## **PARISH OFFICE**

Curran Centre, 12 Gordon St, Coffs Harbour

Phone: 6651 0000

Open Monday to Friday 8:30am - 3:30pm Administrator: Fr Joe DSouza OCD Assistant Priest: Fr Joy D'Souza OCD

General enquiries: parish@coffscatholic.com Accounts/Rosters:

coffsadmin@coffscatholic.com

Parish Business Manager: Debbie Willoughby
dwilloughby@coffscatholic.com

# MASS TIMES THIS WEEK

Monday - 9am Coffs Harbour Tuesday -7:30am Coffs harbour Wednesday - 7:30am Coffs Harbour 9:30am Woolgoolga Thursday - 5:30pm Coffs Harbour

Friday - 9:15am Mass Coffs Harbour

Saturday - 9:2m Coffs Harbour

**Saturday** -9am Coffs Harbour The Most Holy Trinity

# Saturday Vigil

5:30pm Coffs Harbour

# Sunday

9am Coffs Harbour 9am Woolgoolga 11am Coramba 5:30pm Coffs Harbour

### **EUCHARISTIC ADORATION CHAPEL**

Located at the Curran Centre.
Open 8:30am-3:30pm Monday - Friday

Guardians are needed to fill future vacant hours: Tues 9am, 11am, 3pm For details please contact Maurice 0407934088 or Doreena 0481764164.

# **CONFESSION TIMES**

Saturdays, Coffs Harbour After 9 am Mass (9:30am-10:15am) & before 5:30pm Mass (4:45pm-5:15pm) Sundays, Woolgoolga before 9am Mass (8:30am-8:50am)

### **NEWS & EVENTS**

Visit our parish website

### www.coffscatholic.com

## **NOTICES**

- First Communion Gifts First Communion in our parish will occur over the weekend 15-16 June. Our Gift Shop (located near the front of St Augustine's Church.) has a selection of First Communion gifts. Open after Mass on Saturday evening and Sunday.
- •Fr Joy's First Communion class resumes at 4pm this Tuesday 21 May at the Curran Centre. Not too late to join the class, if your child has received the Sacraments of Baptism & Confirmation and they do not attend a Catholic primary school. Contact the parish office for further details.
- Church Cleaning Volunteers needed a small team of parishioners are currently meeting on the 3rd Tuesday of month to help keep St Augustine's Church looking clean and well cared for. New volunteers are always needed. Church cleaning is on this week at 2:30pm Tuesday 21 May.
- •Playgroup 9am Tue 21 May, Curran Centre.
- •Women's Bible Sharing 7pm Tues 21 May, Curran Centre. Study: Theology of the Body.
- Men's prayer group 7:30pm Wed 22 May, Curran Centre.
- ASPIRE Young Adult Formation with Bishop Gregory Homeming. 5:30pm Friday 24 May via Zoom Login 2996657662. For details call 66260253 or email: youth@lismore.catholic.org.au.
- Reminder Please collect your Liturgy Roster.

Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful. And kindle in them the fire of your love. Send forth your Spirit and they shall be created. And you will renew the face of the earth.





## Pentecost Sunday 19 May 2024

#### **Parish Church**

St Augustine's, Gordon St, Coffs Harbour

#### Station Churches

St Francis Xavier, Scarborough St, Woolgoolga St Therese, Gale St, Coramba

**Parish Pentecost celebration -** Please stay for a multicultural brunch and entertainment at the Curran Centre after the 9am Multicultural Mass this Sunday 19 May

## MASS RESPONSES & READINGS

**ENTRANCE ANTIPHON** The Spirit of the Lord has filled the whole world and that which contains all things understands what is said, alleluia.

**READING 1** Acts 2:1-11

When Pentecost day came round, they had all met in one room, when suddenly they heard what sounded like a powerful wind from heaven, the noise of which filled the entire house in which they were sitting; and something appeared to them that seemed like tongues of fire; these separated and came to rest on the head of each of them. They were all filled with the Holy Spirit, and began to speak foreign languages as the Spirit gave them the gift of speech.

Now there were devout men living in Jerusalem from every nation under heaven, and at this sound they all assembled, each one bewildered to hear these men speaking his own language. They were amazed and astonished. 'Surely' they said 'all these men speaking are Galileans? How does it happen that each of us hears them in his own native language? Parthians, Medes and Elamites; people from Mesopotamia, Judaea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya round Cyrene; as well as visitors from Rome – Jews and proselytes alike – Cretans and Arabs; we hear them preaching in our own language about the marvels of God.'

