

OUR LADY OF LOURDES CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

THE POWER OF THE ROSARY

The most holy Virgin in these last times in which we live has given a new efficacy to the recitation of the Rosary to such an extent that there is no problem, no matter how difficult it is, whether temporal or, above all, spiritual, in the personal life of each one of us, of our families, of the families of the world, or of the religious communities, or even of the life of peoples and nations, that cannot be solved by the Rosary. There is no problem, I tell you, no matter how difficult it is, that we cannot resolve by the prayer of the holy Rosary. With the holy Rosary, we will save ourselves; we will sanctify ourselves; we will console our Lord, and obtain the salvation of many souls. - Conversation between Sr. Lucy of Fatima and Fr. Fuentes, Dec. 26, 1957

"The Rosary is a powerful weapon to put the demons to flight and to keep oneself from sin...If you desire peace in your hearts, in your homes, and in your country, assemble each evening to recite the Rosary. Let not even one day pass without saying it, no matter how burdened you may be with many cares and labours." Pope Pius XI

"The Rosary is the most excellent form of prayer and the most efficacious means of attaining eternal life. It is the remedy for all our evils, the root of all our blessings. There is no more excellent way of praying." Pope Leo XIII

St. Dominic prayed to Our Lady that she would force the devils who possessed a man to reveal the truth about devotion to her. The devils were forced by Our Lady to reveal: "Now that we are forced to speak we must also tell you this: Nobody who perseveres in saying the Rosary will be damned, because she obtains for her servants the grace of true contrition for their sins and by means of this they obtain God's forgiveness and mercy."

RUSSIANS PULLOUT OF AUSTRIA, 1948 -

After World War II, the Allies turned over Catholic Austria to communist Russia. For three years the Austrian people endured this tyranny. Then, a Franciscan priest, Father Petrus, remembered how the Christians although greatly outnumbered had defeated the Turks at the Battle of Lepanto through the Rosary, and he launched a Rosary crusade. Through it 70,000 people, one tenth of the Austrian population, pledged to say the Rosary daily for the Soviets to leave their country. Austria was valuable to the Russians because of its strategic location, rich mineral deposits and oil reserves. Yet on May 13, 1955, the anniversary of the first apparition of Our Lady at Fatima, the Russians signed the agreement to leave Austria, and they did so without one person being killed and without one shot being fired. It is the only time that the militant atheistic forces of Marxism have ever peacefully left a country in which they held power. Military strategists and historians are baffled as to why the Russians pulled out. But we are not - it was the power of the Rosary.

OUR LADY OF LOURDES & ST PHILOMENA SCHEDULE

2017	OXLEY		SCHOOL	
Sun 8 October Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost	6:35am 7:00am 9:30am	Rosary Low Mass Sung Mass	—	
Mon 9 October St John Leonardi, C <i>Ss Dionysius, Rusticus & Eleutherius, Mm</i>	7:30am	Mass	7:15am 7:00pm	Mass Rosary & Benediction
Tue 10 October St Francis Borgia, C	7:30am 6:00pm	Mass Mass	8:20am 7:00pm	School Mass Rosary & Benediction
Wed 11 October Maternity of the BVM	7:30am	Mass	7:15am 8.15am 7:00pm	Mass School Mass Rosary & Benediction
Thu 12 October Feria	7:30am	Mass	5:45am 7:15am 8:30am 7:00pm	Mass Mass Mass Rosary & Benediction
Fri 13 October St Edward, KC	8:00am 6:00pm	Fatima Rosary Mass	5:45am 7.15am 8.20am 12 noon	Mass Mass School Mass <u>Benediction</u>
Sat 14 October St Callistus I, PM	8:00am	Mass & Benediction	7:45am 8:30am	Rosary & Benediction Mass
Sun 15 October Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost	6:35am 7:00am 9:30am	Rosary Low Mass Sung Mass	—	
CONFESSIONS	Daily..... ½ hour before Mass Fri & Sat...after Mass if needed		Sat.....8.00am-8.25am	
KEY: FAST - Obligatory day of Fast, <i>FAST</i> - Traditional day of Fast, - Obligatory day of Abstinence, - Traditional day of Abstinence				

ALTAR SERVERS ROSTER

Sunday	MC1	MC2	THUR	AC1	AC2	CB	TB1	TB2	BB
8 Oct	James Walmsley	NONE	Thomas Langguth	Daniel Walmsley	Gerard Massey	Joseph Fox	Patrick Murphy	Gabriel Onederra	Anthony Morris
15 Oct	Michael Hardess	Brendan Walmsley	Mathew Hardess	Thomas Onederra	Thomas Langguth	Louis Morris	Denis Gaynor	Linus Chipperfield	Leo Massey

