



THE TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Year B — 12th September 2021

Child Protection Sunday

The community of the Cathedral of St. Stephen acknowledges the traditional custodians of the land on which our parish stands.

*Embracing
Villa Maria Centre
and
St Patrick's
Fortitude Valley*



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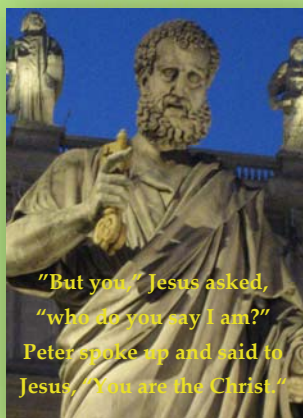
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Readings for today: Isaiah 50:5-9; James 2:4-18; Mark 8:27:35

Dear friends,

When Jesus asks the question today, "Who do you say I am?" he isn't just asking his disciples; he is asking us. And it is not intended to be a theoretical question. Our answer will be less about our words and more about our actions. Our answer is made visible in the way that we live. We give our answer by demonstrating how generous, merciful, compassionate and just we are in our daily life. This is the point that James is making in the second reading.

In this light, Jesus isn't asking a question about himself, about his identity. He is really asking his disciples who they think they are - what they think they are doing following him around. It is here, at this point, that the real moment of teaching comes: "If you want to be a follower of mine, don't bother if you are looking for status or honour or privilege. Certainly don't follow me if you are seeking safety and certainty. Follow me," Jesus says, "because you believe in me as the one who shows you what God is like. Follow me if you want to pour out your lives in love and service."

This is the mark of true discipleship. The word "disciple" simply means "learner". We come here week in and week out to learn how to follow Jesus in love. We are not the master - we are the student. We continually need to be formed in love. Our hearts can grow bigger but only if we first discover how large God's heart is. We need to be open to hearing Jesus ask this question - "who do you say I am?" - over and over again. James is pretty blunt; he asks whether people can see in us a "living faith"? Or is our faith, as James would say, "quite dead"?

Jesus is constantly asking us "Who do you say I am?" We respond, not just with our lips, or our minds, but with our hearts and hands. The living faith of a disciple is constantly ready to recognise and welcome the living Christ, who is always in our midst.

But to do this, we need continuous training by listening to the Word, by being nourished in Eucharist, through being challenged by community life, and offering to serve to those in need. These are the signs of a living faith.

Fr. Anthony



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St. Stephen**
249 Elizabeth St
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St. Patrick's
58 Morgan St
Fortitude Valley



Villa Maria Chapel
171 St Pauls Tce
Spring Hill
*No public Masses until
further notice.*

Cathedral Parish Mass Times this week

Monday – Friday 8:00am (live-streamed); 10:00am; 12:30pm; 5.10pm
Saturday 11.30am (live-streamed)

Cathedral of St Stephen

Saturday: 6:00pm

Sunday: 8:00am; 10:00am; 12 noon & 7:30pm (8am & 10am live-streamed)

St Patrick's Church

Sunday: 9:00am & 11:00am

Reconciliation: Monday-Friday: 10:30-11:30am; 1:00-1:30pm; 4:30-5:00pm
Saturday: 10:00am-11:00am; 4:30-5:30pm

Exposition: Monday – Friday 10:30am – 12:15pm **Benediction: Monday – Friday** 12:15pm



READERS WORKSHOPS

All current readers and anyone wishing to join the “Ministry of Reader of the Word”, for the Cathedral of St Stephen, are required to attend one (1) of the workshops listed below. The workshops will be held in the Hanly Room, Francis Rush Centre. The Cathedral car park will be available approx. 30 mins before the commencement of each session. A registration form is available on the Cathedral website, or by emailing: cathedral@bne.catholic.net.au

- *Tuesday, September 14, 2:00pm*
- *Wednesday September 22, 6:00pm*

READERS' WORKSHOP FOR ST PATRICK'S PARISHIONERS

Current readers and potential new readers who attend **9am & 11am Sunday Mass at St Patrick's**, are invited to attend a readers workshop which will be held on **Sunday 19 September at 10.00am**.

