ST PAUL'S PARISH WOODRIDGE

HOLY TRINITY SUNDAY 14 - 15 JUNE 2025 YEAR C

RESPONSE: O LORD, OUR GOD, HOW WONDERFUL

YOUR NAME IN ALL THE EARTH!

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!

ARCHDIOCESE OF BRISBANE—SAFEGUARDING COMMITMENT: We have zero tolerance for all forms of abuse and are committed to safeguarding everyone involved in our activities, ministries and services. The safety and well-being of children and adults-at-risk is paramount. -Most Reverend Mark Coleridge-Archbishop of Brisbane.

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secure and private. It only takes a couple of minutes to sign up. Then we can communicate with you more easily via email.

PARISH INFORMATION

Website: www.stpaul'swoodridge.org

Ph (07) 3808 4134 Parish Priest FR LADU JAMES YANGA 75 Ewing Road, Woodridge Ph 3808 7661 (8pm-8am) Presbytery

Parish Office 3 St Paul's Drive, Woodridge PO Box 98 Woodridge 411 4 Postal Address **Email Address** woodridge@bne.catholic.net.au Office Hours

Monday-Friday 10am-4:30pm Nelda Ward-Naughton Parish Secretary Ph (07) 3808 4134 Administration Officer Mary Ann Policios Barbour Ph (07) 3808 4134

Pastoral Council Chairman: Peter Geidamovics

Email: pastoral.woodridge@bne.catholic.net.au

Marina Ene Pastoral Council Secretary:

St Paul's School Principal: Helen Boyes Ph (07) 3208 2868 St Paul's Primary School Email: pwoodridge@bne.catholic.edu.au

RCIA Coordinator: Tess Vethecan Choir Co-ordinator: Sally Pa'apa'a Care & Concern: Sally Pa'apa'a

WH&S & Local Safeguarding Officer: Marina Ene

Email: safeguarding.woodridge@bne.catholic.net.au

Custodians Coordinator: Marina Ene

stpaulcustodian@gmail.com Email:

St Vincent de Paul Helpline - 1800 846 643

Custodians on duty

09 — 15 June 25 Sofeni & Sally Pa'apa'a 16 —22 June 25 23 — 29 June 25 Costello & Ula Afakasi

Chris & Joycelyn Veamatahau

Parish Caretaker: Glen Reiha

Parish Liaison Officer to ROSIES: Margaret Harvey Mob: 0411 300 209

BAPTISM PREPARATION



Please obtain the required forms from the Parish Office via email, or in person, Complete and submit of in person, comprete and submit the forms along with the applicant's birth certificate ahead of the actual baptism preparation meeting with Parish Priest. at 3pm every Wednesday. Booking for a meeting with Parish Priest is executed. Baptisms are calculated. essential. Baptisms are celebrated individually Baptism—Sundays

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

Sunday 9am except school holidays.



WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

9 AM — MONDAY-WED-THU-FRIDAY-SATURDAY

TUESDAYS - NO MASS

The Rosary and Divine Mercy prayers are said before these Masses.

HEALING MASS - 9AM 1st Wednesday of the

month TRINDER PARK AGED CARE MASS-1:30 pm -

1st Friday of the month ARCARE AGED CARE SLACKS CREEK

MASS—11am—2nd Thursday of the month WEEKEND MASS TIMES

6PM SATURDAY SUNDAY 7.30AM & 9AM SYRIAC MASS -SUNDAYS 4-8PM

AFRICAN MASS—3rd SUNDAY 12PM ZOMI MASS- 1STSUNDAY 11AM

RECONCILIATION

Sat: 5.15pm-5.45pm or by appointment with Priest BENEDICTION- Fridays after 9am Mass and during Our Lady of Fatima devotions on the 13th of each month.

PRAYER GROUPS:

Divine Mercy - Mondays 5:30pm-9:30pm-Church

Marian Cenacle - Wed 9.30am - Church

Confraternity of Our Lady Help of Christians - Fridays, 10am - Meeting Room

Adorers of the Eucharist -7:30 pm every 1st Friday of the month - Church

Holy Trinity (Charismatic) -10am— 2nd Sunday of the month- Meeting Room

Our Lady of Fatima every 13th of the month, 6:30 pm-Church

Maria Rosary Group -2pm every 1st Friday of the month - Meeting Room

MARRIAGE PREPARATION

By appointment with priest



O PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

PARISH OPERATING EXPENSES:

- \$170.07		
- 41.85		
- 149.50		
- 564.35		
Electricity – church shared w/ school/month -272.50		
- 181.35		
- 153.96		
- 1,177.09		
- 1,135.24		
ly - 1,306.94		
Jani King- cleaners for church facilities/mo - 762.12		
- 327.90		
- 3,645.75		
-24,550.00		

Total Operating Expenses - \$34,438.62 Plus Miscellaneous Expenses – varies each time Total collections from weekend Masses last week is \$2,624.20. Thank you all for your generosity and continual support to the parish. God bless everyone.

