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NINETEENTH SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME, Year C, 7 August 2022

From Fr William



Hello,

My name is William Aupito Iuliano (OW PE TOH YOU LEE AR NOH). It's a long last name but you won't have to say it too often.

I was born in Auckland, New Zealand in 1993. My lovely parents decided that my two sisters and I would grow up in Australia, so we moved to Victoria in 1997. I welcomed two more sisters and watched control of my life fade as my sisters dominated the space. Ha Ha!

I enjoyed growing up in Victoria where family, faith and fun filled my days. After High school I moved to Queensland to join NET Ministries Australia; a peer to peer evangelisation organisation. In my two years with NET, I learnt a lot about myself and discovered a heart for service and faith.

Following my time on NET I joined a discernment house in Brisbane called Canali House where I intentionally discerned priesthood as a way of life. As the year was closing on 2014, I had to make a decision whether or not I was going to apply to join the seminary. During a deep moment of prayer, I decided

to apply and in February of 2015 I began my journey with Holy Spirit Seminary Queensland.

My years at the seminary were the most enjoyable and intense moments of my life. Being there made me appreciate the seminary process itself. I watched guys leave and guys get ordained as I continued to wrestle with God's call on my life. In the end, I decided to take the next step and slowly watched things unfold.

On the 29th of June 2021, I was ordained to the priesthood and sent to Gympie for a three year term. My time in Gympie was phenomenal. I did a lot of driving and learnt fairly quickly that it was a bad idea to have a big lunch before a long drive.

I still have many more things to discover about myself, and I look forward to learning with you - my new parish. I pray that our time together may be centred on Jesus who constantly calls us to be more.

God Bless.

Fr William

Social Justice Statement 2022-23



Respect: Confronting Violence and Abuse

Each year, the Australian Catholic Bishops release a major social justice statement for Social Justice Sunday. These statements encourage the Catholic community to reflect and

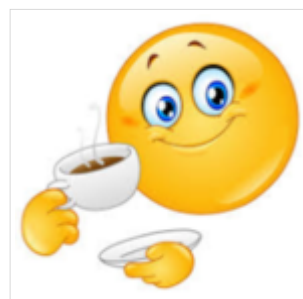
act on social, economic and ecological issues. They remind us of the social dimension of the mission of the Church.

The title of the 2022-23 Statement is *Respect: Confronting Violence and Abuse*. It addresses the scourge of family and domestic violence in Australian society and the impact it has on our communities. It invites us all to nurture relationships marked by equality and reciprocity rather than domination and violence, respect and freedom rather than coercion and control.

The Statement can be found on our parish website.

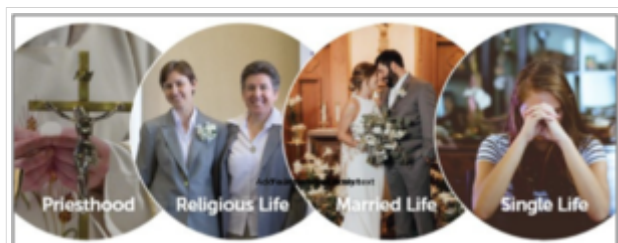
You are also invited to the Brisbane launch of the Social Justice Statement by Bishop Tim Norton on Tuesday 23 August at 7:00 PM for 7:30 PM at St. James Parish Hall, 92 Kirkland Avenue, Coorparoo. Guest speaker will be Karyn Walsh, CEO of Micah Projects.

To help St. James Parish to arrange seating, etc., please RSVP your attendance to: cjpc@bne.catholic.net.au



Remember this weekend, 6/7 August, our churches are gathering together and sharing each others company over a cuppa. Come meet some new friends, and have a chat. (You're welcome to bring a plate to share, if you wish)

National Vocations Awareness - 7-14 August



"Each one of us is called - whether to the lay life in marriage, to the priestly life in the ordained ministry, or to a life of special consecration; in order to become a witness to the Lord, here and now"
Pope Francis

Learn more about your vocation at www.vocationbrisbane.com

Readings for this weekend

As the Solemnity of St Mary of the Cross is this Monday (8 August), the Readings for that day will also be used at our Masses this weekend.

First Reading 1 Kings 17:8-16

Responsorial Psalm Ps 62:1-8

Second Reading Colossians 3:12-17

Gospel Matthew 6:25-34

Come and join us for a cuppa and chat after Mass

Join in this extra special occasion for our children!

