

*20th SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME
14th August 2022*

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading: Jer 38:4-6, 8-10

In those days, the princes said to the king:
"Jeremiah ought to be put to death;
he is demoralizing the soldiers who are left in this
city,
and all the people, by speaking such things to them;
he is not interested in the welfare of our people,
but in their ruin."
King Zedekiah answered: "He is in your power";
for the king could do nothing with them.
And so they took Jeremiah
and threw him into the cistern of Prince Malchiah,
which was in the quarters of the guard,
letting him down with ropes.
There was no water in the cistern, only mud,
and Jeremiah sank into the mud.

Ebed-melech, a court official,
went there from the palace and said to him:
"My lord king,
these men have been at fault
in all they have done to the prophet Jeremiah,
casting him into the cistern.
He will die of famine on the spot,
for there is no more food in the city."
Then the king ordered Ebed-melech the Cushite
to take three men along with him,
and draw the prophet Jeremiah out of the cistern
before
he should die.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

R. Lord, come to my aid!
I have waited, waited for the LORD,
and he stooped toward me. R

The LORD heard my cry.
He drew me out of the pit of destruction,
out of the mud of the swamp;
he set my feet upon a crag;
he made firm my steps. R

And he put a new song into my mouth,
a hymn to our God.
Many shall look on in awe
and trust in the LORD. R

Though I am afflicted and poor,
yet the LORD thinks of me.
You are my help and my deliverer;
O my God, hold not back!

Second reading: Heb 12:1-4

Brothers and sisters:
Since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of
witnesses,
let us rid ourselves of every burden and sin that
clings to us
and persevere in running the race that lies before us
while keeping our eyes fixed on Jesus,
the leader and perfecter of faith.
For the sake of the joy that lay before him
he endured the cross, despising its shame,
and has taken his seat at the right of the throne of
God.
Consider how he endured such opposition from
sinners,
in order that you may not grow weary and lose
heart.
In your struggle against sin
you have not yet resisted to the point of shedding
blood.

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia.

My sheep hear my voice, says the Lord;
I know them, and they follow me.

Alleluia, alleluia.

GOSPEL: Lk 12:49-53

Jesus said to his disciples:
"I have come to set the earth on fire,
and how I wish it were already blazing!
There is a baptism with which I must be baptized,
and how great is my anguish until it is
accomplished!
Do you think that I have come to establish peace on
the earth?
No, I tell you, but rather division.
From now on a household of five will be divided,
three against two and two against three;
a father will be divided against his son
and a son against his father,
a mother against her daughter
and a daughter against her mother,
a mother-in-law against her daughter-in-law
and a daughter-in-law against her mother-in-law."



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St Brendan's: 9.30am Sunday/
5pm 4th Sunday
St Joseph's: 10:30am Lay-led /
Mass 1st Sunday

St Brendan's: 21st Aug, MASS @ 11 am

Minister: J O'Dowd

Commentator: J Miller

Reader: M O'Shea

Lay Leaders: A McCarthy/M McCarthy

St Joseph's: 21st Aug, Lay Led 10:30

Family: Mulheron

Minister: P Mulheron

Lay Leaders: T&D Ryan

ALTAR & SACRISTY DUTIES:

St Brendan's: Aug: A McCarthy

St Joseph's: Aug: Community

Counters: 14/08: J Miller

RECENTLY DECEASED:

ANNIVERSARIES: Genevieve Thornton,
Sean Mackay, Ed Millar, Margaret Catherine Carmody,
Jack Evans.

Those seeking our prayers for healing and well being. Leah Spokes, Geraldine Finn, Goldie Ellum,
Doug Swanson, Michael Bergin, Leo Embrey

Pope's intention for August:

For small business: We pray for small and medium sized businesses. In the midst of economic and social crisis, may they find ways to continue operating and serving their communities.

Dates to Remember...

14th Aug: **Mass at St Brendan's @ 11.00am**
with Fr Jim McKay

15 Aug: Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary **Mass at St Mary's @ 9.05am**

16th Aug: **Mass at St Brendan's @ 12.00**
followed by lunch in the hall in memory of Maree Mahoney

11th Sept: Thomas Carr Mass & Open Day. Details to follow.

Please note **CHANGE OF TIME** at St Brendan's for Mass on Sunday. **11am**

Thanks to Fr Jim McKay for saying mass for St Brendan's.

