

**RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS**



**Southport Catholic Parish** is a welcoming community of faith who welcomes seekers and so we initiate new members through the rites of our Catholic Church. Those seekers are nurtured as individuals on their own, faith journeys, challenging them to live the Gospel message as Catholic Christians. They do this within a community of fellow seekers and parishioners of the Southport Catholic Parish.

**ABOUT RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS**

The Catholic Church welcomes new members and tries to provide appropriate spiritual formation according to each person's needs. Some who come to us have had little or no affiliation with, or religious training in, the Christian faith. Others have been baptized and have been active members of other Christian denominations. The process of formation is called the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA). RCIA is a communal process and involves a number, of stages which lead the unbaptized to the sacraments of baptism, confirmation and first Eucharist at the Easter Vigil at which time they become full members of the Roman Catholic Church. The entire process takes several months or, for some, a few years, but participants are invited to proceed at a pace that individually suits them. RCIA meets weekly, on Monday Evenings.

**If you know anyone who may be interested, (family, friends, neighbours) in participating in the 2020 - 2021 RCIA, could you please ask them to call the Parish Office to register your name on 5510 2222.**

**Or Take a copy of this notice and hand to them it is available at the front of the Church.**

**PARISH CONTACTS**

**Parish email address**  
[info@scp.org.au](mailto:info@scp.org.au)

**Parish Website**  
<https://scp.org.au>

**Parish phone number**  
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**Priests of the Parish**

Fr. Gerard McMorro (PP)

Fr Stephen Camiolo  
*(Parish Ministry  
& Hospital Chaplaincy)*

**Mary Immaculate Church**

31 Edmund Rice Drive, Ashmore

**Guardian Angels' Church**

99 Scarborough St., Southport

**St. Joseph the Worker Church**

44 Imperial Parade, Labrador

**MASSES CAN BE LIVE-STREAMED**

FROM THE CATHEDRAL

AT [archbne.org/bzw](http://archbne.org/bzw)

ON SUNDAYS AND WEEKDAYS.

**MASS ON TELEVISION**

THERE IS A FULL MASS  
OF THE DAY FOR  
YOU TO WATCH AT HOME,

EVERY SUNDAY MORNING AT 6AM ON  
CHANNEL 5 AND 10.



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SOUTHPORT CATHOLIC PARISH  
FACEBOOK PAGE

<https://www.facebook.com/southportcatholicparish>

## **RECENT COVID-19 OUTBREAKS IN QLD**

On Wednesday, 29th of July 2020, Dr Jeannette Young, Chief Health Officer, announced two positive test results and the potential spread of COVID-19 in the Logan, Acacia Ridge and Springfield Lakes areas.

To help protect the wider community as well as vulnerable members of our parishes in these areas, it has been decided that all remaining weekday Mass services and gatherings until 12pm on Saturday August 1 are cancelled, effective immediately.

Impacted parishes include churches in Woodridge, Kingston Marsden, Regent's Park, Sunnybank, Acacia Ridge, Inala, Goodna, Springfield, Loganholme, Daisy Hill, Rochedale, Beenleigh, and Beaudesert. I am grateful to these parish priests for being so accommodating during this uncertain time.

This temporary, precautionary measure mirrors the geographical footprint for closures of all aged care homes to visitors in the area south of the Brisbane River outlined by Queensland Health. It also allows Health Authorities the time to do contact tracing for those two individuals who have tested positive.

The Archdiocesan Work Health and Safety Office will continue working with the Queensland Health Authorities to pursue the best course of action for public safety and will be in close contact with these parishes in case Queensland Health mandates further changes to services.



**Bishop Ken Howell**  
*Auxiliary Bishop - Brisbane*

**THE CATHOLIC LEADER** will be free for readers to access at the Leader's website - [catholicleader.com.au](http://catholicleader.com.au) until Parishes return to normal.

**MARCUS MISSION** (Men supporting Men through mateship and connection) in-person workshop. **Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> August** - Mermaid Beach Surf Life Saving Club (172 Hedges Avenue, Mermaid Beach), 4:30 - 5:30pm FREE BBQ/ Informal catch up, 5:30 - 7:30pm Resilience Building Workshop. For more information contact Glen Wallwork M: 0419 750 607 (Marcus Mission - Program Coordinator) or reply to this email - [marcusmission@wmq.org.au](mailto:marcusmission@wmq.org.au)

**WALKING GROUP** at **St Joseph the Worker, Imperial Parade, Labrador** at **6:30am**. Interested persons wishing to join us should ring **Janece** on **0408 763 772**.

**WHEELIE WALKER** Thank you to Mandy Arine who has Donated a wheelie walker for any elderly person who would like to use it to enter the church for Mass at Mary Immaculate Church, Ashmore.

## **WEEK DAY MASS AT LABRADOR**

Please note that the Weekday Mass at Labrador is Monday 7am and Wednesday 7am

## **ONLINE MASS REGISTRATION BOOKING CANCELLATION - THINKING OF OTHERS**

Our experience has shown that people have successfully booked to attend a Mass, only not to arrive. This action excludes parishioners wanting to participate. If your ability to attend the Mass you have booked for changes, contact the Parish office before 1pm on Thursday.

