



ST BERNADETTE'S CATHOLIC PARISH

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Third Sunday of Easter, Year C

1st May 2022

Entrance Procession

Cry out with joy to God, all the earth;
O sing to the glory of his name.
O render him glorious praise, alleluia.

First Reading: Acts 5:27-32, 40-41

We are witnesses of these words, and so is the Holy Spirit.

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles.

The high priest demanded an explanation of the apostles. 'We gave you a formal warning,' he said 'not to preach in this name, and what have you done? You have filled Jerusalem with your teaching, and seem determined to fix the guilt of this man's death on us.' In reply Peter and the apostles said, 'Obedience to God comes before obedience to men; it was the God of our ancestors who raised up Jesus, but it was you who had him executed by hanging on a tree. By his own right hand God has now raised him up to be leader and saviour, to give repentance and forgiveness of sins through him to Israel. We are witnesses to all this, we and the Holy Spirit whom God has given to those who obey him.' They warned the apostles not to speak in the name of Jesus and released them. And so they left the presence of the Sanhedrin glad to have had the honour of suffering humiliation for the sake of the name.

The word of the Lord.

Responsorial Psalm: Ps 29:2, 4-6, 11-13

R. I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me.

I will praise you, Lord, you have rescued me
and have not let my enemies rejoice over me.
O Lord, you have raised my soul from the dead,
restored me to life from those who sink into the grave. **R.**

Sing psalms to the Lord, you who love him,
give thanks to his holy name.
His anger lasts but a moment; his favour through life.
At night there are tears, but joy comes with dawn. **R.**

The Lord listened and had pity.
The Lord came to my help.
For me you have changed my mourning into dancing;
O Lord my God, I will thank you for ever. **R.**

Second Reading: Revelation 5:11-14

The Lamb that was sacrificed is worthy to be given power, wealth, glory, and blessing.

A reading from the book of the Apocalypse.

In my vision, I, John, heard the sound of an immense number of angels gathered round the throne and the animals and the elders; there were ten thousand times ten thousand of them and thousands upon thousands, shouting, 'The Lamb that was sacrificed is worthy to be given power, riches, wisdom, strength, honour, glory and blessing.' Then I heard all the living things in creation - everything that lives in the air, and on the ground, and under the ground, and in the sea, crying, 'To the One who is sitting on the throne and to the Lamb, be all praise, honour, glory and power, for ever and ever.' And the four animals said, 'Amen'; and the elders prostrated themselves to worship.

The word of the Lord.

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia!
Christ is risen, the Lord of all creation;
he has shown pity on all people. Alleluia!

Gospel: John 21:1-19

Jesus stepped forward, took the bread and gave it to them, and did the same with the fish.

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John.

Jesus showed himself again to his disciples. It was by the Sea of Tiberias, and it happened like this: Simon Peter, Thomas called the Twin, Nathanael from Cana in Galilee, the sons of Zebedee and two more of his disciples were together. Simon Peter said, 'I'm going fishing.' They replied, 'We'll come with you.' They went out and got into the boat but caught nothing that night.

It was light by now and there stood Jesus on the shore, though the disciples did not realise that it was Jesus. Jesus called out, 'Have you caught anything, friends?' And when they answered, 'No,' he said, 'Throw the net out to starboard and you'll find something.' So they dropped the net, and there were so many fish that they could not haul it in. The disciple Jesus loved said to Peter, 'It is the Lord.' At these words 'It is the Lord,' Simon Peter, who had practically nothing on, wrapped his cloak round him and jumped into the water. The other disciples came on in the boat, towing the net and the fish; they were only about a hundred yards from land.

As soon as they came ashore they saw that there was some bread there, and a charcoal fire with fish cooking on it. Jesus said, 'Bring some of the fish you have just caught.' Simon Peter went aboard and dragged the net to the shore, full of big fish, one hundred and fifty-three of them; and in spite of there being so many the net was not broken. Jesus said to them, 'Come and have breakfast.' None of the disciples was bold enough to ask, 'who are you?'; they knew quite well it was the Lord. Jesus then stepped forward, took the bread and gave it to them, and the same with the fish. This was the third time that Jesus showed himself to the disciples after rising from the dead.

After the meal Jesus said to Simon Peter, 'Simon son of John, do you love me more than these others do?' He answered, 'Yes Lord, you know I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Feed my lambs.' A second time he said to him, 'Simon son of John, do you love me?' He replied 'Yes, Lord, you know I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Look after my sheep.' Then he said to him a third time, 'Simon son of John, do you love me?' Peter was upset that he asked him the third time, 'Do you love me?' and said, 'Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Feed my sheep.

'I tell you most solemnly,
when you were young
you put on your own belt
and walked where you liked;
but when you grow old
you will stretch out your hands,
and somebody else will put a belt around you
and take you where you would rather not go.'

In these words he indicated the kind of death by which Peter would give glory to God. After this he said, 'Follow me.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

Communion Antiphon

Jesus said to his disciples: Come and eat.
And he took bread and gave it to them, alleluia.

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Parish Office Hours: 9.30am-1.30pm
Tues, Wed & Fri

Parish Masses & Services:

Weekend Mass Times:

Saturday Vigil: 6pm
Sunday: 8am, 10.00am
Live-streamed Masses [directly via YouTube \(Friars of St Francis\)](#)

Weekday Mass Times:

Tuesday: 9.00am
Wednesday: 7.30am
Thursday: 9.00am
Friday: 9.00am
Saturday: 7.30am

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Thursday (during Holy Hour) 5.15pm - 5.45pm.
Saturday 5.00 - 5.45pm

Holy Hour and Exposition: Thursdays, 5.00pm - 6.00pm. Begins with Vespers (evening prayer of the Church) and finishes with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

All Night Adoration: First Friday of each month, from 8.30pm throughout until Saturday morning, concluding with Benediction at about 7am.

