

MASS TIMES

Saturday 6.00pm

Sunday 9.00am
10.30am

Weekdays

Monday 6.00pm
Tuesday 9.20am
Thursday 7.30pm
Friday 8.30am

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Monday – Saturday
8.30am – 12.30pm
Closed 12.30pm – 1.30pm
1.30pm – 6.00pm

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RESURRECTION

Catholic Parish

5th Sunday of Easter – Year A 22nd May, 2011

PARISH MEETING NIGHT

Our Parish groups meet on the first Wednesday of the month at 7.15pm in the Church for prayer, prior to meeting.

COMMUNION SERVICE

Wednesday 9.40am

RECONCILIATION

Saturday 9.30am
(or any time by appointment)

BAPTISM

Baptisms are celebrated on the first Sunday of each month. Prior enrolment and preparation is required.

MARRIAGE

Preparation program for couples is required.

NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome. Please collect your information package from the Welcome Desk or Parish Office.

PARISH FINANCE

The parish is financially dependent on our Thanksgiving envelopes. Call the parish office for details or pick up a pledge card from the Welcome Desk.

WEEKLY BULLETIN

Articles for the weekly bulletin may be emailed to bulletin.kingspark@cam.org.au or hand it in to the Parish Office, preferably by the Wednesday prior to publication.

MONTHLY BULLETIN

The monthly bulletin is published on the last weekend of the month. Contributions are appreciated at least a week before publication. Articles received after this will appear in the next month’s bulletin. Articles may be emailed to bulletin.kingspark@cam.org.au

PARISH LIBRARY

The Library is open during office hours.

THIS WEEK AT RESURRECTION

MONDAY 23 rd May, 2011	
6:00pm	Mass
TUESDAY 24 th May, 2011	
Mary Help of Christians	
9:20am	Mass
7:00pm	Aerobics Seniors Outing
WEDNESDAY 25 th May, 2011	
9:30am	Communion Service
10:00am	Rosary
THURSDAY 26 th May, 2011	
10:00am	No School Playgroup
4:00pm	RE Grade 2
7:30pm	Mass Parish Stewardship Info Night
FRIDAY 27 th May, 2011	
8:30am	Mass
9:00am	Stations of the Cross
4:00pm	RCIC
7:00pm	Grief Group
7:30pm	Praise@ Resurrection
SATURDAY 28 th May, 2011	
9:30am	Reconciliation
6:00pm	Mass <i>Stewardship Campaign My Acceptance Weekend</i>
SUNDAY 29 th May, 2011	
6 th SUNDAY OF EASTER	
9:00am	Mass
10:30am	Mass – Youth Mass
12:30pm	Baptisms
BIG BULLETIN <i>Stewardship Campaign My Acceptance Weekend</i>	

Stewardship

Thanksgiving	\$7,682.00
Envelopes	351
Presbytery	\$ 350.75

We pray in thanksgiving for Benita Taay, Danilo Patriaca, Lola Casha and all those who have died recently.

We pray for Mariano Ruiz, Maria Ruiz, Bibiana Ruiz, Justina Lay, Antonio Patag, Mato Panic, Angelo Grima, Thomas Meyn, Mary Borg, Joseph Chi, Joseph Nham, Joseph Khai, Mary Grace, Mary Madalena, Vicent, Joseph Busuttill, Vincent Segura, Immacolata Laface and all those whose anniversary occurs at about this time.

Please also pray for Polly Scicluna, Thomas Lapid, Carmen Falzon, Fred Rapenett, Freddy Sarsero, Joe Camilleri, Theresa Gerada, Elizabeth Lazzaro, Tess McCloud and all those who are sick.

A VOTE OF THANKS

A vote of thanks is extended to all the parishioners who participated in last Saturday's working bee. The weather was not the best but it did not stop around 40 parishioners doing a terrific job. You might notice that all the rose bushes have been pruned, seats have been relocated to near the School Office, you might even notice that 15m of mulch has been spread. You are less likely to have noticed that all the drains, gutters, and spouting have been cleared, along with much more.

If you were unable to come to this working bee try to come to the next one which is on 20 August.

YOUTH MASS

Next Sunday's 10.30am Mass will have the touch of youth. As you might expect details are a little sketchy at this stage. However the good thing is that the youth really want to actively participate in this Mass. It will be good to experience their exuberance.

No SCHOOL

Resurrection school parents are reminded that there is no school this Thursday 26 May, on account of a teachers' in-service day.

PARISH GROUPS

Parishioners had the opportunity this weekend to make a twelve month commitment to one of our nineteen Parish Groups. Should you not have made a commitment you still have until Pentecost to do so. Sign-up sheets are available from the Parish Office and also the Welcome Desk. You can make a difference.

CHILDREN AND CANDLES

There are a number of children going into the Blessed Sacrament and Marian chapels after Mass (mostly after the 10.30am Mass) and playing with candles and matches. This is both dangerous and disrespectful. Parents please supervise your children after Mass.

