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## Catholic Parish of St Canice

We acknowledge the Gadigal people, the traditional custodians on whose land this Church was built.

12 July 2020

15th Sunday in Ordinary Time – Year A

### Parish Directory

St Canice Parish  
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### Chair of the Parish Pastoral Council

To be advised

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### Jesuit Refugee Service - Australia

[www.jrs.org.au](http://www.jrs.org.au)  
(02) 9356 3888

### Masses – for ≤101 people

Tu 7am, W & Th 9am, F 12noon, Sa 9am  
Register: Sat 6pm, Sun 8:30am 10:30am.  
Online: Sat 6pm <https://www.facebook.com/StCanicesElizabethBay/live/>

### Weddings, Funerals

Contact Parish Office Tel: 9358 5229

### Reconciliation

By arrangement

### Viaticum & Anointing

As requested - contact the Parish Office or  
0427 566 324 after hours.

### Healing Mass

Cancelled

### Baptism & Child Sacraments, RCIA

Contact Parish Office Tel: 9358 5229

## Integrity

In an age when former heroes are constantly shown to have done bad things, and statues are being decapitated, drowned, stolen and used as billboards for free messaging, it is helpful to be able to look up to people whom we can admire deeply and whose reputation is likely to be enduring. For Catholics Pope Francis is one such landmark. Nelson Mandela, who is remembered internationally on July 18, is another, whose integrity underlaid his great gifts. Nobody is perfect. But some people are good and enduring. *Andrew Hamilton SJ*

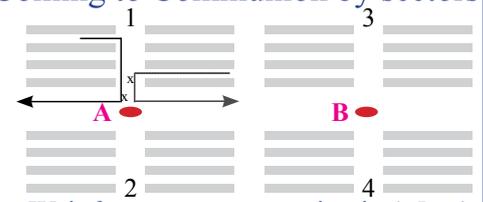
## Attending mass in Covid time with physical distance

Please note each and every one of steps I ask *you* to take. The command to love your neighbour sometimes takes strange forms!

1. If you have any **symptom** or are frail, you must not come. Pray at home!
2. By Thursdays, please **register** online or by phone for the Sunday mass you wish to attend. All on our email list get this weekly message by Tuesday.
3. Please arrive **early** if possible, especially if you did not register for this exact mass. You may be directed to a particular door.
4. Any **couples** and small households may keep close together
5. At all times households or individuals must maintain **1.5m distance** from each other, whether outside the church, entering and leaving the church, in your place, at the collection, at communion. **Touch** as few surfaces as possible.
6. When you are safely able to enter the church, please sanitise your **hands**. Cleansing stations are on the left and right of the door.
7. Collect a **bulletin**. Don't return it. Only your household should touch it.
8. Have your **name** ticked off at the table near the entrance door you used.
9. We have designated about **60 places** where you can sit—some places are for 1 person only. Please use common sense as well. **Stand or sit** in that place and don't move forward or touch the pew in front of you.
10. Please join in the responses but **do not sing**. If you have our Mass response sheet, do not leave it in church and please retain it for future masses.
11. After the intercessions, you can add to each **collection** using 2 baskets.
12. Please join in the **sign of peace** by gesture and/or voice.
13. **Communion** is done in 4 sectors. Receive in the hand only, holding your arms out, and in such manner that the minister would not risk touching your hand. Return to your place via the aisle to the left or right.
14. **Sanitise** your hands as you leave. When outside, socialise little here.

*Thank you* for your care in assisting us, and protecting others. *Paul Fyfe SJ, PP*

### Coming to Communion by sectors



**Help everyone by booking a weekend place at mass by Thursday!**

## FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME — 12 JULY 2020

### Entrance Procession

As for me, in justice I shall behold your face; I shall be filled with the vision of your glory.

### Collect

O God, who show the light of your truth to those who go astray, so that they may return to the right path, give all who for the faith they profess are accounted Christians the grace to reject whatever is contrary to the name of Christ and to strive after all that does it honour. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,

### First Reading Isaiah 55:10-11

*The rain makes the earth fruitful.*

Thus says the Lord: “As the rain and the snow come down from heaven, and do not return there until they have watered the earth, making it bring forth and sprout, giving seed to the sower and bread to the eater, so shall my word be that goes out from my mouth; it shall not return to me empty, but it shall accomplish that which I purpose, and succeed in the thing for which I sent it.”

