



# St. Matthew's Catholic Church

## *Loganholme Parish*

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### 7th Sunday in Ordinary Time 18 & 19 February 2023—Yr. A.

#### Roster for this weekend.

**Readers:** 5pm: Glenda McTavish, Cathy Hegarty;

8am: Russell Steinitz, Maria Martin-le Fevre ;

9:30am: Bill McGeachie, Gloria Chieng;

6pm: Kristie Mackley, Volunteer.

**Minister of Communion:** 5pm: Kathy Nix;

8am: Maria Martin-Le Fevre, Tim Griffin; 9:30am: Karen McGeachie.

**Projectionist:** 5pm: Rob Coles; 8am: Rhonda Porteous;

9:30am: Volunteer; 6pm Cassandra Are.

#### IN OUR PARISH THIS COMING WEEK:

Mon 20 Jan Rosary at 10 am—**Mass 7:00pm**

Tues 21 Jan Mass 8am followed by rosary. **9:00 am Craft Group.**

Wed 22 Feb **Ash Wednesday Mass 8am (followed by rosary) & Mass 6:30 pm. (Lent commences).**

Thur 23 Feb Mass 8am followed by rosary.

Fri 24 Feb Mass 8am followed by the **Stations of the Cross.**

**Sat 25 Feb Mass 5:00 pm.**

**Sun 26 Feb Mass 8am, Mass 9.30am & 6:00 pm.**

#### **Next Sunday's Readings:**

##### **1st Sunday of Lent.**

**Genesis 2: 7-9; 3: 1-7 Romans 5: 12-19 Matthew 4: 1-11**

Reconciliation at 4:30pm every Saturday.

Other times by appointment with Fr Richard.

**We need extra volunteers for the various ministries in our Church.**

We are looking for:

- a musician or choir who can take on the music ministry **every second Sunday of the Month at the 9:30 am Mass.**
- **We need extra volunteers for the following Ministries—see table below:**

<b>Ministry</b>	<b>Sat 5 pm Mass</b>	<b>Sun 8 am Mass</b>	<b>Sun 9:30 am Mass</b>	<b>Sun 6:00 pm Mass</b>
Reading	1*	NIL	2*	2*
Communion	NIL	NIL	NIL	2*
Collectors	NIL	1*	2*	4*
Projectionist	1*	2*	3*	2*

\* Required number of extra volunteers.

***If you want to help, please talk to Fr Richard, Luis or send an email to [loganholme@bne.catholic.net.au](mailto:loganholme@bne.catholic.net.au) with your details.***

**7th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

*“But I say to you, love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you...”MATTHEW 5:44*

Love your enemies, easier said than done. But, remember, the foundation of stewardship is prayer. When we are in close communication with God, it opens our heart and it turns our attention away from “me” and moves it towards God and others. It changes my heart and actions, allowing for a little more empathy for “my enemy.” When we pray for others, even our enemies, it may soften their hearts as well.



**Caritas**  
AUSTRALIA

**Project Compassion Sunday**  
**18 & 19 February**



Please take home a Project Compassion box or a set of donation envelopes to support Caritas Australia this Lenten season and help support vulnerable people around the world, now and ***For All Future Generations***. With your support, Caritas Australia has been able to support vulnerable communities around the world to tackle poverty, food security, education, water and sanitation and disaster risk reduction to build a better future for all.



Together, we can help vulnerable communities face their challenges today and build a better tomorrow ***For All Future Generations***.

You can donate through Project Compassion donation boxes and envelopes available from your parish, by visiting [caritas.org.au/project-compassion](https://caritas.org.au/project-compassion), or by calling 1800 024 413.

Every couple of years the Archdiocese invites Lay ministers new and existing attend an in-service/formation.

On Saturday, 25<sup>th</sup> February 2023 there will be a day facilitated by Michael Mangan the Director of Liturgy Brisbane and will be for all Ministers of the Word, Extraordinary ministers of communion, liturgy teams and music teams.

Michael has a wealth of knowledge in music, liturgy and aspects of ministry and makes the session so engaging.

**Venue: Marsden Maximilian Kolbe Parish.**

The morning commences at 9am for a 9.30am sharp start till 11.30am. This is a great opportunity for all the parishes in the Logan Deanery to take advantage of this formation.



All parishes in the Logan Deanery (which is us) are asked to please contact Jo Cullen if you are attending by email or phone – **[pastoral.stbern@bne.catholic.net.au](mailto:pastoral.stbern@bne.catholic.net.au) or ph 0419733878.**

**Exploring our Faith– First session for 2023.**

**Next Session:** Sunday 26th of February 2023.

**Topic:** No Greater Love: A Biblical Walk Through Christ's Passion – (5 sessions: 30 min video, 30 min discussion) by Dr Edward Sri.

**Please contact Fiona or Andrew on 0439 524 392 for more information.**



**Our craft fellowship group is back!**

The group has commences its activities every Tuesday morning at 9 am. All new member are welcome, please contact

Marie Brown on 0435 476 503 for more information.

To minimise the risk of Covid-19 transmission in our community, we have removed the weekly hardcopy list of names for the recently deceased, sick and anniversary. If you want someone to appear in the list of our newsletter please obtain their permission and email their names **each Thursday before lunch time** to the parish office.

**Pope Francis' intention for February 2023:**

***For parishes:***

*We pray that parishes, placing communion at the centre, may increasingly become communities of faith, fraternity and welcome towards those most in need.*

**Those Who have recently died:** *Carol Ward.*

**Those Who Are Sick :** *Patrick Tomelty; Malcolm; Ian McKenzie; Bob, Angeline O'Connor; Freda O'Connor, Noreen, Ross, Bernard Masau, Shaw Pea Chieng, Carlos Mendes, Marquisete Mendes, Will, Christine O'Connor-Donze, Erica Martin-Le Fevre, Aileen Abbazova, Sam Newnham, Anna Felsman, Melanie Mackie, Sharyn Naglik, Lise Mackie, Wendy D'Arcy, Arnaud, Nadine, Samuel, Coral Abernathy, Jeffro Hawley, Marie-Antoinette Saliba, Jean Newnham, Rose Appiah.*

**Anniversaries:** *Carlos Arzamendi; Eva A Gomes; Annie Hanlen; Thel Roberts; Lyn Clotworthy; Simon Koster; Fr Gary Russell; Margaret Marks; Peter Williamson; Russ Downing.*