No MASS

Please take note that there will not be the usual 7.30pm Mass this Thursday (26 May) on account of the Parish Information Night in the hall commencing at 7.15pm.

Y4JT

Next Y4JT (Jnr youth) meeting is 31st May 2011. It will be a RIPSTIK evening so bring your ripstick or scooter. C U @ end of May.

WORKING BEE – CAN YOU HELP?

There will be a working bee **Friday 27 May at 9.30am in the MacKillop Room**. If you are able to help please come along to fold and prepare letters for our Parish families, have some fun & a cuppa! The more the merrier and the quicker!

PARISH STEWARDSHIP PROGRAM 2011

All parishioners are warmly invited to attend our **PARISH INFORMATION MEETING** this **Thursday 26 May at 7.15pm in the Parish Hall**. The meeting provides an opportunity to hear about our recent achievements and our future plans as well as to ask any questions and be informed. It is also a time to re-connect and meet fellow parishioners over a cuppa. This weekend there will be clipboards passed around during all Masses. Please indicate your attendance at the above meeting by ticking Attend OR Apology. All welcome.

ENRICHMENT LEAVE-JOHN KREMERS PRINCIPAL

From next Friday I will be away from Resurrection school until Wednesday 27th July. The purpose of my leave is two fold. The first part of my leave is called Enrichment Leave. Enrichment Leave is granted to Principals every eight years. The goal for this leave is a period of paid leave providing the opportunity for study and personal development, which will be of benefit to the principal, the school community and Catholic education. I will be travelling with eight other Principals to London & Ireland to study and learn from their educational system. I look forward to sharing the many valuable educational insights gained on my return. The second part of the leave will be a personal holiday.

Best wishes, John Kremers

BECOMING A CATHOLIC

Do you know someone that has been thinking about becoming a catholic but unsure what it might involve or who the contact person is? Our RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) journey is starting soon. This would be a good opportunity to come and ask those questions before committing to the RCIA process over a cup of coffee with our friendly group. If you are interested please contact:

Fr Noel at: (noel.brady@cam.org.au) or
Pauline at: (pauline.debrincat@cam.org.au) or
by calling the Parish Office 9367 8177.

PREP ENROLMENTS

Prep enrolments for 2012 are open. If you are a parishioner with a child starting school next year; even if you already have other children at the school, you need to enroll. Don't miss out, enroll early!

Open Mornings: On Monday 23rd May at 9.15am we will have school tours. If you know someone with a child starting in Prep next year (and they are a Parishioner) please ask them to come along and see our school in action!

CANTEEN RESCUE - WHAT IS IT?.....

Brimbank Central Shopping Centre (Cnr Neale & Station Roads, Deer Park) recognises that raising funds and securing resources can be challenging, and Canteen Rescue is a program that will create opportunities for our school. This includes winning local prizes from Brimbank Central Shopping Centre and the chance to secure prizes valued at over \$40,000.

What do I do? Being involved in Canteen Rescue is easy. Every time one of our parishioners, friends or supporters of our school/parish shops at Brimbank Central Shopping Centre they simply bring their receipts to church and place it in the Canteen Rescue box. Each dollar spent in the centre will help us to earn points for our school. The primary school with the most points at the end of the promotion will win a Canteen Rescue valued at over \$40,000, which will transform our canteen into an energy efficient and sustainable canteen.

SENIORS ACTIVITIES – MAY / JUNE 2011

Tuesday 24th May: Visit to Emerald Gardens

The bus will be leaving Resurrection at 8.30am sharp; please be at Resurrection between 8.00 and 8.15am Payment for the trip should have been made by last weekend. However, if you have not paid, please pay Jane ASAP.

Tuesday, 7th June: Important Notice:

The "Seniors Play Group" scheduled for this day is postponed to later in the year. Check weekly & Monthly Bulletins regarding this activity. Instead:

On 7th June there will be Mass at 9.20am followed by Morning Tea & Bingo. A light lunch will be provided.

Cost: A donation would be appreciated.

Next Week's Reading - 29th May

6th Sunday of Easter - Year A



Reading 1

Acts 8:5-8, 14-17

Philip went down to the city of Samaria and proclaimed the Christ to them. With one accord, the crowds paid attention to what was said by Philip when they heard it and saw the signs he was doing. For unclean spirits, crying out in a loud voice, came out of many possessed people, and many paralyzed or crippled people were cured. There was great joy in that city. Now when the apostles in Jerusalem heard that Samaria had accepted the word of God, they sent them Peter and John, who went down and prayed for them, that they might receive the Holy Spirit, for it had not yet fallen upon any of them; they had only been baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus. Then they laid hands on them and they received the Holy Spirit.