## **WEEKEND MASSES BOOKING**

**The registration portal is open by 9am Monday and closes by 4pm on the Thursday for Masses for the following Sunday. Again, Parish website, Mass Registration, and choose your Mass Centre.**

### **Mary Immaculate Ashmore**

Saturday 4.30 & 6.00pm  
Sunday 9.00 am

### **Guardian Angels Southport**

Saturday 4.30 & 6.00pm & Sunday 7.00 & 9.00am

### **St. Joseph the Worker Labrador**

Sunday 7.00 & 9.00am

### **Weekday Mass times**

#### **St. Joseph the Worker Labrador**

Monday & Wednesday 7am

#### **Mary Immaculate Ashmore**

Tuesday & Thursday 9am

#### **Guardian Angels Southport**

Friday - 12.30pm

**If you can assist with ushering and cleaning after Mass please contact the parish office. To comply with government safety, you must be under 70 years of age to assist with these tasks.**

**Korean Mass Time:** 5pm at Guardian Angels Church.

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT, HOLY HOUR AND BENEDICTION is on every Wednesday** at the new refurbished **Guardian Angels Church**. Commencing 12 Noon sharp and finishing at 1:00pm. No need to book, please drop in for some time praying with Our Eucharistic Lord.

**ST IGNATIUS PARISH'S 14TH ANNUAL WOMEN'S NIGHT OF SPIRITUALITY.** From **Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> July** in the comfort of your own home, you can watch the YouTube recording on the St Ignatius Parish website [www.stignatiustoowong.org.au](http://www.stignatiustoowong.org.au) of this special event. The event is for anyone seeking insight into a lived experience of God's love at work. We are truly blessed to hear from **Sr Angela Mary Doyle RSM AO** as she tells her story and **Dr Sr Maeve Louise Heaney VDMF** who provides accompaniment."

**Liturgy of the Word for Next Sunday Year A/2**

**1st Reading - 1 Kings 19:9,11-13 - 2nd Reading - Romans 9:1-5,  
Gospel - Matthew 14:22-33**

**STOPLINE RECEIVES INFORMATION ABOUT SUSPECTED ABUSE,  
MISCONDUCT & SERIOUS POLICY BREACHES BY ARCHDIOCESAN CLERGY, EMPLOYEES OR VOLUNTEERS.**

**PHONE: 1300 304 550 EMAIL: [AOB@stopline.com.au](mailto:AOB@stopline.com.au) ONLINE: [www.bnecatholic.stoplinereport.com](http://www.bnecatholic.stoplinereport.com)**

**Local Safeguarding Representative (LSR)**

**Guardian Angels Church**  
Rebecca - 0414 994 928

**Mary Immaculate Church**  
Raphaelle - 0414 915 047

**St Joseph the Worker Church**  
Cathy - 0414 982 749 (Chinese)

*Our Parish has implemented the Archdiocesan Safeguarding Children and Vulnerable Adults policy.  
We are committed to high standards of recruitment, screening and selection of all our employees and volunteers  
and undertake intentional strategies to maintain a safe and healthy ministry environment for all.*



### Recently Deceased: Roger De Guzman

Please note that there are two (2) books in each of the churches  
one for Sick and one for deceased members.

Their names have been taken from the newsletter and are written in these books.  
In future the names of your sick and deceased members will be recorded in these books.

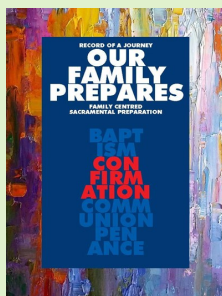
**Every week the priest will pray for them during the Mass and in the prayers of the faithful.**

## **THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION 2020**

**Congratulations to the Children who have started with  
the Sacramental Program this year.**

**Please continue to pray for these children  
during the weeks of sacramental preparation.**

**BOOK ACTIVITIES TO BE COMPLETED BY CHILDREN AT HOME:**  
***(Family Centred Sacramental Preparation CONFIRMATION Book)***



**26th July 2020 – Week one**  
Our Baptismal Call (page 6 to 11)

**2nd August 2020 – Week two**  
Keeping Promises (page 12 to 17)

**9th of August 2020 – Week three**  
Hands and Oil (page 18 to 23)

**16th of August 2020 Week four**  
The Gift of the spirit (page 24 to 29)



***(Rite of Enrolment 2020 @ Mary Immaculate)***



### **PRAYER REQUEST - CONFIRMATION NAME CARD (DOVE)**

**Parishioners are invited to take a card from Mary Immaculate Church and to pray especially for that child during the weeks of sacramental preparation. Please don't forget record your details into the Candidate's Prayer Request Book and return the card in the GOLD BOX next Saturday/Sunday Mass.**

**CONFIRMATION MEETING:** Sunday, 16<sup>th</sup> August @ 10:15am (after 9am Mass) or Thursday, 20<sup>th</sup> August @ 4pm in the Mary Immaculate Church meeting room.

