

We here at St Brigid's Catholic Parish Nerang as part of the Archdiocese of Brisbane MUST ABIDE BY AND ADHERE TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE PRIVACY ACT & THE AUSTRALIAN PRIVACY PRINCIPLES.

The Privacy Act impacts upon us all today and if you wish to peruse the Compliance Requirements and the Privacy Act, please go to the Archdiocesan Website www.bne.catholic.net.au. The Policy is not yet on our website but will be in the near future.

ST BRIGID'S PARISH WEEKLY FINANCIAL DETAILS

1ST COLLECTION: \$ 844.85 - For Clergy Support

2ND COLLECTION: \$ 1,286.55 - For Parish expenses such as administration, and maintenance of all our buildings and properties.

The Parish Loans currently stand at \$ 22,718.85

I sincerely thank you for your continued financial support. Fr Rafal



ST VINCENT DE PAUL NERANG CONFERENCE

MEETINGS held in St Brigid's Parish Centre - 1st & 3rd Wednesdays of the month at 6.30pm. All welcome.



IN EMERGENCIES or HOSPITAL CALLS

For University & Allamanda Hospital - Southport Parish on 5510 2222

For Robina Hospital - Burleigh Heads Parish on 5576 6466

For Pindara Hospital - Surfers Paradise Parish on 5572 5433

For John Flynn Hospital - Coolangatta-Tugun Parish on 5598 2165

Become a Part of the PARISH PLANNED GIVING PROGRAM And help your Parish grow.

We thank most sincerely all Parishioners who contribute to the Planned Giving Program. Your ongoing commitment and contribution assists the responsible budgeting for the operating expenses of the Parish (wages, rates, electricity, building maintenance, etc.) as well as pastoral planning for Parish growth (faith education, sacramental preparation, resources, etc.) To obtain Planned Giving envelopes, please complete this form and place on the Collection Plate, or contact the Parish Office on 5596 2632. (Please print clearly)



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ST BRIGID'S CATHOLIC PARISH

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PASTORAL & ADMINISTRATION TEAM:

Fr Rafal Rucinski Parish Priest Mobi:0410887476 Email: rprucinski@tpg.com.au
Parish Secretary: Lenette Evans

CHURCHES

St Brigid's Church
39-49 McLaren Rd
Nerang Q 4211

St John's Church
Windabout Rd
Beechmont Q 4211

SCHOOL

St Brigid's Primary
McLaren Road
Nerang Q 4211
Phone: 5596 4188

WEB PAGE:
www.sb.qld.edu.au

KEVIN BIANCHI
Principal

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time – Year C
Saturday 30th January 2016

The Feast of Saint Brigid of Ireland
Sunday 31st January 2016



Thank you to all, who prepared today's celebrations. Thank you to our presider Fr Paul Eloagu from Southport for his ministry to us. Thank you to all who participated in our celebration to honour our patroness St Brigid of Ireland. Please stay after Mass to celebrate our community by sharing a meal at the Parish Centre.

It is time for another Parish Census to take place. The forms will be handed out at the Masses this weekend and next weekend. Please take a form and complete with the details you are comfortable to give us. All information will be treated in the utmost confidential manner. Please complete the form even if you have filled out a form previously, as details may change over time. Please either hand the form to Father or drop off at the office during office hours.

Fr Tim Harris from Surfers Paradise is inviting us to celebrate the opening of the Holy Door. More information in the special leaflet available at the entrance to the church.

I hope you noticed the new ciborium which we used for the first time during our celebration. Thank you to anonymous donors.

Fr Rafal Rucinski

Mass and Prayer Times at St Brigid's Church

Daily Mass 7am Monday to Friday

Saturday Mass 9am

Rosary 8.00am Sunday , 7.30am Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday,
8.30am Saturday

Divine Mercy Prayer at 7.30am on Wednesday.

Adoration with Benediction Thursdays from 7-8pm

Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help Saturday 9.30 am

Sunday Mass Vigil at 6pm on Saturday and 8.30am on Sunday.

