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### ST BRIGID'S PARISH WEEKLY FINANCIAL DETAILS

1ST COLLECTION: \$ 662.85 - For Clergy Support

2ND COLLECTION: \$ 1,156.05 - For Parish expenses such as administration, and maintenance of all our buildings and properties.

The Parish Loans currently stand at \$ 23,832.94

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.

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Surname: \_\_\_\_\_

Christian Names: \_\_\_\_\_

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## ST BRIGID'S CATHOLIC PARISH

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KEVIN BIANCHI  
Principal

### Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year B

Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> / Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> November 2015

The Verbum Dei Sisters will have a special meeting discussing the Church's teaching on Euthanasia and on the respect for human life. The meeting will take place at Nerang on this Saturday the 21<sup>st</sup> November at 10.00am.

November is traditionally in the Catholic Church a month of the prayers for our deceased loved ones. The envelopes for the November Masses are at the entrance to the church.

Next Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> of November after the 8.30am Mass we will have A Food Fest organised to support the orphanages in Sri Lanka. Fiona and Philomine will be in charge of organising that event. I hope others will join them in preparation of that annual charitable event in our parish.

Children, who completed the sacramental program and all other children, who would like to be involved in the liturgy by reading the prayers of the faithful and serving on the altar, please give me your name and contact number after Mass or call me. The training meeting will be on next Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> November after 8.30am Mass.

I was contacted by Stephanie Santos, the South Coast Deanery Youth Ministry Coordinator, about the youth group in our parish. In the very near future I would like to organise the first meeting of the young people from our parish with Stephanie. Please give me your contact numbers or email addresses after Mass or please call me or send me an email. You can invite your friends to join our

parish youth group with you.

Each year parishes in the Archdiocese of Brisbane take up the Peter's Pence collection as a retiring collection. The collection is to be taken up on the 1st Sunday of Advent (29<sup>th</sup> November). The Peter's Pence Collection gives Catholics in Australia an opportunity to join in communion with the Catholic faithful throughout the world in support of the charitable works of the Holy See.

Today the angels, to be decorated and placed on our Christmas Tree, are available for collection at the entrance to the Church. Children of all ages are encouraged to take one and return it decorated before Christmas. You will then be able to see your angel on the tree on Christmas Day.

**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 13th December 2015



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 :**

**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 and Billy J Smith.

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

### Thirty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B



Christ, our High Priest, has offered one single sacrifice for sins, and then taken his place forever, at the right hand of God. It is our privilege to offer ourselves to the Father in union with his eternal offering.

**First Reading: Daniel 12:1-3**

Faith in the resurrection begins to find expression in the context of persecutions and distress, as we read in the prophecy of Daniel.

**Second Reading: Hebrews 10:11-14.18**

By virtue of the one single offering he made of himself on the cross, Jesus has achieved the eternal perfection of all whom he is making holy.

**Gospel Reading: Mark 13:24-32**

The end of the world as it was before Jesus and the beginning of the new creation achieved by his dying and rising are always near at hand. We need the eyes of faith in order to be able to read the signs of the times.

### VERBUM DEI MISSIONARIES



On Saturday morning the 21st November at 10.00am, there will be a special meeting conducted by the Verbum Dei Missionary Community in the Parish Centre. The topic of this discussion will be the Church's teachings on Euthanasia. This will not be the normal School of the Word but an extraordinary meeting to discuss this topic only. The Word of God meeting will be held the following week the 28th November.



### 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. Everyone welcome. For more information call the Parish Office during office hours.

### 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 28th November 2015.

**PILGRIMAGE: 23 Days Holy Pilgrimage** to Lisbon, Fatima, Santiago de Compostela, Oviedo, Lourdes, Nevers, Loyola, Paris, Lyon, Turin, Pisa, Rome and/or **7 days Holy Land Extension.** Start 11th August 2016 with Father Emmanuel-tv (Spiritual Director). For anyone interested please contact the following numbers 08 93413079, 08 9341131, 0417 999 553 or email: fremmanueltv@hotmail.com