**FAMILY CONFIRMATION MEETING:** Saturday, 29<sup>th</sup> August @ Mary Immaculate Church either 10-12am or 2-4pm

**CONFIRMATION & PRACTICE (SESSION 1):** Saturday, 5<sup>th</sup> Sept. @ 10am Practice on Wednesday, 2<sup>nd</sup> Sept. @ 4pm.

**CONFIRMATION & PRACTICE (SESSION 2):** Saturday, 5<sup>th</sup> Sept. @ 2pm Practice on Wednesday, 2<sup>nd</sup> Sept. @ 6pm.

Following the Sacramental Policy of Archdiocese of Brisbane the Sacrament of Confirmation is available to those children who are 8 years of age (Year 3) or older. ***(Children must be baptised Catholics).***

If you require any further information in regards to this matter please contact **Maria Blancia** on 5510 2222 or email **[MariaB@scp.org.au](mailto:MariaB@scp.org.au)**

## PROCESSIONAL HYMN

### Come to the Water

#### *Refrain*

***Come to the water,  
you who are thirsty  
though you have nothing,  
I bid you come!  
and be filled  
with the goodness  
I have to offer!  
Come! Listen! Live!***

Why spend your money  
on what cannot fill  
the emptiness  
deep in your heart?  
Listen to my word  
and you will enjoy  
goodness and peace  
in your heart! **R**

Just as the heavens  
are high above earth,  
my ways and thoughts  
beyond you,  
call me your Father  
and know I am near,  
I will be Father to you. **R**

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## GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest,  
and on earth peace to people of good will.  
We praise you, we bless you,  
we adore you, we glorify you,  
we give you thanks for your great glory.  
Lord God, heavenly King,  
O God, almighty Father.  
Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,  
Lord God, Lamb of God,  
Son of the Father,  
You take away the sins of the world,  
have mercy on us  
You take away the sins of the world,  
receive our prayer;  
You are seated at the right hand  
of the Father, have mercy on us.  
For you alone are the Holy One,  
you alone are the Lord,  
you alone are the most High,  
Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,  
in the glory of God the Father.  
Amen.

## RESPONSORIAL PSALM

### Let All the Peoples Praise You

#### *Refrain*

***Let all the peoples praise you, O Lord,  
let all the peoples praise you.  
Let all the peoples praise you, O Lord,  
let all the peoples praise you.***

Nations shall fear  
the name of the Lord,  
and all the rulers of earth your glory,  
when the Lord  
shall build Sion again,  
coming in glory.  
Alleluia! **R**

Let this be written  
for ages to come,  
peoples unborn  
may praise the Lord,  
who has come down  
from the sanctuary on high,  
to set the prisoners free. Alleluia! **R**

Sion shall hear  
the name of the Lord,  
and God's praise  
in the heart of the city.  
Peoples and nations  
shall gather to praise,  
worshipping God our Lord.  
Alleluia! **R**

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## GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

**Alleluia, alleluia! Alleluia,  
Alleluia! alleluia! Alleluia.**

## MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

We proclaim your Death, O Lord,  
and profess your Resurrection until  
you come again.

## COMMUNION PROCESSION

### I Am the Bread of Life

I am the bread of life,  
you who come to me  
shall not hunger  
and who believe in me  
shall not thirst.  
No one can come to me,  
unless the Father beckons.

#### *Refrain*

***And I will raise you up,  
and I will raise, you up,  
and I will raise you up,  
on the last day.***

The bread that I will give  
is my flesh  
for the life of the world,  
and if you eat of this bread,  
you shall live forever,  
you shall live forever. **R**

Unless you eat  
of the flesh  
of the Son of Man  
and drink of His blood,  
and drink of His blood,  
you shall not have life  
within you. **R**

Yes, Lord, I believe  
that you are the Christ,  
the Son of God,  
Who has come  
into the world. **R**

I am the Resurrection,  
I am the Life.

If you believe in me,  
even though you die,  
you shall live forever. **R**

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## RECESSIONAL HYMN

### Go Now You are Sent Forth

Go now, you are sent forth  
to live what you proclaim,  
to show the world  
you follow Christ  
in fact not just in name.

Go now, you are sent forth  
to walk this troubled earth,  
to share your faith  
with everyone,  
and prove your real worth.

Go now, you are sent forth  
as God's ambassador.  
By serving him  
in those we meet,  
we love him more and more.  
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## Apostles Creed

**I believe in one God,  
the Father almighty,  
creator of heaven and earth,  
and in Jesus Christ, his only Son,  
our Lord,  
Who was conceived by the Holy  
Spirit,  
(all bow)  
born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died and was buried;  
He descended into hell;  
on the third day he rose again  
from the dead;  
He ascended into heaven;  
and is seated at the right hand of  
God the Father almighty;  
From there he shall come to judge  
the living and the dead.  
I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
The holy catholic church,  
The communion of saints,  
The forgiveness of sins,  
The resurrection of the body,  
And life everlasting.  
Amen**