



**St John
Vianney**
Parish Morisset



CORPUS CHRISTI - YEAR B
SUNDAY, 3 JUN 2018

Today we gather to celebrate the Solemnity of the Body and Blood of Christ. This special feast called by its Latin title Corpus Christi, was introduced to the universal church in 1264.

When we gather here the Body of Christ becomes visible. Here Christ nourishes us with the word of God and the bread of eternal life.

Jesus nourishes us in so many ways, especially in the Eucharist. The Eucharist celebrates and strengthens our unity in Christ. Those who have a deep sense of the presence of God in the whole of creation, will not have difficulty in believing that He is present in a very special way in the Eucharist.



Today as one Body we pray to the living Father who gives life to the world.

"Monthly Cuppa"

PARISH LEADERSHIP TEAM:

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1. Identity and Community
2. Worship and Prayer.
3. Formation and Education
4. Mission and Outreach.
5. Leadership and Structure.

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WEEKEND LITURGY TIMES:

THIS WEEKEND: : 2 / 3 June

Saturday 2nd— 5.30pm
Liturgy— Cooranbong
Sunday 3rd—9.30 am
Liturgy— Morisset

NEXT WEEKEND: 9 / 10 June

Saturday 9th— 5.30pm
Liturgy— Cooranbong
Sunday 10th—9.30 am
Mass— Morisset

WEEKDAY LITURGY TIMES THIS WEEK

MORISSET:

Tuesday 9.30am—Liturgy of the Word
Thursday 9.30am—Liturgy of the Word

CONFESSIONS: Before Mass or on request

PLT ITEMS OF INTEREST

- Save the date "Retreat with Mark" presented by Vivien Williams on Tuesday 3rd July 9.45am –12.45pm in the Callinan Centre.
- Save the date for our parish Social Justice Luncheon to be held on Sunday 22nd July 2018. Our guest speaker is Sr Susan Connelly rsj.
- PLT did not officially meet due to unforeseen circumstances.

We Acknowledge the traditional owners of this land the Awabakal Peoples. And pay our respects to the elders past and present, any that may be with us today.

WELCOME

To anyone who is a visitor to our Parish , and those new to St John Vianney’s, you are most welcome. St John Vianney Church has an ‘Audio Loop’ for people with hearing aids with the ‘T’ setting.

If you would like more contact, Please complete a census form located at the back of the Church. Further information may also be obtained from the Parish Web site. www.vianneymorisset.org.au

CHANGE OF DETAILS

Please complete a census form located at the back of the Church if your address, contact, email or family details have changed.

<u>ROSTERS</u>			
		<u>THIS WEEK</u>	<u>NEXT WEEK</u>
<u>Presiders</u>	MORISSET:	J France	Mass
	VIGIL	U France	D Joyce
<u>PROCLAIMERS:</u>	VIGIL	R Jay L Jay	K Lendon G Briggs
	9.30	K Lendon J Vipan	K Smith K Amon
<u>MINISTERS OF EUCHARIST</u>	VIGIL	D Peterson M Gray	M McFarlane D Fitzgerald
	9.30	H White B Nowak	M Gray T Pontifex R Hay
<u>GIFTS:</u>	9.30	XXXX	S Selmes G Selmes
<u>SERVERS</u>	VIGIL	XXXX	XXXX
	9.30	XXXX	S Ekezie G Dash
<u>AV:</u>	VIGIL	F Dunn	D Peterson
	9.30	J Douglas	T Alexander
<u>WELCOMERS:</u>	VIGIL	G Briggs	K Dunn
	9.30	M Melvey P Melvey	B Nowak A Dussin
<u>CHILDREN’S LITURGY:</u>	9.30	K Amon R Turner	A Dussin K McKenna
<u>CHURCH CLEANERS:</u>	MORISSET:	Staff L Burgin	C Vangsnes T Vangsnes
	COORAN-BONG:	K Lendon	M Shamley
<u>COUNTING</u>		Team A	Team B

