WELCOME to



StCANICE'S

PARISH

BULLE[†]IN

15 - 16th June 2024

HYMNS

Entrance: Seek O Seek The Lord GA

Psalm: We are his people: the sheep

of his flock.

Offertory: Eat this Bread GA 205 Communion: Soul Of My Saviour The Lord's My Shepherd GA 473 **Recessional:** Glory And Praise To

Our God GA 417

Postlude: Sheep may Safely Graze

(Bach)

PRAY TOGETHER FOR OUR BELOVED SICK & **DEARLY DEPARTED**

Recently Deceased: Rev Fr Lionel Gerald Henry SDB Nicholas Pizzo, Keith Robinson, Joe John Mannix, Francis Sullivan, Georgina King, Shirley Kennedy, Lee Snider, Leonie Gale, Robert Smith. **Anniversaries of dearly departed:** Jean and Ted Sykes, Patrick & Margaret Kavanagh

For prayer intentions: please émail leeann@stcanice.org.au



We are so grateful for the assistance of Fr Marcin Wlodarek, visiting Jesuit Tertian from Poland.
Fr Marcin will be with us until the end of the month. Please make him feel welcome.

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THIS MONTH'S **POPE'S PRAYER**

FOR THOSE FLEEING THEIR OWN COUNTRIES

Let us pray that migrants fleeing from war or hunger, forced to undertake journeys fraught with danger and violence, may find welcome and new living opportunities in their host countries.

SPIRITUALITY SOCIAL ENTERPRISE



JOIN US FOR A PEACEFUL CANDLE-LIT HOUR TO THE BEAUTIFUL SOUND OF TAIZE

ADORATION HOUR FIRST FRIDAY EACH MONTH 6pm Friday 7th June

DROP IN & LIGHT A CANDLE FOR WORLD PEACE



WHAT'S ON

Every Tuesday – Friday

ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8.00am Mass 8.30am Rosary

Every Saturday 9.00am Mass

Vigil Mass 6.00pm

Every Sunday

8.30am Mass

Reconciliation 9.30am

10.00am Mass

CURIOUS GRACE First Sunday of month in hall 11am

ADORATION Hour & anointing First Friday of month 6pm

BAPTISMS third Sunday of month

WEDDINGS & FUNERALS

by appointment

Please Join Us after the 8am daily Mass to pray the Rosary together



JUNE IS THE MONTH FOR **DEVOTION TO THE SACRED** HEART OF JESUS.

NEW TO ST CANICE'S? REGISTER HERE TO STAY IN TOUCH



READINGS

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

O Lord, hear my voice, for I have called to you; be my help.

Do not abandon or forsake me, O God, my Saviour!

FIRST READING

A reading from the book of the prophet Ezekiel 17:22-24

I have made the small tree great.

Thus says the Lord God: "I myself will take a sprig from the lofty top of a cedar; I will set it out. I will break off a tender one from the topmost of its young twigs; I myself will plant it on a high and lofty mountain.

"On the mountain height of Israel I will plant it, in order that it may produce boughs and bear fruit, and become a noble cedar. Under it every kind of bird will live; in the shade of its branches will nest winged creatures of every kind."

All the trees of the field shall know that I am the Lord. I bring low the high tree, I make high the low tree; I dry up the green tree and make the dry tree flourish. I the Lord have spoken; I will accomplish it."

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.



RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 91:2-3, 13-16

Response: Lord it is good to give thanks to you.

It is good to give thanks to the Lord to make music to your name, O Most High, to proclaim your love in the morning and your truth in the watches of the night. **Response**

The just will flourish like the palm-tree and grow like a Lebanon cedar. **Response**

Planted in the house of the Lord they will flourish in the courts of our God, still bearing fruit when they are old, still full of sap, still green, to proclaim that the Lord is just. In him, my rock, there is no wrong. **Response**

SECOND READING

A reading from the second letter of Paul to the Corinthians 5:6-10

Whether we are living in the body or exiled from it, we are intent on pleasing the Lord.