### Responsorial Psalm Ps 64:10-14

*You care for the earth... The hills are girded with joy, they shout for joy, yes, they sing*

R. The seed that falls on good ground will yield a fruitful harvest.

### Second Reading Romans 8:18-23

*All creation is waiting for the revelation of the children of God.*

I consider that the sufferings of this present time are not worth comparing with the glory about to be revealed to us. For the creation waits with eager longing for the revealing of the children of God; for the creation was subjected to futility, not of its own will but by the will of the one who subjected it, in hope that the creation itself will be set free from its bondage to decay and will obtain the freedom of the glory of the children of God. We know that the whole creation has been groaning in labour pains until now; and not only the creation, but we ourselves, who have the first fruits of the Spirit, groan inwardly while we wait for adoption, the redemption of our bodies.

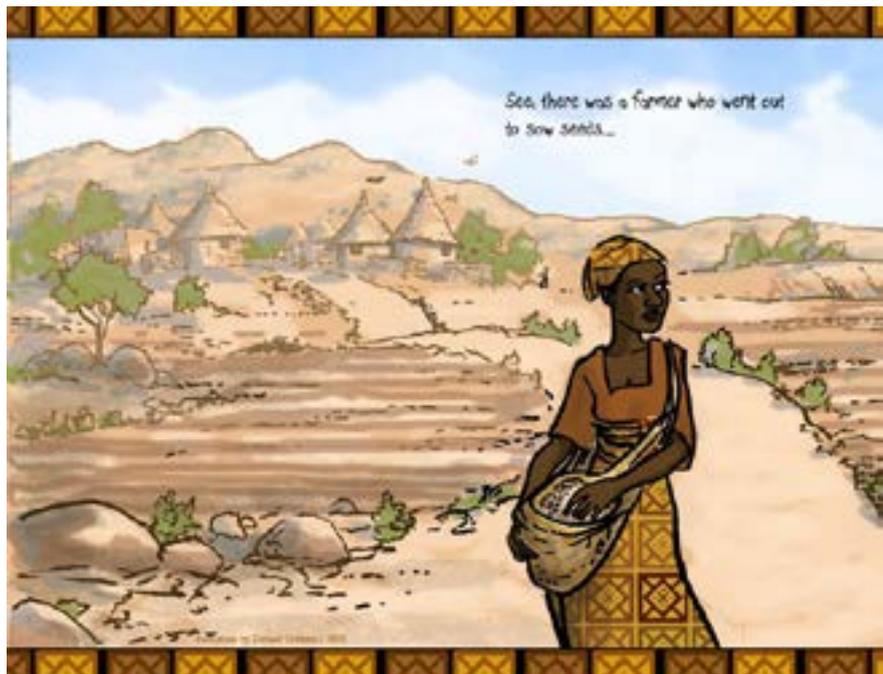
### Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia! The seed is the word of God, Christ is the sower; all who come to him will live for ever. Alleluia!

### Gospel Matthew 13:1-9

*A sower went out to sow.*

Jesus went out of the house and sat beside the sea. Such great crowds gathered around him that he got into a boat and sat there, while the whole crowd stood on the beach. And he told them many things in parables. “Listen! A sower went out to sow. And as he sowed, some seeds fell on the path, and the birds came and ate them up. Other seeds fell on rocky ground, where they did not have much soil, and they sprang up quickly, since they had no depth of soil. But when the sun rose, they were scorched; and since they had no root, they withered away. Other seeds fell among thorns, and the thorns grew up and choked them. Other seeds fell on good soil and brought forth grain, some a hundredfold, some sixty, some thirty. Let anyone with ears listen.



### Memorial Acclamation

We proclaim your Death, O Lord, and profess your Resurrection until you come again.