UPCOMING FEAST DAYS AND SOLEMNITIES

Corpus Christi— 3rd June
 The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus— 8th June
 The Nativity of Saint John the Baptist— 24th June
 Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles— 29th June

Please pray for those who are sick , in hospital or recovering at home:

Maria Challis, Rod Russell, Diane Guberinic, Bruce Gillett, Elayne Jay, Frances Bristow, Nora Dillon, Margo Von Sanden, Laura Mirabello, Chris Crowe, Denise and John Hooker, Jayson Armstrong.

Please pray for those who have been called to eternal life may they always be in our prayers.



MONTHLY CUPPA

The next “Monthly Cuppa” will be held after 9.30am Liturgy on Sunday 3rd June 2018. In the Callinan Centre, Rhonda Baldock, Rob Baldock, Lynne Fairhall, Margaret Fowler, and Ann O’Neill to organise. All Welcome.

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMS

BAPTISMAL

Our Baptismal Program for parents wishing to have their children baptised is run over two sessions. Our next program details are: Session 1 on Sunday 3rd and Session 2 on Sunday 10th June 2018 both at 10.45am.

FIRST COMMUNION

Will be celebrated on Sunday 16th September 2018 at 9.30am in the Morisset Church. Preparations sessions for children who have completed their First Reconciliation, and Confirmation will commence in the Week beginning Sunday 12th August 2018.

For further information on our programs please contact the Parish Office Mon-Fri between 9am and 2pm on 02 4973 6859.

YOUTH MASS

Please join us at our next Youth Mass which will held on Sunday 19th August at 9.30am. Practice will be held on Friday 17th August at 6pm in Morisset Church. All Youth, Children and Families are welcomed to be involved in ministries such as: Reading, Presentation of the Gifts , Welcoming, Singing and Music. If you would like to participate but cannot attend the practice please call Emily Palmer on 0413 448 196.

GOSPEL GROUPS SIGN UP SHEETS

Sign up sheets for Mark’s Gospel with Vivien Williams on 3rd July in the Callinan Centre 9.45am-12.30pm, and the gospel group “A Retreat with Luke” are at the back of the Church.

BULLETIN NOTICES AND PRAYER REQUESTS

Please submit all Bulletin Notice requests and Prayer Requests to the Parish Office by 5pm Wednesdays. Please place prayer request cards in the mail box near the parish office door.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL WINTER APPEAL

Our Parish Conference is holding our Winter Cash Appeal On the weekend of June 9th. @ 10th. 2018. Hoping you will Be able to contribute to the Needy of our Parish this Winter. If you require a receipt please let us know. Thank you.

FAITH FORMATION OPPORTUNITIES JUN—DEC 2018

There is a list of upcoming Diocese Faith Formation Opportunities as well as the upcoming speakers coming to the Diocese in the noticeboard. For further information contact the Adult Faith Formation Office P 4979 1334 or E jenny.harris@mn.catholic.org.au .

PLANNED GIVING TAX RECEIPT REQUESTS

If you wish to request a Tax Receipt for your planned giving contributions your request is now **overdue**. For those who contribute using envelopes please use the white card in your envelope pack. For those who contribute by direct debit or direct credit please use the pink card that you should have received in the mail. There are extra cards available at the back of the Church. If you would like to change from envelopes to Regular Electronic Planned Giving you can pick up forms at the back of the church, please not that your planned giving number will change please do not complete that section of the form.

SJV SOCIAL JUSTICE TEAM "INCLUSIVE ECONOMIES, GLOBAL CITIZEN: YOU, ME US."

When it comes to building an inclusive economy, we all have a vested interest and we all have a responsibility to be involved. This is not a task that can be left just to governments or the market. (exert from the ACB 2017-2018 Social Justice Statement).

