

## **Sunday Mass**

**3 November 2019**

### **THE LITURGY OF THE WORD**

#### **First Reading**

Wisdom 11:22 - 12:2

A reading from the book of Wisdom

You have mercy on all things because you love everything that exists. In your sight, Lord, the whole world is like a grain of dust that tips the scales, like a drop of morning dew falling on the ground. Yet you are merciful to all, because you can do all things and overlook men's sins so that they can repent. Yes, you love all that exists, you hold nothing of what you have made in abhorrence, for had you hated anything, you would not have formed it And how, had you not willed it, could a thing persist, how be conserved if not called forth by you? You spare all things because all things are yours, Lord, lover of life, you whose imperishable spirit is in all. Little by little, therefore, you correct those who offend, you admonish and remind them of how they have sinned, so that they may abstain from evil and trust in you, Lord. The word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

#### **Responsorial Psalm**

Ps 144:1-2, 8-11, 13-14

**R.** I will praise your name for ever, my king and my God. I will give you glory, O God my King, I will bless your name for ever. I will bless you day after day and praise your name for ever. **R.**

The Lord is kind and full of compassion, slow to anger, abounding in love. How good is the Lord to all, compassionate to all his creatures **R.**

All your creatures shall thank you, O Lord, and your friends shall repeat their blessing. They shall speak of the glory of your reign and declare your might, O God. **R.**

The Lord is faithful in all his words and loving in all his deeds. The Lord supports all who fall and raises all who are bowed down. **R.**

#### **Second Reading** 2 Thessalonians 1:11 - 2:2

A reading from the second letter of St Paul to the Thessalonians The name of our Lord Jesus Christ will be glorified in you and you in him. We pray continually that our God will make you worthy of his call, and by his power fulfil all your desires for goodness and complete all that you have been doing through faith; because in this way the name of our Lord Jesus Christ will be glorified in you and you in him, by the grace of our God and the Lord Jesus Christ. To turn now, brothers, to the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ and how we shall all be gathered

round him: please do not get excited too soon or alarmed by any prediction or rumour or any letter claiming to come from us, implying that the Day of the Lord has already arrived. The word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

#### **Gospel Acclamation** John 3:16

Alleluia, alleluia!

God loved the world so much, he gave us his only Son, that all who believe in him might have eternal life. Alleluia!

#### **Gospel Luke 19:1-10**

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke The Son of Man came to seek and to find that which was lost. Jesus entered Jericho and was going through the town when a man whose name was Zacchaeus made his appearance; he was one of the senior tax collectors and a wealthy man. He was anxious to see what kind of man Jesus was, but he was too short and could not see him for the crowd; so he ran ahead and climbed a sycamore tree to catch a glimpse of Jesus who was to pass that way. When Jesus reached the spot he looked up and spoke to him: 'Zacchaeus, come down. Hurry, because I must stay at your house today.' And he hurried down and welcomed him joyfully. They all complained when they saw what was happening. 'He has gone to stay at a sinner's house' they said. But Zacchaeus stood his ground and said to the Lord, 'Look, sir, I am going to give half my property to the poor' and if I have cheated anybody I will pay him back four times the amount' And Jesus said to him, 'Today salvation has come to this house, because this man too is a son of Abraham; for the Son of Man has come to seek out and save what was lost.' The Gospel of the Lord. Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

### **St Brendan's Primary School**

**Has a fixed term vacancy for a**

**Classroom teacher in 2020.**

**Aptitude to Work in Multi Age setting. The successful applicant must have a strong commitment to Catholic Education and to the Safety and Well-being of Children.**

**Application forms are available on the School Website and should be forwarded with CV and cover letter to [principal@sbcoragulac.catholic.edu.au](mailto:principal@sbcoragulac.catholic.edu.au) .**

***Applications close 15<sup>th</sup> November, 2019.***

## WELCOME

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St Brendan's: 9.30am Sunday.

St Joseph's: 10.30am Sunday.

### ST. BRENDAN'S: Sun Nov 10th @ 9.30am

Commentator: C. Grist

Reader: R. O'Dowd

Communion: M. Finn

Procession of Gifts: Morris Family

Lay Leaders:

### ST. JOSEPH'S: Sun Nov 10th @ 10.30am.

Family: M. Carmody

Communion : M. Carmody

Lay Leaders:

### ALTAR & SACRISTY DUTIES:

St Brendan's:

10<sup>th</sup> -17<sup>th</sup> Nov: J. O'Dowd/H Holland.

24<sup>th</sup> Nov/1<sup>st</sup> Dec: S. Russell/E. McGuane.

St. Joseph's:

Nov: McGuane

Dec: D. Melville.

Counters:

10<sup>th</sup> Nov: P. O'Shea.

24<sup>th</sup> Nov: A. McCarthy.

### RECENT DEATHS: Jakob Ryan

ANNIVERSARIES: 3<sup>rd</sup> November to 9<sup>th</sup> Nov:

Bill Keogh, Irma Delahunty, Richard Flynn, Nell

Finn, Clem Patterson, Veronica Russell, Kath

McKay, Ron Matthews.

SICK: Loretta Kervin, Nathan De Lorenzo,  
Peter Stewart, Helen Hunt, Maddi Allardyce,  
Leah Spokes, Kathleen O'Donnell, Tarlea  
Roache, Geraldine Finn, Mick Melville,

*Sue Sherman, Patricia Hickman.*

### DATES TO REMEMBER:

**Sun. Nov 3<sup>rd</sup>:** "Sweet Sunday" pancakes @St  
Brendan's.

**Sun. Nov 10<sup>th</sup>:** Baptism: Bridget Anne Silvey  
@St Joseph's

**Thurs. Nov 21<sup>st</sup>:** Rosary in memory of our deceased  
loved ones. St Joseph's @7pm. Cuppa to follow.

**Sun. Nov 24<sup>th</sup>:** Anointing at both Masses.

**Thurs. Nov 28<sup>th</sup>:** Parish Leadership Team/Finance  
meeting @7:30pm

**Sun. Dec 1<sup>st</sup>:** End of School Year Lay led liturgy  
@10am. Please note, change of time.

**Fri. Dec 20<sup>th</sup>:** Visit of Fr Paddy King's relatives from  
Ireland.

**Prayer for Rain.** Eternal God, In your wisdom  
and love you created our Earth to sustain us and give  
us life. We turn to you now in Faith, Hope and Love,  
asking you to look with favour on our drought  
stricken land, our starving animals and on our failing  
crops. Strengthen, sustain and give  
new heart to our  
farmers and to all  
who are effected  
by the drought;  
be with those



who support them. In your loving providence, send  
abundant rain and restore our parched earth. Father  
on all compassion hear our prayer through Jesus  
Christ your son in whom the promise of new life has  
dawned and through the power of the Holy Spirit, the  
Lord the Giver of Life; renew your faithful people;  
renew the face of the earth. Our Lady of the Southern  
Cross, Mary, Help of Christian- pray for us. St Mary  
of the Cross McKillop-pray for us.

**PLENARY COUNCIL 2020: National Theme**  
**for Discernment – October: How is God**  
**calling us to be a Christ- centred Church that**  
**is Humble, Healing and Merciful? This**  
**National Theme for Discernment is inspired**  
**by the voices of the People of God who**  
**expressed a deep and faith-filled trust in God**  
**and a need for lament and healing within the**  
**Church, acknowledging the sexual abuse**  
**crisis as a turning point for the Church in**  
**Australia.**