THANK YOU:

- 1.) Architect Phil Emmanuel for doing St Paul's Catholic Parish, Woodridge's Roof Plan for free.
- 2.) Kishore, Lowell and Ditas from Laundromat Mezz, Woodridge for their generous donation of \$1,000.00 for parish repairs and maintenance.
- 3.) Gabai Solien and The Papua New Guinea Community for their generous donation of \$3,500.00 for parish repairs and maintenance.
- 4.) Treasurer Jim Chalmers for his generous donation of \$1,000.00 for parish repairs and maintenance.

POOR BOX - last weekend is \$117.50. Thank you.

ST PAUL'S CATHOLIC PARISH, WOODRIDGE RCIA PROGRAM: - to commence in July 2025.

If you are interested or know of anyone interested in seeking to join the Catholic Church OR in deepening their faith and understanding of the Catholic faith, please join us on ...

Date: Sunday, 29 June 2025 Time: 10:30 am – 12:30 pm Place: Parish Meeting Room Contact: Tess on 0409 618 956 or Parish Office – 3808 4134

Thank you.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION 2025:

<u>Five Confirmation Classes</u> – every Friday at 3:30 pm in the church. It starts on the 23rd of May, 30th of May, 6th and 13th of June, and ends on 20th of June. The children must attend all the classes. All parents/carers are also expected to attend.

The Sacrament of Confirmation will be on Saturday. 21st of June 2025, 11:00 am at St Paul's Catholic Parish, Woodridge. FR LADU JAMES YANGA will be the celebrant this year.

GOSPEL REFLECTION: John 16:12-15

We can't help but be struck by the poetic character of Jesus's words in this reading. We are aware that the Last Supper discourse of Jesus (John 13-17) is really His last will and testament and here He is referring to His Father and the Spirit. Just as the Father commissioned Jesus to reveal the truth about God to humanity so the apostles will be commissioned to carry on this work under the guidance of the Spirit. Jesus emphasises His oneness with the Father and includes the Spirit in the imagery of the Trinity's triangle of love.

We get a glimpse of fulfilment at this point realising that Jesus has come from God to bring us Truth. In a very real sense, He is performing the function of divine Wisdom who delights to mix with humans to impart Her gifts. Jesus is the fulfilment of all that Wisdom has to offer. When He goes, He will send the Spirit to complete the circle of Wisdom. He knows that what the disciples are unable to take in at this point they will later receive from the Spirit.

Thoughts of the Trinity may well remind us of the poetry of the prophets whose meditations on God represent a striving to express the inexpressible. We see in their works an attempt to reconcile the justice of God with the immeasurable love of the Presence, the high and lofty reality with the abiding closeness of God. - Laurie Woods

CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION:

Sunday, 22 June 2025, 2:00 pm - Cathedral of St Stephen, Brisbane City.

Starting and ending at the Cathedral of St Stephen and featuring prayers, rosary, hymns and Benediction with proceedings led by Archbishop Mark Coleridge.

Also includes:

Eucharistic Miracles Exhibition

(Saturday 21st - Sunday 22nd June, 9:00 am-5:00pm, Hanly Room) and

Vigil Night Adoration

(Saturday 21st June 7:00 pm – Sunday 22nd June 8:00 am, St Stephen's Chapel)

Email: inclusion@bne.catholic.net.au

Phone: 0475 408 508.

PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION:

Each year parishes in the Archdiocese of Brisbane take up the Peter's Pence collection as a retiring collection. The collection is to be taken at the Masses the weekend around the Feast of Sts Peter and Paul. Therefore, this year's collection will be taken up on the 28/29 June 2025.

The Peter's Pence collection gives Catholics in Australia an opportunity to join in communion with the Catholic faithful throughout the world in support of the charitable works of the Holy See.

The collection allows the Holy Father to respond to the most needy throughout the world, to offer timely, effective emergency assistance to our suffering brothers and sisters.

