

Parish Directory

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MASS TIMES - Next WEEK END

Vigil Mass (Saturday):

English 6.00 pm

Vietnamese 7.30pm

Sunday:

Vietnamese 7.30 am

English 9.30 am

English 5pm

Reconciliation: by appointment or
20 minutes before the evening Mass.
Saturdays 5.30 to 5.50 pm and

Sunday Collection: \$6,132.55

Credit Card Stand: \$752.00

Direct Debits: \$ 420.00

Thank you for your support of St Mark's Parish.

Readings for Next Sunday's Mass:

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year C

2Kg5:14-17, Ps 97:1-4, 2Tim2:8-13, Lk17:11-19

Roster for 11th & 12th October

Saturday 6pm:

Announcer:

Mi Mi Pham

Readers:

Michelle D'Souza

Mi Mi Pham

Communion Minister:

Lonnie Clark

Luzivaldo Costa

Choir:

All Singers

Sunday 9.30am:

Announcer:

Multicultural Sunday

Readers:

Multicultural Sunday

Communion Minister:

Multicultural Sunday

Choir:

Multicultural Sunday

Sunday 5pm:

Announcer:

Didi Honduna

Readers:

Fatima Sowter

Mary Bannan

Communion Minister:

Maryanne Bautista

Bobby Bautista

Choir:

CFC Australia Group

Cleaning Roster:

Week Commencing 6th October

Couples for Christ Australia Group

Week Commencing 13th October

Samoan Divine Mercy

Counting:

Tuesday 7th October

Patricia Ragoo, Losalia Fernandez & Loreta Tavui

Monday 13th October

Fatima Sowter, Delia Niedermayr & Evelyn Aherne



St Mark's Parish Newsletter

St Mark's Parish is part of the

Brisbane West Deanery

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year C

4th & 5th October 2025



Jubilee of Migrants

The Jubilee of migrants acknowledges and celebrates the gifts, contributions, and resilience that migrant communities bring our Church and the world. It is also an opportunity to highlight the image of the Church as a place of refuge, welcome, integration, and solidarity.

"History teaches us that the contribution of migrants and refugees has been fundamental to the social and economic growth of our societies. Their work, their youth, their enthusiasm and their willingness to sacrifice enrich the communities that receive them,"

Prayer

Lord, make us bearers of hope,
so that where there is darkness,
your light may shine,
and where there is discouragement,
confidence in the future may be reborn.

Lord, make us instruments of your justice,
so that where there is exclusion, fraternity may flourish,
and where there is greed, a spirit of sharing may grow.

Lord make us builders of your Kingdom,
together with migrants and refugees
and with all who dwell on the peripheries

Lord, let us learn how beautiful it is
to live together as brothers and sisters.
Amen.

(From Pope Francis' Message for the 108th World Day of Migrants and Refugees 2022)

St Mark's Mission: To nurture our multicultural community as we lead all to Christ
Our Values: Inclusive, Respectful, Supportive, Honest, Christ-Centred.

Jubilee of the Missions

A year of Jubilee is a year of hope and liberation. A time to rest, return to your roots, and refresh. A time for societies and peoples to be liberated from what holds them back from living a full life. Traditionally it was a call for debts to be forgiven, and structures reformed so that all could live in dignity and social equity. Jesus likened his mission, his purpose to a Jubilee Year when he declared: “The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, for he has anointed me. He has sent me to bring good news to the poor, to proclaim liberty to captives, new sight to the blind and freedom to prisoners. To announce a year of favour from the Lord,” (Luke 4:18-19)

Prayer

Creator God, may we pause and reflect in this year of Jubilee
May we recognise that our world is experiencing immense disruption,
that our old ways of leading and living
have brought us to this place.

May it be...
that we have the courage to recognise the ways in which
we have been complicit in shaping the world as it is.

May we know deeply...
that you O God have given us the power to transform our world
and to bring hope,
if we would only use our power justly.

May we see... beyond the narrow frame we have dawn for ourselves.
As Pope Francis continually points to a transformed future that values creation and all its peoples.

May we work...
to bring about systems and policies that are reshaped by this vision.

May we embrace...
the practices that will draw us to this emerging future,
practices of deep listening, transparency, shared decision-making,
consistent respect in relationships, inclusion, synodality and dialogue.

May we recognise...
that this year of Jubilee is an opportunity to reset and commit once more to
realising the vision of Your dream,
May it be!



Multicultural Mass Celebration on Sunday, 12 October at 9:30am

Our St Mark's will celebrate the **Multicultural Mass at 9:30am** in the spirit of the **Pilgrims of Hope – Jubilee Year for Migrants! Refreshments & Entertainment at 11:00 am.** Join us in **Mercy Hall** for delicious food, joyful performances, and a chance to connect with fellow parishioners from all walks of life. Let's come together in unity, faith, and celebration. This is more than just an event — it's a joyful expression of who we are as **one parish family!**



Vocation Views 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

The Spirit of God makes us strong, loving and wise. How will you use these gifts to serve the gospel?
Consider being a sister, brother, priest or deacon (2Timothy 1:6-8,13-14)



October – Month of the Holy Rosary. Rosary at 7:30am followed by Mass at 8:00am

October is dedicated to the **Holy Rosary**, a beautiful tradition in our Catholic faith. To honour Our Lady, we warmly invite all parishioners, families, and friends to join us **every Saturday morning in October** for the **Rosary and Mass** at the **Grotto at Lobelia House** (corner of Lobelia St & Poinsettia St, behind the electricity substation).



Schedule of Services

Saturday, 11th October – English
Saturday, 18th October – Vietnamese
Saturday, 25th October – English

Begin your weekend with quiet reflection, prayer, and community as we offer our intentions to **Our Blessed Mother Mary**, trusting in her loving intercession with her Son, **Jesus Christ**. Let's come together in faith and unity this October. All are welcome!

Daily Mass this week :

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
No Mass	6pm Vietnamese	8am English	6pm Vietnamese	8am English

Parishioners who are ill: Yvonne Iiga, Eddie Van Haeften, Maria Su Nguyen, Christine Harris, Marie Shinde, Ape Patolo, Deacon Etuale, Concessa Zirabaruta, Margaret Kitchin, Irene Musk, Garry Montgomery, Philomene Mwezikazi, Tran Thuy Thi Nhut.

Anniversaries: Frank Wright, Fr G.Lyons, John & Michael Lyons, Daniel Nguyen, Tom Pham Van Thanh, Sheila Tilse, Orazio Villettri