MASS CENTRES

SUNDAY	8 OCT	15 OCT	22 OCT	29 OCT	5 NOV
East Greenmount	2:00pm	9:00am	9:00am	9:00am	9:00am
Buderim	9:00am	9:00am	9:00am	9:00am	9:00am
Hervey Bay	—	—	8:00am	—	—
Mackay	9:00am	—	—	6:30pm	9:00am
Townsville	6:00pm	—	—	9:00am	5:00pm

PARISH & SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENTS

- 30 Day Rosary Novena:** From the Feast of the Holy Rosary Oct 7th until Nov 7th all the faithful of the Australian district are asked to unit with us in daily praying the rosary asking for the intercession of Our Lady Help of Christian, Patroness of Australia, and protection of the family especially through the protection of marriage, as we confront this attack on the family during this time of the 'marriage equality' vote.
- Public Rosary.** Show your love for Our Lady publicly: Saturday, 14 October at 10:45am for 11:00am start - to honour the 100th Anniversary of Our Lady of Fatima and ask her intercession to defend traditional marriage in Australia and the triumph of her Immaculate Heart. NEW LOCATION: Cawonga Park, 89 Oxley Station Rd (next to Foodworks). Please arrive early. Parking available in neighbouring streets. BYO picnic lunch. Bring a friend!
- St Philomena School P & F Meeting.** This term's P & F meeting has been brought forward from Tuesday 7 November to Tuesday October 17. It will be held in the school library at 7pm. Please note this change of date.
- Trivia Night:** Saturday, 21 October at the school from 6pm. This year's parish trivia night is not far away. Make sure you start hassling your smartest family members and friends so as to get your table of 8-10 people organised. Dress up as a themed team and come with your best random knowledge. There will be prizes for the best dressed table, best dressed individuals and of course, for the smartest teams. Start bribing your hosts, Emma and Bernie now... No entry fee, prizes galore and delicious sausage sizzle available. Contact Emma Cosgrove or Elle Gaynor (0403 370 245) for more details. Warm-up Question (not for during the sermon): What is Fr Taouk's middle name?
- Christ the King Parish Picnic:** This year, on the feast of Christ the King, we will have the honour of having the entire Seminary come and celebrate this great feast with us. Hence on the Sunday (29th of October), we will have a Parish Picnic at Cnr Parkwood Drive & Stapylton Road, Heathwood, to welcome the Seminary. Time: 12 noon Sausage sizzle and cold drinks will be available.
- Legion of Mary praesidium celebrates 1000th meeting!** Beginning in July 1997, Our Lady of Sorrows, Oxley is the model of endurance with founding member Mrs. Marcia Massey still gracing its ranks. Congratulations to all past and present members in marking this significant milestone in our Legion history. May we renew our Legion Promise to continue to strive to be saints and lay apostles for the salvation of souls!
- SSM 'NO' Campaign** - 15 sign bearers needed to hold "It's OK to say NO" signs at Oxley roundabout for approx. 45mins after each Mass today. Please meet at the teastall after Mass.
- Filial Correction:** Bishop Fellay and a number of other Clerics and Scholars of the Church have written a text correcting the pope on the errors put out in his recent publication of "Amoris laetitia". The text can be viewed online at: <http://sspx.org/en/news-events/news/clerical-and-lay-scholars-send-pope-correctio-filialis-about-amoris-laetitia-32163>
- Celebrating 20 Year Anniversary of St. Philomena School.** We are looking for photos, articles or other documents that have recorded the wonderful events and people of our school's history. To gather these documents, we are putting a call out to all parishioners to go through their personal archives and pull out their treasures recording the school's history. These documents can be given to Geraldine Massey (agmassey1@bigpond.com) by November 30.
- Eucharistic Crusade Intention for October:** *That The Rosary may bring souls to God*
- Remnant Newspapers.** The September 15th issue is now available in the library.
- Ignatian Retreat for Men:** December 4th – 9th, 2017. There are a limited number of spaces. To register a deposit of \$150 is necessary. Contact the parish or email: retreats@sspx.com.au to inform us that you wish to attend.
- Please help:** Therese Gaynor requires 2 child-seats to transport visiting grandchildren to the church on Sunday 15 October. If you are able to help with the loan of one or two child-seats, please contact her on 0408 470 028
- Prayers for the Sick.** Vince Mahon, Alan Jenkins, Lorraine Glynn, Mary Ashby, William Cameron, Terese Hansen, Basil Bartlett, Geoff Wellington, Tony Storry, Barbara Finlay, Brian Kenyon, Frances Filer
- Death Anniversaries:**
8 Oct – Andrew Matthew Hodgson, Sr Francis Marie de Williencourt, Mrs Murdoch
10 Oct – Patrick Nielsen, Sr Malia Zita 'Ali **12 Oct** – Thomas Barry
13 Oct – Thomas Sudarmana, Daniel O'Brien, Claire Hansen
14 Oct – Mother Marie-Christiane du St Esprit, OCD, Marie Joseph Gerard Rey, John Galea

