# OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE YEAR C – 20<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2022

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

The Cathedral Parish has zero tolerance for all forms of abuse and is committed to safeguarding everyone involved in its activities, ministries and services. The safety and wellbeing of children and adults-at-risk is paramount.

Readings for today: 2 Samuel 5:1-3; Colossians 1:12-20; Luke 23:35-43

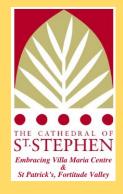




This Sunday the Church celebrates the Solemnity of 'Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe', more popularly known under its simple title of 'Christ the King.' In 1925, Pope Pius XI established the solemnity with his encyclical Quas primas as a response to the aggressive secularism which was fast spreading in the wake of the First World War. It was Pope Pius's hope that the establishment of this solemnity would serve as a reminder not only to Christians but to all leaders and nations of the Kingship of Christ and the Church's right to proclaim the gospel, free from interference by the state. It was also to be an exhortation for Catholics to profess and live their faith not only as private individuals but also in the public square, where Christianity was becoming increasingly sidelined.

"Viva Cristo Rey!" ('Long live Christ the King!') were the last words of 36 year-old Jesuit Father Miguel Pro as he faced his executioners in Mexico in 1927. His courageous words were a bold proclamation of the kingship of Christ in the face of a regime committed to the ruthless persecution of the Church in that country. Fr Miguel tirelessly assisted the poor in Mexico City in their spiritual and material needs, adopting many creative disguises in carrying out his secret ministry. He would wander at night dressed as a beggar so as not to attract attention as he went to homes to perform baptisms, bless marriages, hear confessions and celebrate Mass. He was known to appear in jail dressed as a police officer to administer the Last Rites to condemned Catholics. When going to fashionable neighbourhoods to minister he would dress as a stylish businessman. His many exploits could rival those of the most daring spies. Fr Miguel was beatified in 1988.

History tells us that kingdoms and regimes come and go, and with them their respective kings and rulers – some of whom wished to dominate exclusively. Today's solemnity is a reminder that only in Jesus Christ do we have a Servant King whose reign of love embraces each one of us and indeed 'all that is seen and unseen'. 'Viva Cristo Rey'! Fr Brendan





Most Reverend Mark Coleridge Archbishop of Brisbane

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\*No public Masses until further notice.

#### **Cathedral of St Stephen Mass Times**

Mon to Fri	8:00am Livestreamed	10:00am	12:30pm	5:10pm
Saturday	11:30am			6:00pm
Sunday	8:00am	10:00am Livestreamed	12:00pm	7:30pm

#### **Cathedral Reconciliation Times**

Mon to Fri	10:30-11:30am	1:00-1:30pm	4:30-5:00pm
Saturday	10:00-11:00am		4:30-5:30pm

#### St Patrick's Mass Times

Sunday	9:00am	11:00am		

#### **Cathedral Exposition Times**

Monday to Friday	10:30am-12:15pm
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#### **Cathedral Benediction Times**

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Monday to Friday	12:15pm	

#### Thank You



I am profoundly grateful for the generosity and kindness of the Cathedral community for your acknowledgment of my Silver Jubilee of Ordination last weekend. I greatly appreciate the efforts of the Cathedral Office and our Music Department in organising a couple of festivities across a few days, and have been encouraged by this community's warm

words and spirit of support. Thank you to all and pray that I might continue to serve God and the mission of the Church with faithfulness and commitment. *Fr Anthony* 

#### Red Wednesday + Red November

Red Wednesday is a day when the world's persecuted Christians are remembered and prayed for in a special way. In union with cathedrals throughout the world, in 2022 Red Wednesday will be held on Wednesday 23 November. The Cathedral of St Stephen is participating in *Red November* by lighting the Cathedral red for the month of November. Prayer cards are available in the Cathedral at the icon of St Stephen, the Patron Saint for Persecuted Christians.

#### **SVDP** Christmas Appeal

Aussie families are struggling to survive the increasing cost-of-living pressures this Christmas. Your generosity can provide urgent relief for a family who's doing it tough this Christmas, and give them hope for a better future. Donation envelopes are available at the doors of the

church or, to donate on-line, visit <u>www.vinnies.org.au</u>.

#### Asbestos Disease Support Society

The annual Ecumenical Memorial Service will be held in the Cathedral on Friday 25th November @ 11.00am. Parishioners are welcome to attend to pray with those who are suffering from asbestos-related diseases and those who have died during the past year.

#### Cleaning inside the Cathedral

Commencing Monday 28th November from 6:00pm until midnight and continuing on Tuesday 29th, Wednesday 30th and Thursday 1st, the Cathedral will undergo a deep clean. A cherry picker will be used to reach the high places. This cherry picker will be left in the Cathedral during these four days. For safety reasons, it will be cordoned off during the day and some seating will be unavailable. We apologise for any inconvenience to our parishioners whilst this cleaning takes place.

#### Bicycle for Sale



This Avanti bike was donated to the Cathedral on the proviso that it remain with a Cathedral parishioner. It is valued at \$900 however, if you are interested in purchasing it, genuine offers received by 1st December will be considered.

#### Book of Remembrance

You are invited to inscribe the names of those whom you want to remember in the **Book of Remembrance**, located near the sanctuary. May they all *rest in peace*.

# A 28-day reflection resource for Advent or any time during the 2022-2023 liturgical year.



"Heart of the Disciple" is a new 28-day reflection resource that can be used during Advent by individuals and groups, or at any time during the 2022-2023 liturgical year. Its main purpose is to help us to find a few minutes each day to practise what it means to sit with God and to trust God to lead us forward.

