St. Matthew's Catholic Church

Loganholme Parish

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Second Sunday in Ordinary Time Sat 13—14 January 2024 Yr. B. Roster for this weekend.

Readers: 5pm: Aneetra Gunasekera, Elisabeth Dayot;

8am: Maria Martin-Le Fevre, Marie Brown; 9:30am: Sinta Sugiaman,

Anna Pereira; 6pm: Tim Lomas, Rowena Panagunda.

Minister of Communion: 5pm: Kevin Barber; 8:00 am: Lesley Hunter; 9:30 am: Linda Patino.

Projectionist: 5pm: Janet Solomon: 8am: Rhonda Porteous:

9:30am: Myrna Magallanes; 6pm Cassandra Are.

IN OUR PARISH THIS COMING WEEK:

Mon 15 Jan Mass 8 am followed by rosary 7 pm NO Mass.

Tues 16 Jan Mass 8am followed by rosary.

Wed 17 Jan Mass 8am followed by rosary.

Thur 18 Jan Mass 8am followed by rosary.

19 Jan Mass 8am followed by rosary. Fri

Sat 20 Jan Mass 5:00 pm.

Sun 21 Jan Masses 8:00 am, 9:30 am and 6:00 pm.

Next Sunday's Readings: Third Sunday in Ordinary Time.

Jonah 3: 1-5, 10 1 Corinthians 7: 29-31 Mark 1: 14-20.

Reconciliations on Saturdays at 4:30pm.

Other times by appointment with Fr Richard.

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time.

"Jesus turned and saw them following him and said to them,

'What are you looking for?" - John 1:38

When we recognize who we are, it's easier to find what we are looking for. Once we see ourselves, and others, as children of God, we spend less time looking for the material comforts of the world. Instead, our hearts long for something deeper that can only be filled by God. Ask God daily how He wants you to live the life He intended for you.



The Parish of St. Matthew's and the

Archdiocese of Brisbane are committed
to the care, wellbeing and protection of

May our message be that child protection and the dignity of every person is the responsibility of every adult. You can find out more about the Church's work in this area at:

children, young people and people at risk in our community.

https://stmatthewsloganholme.com.au/parish/safeguarding/



Message for New Year

As we prepare to begin 2024, we are hoping this new year brings a fresh and happier page that perhaps takes us back to a more normal world where we are able to connect and reconnect

with others. We have many hopes for this new year. We hope it will be just what we like. We can certainly greet this new year with openness and excitement, thanking God in advance for a new beginning, new opportunities and a chance for renewal for ourselves, for our families, and for communities. As we pray and look ahead to 2024, we might find that the start of this new year is calling us to set aside anxieties and trust that God will continue to hold us in his hand.

Explanation of our Liturgical Years.

Each year, the Church begins a new liturgical year commencing in Advent (Years A, B and C). These years rotate thought out each calendar year. Each liturgical year contains four important cycles, which are: Advent, Ordinary Time, Lent/Easter and Extraordinary Times (Solemn Celebrations). We are now commencing an important cycle in Ordinary Time which is when God comes to us <u>always</u>. As Catholic we are required to attend all Masses through out the year, the term Ordinary does not mean that the liturgical celebrations are less important, the Ordinary Time is the respective preparatory season of Advent and Lent.

fr Richard.



Our craft fellowship group is back in February!

The group will commence its activities on Tuesday 6th of February and meets every

Tuesday mornings at 9 am. All new member are welcome, please contact Marie Brown on 0435 476 503 for more information.

Sunday 9.30 teas roster: Coordinators: Week one: Linda, Week two: Sinta, Week three: Fiona, Week four: Linda, Week five: (Fiona, Linda or Sinta).

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

We are looking for:

 musicians or choirs who can take on the music ministry for a Mass.

If you want to help, please talk to Fr Richard, Luis or send an email to loganholme@bne.catholic.net.au with your details.

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 on Thursdays before lunch time to the parish office.

Pope Francis' intention for January 2024: For The Gift Of Diversity In The Church.

Let us pray that the Holy Spirit helps us recognize the gift of different charisms within the Christian community, and to discover the richness of different ritual traditions in the heart of the Catholic Church.

Those Who have recently died: Geoff Henderson; Kerry Smith; Ian Hamilton; Sr Lavenia Henry.

Those Who Are Sick: Laurie Newnham; Tony Anderson; Florencia; Pat Moore; Lesley Bentley; Manea Tetevano; Robert Hickson; Nancy Brown; Tim; Sophie W; Darren W; John; Greg Pritchard; Lyn Ahern; Charo O'Sullivan; Malcolm; Bob; Freda O'Connor; Ross; Bernard Masau, Shaw Pea Chieng; Marquisete Mendes; Will; Christine O'Connor-Donze; Erica Martin-Le Fevre; Aileen Abbazov; 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.

<u>Anniversaries</u>: Lil Clotworthy; Dee; Hank Rempe; Claude Laifoo; Keith Hickson; Maria Goretti Benedicto; Mama Mary Benedicto; Gilbert Clotworthy; Gert Clotworthy; Tony Berry.