A DAY OF PRAYER AND REFLECTION WITH BISHOP BILL

GOODNESS living by faith will be held and repeated at the following venues:

Fri 8 June at 9.30am St Phillip's Church Hall, 31 Vista Pde, Kotara

Fri 6th July Corcoran Centre, George St, Morpeth

Fri 14 Sept St Mary's Hall, Our Lady of Rosary, Albert St, Taree
Please bring a plate to share. For further information please contact the Office of Life and Faith on P 4979 1328 or E olaf@mn.catholic.org.au

THE SECOND INTERFAITH FORUM: OUR FAITHS AND SPIRITUALITY

Will be held on Thursday 7 June at 6.00 PM at St Joseph's Conference Centre, 140 Wangi Rd Kilaben Bay. The presenter will be Brendon Mannyx, Catholic Parish Leader. There will be an opportunity to explore more about our faith in action, by joining with other faiths, to discover our differences, as well as looking at what we can learn from each other. For catering purposes please RSVP to Brooke or Jenny. brooke.robinson@mn.catholic.org.au or P 4979 1111.

CATHOLIC MISSION APPEAL

This year's Church appeal will be held on the weekend of 7th & 8th July 2018.

PLENARY COUNCIL 2020 – LISTEN TO WHAT THE SPIRIT IS SAYING.

Pope Francis has approved the Australian Bishops' decision to hold a Plenary Council in Australia in 2020 and 2021. It is a significant moment for the Church in Australia to make decisions about the future.

To prepare the agenda for the Plenary Council, all of God's people are invited to reflect on the question: "**What do you think God is asking of us in Australia at this time?**" Find out more about the Plenary Council 2020 at the new website, now online: www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au

ST VINCENT PALLOTTI SCHOLARSHIP: APPLICATIONS NOW OPEN

The St Vincent Pallotti Scholarship Trust offers scholarships to enable lay people to further their understanding and skills in leadership/ministry or a specialised activity, such as promoting faith enhancement, social justice and pastoral care. Applications close 23 July 2018. Details and application: www.pallottine.org.au/scholarships/st-vincent-pallotti-scholarship-for-lay-ministry.html

ATTENTION, WOMEN IN THE CHURCH!

Sr Lauretta Baker rsj will lead a day of reflection, encouragement and challenge for women of faith to #PressforProgress. The day will be at MacKillop Place, St Joseph's College, Lochinvar, Saturday 30 June, 9.30am-3.30pm. The event is a joint initiative of the Council for Australian Catholic Women diocesan contact group and the Catholic Women's League. To learn more or to rsvp, E ellenhazelton25@gmail.com or P Ellen, 0407 513 813.

COUNCIL FOR AUSTRALIAN CATHOLIC WOMEN

The diocesan contact group for the Council for Australian Catholic Women (CACW) will meet on the following Saturdays, 9am for 9.30am and all are welcome. 30 June, 25 August, 27 October, 24 November (Christmas Gathering; time may change slightly). The group meets at St Benedict's Centre, The Chapel (entrance through driveway), 25 Farquhar Street, The Junction. To learn more, please P Ellen Hazelton, 0407 513 813.

THE DIOCESAN ECUMENICAL AND INTERFAITH COUNCIL

Invites you to the Annual Interfaith Dialogue, an opportunity to join with our Muslim and Christian communities. Panel members from both communities will explore what Mary, the mother of Jesus, means to their faith. A Q&A session will follow the dialogue on Thursday 19 July, 6.30-9pm at All Saints College – St Mary's Campus, 16 Grant St, Maitland. A light supper will be served. Please RSVP to Brooke or Jenny. P 4979 1111 or E Events@mn.catholic.org.au.

SACRED @ SEVEN

Will be held on Wednesday 11 July at 7:00 PM at St John's Chapel, Maitland. Join Bishop Bill for adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. P 4979 1111.