Brothers and sisters, we are always confident, even though we know that while we are at home in the body we are away from the Lordfor we walk by faith, not by sight. Yes, we do have confidence, and we would rather be away from the body and at home with the Lord.

So whether we are at home or away, we make it our aim to please him. For all of us must appear before the judgment seat of Christ, so that each may receive recompense for what has been done in the body, whether good or evil.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

DAVIDS PLACE

A FORUM WHERE THE MARGINALISED SHARE THEIR LIFE STORIES. A PLACE WHERE WE CAN LEARN FROM THE POOR HOW TO BE NEARER TO CHRIST

JOIN US ON THE LAST SATURDAY EACH MONTH FOR LUNCH AND A MASS AT 1PM

FOOD PROVIDED BY MARONITES ON A MISSION EVERYONE IS WELCOME

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GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!
The seed is the word of God,
Christ is the sower; all who come
to him will live for ever.
Alleluia!

GOSPEL

Mark 4:26-34

The mustard seed, the smallest of all the seeds, grows into the biggest shrub of all.

Such a large crowd gathered around Jesus that he got into a boat and began to teach them using many parables.

Jesus said: "The kingdom of God is as if someone would scatter seed on the ground, and would sleep and rise night and day, and the seed would sprout and grow, without the sower knowing how. The earth produces of itself, first the stalk, then the head, then the full grain in the head. But when the grain is ripe, at once he goes in with the sickle, because the harvest has come."

Jesus also said, "With what can we compare the kingdom of God, or what parable will we use for it? It is like a mustard seed, which, when sown upon the ground, is the smallest of all the seeds on earth; yet when it is sown it grows up and becomes the greatest of all shrubs, and puts forth large branches, so that the birds of the air can make nests in its shade." With many such parables Jesus spoke the word to them, as they were able to hear it; he did not speak to them except in parables, but he explained everything in private to his disciples.

The Gospel of the Lord

Thanks be to God



PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

Celebrant: Sisters and brothers, Jesus assures us that the Kingdom of God constantly grows in our midst unseen and mysterious, but is capable of producing in us a harvest of good works and of warm hospitality.

1. For Pope Francis as he calls on the Church this month to pray for those fleeing their own countries, during this Refugee Week, we will join with him and offer them our help wherever and however we can.

Christ, hear us.

Christ, graciously hear us.

2. For unity among all people of goodwill, that prayers for the end of the wars in the Holy Land and Ukraine will be insistent and fervent, and that peace will be true and lasting.

Christ, hear us.

Christ, graciously hear us.

3. For the children of Africa on this Day of the African Child, that those damaged by war, hungry for food and clean water, and all left orphaned through many tragedies will receive all the help they need.

Christ, hear us.

Christ, graciously hear us.

Celebrant: Heavenly Father, gather to yourself the prayers of your people, as we continue to give you thanks for all your blessings. Through Christ, our Lord



Celebrate your sacraments in our beautiful historic church.
Wedding - Baptism - Requiem Mass
Contact: leeann@stcanice.org.au
to discuss your special day.

HUMANS OF POSTCODE 2011

Shout out to Bronny and Fran who between the two of them have been Kitchen and Parish volunteers for 41 years! Dedication and Passion right there!



Thank you Anna and Jen for your generous OP-SHOP donations! Please donate artworks for our upcoming ARTSHOW. Date to be confirmed! contact leeann@stcanice.org.au to be involved



Extending an invitation to all parishioners to be part of the preservation of our beautiful historic church. The Organ is the heart of our church and is in urgent need of rewiring & repair with a quotes at \$17,000. We have been notified that the organ only has "months" before it becomes critical and sadly will no longer be functional. Our precious church is in urgent need of TLC overall. If you would like to be a part of this preservation legacy for future generations, please contact us: leeann@stcanice.org.au