Please bring a plate to share!!!
The children in our parish are preparing for Confirmation and will be Blessed at Mass this weekend. An opportunity to show them and their families a big welcome, as they join us for hospitality this weekend!

Sausage Sizzle Fundraiser!!!

Be prepared, bring CASH!!!
\$3 sausage and \$2 soft drink.
14 Aug after 9am Mass, Stella Maris Church



We are holding this fundraiser for the youth in our parish, to assist with the cost of registration to attend the Ignite Conference in September. We are extremely grateful for all the assistance the Knights of the Southern Cross are providing to support our fundraiser.



Are you new to our parish?



If you are new to the parish please collect a "Welcome Pack" from one of the Marshals,

Put the completed form in the collection plate at the end of Mass or take it to the parish office during office hours.

You will receive an invitation via email to our next Parish Welcome Night (next one coming soon).

We look forward to meeting you and love to know you've joined us!

Next Alpha program is starting now!

Get connected and explore faith with others.

YOU'RE INVITED TO ALPHA

Do you know a non-church goer or someone who has drifted away from the faith who is looking for answers?

The Alpha talks are designed to engage people from all walks of life and inspire conversation that explores the big issues of life and faith.

Please consider inviting a friend to join you at Alpha on Tuesday, August 16 from 5 till 8 pm. Please email Joe Moloney, our parish Alpha coordinator, at alphamp4@gmail.com to register.

GAATHER TOGETHER AND GET CONNECTED

WATCH AN EPISODE ON A TOPIC OF FAITH

ASK QUESTIONS AND SHARE YOUR THOUGHTS

St Peter's Good News

https://stellamariscp.schoolzineplus.com/_file/media/3503/st_peter_s_good_news.pdf

Canali Program

Are you a young man (18-35 years) considering following Jesus?

For your discernment journey towards priesthood - scan their QR Code to arrange a chat, visit their website at vocationbrisbane.com, or call them on 1300 133 544.

Or why not attend the annual Quo Vadis Weekend from 12-14 August, where you can learn more about your call to the priesthood. Register by going to: <https://app.tickets.org.au/eb/QV4M22>

Parent Engagement Day

CATHOLIC SCHOOL PARENTS QUEENSLAND
Archdiocese of Brisbane

AN INVITATION

PARENT ENGAGEMENT DAY
SUNSHINE COAST | SAT 27 AUGUST | 10.30AM-4.30PM
Unity College | 47 Lomond Cres, Caloundra West

SPEAKERS

Andrew Fuller, Psychologist discussing 3 topics
Behaviour, Mental health and Motivation

The Fathering Project

Carmel Nash CSPQ
talking about best practice in Parent Engagement

All Catholic school Parents, Principals & School Staff welcome.
A free event to support our children's learning and wellbeing.
Topics for all ages Prep to Yr 12

Click on the link below for more details and to register
<https://www.eventcreate.com/e/sunshinecoast-parent-engage>

Retreat Opportunity

Next 'Inner Peace In Divine Love' First Spiritual Exercises retreat (JISA ISA). St Joseph's Catholic Church, Nambour. 29 Aug & 5, 12, 19 & 16 Sept. Led by Marie Lynch, Lynne Raw and Eric May. Go to <https://jisa.org.au/retreat/inner-peace-in-divine-love-nambour-qld/>

Africa Food Crisis

Make **AFRICA FOOD CRISIS** Hunger History

Drought and conflict in the Horn of Africa have left over 18 million people facing severe hunger. Four consecutive failed rainy seasons have devastated the crops of millions across the region.

We must act now and Make Hunger History.

Your generous donation means Caritas partners in countries like Ethiopia, Kenya, Somalia, South Sudan and Eritrea can respond quickly to support vulnerable communities during this crisis.



Visit www.caritas.org.au/food-crisis
or call 1800 024 413 toll free
to donate now.



Bute, the village elder of a small village in southwestern Ethiopia. Photo: Zacharias Abubeker/Caritas Australia.

Mary's Mantle



You are invited to participate in a free Retreat for Spiritual Renewal - commencing 23 August to 7 October, finishing on the feast of Our Lady of the Rosary (Our Lady of Victory).

It is a 46 day sacred journey with 5 minutes or so of daily spiritual reading (contemplating the virtues of Mary and the gifts of the Holy Spirit), praying the Rosary and one day of fasting, all in the privacy of your home.