#### **RESPONSORIAL PSALM**

(R): Lord, send out your Spirit and renew the face of the earth.

**READING 2** Galatians 5:16-25

If you are guided by the Spirit you will be in no danger of yielding to self-indulgence, since self-indulgence is the opposite of the Spirit, the Spirit is totally against such a thing, and it is precisely because the two are so opposed that you do not always carry out your good intentions. If you are led by the Spirit, no law can touch you. When self-indulgence is at work the results are obvious: fornication, gross indecency and sexual irresponsibility; idolatry and sorcery; feuds and wrangling, jealousy, bad temper and guarrels; disagreements, factions, *Continued inside* 

envy; drunkenness, orgies and similar things. I warn you now, as I warned you before: those who behave like this will not inherit the kingdom of God. What the Spirit brings is very different: love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, trustfulness, gentleness and self-control. There can be no law against things like that, of course. You cannot belong to Christ Jesus unless you crucify all selfindulgent passions and desires. Since the Spirit is our life, let us be directed by the Spirit.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION Alleluia, alleluia! Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love. Alleluia!

**GOSPEL** John 15:26-27, 16:12-15

Jesus said to his disciples: 'When the Advocate comes, whom I shall send to you from the Father, the Spirit of truth who issues from the Father, he will be my witness. And you too will be witnesses, because you have been with me from the outset. 'I still have many things to say to you but they would be too much for you now. But when the Spirit of truth comes he will lead you to the complete truth, since he will not be speaking as from himself but will say only what he has learnt; and he will tell you of the things to come. He will glorify me, since all he tells you will be taken from what is mine. Everything the Father has is mine; that is why I said: All he tells you will be taken from what is mine.

**COMMUNION ANTIPHON** They were all filled with the Holy Spirit, and spoke of the marvels of God, alleluia.

## PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Recently deceased: Ivan Barisic, Pio Fundnera, Barbara Oak, Bernard Phil Diriyana Higoe, Dogan, Nahimana, Margaret Quinn, Peter Dormer, Lilia Alitao, Selina Basinang

**Anniversary:** Paul Plummer

**Sick:** Brian Little, John Mungie, Leno Saliba, Maureen Mobbs (nee Nolan), Steve Mcdonald, Judy Brooks

> Please scan for digital donations to our parish



# **DEVOTIONS IN THE CHURCH**

St Augustine's Church Rosary 2:30pm Wednesdays Divine Mercy after 9:15am Friday Mass, **Rosary** after 9am Saturday Mass Rosary 8:30am Sunday 5pm Sunday

**Diocesan Investment Fund** This Bulletin is sponsored by the Diocesan Investment Fund. Our Parish Office is the Coffs Harbour Agent for the DIF. Effective 1 November 2023, the interest rate on investments will be 4.15%. For information call 1800 802 516 or www.dif.org.au





# **FREE Suicide Prevention Training**

Monday 27 May, 9am-4pm

Coffs Harbour Community College, 96 Harbour Drive, Coffs Harbour **Lunch Provided** 

Register by scanning QR code, call 1800100024 or email: lifeforce@wesleymission.org.au

A robust and evidence based program which focuses upon educating people about suicide, challenging attitudes and teaching basic engagement and suicide intervention skills





Funded by the Australian Government

SAFEGUARDING The Diocese of Lismore Safeguarding Office can be contacted if you have any Safeguarding concerns. Phone: **(02) 6621 9444** or email: safeguarding@lismore.catholic.org.au

COFFS ROSTER	25 May - Sat 5:30pm	26 May - Sun 9am	26 May - Sun 5:30pm
Co-ordinator	G. McCann & D. Barrett	M. Lill	G. McCann
Commentator	A. Sercombe	N. Loader	T. Baker
Reader 1	E. Hartley	J. Breach	B. Hackett
Reader 2	P. Davies	B. Holmes	S. Brennan
Extraordinary Minister	O. Higgins	M Woods & A Pius-Usiobaifo	T. Burridge
Screen Operator	J. Sercombe	Mott Family	K. Kachel
Gifts	Vacant	M & H Delfin	Vacant
Altar Servers		Henry, Hansel, See, Mung Pi, Cung Vum	
Children's Liturgy		Talia & Abie	
Morning Tea		D. Garcia	
		L. Jenkins, M.Gosbell,	
Home Communion		A.Robertson	