



Catholic Parish of St Canice

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

16 April 2017

Sunday of the Resurrection - Year A

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Mass Times

Sunday– 8:30am & 10:30am
Tuesday to Friday– 7:00am
Saturday– 9:00am Vigil- 6:00pm
Public Holidays– 9:00am

Reconciliation

Before Vigil & Sunday Masses or on request

Anointing

Healing Mass

11:00am - First Friday of each month - otherwise by request

'A Living Presence'

All four Gospels relay the concern of Jesus' friends and followers that he be given a decent burial. Most of them had abandoned him or at best were standing off at a distance during his anguish and suffering. After his death, however, they were committed to providing a proper burial for this good and courageous man.

Although his mission in life appeared to be a colossal failure, his integrity and courage were without question. Seeing to it that his body was washed, anointed, shrouded, and secured seemed to be the least they could do. Coming to the tomb after the great Sabbath rest, they had this purpose in mind. They were astounded to find the stone rolled away and burial clothes rolled up. In the words of John's Gospel, "They did not understand....that he must rise from the dead."

Easter faith involves readiness to encounter Jesus as *a living personal presence*. It is not primarily about respecting his heroic witness, or even about contemplating and applying his remarkable teaching. Believers learn to experience his presence among them in every age as they discern their purpose and mission in life. We, as worshippers, say "Amen" to the reality of that presence when we gather for the Eucharist on Easter Sunday and every Sunday - remembering and celebrating the resurrection of Jesus.

Corbin Eddy



Entrance Antiphon

I have risen, and I am with you still, alleluia. You have laid your hand upon me, alleluia. Too wonderful for me, this knowledge, alleluia, alleluia.

Entrance Hymn: No 361 (Gather) Jesus Christ is Risen Today

Opening Prayer

O God, who on this day, through your Only Begotten Son, have conquered death and unlocked for us the path to eternity, grant, we pray, that we who keep the solemnity of the Lord's Resurrection may, through the renewal brought by your Spirit, rise up in the light of life. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

First Reading: Acts 10:34. 37-43

Peter began to speak to those assembled in the house of Cornelius. "You know the message God sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ— he is Lord of all. That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power; how he went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. "We are witnesses to all that he did both in Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree; but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. "He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name." The word of the Lord.

Responsorial Psalm: No 71 (Psalm 118) (Gather)

This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad.

Second Reading: Colossians 3:1-4

If you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth, for you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ who is your life is revealed, then you also will be revealed with him in glory. The word of the Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia! Christ has become our paschal sacrifice; let us feast with joy in the Lord. Alleluia!

Gospel: John 20: 1-9

Early on the first day of the week, while it was still dark, Mary Magdalene came to the tomb and saw that the stone had been removed from the tomb. So she ran and went to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one whom Jesus loved, and said to them, "They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we do not know where they have laid him." Then Peter and the other disciple set out and went towards the tomb. The two were running together, but the other disciple outran Peter and reached the tomb first. He bent down to look in and saw the linen wrappings lying there, but he did not go in. Then Simon Peter came, following him, and went into the tomb. He saw the linen wrappings lying there, and the cloth that had been on Jesus' head, not lying with the linen wrappings but rolled up in a place by itself. Then the other disciple, who reached the tomb first, also went in, and he saw and believed; for as yet they did not understand the scripture, that he must rise from the dead. The Gospel of the Lord.

Offertory Hymn: No 352 (Gather) By your Kingly Power

Communion Antiphon

Christ our Passover has been sacrificed, alleluia; therefore let us keep the feast with the unleavened bread of purity and truth, alleluia, alleluia.

Communion Hymn: No 395 (Gather) All Creatures of our God and King

Recessional: No 360 (Gather) Alleluia, Alleluia Give Thanks



Let Us Pray For:

Recently Deceased: Fr Aloysius Maria Ardi Handojosena SJ, Tracey Leonard, Kurt Jacobs, Cynthia Daniel, George Green, Bruce Connolly

Anniversaries: Gertrude Brennan, Christine Pooley

Recently ill: Nola Rowe, Dulcie Kennedy, Sr Rita Hayes, Ling Yeo, Flynn Cawood, Pam Young, Valentino Close, Marcia McIlvenna, Wendy Watson, Peter Giles, Penelope Anne Quinn, Jayne Bernstan, Ronald Soussa, Albert Jacobs, Sophie Napier, Helena Herington, Jeanette Budak, Veronica Rainbird, Joan Agbor.

Roster for Eucharistic Celebrations

22nd - 23rd April	Vigil 6pm	8.30am	10.30am
Greeters	M. Topui		S Barnes
Readers	SVC Student	H Campbell	B Clulow
Ministers of the Eucharist	As available	As available	B Anderson B Campbell C Coggins 1 other as available

Next Week's Readings:
22nd - 23rd April 2017

First Reading:

Acts 2:42-47

Second Reading:

1 Peter 1:3-9

Gospel:

John 20:19-31



Parish Calendar

Friday 5th May

Healing Mass - please join us for morning tea afterwards

Weekend 6 - 7th May

CWF Appeal



Anzac Day

Next Sunday, 23rd April, at the 10.30am Mass we will pause to remember our loved ones who served and died in war and on operational service.

As a parish community, we pray for the airmen, sailors and soldiers who sacrificed their lives while on duty. We commemorate their bravery and pray for the families who lost loved ones.



Parish Notices

First Holy Communion

First Holy Communion will be held this year on Sunday June 18 at the 10.30am Mass. If you would like your child to receive their First Holy Communion we ask that you contact Lynelle at the parish office on 9358 5229 or lynelle@stcanice.com.au. The child must be baptised Catholic and be in year 3 or above at school.



Reminder - Nominations for Parish Pastoral Council are now due

The purpose of the PPC is to promote and develop the Parish and provide opportunities for parishioners to engage in Mission within our community. We are looking for people to join the PPC who can bring a variety of gifts to the role - spiritual, professional or personal. If you think you may be interested, please contact Lynelle or Fr Chris at the parish office for more information.

St Canice's Kitchen Merchandise on Sale in Parish Office

St Canice's Kitchen branded aprons and wooden spoons are available for sale at the parish office, during office hours. All of the proceeds of this merchandise goes back into the kitchen, which serves approximately 50,000 meals free of charge to our community throughout the year. Aprons are \$20, Wooden spoons \$10. If you are interested in purchasing please see Lynelle or any of the office staff during office hours.



RIP Fr Aloysius Maria Ardi Handojosena SJ

Fr Ardi passed away on Saturday in Yogyakarta, Indonesia. He was 47 years old. Fr Ardi studied in Melbourne and Sydney before returning to Indonesia to do his tertianship. He spent some time with us here at St Canice's where his gentle presence was much loved.

We also remember his love of music and his beautiful voice.

A Memorial Mass for Fr Ardi was celebrated last Wednesday at The Parish of our Lady of the Way, St Mary's North Sydney.

If you would like to make a donation in memory of Fr Ardi please donate to either Jesuit Mission or Jesuit Refugee Service.