

PARISH BULLETIN

Trinity Sunday — 31st May 2026 (Year A)

"GOD SO LOVED THE WORLD THAT HE GAVE HIS ONLY SON" — JOHN 3:16

Reflect today on the Most Holy Trinity. We were made to share in Their Life and Love. Though the fullness of the Trinity remains a mystery beyond human grasp, it is not beyond human encounter. Through grace, revelation, and contemplative union, God draws us to Himself — not to explain Himself, but to be consumed by Him. Celebrate this day by repeatedly praying one of the most ancient and simple prayers of the Church:

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen! Most Holy Trinity, I love You and trust in You!

Proper of the Mass

First Reading: Exodus 34:4–6, 8–9

Response: Glory and praise for ever!

Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 13:11–13

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! Glory to the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit: to God who is, who was, and who is to come. Alleluia!

Gospel: John 3:16–18

Feasts of the Week

Monday — Justin, martyr (c165)

Born in Samaria, he converted to Christianity and defended the faith in writings such as the Apologies and Dialogue. He was martyred during the reign of Marcus Aurelius.

Wednesday — Charles Lwanga and Companions, martyrs (+ 1886)

He was martyred with 12 companions during the persecution of Christians by King Mwanga of Uganda.

Saturday — Marcellin Champagnat, priest (1789–1840)

He founded the Marist Brothers, devoted to Mary and dedicated to education, in France in 1816. He is the patron of Marist College Ashgrove, located in our parish.

Vinnies Winter Appeal 2026

Winter is a time when there's extra to pay for lights and heating, as well as clothing and shoes for the kids. Those in financial stress feel this the most, and homelessness is ever more prevalent. You can warm the heart of someone in need this winter by donating to the St Vincent de Paul Winter Appeal. Donation envelopes are on the table at the main entrance of the church, detailing the various ways to donate. Many thanks for your kindness and generosity.

Children's liturgy next Sunday

Children's liturgy will be held at the 8.30am Mass next Sunday 7 June, All welcome.

Mass and Prayer Times

Monday 5.30pm Mass with Confession immediately after Mass (Benediction & Adoration afterwards first Monday every month)

Thursday 7.00am Mass

Friday 9.00am with Confession before Mass and Adoration after Mass. Second Friday of every month is Anointing Mass.

Saturday 9.00–10.00 am Adoration with Rosary and Divine Mercy

Saturday (vigil Mass) 5.00pm and **Sunday** 8.30am Mass

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We pray for: Patrick King, David Carr, Don Morrison, Keiren Calder, Susie and Tom, Fr Aidan Carvill, Jan Lidstone, Sharon Bell, Ian Tyson, Peter Shafton, Yvonne Auer, Luke Barden, Killian Maguire, Kathleen Isepy (Noreen's sister) and Fr Pat Doran.

Prayers for the recently deceased.

We pray for all who have died including Kathleen Mitchell, Tracy Kelly, Alan Williams, Rose Graham, Phoebe Semple, Romilia Ventura, Delma Schmidt, Trevour Pettersen, Veronica Robertson, Peter Brown, Fr John Kilinko, Fr Ron Mollison and all whose anniversaries occur around this time.

SUPPORT OUR PARISH THROUGH A REGULAR BANK TRANSFER

One way to support our parish is through regular giving via a bank transfer, giving you convenience and control. You can set up a regular transfer using the following details:
Account name: St Michael's Parish Bank: Commonwealth
BSB: 064 786 Account: 006211100

Do you need to access a sacrament? Or to speak to a priest?

For baptisms, marriages, funerals or other sacraments — or to speak to a Priest — phone the parish on 3324 3985, or feel free to approach Fr Tony after Mass.
Baptisms at St Michael's Dorrington are performed after Sunday morning Mass.

Church Flowers Donations — Flowers make our church beautiful. Please place a coin in the box at the back table.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Two Marriage Encounter weekends are being held in 2026:
4–5 July — Live out weekend at Our Lady of the Southern Cross Springfield Lakes
9–11 October — Live in weekend at Santa Teresa Spirituality Centre Ormiston
Contact Lisha and Joseph Deasem on 0481307821 or email qldbookings@wwme.org.au

Special days this week

27 May – 3 June National Reconciliation Week. Info and events: www.reconciliation.org.au
5 June World Environment Day

FLOCKNOTE DIGITAL PLATFORM

The parish is considering introducing flocknote, a communication and engagement platform designed specifically for Catholic parishes and ministries. It combines email, text messaging, ministry management, event coordination, and parish engagement tools into one system.
Used by thousands of Catholic parishes and dioceses, flocknote helps churches communicate more effectively with parishioners without requiring a mobile app. An information sheet is available at the back of the Church for those interested. There will be further communication about flocknote over the coming weeks.

Walk with Jesus — Corpus Christi Procession

All are invited to this significant and visible celebration of faith on the Feast of Corpus Christi as we honour the Real Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist with a public procession through the streets of Brisbane City. Led by Archbishop Shane Mackinlay, this annual procession brings together thousands of faithful from parishes and communities across the Archdiocese in a vibrant and prayerful witness. Beginning at the Cathedral, we will process through the Brisbane CBD, praying, singing, and honouring Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament, before returning to the Cathedral for Benediction. Parishes and communities are encouraged to bring banners representing their parish, community, or patron saints. Sunday 7 June, 2.00pm at St Stephen's Cathedral Find out more and register at www.corpuschristibrisbane.com