Reconciliation 5.15pm Saturday

St John's , Windabout Road, Beechmont: Mass on the 2nd Sunday of each month at 10.30am .

Next Mass at St John's Sunday 14th February 2016 at 10.30am



REQUEST FOR MORE PEOPLE TO BE INVOLVED IN THE LITURGY

We urgently need more people to become involved in the Liturgy of the Mass especially at the Vigil Mass on Saturday evening. Anyone who is interested in becoming involved in any capacity in the Parish, as :- Sacristan, Readers, Eucharist Ministers, or in any other ministry please call the Parish Office or speak to Father Rafal direct. The more people who become involved means the less often they will be required. Full training will be provided and no one will be asked to do participate until they are comfortable and ready for the Ministry.

Come celebrate the beautiful **Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes** on the 11th February, at the shrine of Our Lady Help of Christians, Marion Valley Canungra. Bus leaves Sacred Heart Church, Clear Island Waters. 8.15am.\$18 return. For bookings and more information, please phone Paula 55827950 or 0402930918 or Vivian on 55359623



Celebration of Fatima day on Saturday 13th of February at The Shrine of Our Lady Help of Christians, Marian Valley. For bookings please call Viviane on 0755359623).

The Loft – Affordable Student Accommodation

(Under the Parish of Our Lady of the Angels, Chermside) www.theloftsa.com.au

Limited rooms left – ideal for students, apprentices and young adults on internship in a family residential area. Ideally located to shops, public transport and other amenities. Utilities and wifi included. For enquiries, please email: theloftsa38@yahoo.com or text mobile: 0468 515130. Parish Office Telephone: 3359 0239

Ash Wednesday Masses

Ash Wednesday is the 10th February. Mass will be at 7.00am, 9.15am (School Mass) and 7.00pm.

We remember all those who have gone before us to rest in the loving embrace of Jesus. We also remember their families - may they be comforted and supported in their loss by this Community of Faith.



We pray for the recently deceased:

We pray for the dearly departed whose anniversaries occur at this time :

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We pray also for those who are sick: Beryl Nilsen, John Ritchie, Maurice Pyke, Mary Hutchinson ,Joan Gordon, Valda Silvy, Sharon Lawler, Frank Kelly, Charlie Nolan, Amanda Gordon .

Our prayers are also offered for those who are elderly and in Nursing homes.

World Marriage Day Mass

You are invited to a **celebration of Eucharist at 11:00am, at St Benedict's Church Wallaby Drive, Mudgeeraba, on Sunday 14 February, 2016** to celebrate with other couples in the parishes of our South- Coast Deanery, your marriage, whether you were married only last year or decades ago.

The Mass will conclude with a renewal of your Marriage Vows.

We invite you to bring a plate of finger food for a shared lunch on the verandah and to stay awhile, to chat with other like-minded couples.

For more information contact Sue and Bren Milsom, members of Gold Coast Team for Married Spirituality and Burleigh Heads Parish.
milsoms@outlook.com 55224880,

WORD OF GOD

The Verbum Dei Missionary Community will be leading us in prayer and meditation on the Word of God that enables one to live and share it with others. We will be concentrating on a different theme each month. The meetings are held on the last Saturday of each month in the Parish Centre at 10.00 am. The next meeting will be held on Saturday 27th February



FOUND IN COLLECTION PLATE

A ring has been found in amongst the money in the collection plate from the weekend of 9th and 10th January If you have lost a ring please either speak to Father or call the office on Tuesday or Thursday. You must be able to describe the ring to prove ownership.



ST BRIGIDS' CRAFT GROUP

The St Brigid's Parish Craft Group meet every Tuesday morning from 9.30am to 11.30am in the Parish Centre. They are currently on holiday and will recommence on Tuesday 2nd February at 9.30am in the Parish Centre. Everyone welcome. For more information call the Parish Office during office hours.