CHURCH ROSTERS

Date	Church & Toilets Cleaning	Flowers	Holy Family Statue	
Sat, 14 Oct	Conliffe/Nagle Families	Kelsey Truter & Katy de Natris	8 Oct	David & Marcela Massey
Sat, 21 Oct	Peter Hardess Family	Helena Park & Maria Ahn	15 Oct	Behrtel family

TEA- STALL ROSTER

Date	1 st Mass		2 nd Mass	
8 Oct	Murray Family	& Simon Fox Family	Morris Family	& Peter Massey Family
15 Oct	Neumann Family	& T Pepping Family	T Briggs Family	& Conliffe Family

OTHER LOCATIONS IN QUEENLAND AND NT

Christ the King Church (East Greenmount)
Cnr Greenmount Connection Rd & Hodgson St

Infant of Prague Church (Sunshine Coast)
27-28 Toral Drive, Buderim, QLD 4556

Pialba Historical Village Museum Chapel
13 Zephyr Street, Hervey Bay, QLD 4655

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Private Chapel
63 Hart Street, Mackay, QLD 4740

St. Anne's Oratory (Townsville)
4 Balonne Drive, Wulguru, QLD 4811

PERMANENT NOTICES

VISITS TO THE BLESSED SACRAMENT **Monday** 6:00am – 9:00pm

BENEDICTION **Oxley** **Saturday** after Mass; **First Friday** all-night adoration after 7pm Mass
Park Ridge **Friday** 12 noon
Buderim **Third Sunday** after 9:00am Mass

FATIMA ROSARY **Oxley** **13th day of every month** (check bulletin for times)

WAY OF THE CROSS **Buderim**: **Tuesday 10:00am** with Rosary
Oxley **Fridays in Lent** 5:30pm (6:30pm on a First Friday)

DEVOTIONS **Buderim** **First Friday** 10am-midday

CATECHISM CLASS **Oxley** **Last Friday of every month** 7:00pm
Park Ridge **Second Friday of every month** 7:00pm
Buderim **Second Sunday** after 9:00am Mass

THE LEGION OF MARY **Oxley** **Seniors** **Tuesday** 6:40pm
Oxley **Juniors/Seniors** **Sunday** 8:25am

LIBRARY **Oxley** Open after the first and second Masses on Sundays
Buderim Open after each Mass

Altar Boy Practice: Sunday on which they serve Mass, 10 minutes after the Mass. Contact: lourdes@sspx.com.au

Polyphonic Choir: Practices - 1st Wednesdays & 3rd Sundays. Contact: langguth@optusnet.com.au

Pro Life Action: **Brisbane:** Susan Erbacher - 0450 386936 - **Gold Coast:** Katrina Tait: 0417 066 794

St Anne's Mothers Group: 1st Wednesdays at Oxley. Ph: Meg Tonkin 0427975032 Newsletter: sspx.com.au/samg.html

Gregorian Schola: Practices every 2nd & 4th Thursday evenings. Contact: 0408 229 402 or masseypg@tpg.com.au

Church Account: Society of St. Pius X, ANZ Mt Ommaney, **BSB** 014-295 **Account No** 2597-10714

School Building Fund: St Philomena School Building Fund, **BSB** 014-215 **Account No** 3497-25207 Please include your name as a reference. For a receipt, please supply a mailing address to the school.

Donations: You may want to consider remembering the Parish in your will as it is only by means of such donations that we can carry out any major projects or future developments. Thank you kindly.

Bulletin Notices: Ph: 3378 8827 or email: cecily.bailes@gmail.com by Wednesday 6.00 pm

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