DATE CLAIMER – GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

The Annual Golden Wedding Anniversary Mass will be celebrated with Archbishop Mark Coleridge on **Saturday 25 September commencing at 11.30am**. The invitation is extended to family and friends. Unfortunately, due to the COVID restrictions, refreshments following the Mass will not be offered. Bookings are available from **Monday 13 September** and can be made via the following link:

<https://goldenweddinganniversarymass.eventbrite.com.au>
or telephone the Cathedral office on 07 3324 3030.

MULTICULTURAL MASS

The diversity of the Catholic Church in the Archdiocese of Brisbane will be celebrated at the annual Multicultural Mass on **Sunday 26 September 2021 @ 2:30pm**. Archbishop Mark Coleridge will celebrate the Mass alongside our priests ministering to cultural communities throughout the Archdiocese.

FUNERAL MASS – FR VINCE DWYER

The Archbishop will celebrate the Funeral Mass for Fr Vince Dwyer in the Cathedral on **Wednesday 15 September @ 10.00am**. Reconciliation will commence following the Funeral Mass. Adoration and Benediction will not be held on Wednesday.

ASSISTED DYING LEGISLATION

Archbishop Mark invites us to take urgent action against the proposed legislation for assisted dying. Show your opposition and reject these euthanasia and assisted suicide laws by signing the petition at <https://www.no euthanasia.org.au/>

WE NEED YOUR HELP - AND ACTION

We need you to help us ensure the euthanasia Bill is defeated. We need your action - NOW.

HOW YOU CAN HELP

1. Pray all Queenslanders might respect Church teaching that life is sacred from conception until natural death and that our MPs support a fully funded palliative care system, negating the need for assisted suicide.
2. Arrange a meeting with YOUR local Member of Parliament
To find who they are: [CLICK HERE ON THIS LINK](https://www.parliament.qld.gov.au/members/current/idx)
3. Please also email your views to YOUR local Member of Parliament
[CLICK HERE ON THIS LINK](https://www.no euthanasia.org.au/petition_2105_scp_04)

Please stand with the Queensland Bishops and medical experts in opposing this legislation.
Dying with dignity already exists - it lies in being able to access high quality palliative care statewide.

CATHEDRAL CHORAL SCHOLARSHIPS 2022

'A Musical Education Like No Other'

The Cathedral of St Stephen's rich musical history is a celebrated facet of the life of our Cathedral, Archdiocese, and the city of Brisbane.

Choral Scholarships are available for boys entering years 5-7 in 2022 to join the Cathedral Choir. Excellent training is offered (comprising mid-week rehearsals and regular Sunday commitments) with generous bursaries provided.

Auditions will take place in mid-October 2021.
Register your interest by Friday 1.10.21
to: cathedral.music@bne.catholic.net.au
or phone 3324 3030.

We open our hearts to you, Holy Spirit,
as we continue the journey of the Plenary Council,
which is your gift and your work.

With you alone to guide us, lead us on the way;
show us the path that we must take
and give us strength to follow it.

Do not let fear or ignorance divide us,
but bind us together in your peace

that we may journey as one to eternal life,
never straying from the path of justice and truth.

This we ask of you, who are moving in our midst,
in the communion of the Father and the Son,
for ever and ever.

Amen.

Support of the Cathedral Parish

Your financial support of the Cathedral Parish is always appreciated.

Ways to financially support your Parish:

- The "Tap & Go" facility at the door of the church;
- Place your donation in the collection bags after Mass;
- Online donation, directly to the Cathedral
(www.cathedralofststephen.org.au/payments--donations.html) or
scan this QR code

Be blessed and bless others with your gift

Thank you for your generous support of the **Annual Catholic Campaign!** Your gift helps educate our future priests, care for unwell priests, ensures children from impoverished families can access Catholic education, and reaches out to our most vulnerable neighbours.

