

St. Matthew's Catholic Church

Loganholme Parish

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<u>Third Sunday in Ordinary Time Sat 27—28 January 2024 Yr. B.</u> <u>Roster for this weekend.</u>

Readers: 5pm: Karen Barber, Catlin Douse; 8am: Marie Brown, Richard Penny; 9:30am: Jef Baker, Kristie Mackley; 6pm: Tim Griffin, Rowena Panagunda.

Minister of Communion: 5pm: Monica Coles; 8am: Marie Brown; 9:30am: Linda Patino.

Projectionist: 5pm: Joel Davies; 8am: Rhonda Porteous; 9:30am: Rowena Panagunda; 6pm Cassandra Are.

IN OUR PARISH THIS COMING WEEK:

Mon 29 Jan Rosary 10 am

7 pm Mass.

Tues 30 Jan Mass 8am followed by rosary.

Wed 31 Jan Mass 8am followed by rosary.

Thur 01 Feb Mass 8am followed by rosary.

Fri 02 Feb Mass 8 am followed by rosary.

Sat 03 Feb Mass 5:00 pm.

Sun 04 Feb Masses 8:00 am, 9:30 am and 6:00 pm.

Next Sunday's Readings: 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time.

Job 7: 1-4, 6-7 1 Corinthians 9: 16-19, 22-23 Mark 1: 29-39.

Reconciliations on Saturdays at 4:30pm.

Other times by appointment with Fr Richard.



First Friday 2nd of February/1st Saturday Devotion.

7 pm - 12;30 am — includes Confessions, Stations of the Cross & Holy Mass and

overnight vigil in Honour of the Most Sacred Heart & closing with Holy Mass.

4th Sunday in Ordinary Time.

"Brothers and sisters: I should like you to be free of anxieties."-1 Corinthians 7:32

How much anxiety do we bring upon ourselves by constantly worrying about not having enough or attaining more things? God won't necessarily give you everything you want, but He will provide everything you need. Try this – use the word "pray" instead of the word "worry" in the future. Then spend your time praying instead of worrying.



The Parish of St. Matthew's and the Archdiocese of Brisbane are committed to the care, wellbeing and protection of

children, young people and people at risk in

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



Work Health and Safety (WH&S) and Safequarding Audits—IMPORTANT.

Each 18 months Parishes are audited with regards their WH&S Safeguarding practices. This year the Archdiocese of Brisbane once again is conducting two

audits on Friday, 2nd of February commencing at 11 am. At our last audits, our Parish received scores of 100% compliance. This year we are aiming for similar scores and are currently checking each volunteer's record who need renewal of Blue Cards, Police Checks and Safeguarding Training. If you get an email/call from Fiona or Luis, we are asking you to complete the request urgently as we are preparing for these audits next week. We are also asking to minimise your contacts with the Office on that date and please only contact the office if the matter is urgent.

Preparation for Lent

This year, the lent season begins earlier with the celebration of Ash Wednesday on the 14th of February, we will have two Masses on that date at 8:00 am and 6:00 pm. Our Holy Week program for 2024 is ready and will be released over the next couple of weeks. Similarly to last year, where possible, we will use the volunteers already rostered for reading, communion and other ministries during that week, but there will also be opportunities to serve at the other liturgical celebrations during this important week.; there will be signup sheets at the back of the Church for volunteers to nominate . **fr Richard.**

EXPLORE Our Explore your Faith Program is back in 2024. Andrew West is planning to run the 'Oremus' course **YOUR FAITH** on Catholic Prayer during June & July this year. The course will teach you the essentials of an effective and fruitful prayer life. Details on the course are available at <u>https://ascensionpress.com/collections/oremus-a-guide</u> <u>-to-catholic-prayer</u>. There are 8 sessions, each one including a half-hour video followed by discussion, and each session will be approximately one hour long. For more information and expression of interest in this course please contact Andrew West by email at wildwestandrewg@gmail.com or phone him on 0447 517 414 .

Sunday 9.30 teas roster: Main Coordinator: Linda Lim

Week one: Linda & Patrick; **Week two**: Sinta & Myrna; **Week three**: Rowena & Carlota; **Week four**: Linda & Patrick, **Week five**: Myrna & helpers.

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 February 2024: For The Terminally III.

Let us pray that the sick who are in the final stages of life, and their families, receive the necessary medical and humane care and accompaniment.

<u>Those Who have recently died</u>: Takaatu Riteri; Dino Asilo, Maria Teresia Karalo; Geoff Henderson; Kerry Smith.

<u>Those Who Are Sick</u> : Laurie Newnham; Tony Anderson; Florencia; Tono 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.

Anniversaries: Lil Clotworthy; Dee; Hank Rempe; Claude Laifoo.