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16, 20

R. (1) **Let all the earth cry out to God with joy**

Reading 2

1 Pt 3:15-18

Beloved: Sanctify Christ as Lord in your hearts. Always be ready to give an explanation to anyone who asks you for a reason for your hope, but do it with gentleness and reverence, keeping your conscience clear, so that, when you are maligned, those who defame your good conduct in Christ may themselves be put to shame. For it is better to suffer for doing good, if that be the will of God, than for doing evil. For Christ also suffered for sins once, the righteous for the sake of the unrighteous, that he might lead you to God. Put to death in the flesh, he was brought to life in the Spirit.

Gospel

Jn 14:15-21

Jesus said to his disciples: "If you love me, you will keep my commandments. And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate to be with you always, the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot accept, because it neither sees nor knows him. But you know him, because he remains with you, and will be in you. I will not leave you orphans; I will come to you. In a little while the world will no longer see me, but you will see me, because I live and you will live. On that day you will realize that I am in my Father and you are in me and I in you. Whoever has my commandments and observes them is the one who loves me. And whoever loves me will be loved by my Father, and I will love him and reveal myself to him."



Reflection

"...and many paralysed or crippled people were cured. There was great joy in that city."

- Acts 8: 7-8

It's easy to rejoice in the gifts that God gives when they are as outstanding as a lame man walking or a sick man cured. However, do we take time to thank God for the many miracles He gives us every day – good health, family, friends, education, employment, housing? Being grateful is the secret to being joyful.

ROSTERS for 28th / 29th May 2011

6th Sunday of Easter

	6 P M	9 A M	10.30 A M	
MASS OVERSEERS	Gwen Hammett	Dudi Nicart	Yvonne Utoasega	
HOSPITALITY	Pat Marek Dominic Boland Charlie Grech Thanh Nguyen Lucas Borja Aaron Polidano	Margaret Vella Ramona Caceras Rotillo Llovido Beth Donaldson Ing Ing Po Bernadette Azzopardi	Agnes Atonio Evelina, Steven & David Tuimauga Mary-Anne Lapid Peter Tauannu Patrick Atonio	
PROCLAIMERS 1 st Response 2 nd Intercessions	Elizabeth Osegueda Megan Polidano Carmen D’Rosario Pedro Lay	Colleen Wolfe Linda Nguyen Pat Meehan Julieta Basco	Remy Libang Trevinne Lawrence Jane Inot Aurora Asuncion	
Emergencies	Lewie Adie	Pauline Debrincat	Fely Baltazar	
COLLECTORS	Rocky Xuereb Charlie Grech Desmond Holt Croydon D’Costa Keston D’Costa Len Attard Julio Clara Michael Dutkowsky Mario Millevo Anthony Gerada Roseanne Darmanin Oliver D’Souza	Frank Gatt Ian McDonald Tony Renda Teresita Komorrow Lolita David Michael Donnolly	Andrew Morrison Ronnie Trance Jeffrey Suares Nicolas Nicart Tony Tuimauga Steven Tuimauga Tilo Matagi Jonathan Utoasega	Joshua Utoasega Mia Nguyen Kirsten Salalila Lorna Salalila Carlo Salalila Juan Vincente Anh Tuan Trinh Nilo Lim
SPECIAL MINISTERS OF COMMUNION	Fr Noel Robert Abrenica Spira Attard Cathy Downing Dominic Boland Marlene Axiak Virginia Snudden Yvonne Du’Pratt Charlie Caruana Adelina Borja	Fr Noel Rosario De Jesus George Cini Ing Ing Po Diana Pinto Minh-Tam Pham Thuy Thu Vo Rotillo Llovido Colleen Wolfe Sina Sopoaga	Fr Noel Dolly Zipagan Jacqui Yuan Mawn Nyanrod Zeny Cunanan Gerard Alamo Aurora Asuncion Fely Baltazar	Marian Bernardo Teddy Bernardo Teresa Billon Daisy Bunag Ramona Cazar Enza Fatone Charles Gatt Francisco Inot
Emergencies:	Blossom Tallent	Joe Lomax	Jane Inot	Maria Lapid
SACRISTY DUTY	Joyce Zahra	Rosario De Jesus	Evelina Tuimauga Dennis Roman	Aurora Asuncion
COFFEE MAKERS	Charlie Caruana Charlie Galea	Tony Renda Liz Portelli	Vicki Amato Agnes & Patrick Atonio	Yvonne Utoasega
COFFEE CLEAN-UP	Michelle Polidano Martine Grech	Rosa Rumbiolo Lena Renda, Beth Donaldson	Zenaida Magtoto, Rachel Mendoza Evelina & David Tuimauga, Patrick Atonio	
COUNTERS: Sunday 29 May Marian Lyons Jane Dicconson Jeaneth Falle Yasna Matigas Paula Mobbs Margaret Busa Gina Dacmay		CHURCH CLEANERS: Friday 27 May Carmen Agius Lily Cauchi Maxine Sant Mary Zahra Elvira Valkovic Josephine Xerri Catherine Muscat Angela Peacock		Saturday 28 May Parish Office Cleaning: No roster Flowers: Michelle Netto Altar Linen: Spira Attard