Infant Baptism:

Baptisms held every third Sunday of the month at 11.30am. Please book with the Parish Secretary.

Sacrament of Matrimony and Weddings:

Please give at least 6 months' notice. Please book with the Parish Secretary

Sunday School: Years K-12 at 11am in St Bernadette's Primary School.

Parish Prayer Groups:

Rosary:

Mon: 7.55am
Tues, Thurs & Fri: 8.25am
Wed & Sat: After 7.30am Mass
Sun: After 9.30am Mass

Legion of Mary: Fridays 9.45am

Parish Youth Groups:

Younger Teens: Years 6-8
Older Teens: Years: 9-12
Young Adults: 18-35
Catholic Central: 18+

Please contact Father Benedict for Youth Group enquires: brbenedictsf@bigpond.com or visit www.friarsofstfrancis.org

Parish Notice Board

- ❖ **THANK YOU.** We would like to thank all of our Parishioners for their great generosity especially during this busy season. In particular, those who worked very hard in cleaning and beautifying the Church and grounds, and also the musicians and choir members. The Friars also want to express their gratitude for the many kind, lovely and generous gifts they have received. We pray every day for you all and offer regular masses for your intentions.
- ❖ **Sunday School:** Term 2 Recommences today Sunday 1st of May 11.00am – 12noon in the school. All school children are welcome (K-12).

PLEASE NOTE THAT SUNDAY SCHOOL ON THE FOLLOWING SUNDAY 8TH MAY IS CANCELLED AS IT IS MOTHER'S DAY!

- ❖ **Monthly All Night Eucharistic Adoration:** Friday 6th May starting at 8.30pm with Exposition at 8.30pm and concluding with Benediction at 7am the following morning and followed by Mass at 7.30am.
- ❖ **Mondays:** As inconceivable as it might seem to some, the Friars actually need a day off a week from the Parish. That day is Monday. Could we ask you please not to ring the parish on Mondays unless it is an emergency (i.e. when someone needs a priest because they are near death). Thank you and may God bless you.
- ❖ **St Bernadette's Piety Store in the Church Foyer, is re-stocked.** Statues, missals, rosary beads, crucifix, religious plaques, holy water bottles, medals, Easter cards and more. Fair prices while still providing support to the needy in our community. Stop in anytime the Church is open, visit Our Lord and then go into the foyer and see if we have anything that interests you. See contact information and payment instructions on the sign in the store, cash or EFT.

Youth Notices

- ❖ **Friday 6th May 6.30pm-9.00pm:** The Youth Group will be hosting a Formation Night (for youth in years 6-12). Food and fun will be provided. Please bring a friend yourself.

Parish Bank Account details for Donations, Planned Giving or Direct Transfers:

(Please quote in the reference either your SURNAME & INITIAL or ENVELOPE NUMBER)

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From the Padre:

John 21:1-19

“Jesus stepped forward, took the bread and gave it to them, and did the same with the fish”.



Let us pray for all our sick relatives, friends and parishioners, especially:

Stephanie van der Kolff; Ky Hue Kha; Michael Siddle; Dorothy Frost; Eleni Michael;
Joan Hemmens; Elizabeth Mierzanowski; Charlotte Chiodo; and all our sick parishioners and loved ones.

Let us pray for our deceased loved ones, especially:

Frieda Piesch; Rita & Charlie Saliba; Carmelo Mifsud; Roman Tigas; The Holy Souls in Purgatory;
May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen.

***Saint Michael the Archangel,
defend us in the battle; be our protection against the malice and snares
of the Devil. May God restrain him, we humbly pray, and You, O Prince
of the heavenly host, by the divine power cast into Hell Satan and all the
other evil spirits who roam through the world seeking the ruin of souls.
Amen.***

***Most Sacred Heart of Jesus: have mercy on us. (3 times)
Immaculate Heart of Mary: pray for us***

Saints of the Week:

2nd May - St Athanasius

***3rd May - SAINTS PHILIP & JAMES,
APOSTLES***

8th May - Mary, Mother & Mediatrix of Grace

HONEY RAW and NATURAL

3 KG bucket \$36 free delivery if within metropolitan area.

Glass jars 350gr \$6

Glass jars 500gr \$8

Twist jars 540gr \$9 (Children love them)

Glass jars 700gr \$10

Clean bee wax available on request \$18 Kg

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Roster for Ministries 7-8 May 2022

| | Sat Vigil 6pm | Sun 8am | Sun 10am |
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| Readers: | J Redolfi | P Walsh | D Giribaldi |
| Acolytes: | JP Abi-Khattar | N Thomas | F Orji |
| Altar Servers: | N Chehade J Fernandes J Fernandes S Fernandes R Cipollone | J Melhem B Nakhoul S Flitcroft T Flitcroft | B Gaynor N Higgins R Atie G Boudib L Rivera |
| Flower Donor: | Mr Stephen Rossi | | |
| Floral Arrangers: | Sylvana, Dominica, Mary G | | |
| Altar Society: | G5: Fri/Sat 6/05/22 @ 8am C Reyes, L Guthrie, M Cudmore | | |
| Cleaners: | G4: Sat 7/05/22 @ 9am D Tudehope, F Fitzgerald, D Greenfield, J Doueihy, F Ramirez, T Cordina, L Locke | | |