

Entrance Antiphon:

The love of God has been poured into our hearts through the Spirit of God dwelling with us, alleluia.

1st Reading:

Acts 2:1-11

Responsorial Psalm:

Lord send out your Spirit and renew the face of the earth.

2nd Reading:

Galatians 5:16-25

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia. Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love. Alleluia!

Gospel:

John 15:26-27; 16:12-15

Response to Prayers of Faithful:

Lord, pour out your Spirit on us.

Communion Antiphon:

They were all filled with the Holy Spirit and spoke of the marvels of God, alleluia.



PLEASE PRAY FOR: Recently Deceased: Frank Kirby, Brian Forbes, Kevin Bathurst, Josephine Rutherford, Pauline Foley, Brian Murphy, Patricia Andrews, Janine Booth.

ANNIVERSARIES/REMEMBRANCE: Sr Vera, Dr Lexia Bryant, Basil Nolan, Neville Cronin, Peter Rayner, Vonnie Green, Leo Flynn, Betty Dolan, William & Eileen Brady, Fr Patrick Martin Brady, Maud Egan, John Thomas & Elizabeth May Taylor, Deceased relatives & friends of the Dolan, Brady & Taylor families.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK: Fr Brendan Dillon, Kathleen Major, Vincent Alvaro, Norene Anderson, Annette Antlitz, Ray Ashburn, Beris & Roger Bacon, Therese Baggaley, Margaret Bates, John Bayly, Kate Belliveau, Paul Brady, Betty Brannan, Bob Bray, Vonnie Cabban, Debbie Cameron, Bill Cavanagh, Sr Kath Carroll, Irene Chambers, Camille Christenson, Jack Cole, Kathleen Curtis, David Dank, Pattie Davies, Neil & Edna Devlin, Angelo Di Maria, Deslie Dolan, Mary Donnelly, Ursula Dowling, Yvonne Eden, Albert Fawsitt, Doug Featherstone, Jackie Flanagan, Mila Florendo, Peter Flynn, Elijah Foster-McLachlan, Colin Fraser, Baby Ellie Gaby, Gonny Gemaerd, Ross Goss, Elsa Grasouskas, Ray Green, Aileen Greensill, Rebecca Hines, Veronica Hoolihan, Noel Hutchinson, Fiona Irvine, Graham Jones, Juliana Mailaro Jordão, Jacqui Kennedy, Dulcie & Vince Kinnane, Mary McCarthy, Doris McCoy, Margie McCurley, Ruth McDonald, Kevin & Dorothy McGirr, Aaron McGlade, Richard McLachlan, Therese McNamara, Fr Craig Moody, Leo Mullins, Bradley Murphy, Damien Normile, Pat O'Brien, Shirley O'Byrne, Trish Osborne, Julia Parker, Dennis Pollard, Gary Pollard, Pat Proudfoot, Deirdre Pullen, Pat Quinn, Clare Reading, Kevin Rixon, Paul Rixon, Peter Roche, Rosa Santos, Bernie Seto, Mary Slingsby, Marie Smith, Ellen Snell, Del Sutton, John Taylor, John Thompson, Rosie Thompson, Pete Tom Toni, Therese Townsend, Henriette Van Schijndel, Peter Waltho, Marian Ward, Lynette Watson, Betty Weir, Hazel Whittle, Frank Whyte, Josie Willett, Barbara Wilson, Marcia Withers.

(Sick List names removed after a considerable time. Please advise if you wish names to remain).

WEEKEND MASS TIMES

Sat 6.00pm Mass St Monica's.
Sun 6.45am Mass St Monica's.
Sun 8.00am Mass St Augustine's
Sun 9.30am Mass St Monica's

WEEKDAY DIARY

Tue 5.00pm Mass, St Monica's, Tugun
Wed 8.00am Mass, St Augustine's, Coolangatta
Thurs 9.00am Mass, Jubilee Chapel, Currumbin Waters
Fri 8.00am Mass, St Augustine's, Coolangatta
Sat 11.00am Reconciliation, Tugun

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

1st Reading: Deuteronomy 4:32-34, 39-40
2nd Reading: Romans 8:14-17
Gospel: Matthew 28:16-20



Parish of St Augustine & St Monica Coolangatta - Tugun

We recognise the traditional owners of this land -
The Kombumberri people.
'Coolangatta' means place of 'Splendid Lookout'

Pentecost Sunday - Year B 20th May 2018

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In Jewish tradition, Pentecost (the feast of fifty days) marked the completion of the wheat harvest which began at the feast of the Passover. Its celebration commemorated God's goodness in giving the Law to the people at Sinai through Moses. The Christian celebration of the Fifty days (Pentecost) moved the commemoration to the giving of the Spirit, fifty days after the Passover.