Your generosity - great and small - is a blessing to those who need it most.

INTROIT

Psalm 121

Da pacem, Domine,
sustinentibus te ut
prophetae tui fideles
inveniantur:
exaudi preces servi tui et
plebis tuae Israëli.

*Grant peace to those who are
waiting for you, O Lord, so
that your prophets may be
proved trustworthy; hear the
prayers of your servant and of
your people, Israel.*

ENTRANCE HYMN

CWBII 408

Hail, Queen of Heav'n, the ocean star,
Guide of the wand'rer here below,
Thrown on life's surge, we claim your care:
Save us from peril and from woe.
Mother of Christ, star of the sea,
Pray for the wand'rer, pray for me.

O gentle, chaste and spotless maid,
we sinners make our prayers through thee;
remind thy Son that he has paid
The price of our iniquity.
Virgin most pure, star of the sea,
Pray for the sinner, pray for me.

And while to him who reigns above,
In God-head One, in Persons Three,
The source of life, of grace, of love,
Homage we pay on bended knee.
Do thou, bright Queen, star of the sea,
Pray for your children, pray for me.

KYRIE & GLORIA

Missa O Magnum Mysterium Victoria (1548-1611)

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 114

I will walk in the pre sence of the Lord in the
land of the liv - ing.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Galatians 6:14

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia
My only glory is the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ,
which crucifies the world to me and me to the world.

OFFERTORY MOTET

Philippians 2:8-9

Christus factus est pro nobis
obediens usque ad mortem,
mortem autem crucis.
Propter quod et Deus
exaltavit illum et dedit illi
nomen, quod est super omne
nomen.

*Christ became obedient for us
unto death, even to the death,
death on the cross. Therefore
God has exalted Him and
gave Him a name which is
above all names.*

Music: Felice Anerio (1560-1614)

HOLY HOLY

Mass XVIII

Ho-ly, Ho-ly, Ho-ly Lord God of hosts. Heav-en and earth are
full of your glo-ry. Ho-san-na in the high-est. Bless-ed is he
who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-san-na in the high-est.

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

ICEL #1

We pro-claim your Death, O Lord, and pro-fess your Res-ur-rect-ion
un-til you come a-gain.

LORD'S PRAYER

AGNUS DEI

Missa O Magnum Mysterium Victoria (1548-1611)

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Psalm 95: 8, 9

Tollite hostias et introite in
atria eius : adore Dominum
in aula sancta eius.

*Bring up your sacrifices and
come into his courts; adore the
Lord in his holy temple.*

COMMUNION HYMN

CWBII 411

Mary, Mother of Good Counsel,
you found favour in God's sight.
Over shadowed by the Spirit,
you brought forth the world's true light.
Filled with faith and holy wisdom,
you were worthy of God's choice.
May we too possess these virtues
so that we may hear God's voice.

All God's people give you honour,
graceful bearer of Good News.
Be for us a constant model,
holy one whom God did choose.
May we sing God's saving power;
may we tend to human need.
May God's word dwell deep within us,
counsel for each holy deed.

Glory to the God who made us,
who is author of all life;
glory to the Word Incarnate,
who redeemed us from all strife;
glory to the Holy Spirit,
who in water gives rebirth;
for the gift of Blessed Mary
to the pilgrim Church on earth.

ORGAN VOLUNTARY

Prelude and Fugue in C Minor Op. 37 No. 1
- Felix Mendelssohn (1809-1847)

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MUSIC AT THE CATHEDRAL

Music at today's Mass is drawn from the Catholic Worship Book II, with congregational hymn texts on this sheet.

The 10:00am Solemn Mass is led by the Cathedral Choir, the music for this Mass is inside this bulletin.