Receive extraordinary graces by joining in communal prayer for one another, and for the intention of LOVE, FAMILY & UNITY and for your private intentions. You are also invited to watch the free inspiring video talks that accompany the retreat - a link is emailed to you weekly.

On the last day, the retreat will culminate with a personal and total Consecration to Our Blessed Mother.

Registrations see - www.ThroughOurLady.org/retreat

For more information contact Josephine on
0424 560 297

The Week Ahead

First Saturday Mass

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|  <p>First Saturday Mass Everything in Mary leads us towards her son...</p> | <p>First Saturday - 6 August 8.00am Stella Maris Church, Maroochydore</p> |
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The Week Ahead

Friday, 5 August

- Community Meal for the Homeless, Vulnerable and Disadvantaged (6.00pm, Stella Maris Church)

Saturday, 6 August

- First Saturday Mass (8.00am, Stella Maris Church)
- 9.00am - 10.00am Reconciliation (Stella Maris Church)
- Working Bee to 'spring clean' the church and grounds (starting 9.00am, St Peter's Church)
- The Sacrament of Baptism for infants and young children
- Free sausage sizzle (6.00pm Mass, St Peter's Church)

Monday, 8 August

- St Vincent's Care Services, Maroochydore (Mass)
- Adoration 4.30pm, concluding with Benediction at 5.15pm (Stella Maris Church)
- Mass (5.30pm, Stella Maris Church)

Tuesday, 9 August

- Mass (9.00am, Stella Maris Church)
- Christ Catholic Community (following 9.00am Mass, Function Room, Stella Maris Church)
- St Peter's Craft Group (1.30pm, St Peter's Church) All Welcome.
- St Vincent de Paul Society, St Gerard Majellan Conference meeting (7.00pm, SVdP meeting room, Norval Court, Maroochydore)

Wednesday, 10 August

- Mass (7.00am, St Mary's Church)
- Scripture Study Group (9.30am, Zoom gathering)

Thursday, 11 August

- Mass (8.30am, St Peter's Church)
- Reconciliation (following 8.30am Mass, St Peter's Church)
- Mass (5.30pm, St Catherine of Siena Church)

Friday, 12 August

- Mass (9.00am, Stella Maris Church)
- Gen Y Fridays (Rosary, 6.00pm, Chapel, Stella Maris Church). Followed by dinner somewhere together.
- Community Meal for the Homeless, Vulnerable and Disadvantaged (6.00pm, Stella Maris Church)

Saturday, 13 August

- The Sacrament of Baptism for infants and young children

In Our Prayers



Baptism: We welcome into our faith community all those who have been newly baptised, especially Adela Brammer, Astrid Watkins, Oscar Watkins and Benjamin Morland.

Deceased: At this time, we remember the life and death of Patricia Smith, Maureen Zeller, Maria Cignoli, Christopher Roby (Juliana Owalabi's husband) and Romilda Natoli.

Prayers for the Sick: for those sick in our parish who need prayers, Gabrielle Bonney, Helena Kubik, Mike Gillooly, Mark Robertson, Bruno Strazzari, Mary Doolan and Juanita Hartkopf.

Some Parish Devotions

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Adoration every Monday evening after the 5.30pm Mass concluding with Benediction at 6.50pm to **finish 7.00pm**, Stella Maris Church

Blue Army Rosary every Tuesday after Mass at 9.45am, Stella Maris Church

Cenacle and Divine Mercy every Saturday 12 noon Stella Maris Church

El Shaddai every Saturday at 11am at St Catherine of Siena Church

Fatima Rosary on the First Saturday of the month, at Stella Maris Church

Rosary every Tuesday before 9am Mass at Stella Maris Church

Rosary every Wednesday after 7am Mass at St Mary's Church

Rosary every Thursday before 8.30am Mass, St Peter's Church

Rosary every Thursday 2-3pm, Stella Maris Church

Rosary every Thursday before 5.30pm Mass, St Catherine of Siena Church

Stations of the Cross & Divine Mercy every Friday 2.30pm, Stella Maris Church

**Baptism,
Marriage and
Funerals by
arrangement
with the
Parish Office**

Please contact us on
5443 3488

Reconciliation Times

Reconciliation Times (Confession)

Every Saturday

NOW 9.00am to 10.00am
5.15pm to 5.45pm

**Second Thursday
of each Month**

Following 8.30am Mass
St Peter's Church
Coolum Beach

Baptism, Marriage and Funerals