### Communion Antiphon

The sparrow finds a home, and the swallow a nest for her young: by your altars, O Lord of hosts, my King and my God. Blessed are they who dwell in your house, for ever singing your praise.

### **Ordinary Time...**

when we live out our discerned  
Easter vocation in everyday life,  
daily putting on Christ crucified and risen.

Remembering those who have gone before us...

**Recently Deceased:** Michael Foley, Terry Kelly SJ, Michelle Williams, Patricia Pollock, Dennis Horan, Rony Sosamasias, Steve Naudi, Patricia Lyons, Geoffrey Karpin, victims of COVID-19 inc. 46 Jesuits. **Anniversaries:** –

Let us pray for...

**Recently ill:** Those with the CoronaVirus; Marina Byron, Hayden Ure, Amanda Sinclair, Michael Kellyl SJ, Br Terry Kavenagh OSB, Rosie Castillo, Fr Peter Maher, Wilhelmina van Wanrooy, Kevin Matthews, David Lynch, Gwen Feeney, Aloysious Mowe SJ, Jack Ryan Duffy, Anne O'Sullivan, Susanne O'Sullivan, Belen Latorre, Anne Brennan, Michael Taylor, Tony Catt, Siobhan Pearson, James Toohey, Maria Grazia Orlandi, Robert Horder, Clive Adams, Patrick Brogan, John Laing, Linda Stein, Ruby Naidu, Sandra Holyeak, Ray Walsh, Omar Soliman, Dulcie Kennedy, Flynn Cawood, Valentino Close, Ronald Soussa, Sophie Napier, Veronica Rainbird, Joan Agbor.

**Weddings & Funerals:** Please remember those who have had to cancel weddings, and families impacted by restrictions on funerals. As a way of support for the families, we can list funerals here.

**Available:** Australian Catholics (Winter edition: gold coin donation in SVdP box on wall welcome)

*If you would like the parish to pray for someone or to bring them Holy Communion, please contact Lynelle at the Parish Office on 9358 5229 or email <lynelle@stcanice.com.au> Please note you must have a person's permission for their name to be on the bulletin's sick list.*

## Parish Calendar

Sun 12 June 15th Ordinary: **online, Sat 6pm [click here](#)**  
Tue 14 June **NB:** prior booking not required weekdays.  
Sat 18 July Come in person—or **online, Sat 6pm [here](#)**  
Sun 19 July 16th Ordinary: **Prior booking please!** —  
6pm, 8:30am & 10:30am.

Complete an attendance form at church

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| Tue 14 July | Mass 7am     |
| Wed 15 July | Mass 9am.    |
| Thu 16 July | Mass 9am     |
| Fri 17 July | Mass 12 noon |
| Sat 18 July | Mass 9am.    |

## Attending mass, and online mass

Our floor space now allows us to have up to 101 people in total, **subject to distancing and registering**. Those who are unwell or at risk due to compromised immune or respiratory system **must not attend**; those over 70 or frail should carefully consider not coming.

So that mass can begin in a timely manner, if at all possible, please register **by 5pm Thursday**, and arrive early. Register via the email you are sent on Tuesday (check your junk mail!). Otherwise visit our website or contact the office.

People may visit the Church, but only by arrangement with the office.

**The best address now** for our live-streamed mass and all our completed liturgies is <<https://www.facebook.com/StCanicesElizabethBay/live/>> **here**.

## From Jesuit Mission...

Thanks to your generous support, we've been able to reach out to those people who have been most affected by COVID-19. Our Jesuit partners in Timor-Leste have been visiting the most severely affected areas in the country to distribute emergency food and essential supplies to the vulnerable families, who were so relieved to receive rice to feed their hungry children and grandchildren. They wish to thank all our supporters who made this emergency relief possible. (Messages of gratitude from them can be found [here](#))

## Jesuit priest coming

Fr Joe Riordan SJ arrives here on Wednesday to assist us for several weeks. From New Jersey, Joe teaches in Rome and has been on tertianship in Australia since January. If you



would like a little updating on the Old Testament, we might be able to organise a session online or in person. Let him or the PP know!