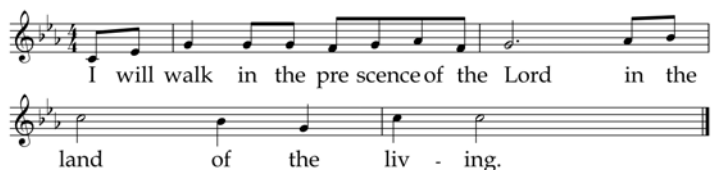
The 12:00pm Mass is today led by the Cathedral Schola. All other Masses are led by a cantor.

Processional Hymn Take up your cross
(CWBII 612)

Kyrie Mass of Our Lady,
Help of Christians (CWBII 23a)
(12pm Mass) *Missa Brevis – Palestrina*

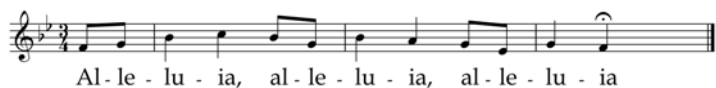
Gloria Mass of Our Lady,
Help of Christians (CWBII 23b)
(12pm Mass) *Missa Brevis – Palestrina*

Responsorial Psalm *Psalm 114*



I will walk in the presence of the Lord in the
land of the living.

Gospel Acclamation *Galatians 6:14*



Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia

*My only glory is the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ,
which crucifies the world to me and me to the world.*

Offertory *Adoramus te, Christe*
Motet (12pm Mass) – Carlo Gesualdo (1566-1613)

Sanctus Mass of Our Lady, Help of
Christians (CWBII 23c)

Memorial We proclaim your death, O Lord,
Acclamation and profess your resurrection,
(ICEL #1): until you come again. (CWBII 12a)

Agnus Dei Mass of Our Lady, Help of
Christians (CWBII 23f)
(12pm Mass) *Missa Brevis – Palestrina*

Communion *Salvator Mundi*
Motet (12pm Mass) – Thomas Tallis (1505-1585)

Communion Hymn Praise to the holiest in the height
(CWBII 585)

Recessional Hymn Hail, Redeemer, King divine!
(CWBII 400)

COMMUNION MOTET 12pm Mass

Salvator mundi, salva nos, qui per crucem et sanguinem redemisti nos, auxiliare nobis, te deprecamur, Deus noster.	O Saviour of the world, save us, who by thy cross and blood hast redeemed us, help us, we pray thee, O Lord our God.
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Music: Thomas Tallis (1505-1585)

"Take up your cross", the Saviour said,
"If you would my disciple be;
take up your cross, deny yourself,
and humbly follow after me."

Take up your cross; let not its weight
Fill your weak spirit with alarm;
his strength shall bear your spirit up,
and brace your heart, and nerve your arm.

Take up your cross, and follow Christ,
nor think till death to lay it down;
for only those who bear the cross
may hope to wear the glorious crown.

Praise to the holiest in the height,
And in the depth be praise,
In all his words most wonderful,
Most sure in all his ways.

O loving wisdom of our God!
When all was sin and shame,
A second Adam to the fight
And to the rescue came.

O wisest love! that flesh and blood,
Which did in Adam fail,
Should strive afresh against the foe,
Should strive and should prevail.

And that a higher gift than grace
Should flesh and blood refine,
God's presence and his very self
And essence all divine.

O gen'rous love! that he who smote
In Man for man the foe,
The double agony in Man
For man should undergo;

And in the garden secretly,
And on the cross on high,
Should teach his brethren, and inspire
To suffer and to die.

Praise to the holiest in the height,
And in the depth be praise,
In all his words most wonderful,
Most sure in all his ways.

Hail, Redeemer, King divine!
Priest and Lamb, the Lord of time,
King, whose reign shall never cease,
Prince of everlasting peace.

Refrain Angels, saints and nations, sing:
"Praised be Jesus Christ our King;
Lord of life, earth, sky and sea,
King of love on Calvary."

King, whose name creation thrills,
Rule our minds, our hearts, our wills,
Till in peace each nation rings
With your praises, King of kings.

Refrain

King most holy, King of truth,
Guide the lowly, guide the youth;
Christ, thou King of glory bright,
Be to us eternal light.

Refrain

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