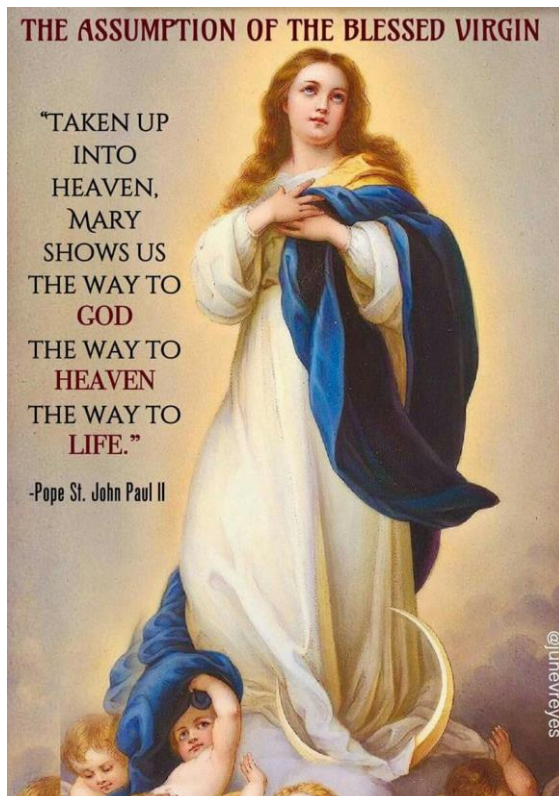
Reminder ,Mass for the Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary on Tues at 12. With lunch for Maree in the hall to follow. Please bring a plate to share.

St Brendan's School Liturgies.

All parishioners ae invited to join with the school community on the following dates.

AUGUST 11TH, 25TH SEPTEMBER 1ST.

These will be held in the school hall at 2:45.



Billings LIFE are presenting a free webinar entitled "Fertility Literacy in the Digital World ~ the best use of fertility tracking apps" on Monday 22nd August at 7.30pm AEST Presenters from Australia, Mexico and NZ will review 3 fertility tracking apps. See the Billings LIFE website or Facebook page for details and registration. website: <https://www.billings.life/en/> Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/BillingsOvulationMethod/posts/pfbid02hgoXax8qx9uGJpRV7nGfJSJR5VpZNC6BbXUo7vcD9oss64wwwhf4H5N8ShGVJFvI>

National Vocations Awareness Week: August 7-14, 2022 – *updated notice from last week*
Today is the second weekend of National Vocations Awareness Week. In the context of the call to all the baptised we especially pray for an increase in vocations to the Consecrated Life of Sisters and Brothers, the Diaconate and the Priesthood.

Africa Food Crisis
Drought and conflict in the Horn of Africa have left over 18 million people facing severe hunger. Four consecutive failed rainy seasons have devastated the crops of millions across the region. We must act now and "Make Hunger History." Your generous donation means our partners in countries like Ethiopia, Kenya, Somalia, South Sudan and Eritrea can respond quickly to support vulnerable communities during this crisis. Visit www.caritas.org.au/food-crisis or call 1800 024 413 toll free to donate now.

Prayer for Ukraine
God of peace and justice,
We pray for the people of Ukraine.
We pray for peace and the
laying down of weapons.
We pray for all those who fear for tomorrow,
That your Spirit of comfort would
draw near to them.
We pray for those with power of war or peace,
for wisdom, discernment and compassion
to guide their decisions.
Above all, we pray for all your
precious children, at risk and in fear,
that you would hold and protect them.
We pray in the name of Jesus, the Prince
of Peace. Amen

Online breakfast gathering to discuss plenary, women and leadership
ACRATH is hosting an online breakfast on Tuesday, August 16 at 8.00am (AEST) to celebrate women leaders going forward from the recent Plenary Council. The breakfast will feature speakers Clare Condon SGS and Elizabeth Young rsm sharing their thoughts about the Plenary Council, with breakout room discussions to follow. More information available at <https://acrath.org.au/join-acrath-for-breakfast/>

Campion College releases Western Civilisation short course online
Campion has launched a short introductory course on Western Civilisation that is open to everyone, regardless of age or location. "Introduction to Western Civilisation" offers a broad overview of some of the most important texts and ideas from the past 3000 years, including Plato's Republic, Dante's Divine and Nietzsche's The Gay Science. The pre-recorded lecture series covers topics in the history, philosophy, theology and literature of Western Civilisation, derived from Campion's Liberal Arts degree, and is designed to be taken at the student's pace. Lectures also look at crucial movements in Western European history, such as the rise of monasticism, the Reformation. The course content costs \$299 and is available for 12 months from the date of payment. All students will receive a certificate of completion after submitting a short assessment within the 12-month access period. Find out more at <https://www.campion.edu.au/course/short-courses/>.

National Catholic Men's Gathering 2022
menALIVE to the MAX is a national catholic gathering of men to be held from October 7-9, 2022 in Sydney . The theme this year is RENEW/REFRESH/RECONNECT. After several years of almost no live events, we are looking forward to gathering together to; listen, learn and long for the fullness of life. More information available at <https://www.menalive.org.au/menalive-to-the-max/>