VOLUNTEERING IN OUR PARISH

We have an opportunity for someone to join the Parish Leadership Team. If you would like to take up this opportunity please contact the Parish Office.

FIRST READING

Ex 24:3-8

A reading from the book of Exodus

This is the blood of the Covenant that the Lord has made with you.

Moses went and told the people all the commands of the Lord and all the ordinances. In answer, all the people said with one voice, 'We will observe all the commands that the Lord has decreed.' Moses put all the commands of the Lord into writing, and early next morning he built an altar at the foot of the mountain, with twelve standing-stones for the twelve tribes of Israel. Then he directed certain young Israelites to offer holocausts and to immolate bullocks to the Lord as communion sacrifices. Half of the blood Moses took up and put into basins, the other half he cast on the altar. And taking the Book of the Covenant he read it to the listening people, and they said, 'We will observe all that the Lord has decreed; we will obey.' Then Moses took the blood and cast it towards the people. 'This' he said 'is the blood of the Covenant that the Lord has made with you, containing all these rules.'

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 115:12-13. 15-18. R. v. 13

**(R.) I will take the cup of salvation,
and call on the name of the Lord.**

1. How can I repay the Lord
for his goodness to me?
The cup of salvation I will raise;
I will call on the Lord's name. **(R.)**
2. O precious in the eyes of the Lord
is the death of his faithful.
Your servant, Lord, your servant am I;
you have loosened my bonds. **(R.)**
3. A thanksgiving sacrifice I make:
I will call on the Lord's name.
My vows to the Lord I will fulfil
before all his people. **(R.)**

SECOND READING

Heb 9:11-15

A reading from the letter to the Hebrews

The blood of Christ will purify our inner selves.

Now Christ has come, as the high priest of all the blessings which were to come. He has passed through the greater, the more perfect tent, which is better than one made by men's hands because it is not of this created order; and he has entered the sanctuary once and for all, taking with him not the blood of goats and bull calves, but his own blood, having won an eternal redemption for us. The blood of goats and bulls and the ashes of a heifer are sprinkled on those who have incurred defilement and they restore the holiness of their outward lives; how much more effectively the blood of Christ, who offered himself as the perfect sacrifice to God through the eternal Spirit, can purify our inner self from dead actions so that we do our service to the living God.

He brings a new covenant, as the mediator, only so that the people who were called to an eternal inheritance may actually receive what was promised: his death took place to cancel the sins that infringed the earlier covenant.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Jn 6:51-52

Alleluia, alleluia!

I am the living bread from heaven, says the Lord;
whoever eats this bread will live for ever.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL

Mk 14:12-16, 22-26

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark

This is my body. This is my blood.

On the first day of Unleavened Bread, when the Passover lamb was sacrificed, his disciples said to Jesus, 'Where do you want us to go and make the preparations for you to eat the passover?' So he sent two of his disciples, saying to them, 'Go into the city and you will meet a man carrying a pitcher of water. Follow him, and say to the owner of the house which he enters, "The Master says: Where is my dining room in which I can eat the passover with my disciples?" He will show you a large upper room furnished with couches, all prepared. Make the preparations for us there.' The disciples set out and went to the city and found everything as he had told them, and prepared the Passover.

And as they were eating he took some bread, and when he had said the blessing he broke it and gave it to them. 'Take it,' he said 'this is my body.' Then he took a cup, and when he had returned thanks he gave it to them, and all drank from it, and he said to them, 'This is my blood, the blood of the covenant, which is to be poured out for many. I tell you solemnly, I shall not drink any more wine until the day I drink the new wine in the kingdom of God.'

After psalms had been sung they left for the Mount of Olives.

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PRAYER REQUESTS

If you would like the parish to pray for a family member or friend who may be sick, recently deceased or you would like remembered. Please complete the cards at the back of the church and their names will be placed in the bulletin. **Please note all prayer requests require permission from a family member or the person along with their contact details this is due to Australian privacy laws.**

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