ROSTERS

CLEANERS – JUNE & JULY 2025

13-14 June 2025: Sri Lankan Community

20-21 June 2025: Sia Save Family 27-28 June 2025: Syriac Community 4-5 July 2025: Sally Pa'apa'a Family

READERS THIS WEEK: 14/15 JUNE 2025

6PM

7:30AM

9AM

Andrea Nigodemo Idris Mago Ioane Tausaga Divine Mercy Rebecca De Los Ama Marina Ene Choir

Julita Jaurigue Jeannie Stehr

READERS NEXT WEEK: 21/22 JUNE 2025

6PM 7:30AM 9AM

St Mother Teresa Choir Atele Ula St Paul's Tongan Helen O'Brien Tiitii Choir Kolise Ioane Tausaga

THIS WEEK'S READINGS- 14/15 JUNE 2025 (HOLY TRINITY SUNDAY – YR C)

1. 1st Reading:

Proverbs 8:22-31

2. 2nd Reading:

Romans 5:1-5

3. Gospel:

John 16:12-15

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS- 21/22 JUNE 2025 (CORPUS CHRISTI SUNDAY-YR C)

1. 1st Reading:

Genesis 14:18-20

2. 2nd Reading:

1 Corinthians 11:23-26

3. Gospel:

Luke 9:11-17

PIETY STORE – Opening hours are: Monday, Wednesday & Thursday 9:30 am – 10:30 am. Saturdays: 6:45 pm, Sundays: 8:15 am and 10 am.

poured forth into our hearts. Open yourself to receive and share that love. Be open to God calling you to spread love through a Church vocation. To talk to someone about your vocation, contact Vocation Brisbane, by calling 1300 133 544 or by email vocation@bne.catholic.net.au

PRAYERS FOR THE DEAD/ANNIVERSARIES – We pray for Cesario Jr DE DIOS, Concepcion REVILLAS, Lolita SAN JOSE, Editha GUIDO, all the holy souls in purgatory, our family members, our friends, and people who have died in Ukraine, Israel, & Gaza. May they rest in peace.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK – We pray for God's healing touch for Paul DONAGHUE, Liliana DERNIER, Kevin HICKS, Tess VETHECAN, Cliff NAUGHTON, Reba WILSON, Bev ANDERSON, Abner TAGALA, and all the sick of the parish. May the healing power of Jesus Christ breathe across your being now.

GOOD NEWS! FR LADU JAMES YANGA – offers to do 10 Weddings for free at St Paul's Catholic Parish, Woodridge. Please call (07) 3808 4134 for information.

ARCHBISHOP MARK HAS A MESSAGE FOR YOU:

This year is turning out to be a really significant time for the Church and our schools. We bade farewell to Pope Francis and gave thanks for his great legacy of Gospel witness to the Church and the world. We have also welcomed Pope Leo, whose commitment to compassionate, inclusive and service-oriented Church will continue to shape our path. In these months we also look ahead to the appointment of a new Archbishop, trusting that he will lead the Archdiocese and Brisbane Catholic Education aa part of it into a new chapter, building on all that has gone before with fresh energy and vision. Changes of leadership are important, but there also broader and deeper changes upon us. An old Chinese proverb says that when the winds of change are blowing some people build walls, others windmills. As pilgrims of hope, we are building windmills and teaching the young to do the same. Come Holy Spirit, wind that blows from heaven.

ST PAUL'S PARISH, WOODRIDGE BANK DETAILS: For those who wish to donate directly online- Thank you. Account Name: St Paul's Catholic Parish, Woodridge

BSB: 064 786

Account Number: 100 001046

BAPTISM – Congratulations and welcome into our faith community, ADRIAN DAY & JOHN BOYI OPIO UNZI who will be baptised by FR LADU JAMES YANGA this Sunday, 15th of June 2025. Our prayers and warm wishes are extended to your parents, Godparents, extended families and friends.

DAD JOKES: KIT & ANDREW CHILVERS

The Earth's surface is 70 per cent water. That water is uncarbonated.

Therefore, the Earth is flat.

PRAYERS FOR YOU:

That you, being rooted and grounded in love, may be able to comprehend with all the saints what is the width and length and depth and height — to know the love of Christ which passes knowledge; that you may be filled with all the fullness of God.

- Ephesians 3:17-19

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All parishioners are encouraged to scan the QR code on the front page of the newsletter to register. God bless.



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CARPET BOWLS – Every Thursday 10-12pm in the Fr David Batey Hall. Joining fee \$2 Session \$4 Contact Connie on 0423 004 684

TAI CHI CLASS – Thursdays 5pm-6pm in Fr David Batey Hall with Joseph Cheng – 0434 445 678.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL MIGRATION ADVICE SERVICE - This FREE service of a Migration Agent/Lawyer is offered on the 1st Saturday of each month from 10am-1pm in the Meeting Room at St Paul's Parish, Woodridge. An Appointment is essential. This advisory service is for those who cannot afford the services of a migration agent/lawyer. Please ring 1 800 846 643 between 6pm and 9pm.

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