PENTECOST SUNDAY YEAR **A** – 28TH MAY 2023

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: Acts 2:1-11; 1 Corinthians 12:3-7, 12-13; John 20:19-23

Dear friends,

On this feast of Pentecost, we come to the last of Archbishop Mark's Apostolic Priorities: *Embedding Synodal Governance*.

Have you ever been in a situation where you're the only person who doesn't speak the language that everyone is talking? It's a strange feeling. You're in the same place, you're with other people, but you have no idea what is being said. You can't understand what is going on, and you can't contribute. Whether it was intentional or not, vou are inevitably excluded. On this great celebration of Pentecost, we turn our attention to the birth of a truly inclusive Church and what this kind of inclusion means for the seventh and final apostolic priority: Embedding Synodal Governance.

Archbishop Mark writes:

We have begun the long and complex process of moving towards a synodal mode of governance in the Church, but the process is far from complete; and there is much to be done to embed synodal governance more securely at every level in the Archdiocese... Synodality implies inclusion, and therefore we will have to keep asking how we might at every level include women in the decision-making processes of the Archdiocese. So too synodality requires transparency and accountability, and we will have to keep asking what we need to do to make the Archdiocese more transparent and accountable.

On this birthday of the Church, we are reminded that the Church is inspired and empowered by the Holy Spirit to be inclusive and to preach the Gospel in language that everyone can understand. We are challenged to ask ourselves, are we a parish/community that is inspired and empowered by the Holy Spirit?

We recognise that a truly inclusive Church must have truly inclusive leadership. May the Holy Spirit guide us and lead us as we journey toward becoming a more inclusive, synodal and Spirit-empowered Church.



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Cathedral	of St	Stenhen	Mass	Times

Cathedral of St Stephen

249 Elizabeth Street

Brisbane City

Mon to Fri	8:00am *	10:00am	12:30pm	5:10pm
Saturday	11:30am			6:00pm Vigil
Sunday	8:00am	10:00am *	12:00pm	7:30pm
* These Masses are livestreamed				

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	
** Reconciliation, Exposition & Benediction will not be held on Thursday 1st June.				



171 St Paul's Tce

Spring Hill

Villa Maria Aged Care Chapel

No public Masses until further notice.

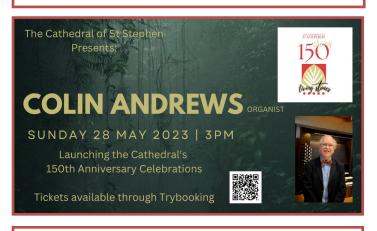


St Patrick's Church 58 Morgan Street Fortitude Valley The community of the Cathedral of St. Stephen welcomes the appointment of **Bishop Ken Howell** as the new Bishop of Toowoomba and we offer him our warmest congratulations.

Bishop Ken was born in Brisbane, and in the Archdiocese he has been a well loved son, priest and bishop. He will be much missed, especially here in the Cathedral community which he has served with great dedication for much of his ordained ministry.

But the Church is bigger than the Archdiocese; and his gifts and experience will ensure that he brings all that is needed to his new mission and ministry.

We look forward to his Installation in Toowoomba on 11 July, and in the meantime we accompany Bishop Ken with our prayers. There will no doubt be an opportunity in the coming weeks for the Cathedral community to thank Bishop Ken for his service and wish him well in his new ministry.



Funeral Mass - Mr Warwick Michael

7:00pm

8:00pm

9:00pm

The Funeral Mass will be held on **Thursday 1st June 2023** commencing at 10:00am. The Funeral Mass will replace our scheduled 10:00am Mass. The Sacrament of Penance, Adoration, Exposition and Benediction will not be held on Thursday.



Supper

Finish

Faith Discussion

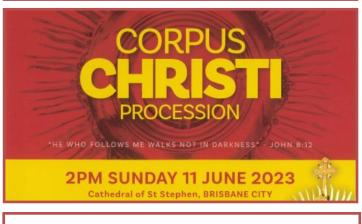




Sunday 4 June 2024

The Brisbane Marathon will be held on **Sunday 4 June** which will result in roads closures in the CBD. Please scan the QR code for a full list of road closures and to plan your trip next Sunday. Atlas Events has advised that

Sunday. Atlas Events has advised that the Cathedral of St Stephen has been specifically accounted for with traffic being able to flow through to the car park. QPS officers, Traffic Control and a coned roadway will allow cars access to the car park.







The Paraclete Copies of the 17th Edition of *The Paraclete*, the Holy Spirit Seminary magazine, are

available at the doors today. Please take a copy with you.

In this edition the editor, Gabriel Guillaume, hopes that you will receive an insight into some of the blessed moments and experiences that have strengthened and confirmed the Seminarians' vocation which they have been graced with over the last year.

Support for the Cathedral Parish

You may place your donations in the collection plate during the Offertory, "Tap & Go" at the doors of the church or donate on-line by scanning the QR Code which will direct you to the donation page on the Cathedral website.



EFTPOS machines also are available at the doors of the church and have the capacity to enable us to select the amount we wish to contribute. As we become an increasingly cashless society, this facility gives us the opportunity to continue to financially support the Cathedral and St Patrick's.

Your support for the Cathedral Parish is appreciated.

