHOLIC LEADER** - Responding to the health needs of people in remote Australia ... Brisbane honours the Columbans at a thanksgiving Mass for 100 years of mission and service ... Special advertising feature to guide seniors to retiring with peace of mind.

• *Please continue to pray for rain for the drought affected areas of our land.*

Family Groups

Goannas Sunday 28 October
12 noon, Burleigh Golf Club, cnr Bardon & Albion Av, Miami Phone Margaret 5534



The Parish Pastoral Council met on Monday, 8th October and the Parish Finance Council on the 10th October. Both councils are busy tidying up matters before the end of the year- the budget for 2019 for the Finance Council and the Parish's 10year Plan for the Pastoral Council.

Welcome:

- ⬆ A draft plan was discussed for the Archbishop's visit 16-18 November and this will be finalised at the next meeting. There are some excited groups preparing for this.
- ⬆ Look for a form in the newsletter soon for anyone who would like to consider a ministry.
- ⬆ In the month of the rosary, all are welcome to join Fr Saji and his helpers to a picnic day at Marian Valley on 27 October. Watch the newsletter for details.

Build:

- ⬆ Material from the Vision Day meeting which will inform the parish's 10 year plan has been collated and will be added to and prepared for completion so that we can share this plan with the Archbishop when he is here.
- ⬆ Interesting to notice how similar the input for the Plenary session was to that raised on our Vision Day. Youth is a key focus across the church and our parish and how we worship.

Serve:

- ⬆ The parish diary for 2019 is being compiled. Make sure you let the Parish Office know date and venue claimers for the new year.
- ⬆ The position for a part time youth co-ordinator has been well received and applications are coming in. Hopefully interviews will take place in November and we will have someone ready to start in the new year.

BAPTISMS

We welcome to our faith community Cecile, Summer, Jack and Noah who were baptised last week.

FUNERALS

Last week we celebrated the funeral of Cecilia Noreen Cribb who has died in Christ. Let us remember her family and friends in our prayers this week.

God will raise you up on eagle's wings

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Congratulations to John and Phyllis Moon who celebrated their 60th Wedding Anniversary last Thursday.

John and Phyllis were married on 11 October, 1958 and are valued members of our 10am Mary, Mother of Mercy Community.

Best wishes from all parishioners.

SICK & SPECIAL NEEDS

Your prayers have been requested for Michael Allan, Noreen Andersen, Patricia Ashton, Glenys Bailey, Leigh Boulcher, Jacob Burgstaller, Lily Burgstaller, James Burke, Diane Busutil, John Costigan, Graham Dall, Fr Des Fitzgerald, Paul Gamin, Mary-Lou Gatt, Anne Gavaghan, Norma Greenland, Geromy Grima, Fred Grioli, Vera Havlik, Cheryl Hingerty, Jean Hokin, Patricia Holmes, Angelika Huber, Nona Hudson, Harry Hunter, Norman Ingle, Stuart Ingram, Annette Kassulke, Margaret Kennedy, Terry Maguire, Denis McEnery, Anne McInnes, John Mooney, Stephen Murray, Mary O'Brien, Sr Annette O'Connor, Paul O'Connor, Eileen O'Neill, Michael Onn, Sean O'Reilly, Anne Owens, Mike Parker, Paula Pinch, Phyllis Pola, Donna Redman, Peter Reid, William Sheehan, Peter Smith, Pacing Soriano, Isaac Stafrace, Andrew Supple, Carmel Taylor, Dean Taylor, Luke Thorpe, Lourdes Toledo, Nemcio Toledo, Nigel Tomlinson, Sarra Tyler, Marie Walker, Norma Ward, Sylvia Wesley, Dan Wilson, Graham Zender, Norah Zipf, the sick of our Parish and all in need of God's healing Spirit.

DECEASED

Masses have been requested for the recently deceased and for friends and relatives whose anniversaries occur about this time: Barry Zimmerman, Terry Maguire, Vincent Truda, Natalia Abarquez, Ignacio Abarquez, Clea Bismonte, Jordan Bismonte, John R. Meekin, Maureen Meekin.

*May the choir of angels come to greet you ...
May you find eternal life.*

PLANNED GIVING LAST WEEK - ☺

CODE: ☺☺ = very good;
☺ = good;
☺ = hangin' in there;
☺ = help!

Counting roster this week: Mudgeeraba

Liturgical Music for Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

INTRODUCTORY RITES:

Gathering:

Come To The Water

*Come to the water, you who are thirsty.
Though you have nothing, I bid you come
and be filled with the goodness I have to offer.
Come. Listen. Live.*

Why spend your money on what cannot fill
the emptiness deep in your heart?
Listen to my word and you will enjoy
goodness and peace in your heart.

Just as the heavens are high above earth,
my ways and thoughts beyond you.
Call me your Father and know I am near.
I will be Father to you.

Just as the rain falls to water the earth,
just as a seed becomes bread,
my word upon you can never return
until my longing is filled.

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LITURGY OF THE WORD:

Psalm Response:



Fill us___ with your love, O Lord,



and we will sing for joy!

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Psalm Responses for Weekday Masses this week:

Monday:

Blessed be the name of the Lord for ever.

Tuesday:

Let your loving kindness come to me, O Lord.

Wednesday:

Those who follow you, Lord, will have the light of life.

Thursday:

Your friends tell the glory of your kingship, Lord.

Friday:

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

Saturday:

You gave your Son authority over all your creation.

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST:

Communion:

Prayer Of St Francis

Make me a channel of your peace.
Where there is hatred, let me bring your love.
Where there is injury, your pardon, Lord.
And where there's doubt, true faith in you.

Make me a channel of your peace.
Where there's despair in life, let me bring hope.
Where there is darkness only light,
and where there's sadness ever joy.

Oh, Master, grant that I may never seek
so much to be consoled as to console,
to be understood as to understand,
to be loved, as to love with all my soul.

Make me a channel of your peace.
It is in pardoning that we are pardoned,
in giving of ourselves that we receive,
and in dying that we're born to eternal life.

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CONCLUDING RITES

Dismissal:

Go Now, You Are Sent Forth

Go now, you are sent forth
to live what you proclaim;
to show the world you follow Christ
in fact, not just in name.

Go now, you are sent forth
to walk this troubled earth,
to share your faith with others
and prove your real worth.

Go now, you are sent forth
as God's ambassador;
by serving him in those we meet
we love him more and more.

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Choir 5520 2591

Christian Meditation 5593 3794

Family Groups 0412 606492

Ladies' Dinner 5576 2623

Ladies' Lunch 5576 2623

Marymount Primary 5535 1803

Marymount College 5586 1000

menALIVE Group 0412 270828

Men's Dinner 5576 2623

Ozanam Villa 5507 0800

St Vincent de Paul 1800 846643

TEAMS Married Couples 5522 4880

Youth 0430 960802

CONNECT MASS
10am, Mary, Mother of Mercy

Yr 8 21 October
Yr 7 25 November