Each day's reflection is inspired by a

short text of scripture, and concludes with a thought or two to take away as well as a prayer.

Available from the Sacristy for \$5.00.



#### Break Open the Word

An excellent resource for Ministers of the Word. A copy of the 2023 book is available from the Sacristy for the reduced price of \$10.





## Music at the 10.00am Solemn Mass

## Celebrant: Fr Brendan Gormley

#### **INTROIT**

Dignus est Agnus, qui occisus est, accipere virtutem, et divinitatem, et sapientiam, et fortitudinem, et honorem. Ipsi gloria et imperium in

The Lamb who has been slain is worthy to receive power, and divinity, and wisdom, and strength, and honour; let glory and dominion be his for ever and ever.

#### **ENTRANCE HYMN**

saecula saeculorum.

CWBII 400

Rev 5: 12 & 1:6

Hail, Redeemer, King divine! Priest and Lamb, the throne is thine, 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 thy praises, King of kings. King most holy, King of truth,

guide the lowly, guide the youth; Christ, thou King of glory bright,

be to us eternal light. Refrain

Shepherd-King, from mountains steep, homeward bring the wand'ring sheep; shelter in one royal fold

states and nations, new and old.

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#### **KYRIE & GLORIA**

Messe G-dur K.167

Franz Schubert (1797-1828)

#### **RESPONSORIAL PSALM**

Psalm 121:1-5



#### **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

Mark 11:9, 10



Blessed is he who inherits the kingdom of David our Father; blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

#### **OFFERTORY MOTET**

O Nata Lux

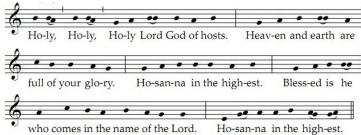
O nata lux de lumine, Jesu redemptor saeculi, Dignare clemens supplicum Laudes precesque sumere. Qui carne quondam contegi Dignatus es pro perditis, Nos membra confer effici Tui beati corporis. O Light born of Light, Jesus, redeemer of the world, with loving-kindness deign to receive suppliant praise and prayer. Thou who once deigned to be clothed in flesh for the sake of the lost, grant us to be members of thy blessed body.

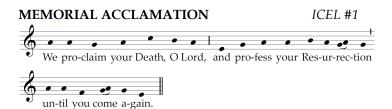
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#### LORD'S PRAYER

#### **AGNUS DEI**

Messe G-dur K.167

*Franz Schubert* (1797-1828)

#### **COMMUNION ANTIPHON**

Ps 28: 10b, 11b

Sedebit Dominus rex in aeternum: Dominus benedicet populo suo in pace.

The Lord will sit on his royal throne for ever; the Lord will bless his people with peace.

#### **COMMUNION HYMN**

CWBII 585

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.

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#### ORGAN VOLUNTARY

'Final' from Symphonie VI Op 42 No 2 C-M Widor (1844-1937)

### 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 Midday Mass is led by the Cathedral Schola. All other Masses are led by a cantor.

**Processional Hymn** Christ is the King! O friends rejoice

(CWBII 398)

**Kyrie** ICEL Chant Mass (CWBII 4b)

Missa Sancti Nicolai

- Franz Joseph Haydn (1732-1809)

Gloria ICEL Chant Mass (CWBII 5)

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**Responsorial Psalm** Psalm 121:1-5



#### Gospel Acclamation Mark 11:9, 10



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**Offertory Motet** Come, let us sing

- Giovanni Gabrieli (1553-1612)

Sanctus ICEL Chant Mass (CWBII 11a)

Memorial We proclaim your death, O Lord, Acclamation and profess your resurrection, (ICEL #1): until you come again. (CWBII 12a) Agnus Dei ICEL Chant Mass (CWBII 17a)

Missa Sancti Nicolai

- Franz Joseph Haydn (1732-1809)

**Communion Motet** Verily, verily I say unto you

- Thomas Tallis (1525-1594)

Communion Hymn Praise to the holiest in the height

(CWBII 585)

**Recessional Hymn** Christ, our Lord, the Prince of ages

(CWBII 399)

#### **COMMUNION MOTET**

John 6:53-56

Verily, verily I say unto you, except ye eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink His blood, ye have not life in you. Whoso eateth my flesh and drinketh my blood hath eternal life, and I will raise him up at the last day For my flesh is meat indeed, and my blood is drink indeed. He that eateth my flesh and drinketh my blood

Music: Thomas Tallis (1525-1594)

PLEASE TAKE THIS COPY OF THE BULLETIN WITH YOU AT THE CONCLUSION OF MASS TODAY. Christ is the King! O friends rejoice; brothers and sisters, with one voice let the world know he is your choice.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Oh, magnify the Lord, and raise anthems of joy and holy praise for all his saints of ancient days. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

O Christian women, Christian men, all the world over, seek again the way his faithful followed then. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

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Christ, our Lord, the Prince of ages, Christ, the nations' glorious King, Whom we praise with exultation, Saints and angels answering, to your throne with true devotion, hearts and minds and senses bring.

Come, O Lord, and claim your kingdom, Rebel hearts your grace can gain; Bend the stubborn will of rulers Who from homage still refrain: In the home as in the city Be supreme, O Christ, and reign.

On our own dear land, Australia, Let the light of mercy shine, That, in holy Church united, All may know the saving sign: Christ, up on the cross up lifted, Drawing all with love divine.