

The Mazenodian

Christ the King Church & St Eugene Church



THE HOLY FAMILY, YEAR B, 30/31 DECEMBER 2017

PARISH INFORMATION

Incorporating Burpengary, Deception Bay, Morayfield & Narangba
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MASS TIMES

WEEKEND
Saturday 6.00pm vigil
Christ the King
Sunday 7.30am Christ the King
9.30am St Eugene Church
5.00pm St Eugene Church

WEEKDAY
Mon, Wed & Fri 9.00am Christ the King
Tue 7.30am (school terms),
Thurs, Sat 9.00am St Eugene Church

PUBLIC AND SCHOOL HOLIDAYS
9.00am

BAPTISMS By appointment 2nd and 4th Sunday of the month

MARRIAGES By appointment

RECONCILIATION
Saturday 9.30 - 10.00am
St. Eugene Church
5.30 - 5.45pm
Christ the King,
or by appointment

Today's feast of the Holy Family is about faithful love that looks after the most important people in our lives. We all know that fights and bitterness can wreck families for generations. If today's feast means anything it is not about romanticising how difficult family life can be these days. It is about naming that forgiveness, compassion and kindness are the blocks upon which Christian family life is built. Without these virtues family life crumbles.

The best way to honour today's feast is to do something about the faithful love it celebrates. I have often been with people on their deathbed when they speak about things they have left undone and would have liked to have achieved in their life. No one ever says that they wish they had spent more time at work. No one says they wish they had made more money. But many people say that they wish they had told those that they love, that they loved them. We shouldn't assume that our families know about our love for them if we haven't said it. If we show it, we should be able to say it. So write a letter, make a call or go and see them, but let's pluck up our courage and tell our families that we love them. It's too late once we're dead.

And the best news is that when we profess our love to our families we'll see that today's celebration is in fact a moveable feast. © Richard Leonard SJ.

THANK YOU

I am sure you will join me in thanking the musicians, liturgy committee and Jenny and Trevor for enhancing our Christmas liturgies through music and the visual aids of the banners and nativity. Also thank you to those who assisted at the Masses by reading, giving communion, collecting, serving, data projector operators, preparing for the Masses and arranging flowers. All Masses were well attended and were solemn celebrations.

I wish you all the blessings for the New Year and that you always enjoy God's favour.

*Yours in Christ and Mary Immaculate,
Fr David*





AROUND THE PARISH



The Week Ahead 31 st December – 7 th January		
Sun 31 st Dec	7:30 a.m. CTK 9:30 a.m. St Eugene 5:00 p.m. St Eugene	Mass Mass Mass
Mon 1 st Jan	NEW YEARS 9:00 a.m. CTK	DAY Mass
Tues 2 nd Jan	9:00 a.m. St Eugene 9:30 a.m. St Eugene	Mass Rosary
Wed 3 rd Jan	9:00 a.m. CTK	Mass
Thurs 4 th Jan	9:00 a.m. St Eugene	Mass
Fri 5 th Jan	8:00 a.m. CTK 9:00 a.m. CTK 8:00 p.m. CTK	First Friday Adoration Mass Alcoholics Anonymous
Sat 6 th Jan	8:30 a.m. St Eugene 9:00 am St Eugene 9:30 a.m. St Eugene 9:30 a.m. St Eugene 5:30 p.m. CTK 6:00 p.m. CTK 6:30 p.m. Fr Ned Room	Rosary Mass Reconciliation First Saturday Adoration Reconciliation Mass Alcoholics Anonymous
Sun 7 th Jan	7:30 a.m. CTK 9:30 a.m. St Eugene 10:45 a.m. St Eugene 5:00 p.m. St Eugene	Mass Mass Baptism Preparation Class Mass

Please Pray for:

The eternal repose of souls: Ziggy Niemiec, Anne Millar

for those whose anniversary occurs at this time:

Nora Abbey

and especially those who seek healing in their lives:

Colleen Nichols, Helen Smoothy, Judy Woods, Ruth Stahlhut, Bronwyn Hicks, Bill Philp, Ivan Pearce, Kevin Groth, Phillip & Tony Taylor, Reyn McVinish, Luke Woods, Margaret Versace, Kevin Trickey, Dalveen Fletcher, John Seal, Terry Walsh.



MAZENOD CLUB 2017/2018

The winner of last week's draw was:

Peter Devine #66. Congratulations!

Your ticket for the new game is available to collect from the back of the church.



MAMI Christmas Gift Cards
DON'T FORGET TO PICK UP YOUR MAMI CHRISTMAS CARDS (GOATS, CHOOKS ETC) FROM THE BOX AT THE BACK OF THE CHURCH. Receipts will be issued by MAMI direct.

6/7 January Epiphany Cleaners	Christ the King 6:00 PM	Christ the King 7:30 AM	St Eugene 9:30 AM	St Eugene 5:00 PM
	Clive Cass		Mick Nearmy	
Flowers			Anna Deuar, Maria Piletic	
Welcomers	Bob Marshall Rita Marshall	Margaret Trickey June Gaudern	Rob O'Brien Pauline O'Brien	Pam Murray
Sacristan	Rita Marshall		Marge Land	Paulette Ross
Musicians	Clive Cass Therees Tevaga Maria Tevaga	Chris Laing Clive Cass	Faith in Harmony	
Data Projector Operator			Rilana Vuillemain	
Altar Servers	Angus Stephens	Alele Tukuaoaga Sataialofa Tukuaoaga Paul Tukuaoaga	Melissa Vuillemain Connor Jones	Paulette Ross
Children's Liturgy			School Holidays	
Readers	Bob Marshall	Darrell Fitzgerald	Terry Gall	Carmel Quinn
Communion Ministers	George Muddle	Maureen Brown Anne Burnell Lesley Egen	Rob O'Brien Maree Raske Mary Himing Stella Meggitt Maureen Wise	Paulette Ross Erica Cassingham Margaret McMaste
Refreshments			Osmak Family	
Piety Stall	George Muddle			
Counters	Erica Cassingham, Carmel Quinn			
Mazenod Club				Drawn Today

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

(R.) Happy are those who fear the Lord and walk in his ways.

MASS & ALL NIGHT ADORATION SUNDAY, 31ST DECEMBER, 2017

Holy Spirit Parish, 102 Sparkes Road, Bray Park Mass—6.00 p.m.

All night Adoration to pray for World Peace after the 6.00 pm Mass continuing to 7.00 a.m. on Monday, 1st January 2018. Mass to follow at 8am on New Year's Day.



"Prayer Request Circle". Our small but dedicated Prayer Group offer up 'Prayer Requests' daily, on behalf of anyone, anywhere. If you would like us to offer up prayers on your behalf all you need to do is contact Jeannie on 0406 630 824.

Parish Prayer
O God, the Creator and Giver of all things, Bless our Parish of St Eugene de Mazenod in our united endeavours. Strengthen our faith, Grant us the Spirit of Sacrifice so that, with your grace, we may provide for the needs of our Parish, Be sanctified and so glorify you. Through Christ our Lord, Amen.