<u>2023</u>

MAY 28 Pentecost Sunday 150th Celebration Launch Concert: Colin Andrews

JUN 1 Dine BNE City (outdoor dinner) JUN 11

> Corpus Christi **JUN 28**

150 yrs celebrations - Ordinations
JUL 2

Concert: One Equal Music

RSCM Winter In Spires JUL 2-9

NAIDOC Week **AUG 1-6** World Youth Day

AUG 8 Feast of St Mary of the Cross MacKillop SEP 3 Concert: Warwick Adeney SEP 24

Archdiocese Multi-cultural life celebrations

SEP 28-30 National Liturgy Conference

SEP 30 150 yrs celebrations – Weddings NOV 4

Commemoration of the Faithful Departed

Concert: St Stephen's Choir

DEC Advent Concerts

DEC 4 Solemnity of the Dedication of the Cathedral

DEC 26 Laying of the Foundation Stone Anniversary

*** More events to come ***

<u>2024</u>

FEB 2 World Day for Consecrated Persons

THE CATHEDRAL OF ST.STEPHEN

FEB - MARCH Lenten Concerts

EASTER SEASON 150 yrs celebrations - Baptisms, Confirmations, First Communions

> MAY Ecumenical celebration

MAY 10-11 Queensland Symphony Orchestra

> MAY 13-19 Volunteers Week

MAY 17 150th Anniversary of The Cathedral of St Stephen

MAY 18 Archbishop Mark – Golden Anniversary of Priestly Ordination

> MAY 19 - Pentecost Sunday 150th celebration finale

Prayer for the Sesquicentenary of the Cathedral of St Stephen

Down by the river, heavenly Father, on this earth our mother, where children of the Dreaming long made a home before us, our forebears in faith have built this mother church of St Stephen, a family home for you and us.

Stone by stone and prayer by prayer they have raised this holy house, familiar forms on foreign land, a place where Brisbane could know Christ's sacrifice and feast, where you could speak and we could listen, where the tide of your mercy could flow.

Here saints and sinners have come, bringing their young and their dead, all their hopes and their dreams. Through times of sorrow and joy the stones have spoken of Easter, of a life that is bigger than death, of a love that has the last word. Through one hundred and fifty years, we have made the building and the building has made us, a temple of living stones.

Now we tell the story of your grace, thankful as we remember. By that same unfailing grace may this cathedral never cease to be a home for all at the heart of the city and a house for you, God-with-us, on this earth down by the river. Through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen. + Mark Coleridge Archbishop of Brisbane

Archdiocese RAP Artwork. Artist: Shara Delaney

MUSIC AT THE CATHEDRAL

Music at today's Mass is drawn from the Catholic Worship Book II, with congregational hymn texts on this sheet. Today's 10:00am Solemn Mass launching the 150th Anniversary Year of the Cathedral has a separate order of service booklet. All other Masses are led by a cantor.

Processional Hymn	Holy Spirit, come, confirm us (CWBII 382)	7. Cleanse our souled l wounded lives to heal	hearts of sin, arid souls refresh within, th restore.	
Come Holy Ghost, Creator, come from thy bright heav'nly throne;		8. Bend the stubborn hearts of sin, melt the frozen, warm the chill, guide the wayward home once more!		
come, take possession of our souls and make them all thine own.		9. On the faithful who are true and profess their faith in you, in your sev'nfold gift descend.		
Thou, who art called the Paraclete, best gift of God above, the living spring, the living fire,		10. Give us virtue's sure reward, give us your salvation, Lord, give us joys that never end.		
sweet unction and true love.		Gospel Acclamation John 15:4-5		
Thou who art sev'n-fold in thy grace, finger of God's right hand, his promise teaching little ones to speak and understand.		Al-le-lu-ia, al - le-lu-ia, al - le - lu - ia. Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful		
O guide our minds with thy blest light, with love our hearts inflame; and with thy strength, which ne'er decays,			in them the fire of your love. Organ Music	
confirm our mortal frame. Far from us drive our deadly foe; true peace unto us bring;		Sanctus	Mass of St Francis (CWBII 22c)	
and through all perils lead us safe beneath thy sacred wing. Through thee may we the Father know, through thee th'eternal Son, and thee the Spirit of them both, thrice blessed Three in One.		Memorial Acclamation (ICEL #1):	We proclaim your death, O Lord, and profess your resurrection, until you come again. (CWBII 12a)	
		Agnus Dei	Mass of St Francis (CWBII 22h)	
All glory to the Father	be,	Communion	Organ Music	
with his co-equal Son: the same to thee, great Paraclete, while endless ages run.		Communion Hymn	O breathe on me (CWBII 564)	
Kyrie	Mass of St Francis (CWBII 22a))		eath of God, fill me with life anew, you love, and do what you would do.	
Gloria Mass of St Francis (CWBII 22b) Responsorial Psalm Ps 103 Lord, send out your Spi - rit, and re -		O breathe on me, O breath of God, until my heart is pure, until with you I have one will, to do and to endure.		
		O breathe on me, O breath of God, and all my life refine, until this earthly part of me glows with your fire divine.		
		O breathe on me, O breath of God; so shall I never die, but live with you the perfect life of your eternity.		
new the face Sequence	of the earth. Holy Spirit, Lord Divine (CWBII 380)	Recessional Hymn	Filled with the Spirit's Power (CWBII 385)	
 Holy Spirit, Lord divine, come, from heights of heav'n and shine, come with blessed radiance bright! Come, O Father of the poor, come, whose treasured gifts endure, come, our heart's unfailing light! Of consolers, wisest, best, and our soul's most welcome guest, sweet refreshment, sweet repose. In our labour rest most sweet, pleasant coolness in the heat, consolation in our woes. Light most blessed, shine with grace in our heart's most secret place, fill your faithful through and through. Left without your presence here, life itself would disappear, nothing thrives apart from you! 		Filled with the Spirit's power, with one accord the infant church confessed its risen Lord: O Holy Spirit, in the church today no less your power of fellowship display.		
		Now with the mind of Christ set us on fire, that unity may be our great desire: give joy and peace; give faith to hear your call, and readiness in each to work for all.		
		Widen our love, good in your strong care all like wind and fire with till we are known as C	those of ev'ry race:	