# Parish Notices

## Next Week's Readings:

18 / 19 July 2020 – 16th Ordinary Sunday

First Reading: Wisdom 12:13,16-19

Second Reading: Romans 8:26-27

Gospel: Matthew 13:24-43

## Progress with Parish Council

Thank you to all who have offered thoughts, assistance or ideas on the re-establishment of a PPC for St Canice. At this stage we have a draft constitution, and identified a person who is willing to enable the formation of the PPC over the coming months. Thank you to Brian Anderson for his willingness to undertake this role.

Brian is a local who hails from Scotland and holds a senior position in a Catholic school. He has been around the parish for a few years and will vary which mass he attends so that everyone will have a chance to bend his ear.

We are identifying potential members of the PPC and will gather them over the next couple of months. Originally I had hoped for a PPC launch at Pentecost, but summer had different ideas. *Paul Fyfe SJ PP*

## Mass Greeters Wanted

We are in need of people at our weekend Masses to welcome people as they enter the church and also marking names on the Mass registration list (COVID19 restriction requirement). If you would like to help out at any weekend Mass please contact Lynelle in the parish office. Phone 9358 5229 or email [lynelle@stcanice.com.au](mailto:lynelle@stcanice.com.au).

## Plenary 2020

The Plenary Council meetings in Adelaide and Sydney have been moved back a year to 2021 & 2022!

Eternal God, to whom we turn in our distress; in faith we pray look with compassion on the afflicted, grant eternal rest to the dead, comfort to mourners, healing to the sick, peace to the dying, strength to healthcare workers, wisdom to our leaders and the courage to reach out to all in love, so that together we may give glory to your holy name. Through Christ our Lord. *(Mass in Time of Pandemic)*



## Jesuit Refugee Service

JRS are **now requiring NEW** blankets.

You can drop them off at St Canice's.

**Monday & Wednesday, 9am – 11am ONLY.**

Please, not at other times.

## Union with the Body of Christ

Congratulations to Jessie and Neil whose journey in faith with us entered a new phase at 8:30am mass last Sunday. In particular, Jessie, already baptised, was formally received into full communion, confirmed and receive the Eucharist as a Catholic.

**You may know others**, even though they might not have mentioned it, who would be interested in making this journey. "And how are they to hear without someone to proclaim him?" Rom10

## Tax Receipts

Tax receipts will be available from Monday 13th July. Please write your name on the list at the back of the church or email/phone Lynelle at the parish office if you would like a tax deductible receipt for your planned giving or kitchen donation. Email: [lynelle@stcanice.com.au](mailto:lynelle@stcanice.com.au) or 9358 5229

## Tap & Go terminals, collections!

Parishioners can contribute to the support of the Parish ('Church collection') using our 2 new **Tap-and-go machines**. They are the 'electronic version' of that collection and contribute towards the running costs of the parish. They do \$5 amounts, not tax-deductible. You can repeat taps after each transaction. This is a fourth way to contribute to the Church collection in addition to the basket, envelopes, and online.

## Catholic Weekly – update

The Catholic Weekly is back in paper form!—\$2 to the StVdP box please. Also available in a digital form at [www.catholicweekly.com.au](http://www.catholicweekly.com.au)

## News, depth, spirituality:

Australian Jesuit News— [www.jesuit.org.au](http://www.jesuit.org.au),  
Australian Catholics— [australiancatholics.com.au](http://australiancatholics.com.au),  
Eureka Street— [www.eurekastreet.com.au](http://www.eurekastreet.com.au),  
Madonna— [www.madonnamagazine.com.au](http://www.madonnamagazine.com.au)

### A message from the Archdiocese of Sydney

Child abuse is a crime. The appropriate people to deal with a crime are the police. If you – or anyone you know – have been abused, please contact the police. Alternatively, you can contact the Safeguarding and Ministerial Integrity Office at (02) 9390 5810 or [safeguardingenquiries@sydneycatholic.org](mailto:safeguardingenquiries@sydneycatholic.org) You may also want to speak to your Parish Priest who will be able to provide support and guidance. The Archdiocese has a legal obligation to report crimes to the police.