In Acts, Luke breaks the events of Christ's redemption into single actions that will make sense for everyday people. Luke's presentation of Christ's redemptive actions is also more conducive to liturgical re-presentation. The separation of Christ's Resurrection from his Ascension and Sending of the Spirit at Pentecost allows people to comprehend and appreciate his saving actions as separate events. John portrays the Cross in its triumph. On Easter Sunday, Jesus gives the disciples the power of his resurrected Spirit.

The event of Pentecost was a great moment for the growing but still small number of early believers. They would no longer remain huddled in locked rooms, now they would fearlessly go out to the whole world, as Jesus had asked them. There were many *Pentecost events* in those early days of the Church as Christians finally accepted the power of God's Spirit into their lives. They did not lock themselves in buildings or even in Churches, they went out boldly in the *name of Jesus*.

Pentecost continues to occur today whenever Christians finally wake up to the power that is within them. Some of us are 'a bit thick'. We wonder who is going to do something about the problems which surround us and how they will do it. The answer is within us! *We have the solution and we have the power!*

THE GIFT OF THE SPIRIT

Fr John Scarrott



**YOU ARE INVITED TO
OUR PARISH SOCIAL LUNCH**

Hosted by our **Parish Coffee Club** to Celebrate our Community Friendships and come together socially.

Tuesday, 29 May at 12.00pm
St Monica's Hall, Tugun Cost \$10.00
(BBQ and salad Lunch with dessert)
Lucky door prize!

RSVP on Sheets available at the back of each church; or Phone Parish Office: 5598 2165

**BORDER COUNCIL OF CHURCHES
'PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY'**

The next ecumenical service of the Border Council of Churches, being a Service of Prayer for Christian Unity will be held in St Cuthbert's Anglican Church, Cnr Florence & Powell Sts, Tweed Heads next **Sunday, 27th May**. The service starts at **2.00pm** followed by afternoon tea. Please come and join others in celebrating this beautiful ecumenical service. Ph: 5536 1060 with any enquiries.

National Volunteer Week - from **May 21-27** Australia will celebrate National Volunteer Week. This year's theme is apt - "**Give a little, change a lot**". We wish to take this opportunity to thank all our own wonderful volunteers in the Parish and we ask that you pray for all volunteers that their generosity of service will reveal the face of Christ to those for whom they care. God bless all your work!

Confirmation – 2018

We congratulate the 54 children who celebrated the Sacrament of Confirmation on Thursday evening this week, 17th May. This is a wonderful moment in their faith journey and relationship with Jesus. On behalf of the parish, Congratulations and God bless you all!

**WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES
Dublin, Ireland 21-26 August 2018**

May Mary's pure and simple smile be a source of joy for each one of us as we face life's difficulties. *Pope Francis*



Entrance:

'Gather Your People' AOV1 #71

Psalm: *Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth.*

Gospel Acclamation: *Alleluia*

Gifts Procession: **'Veni Sancte Spiritus'**

*Veni Sante Spiritus. Veni Sante Spiritus.
Veni Sante Spiritus. Veni Sancte Spiritus.*

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Communion: **'Celebrate'** AOV1 #44

Reflection: **'Spirit Come'** AOV1 #96

Recessional:

'Lord, The Light of Your Love' AOV2 #59
(Shine, Jesus, Shine)

PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES

Each year, the cost of our new weekly planned giving envelopes is around \$2,300 for 250 envelopes. In an attempt to reduce this cost, this year we will only be ordering 160 weekly giving envelopes. Therefore, if your Giving envelope number is between 160-250, you will be assigned a new envelope number. So when the new envelopes are put out for distribution in late June, you will still find your envelopes under your name/s, however, you may notice your envelope number has changed. We thank you for your understanding in this respect.

Fr John

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

HOSPITALITY ROSTER

Sunday, 27th May

9.30am The Tynan family

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

Sunday, 27th May

9.30am Ian Roberts

Baptismal Preparation Meetings

Baptism preparation is done on a Wednesday evening once each month at **7.00pm**. Our next meeting will be held on Wednesday **13th June** in St Monica's Hall at Tugun. Please ring office to notify of your attendance.

LIVING IN THE DIVINE WILL

Prayer/Reflection with Chaplain Fr Emil Milat
Date: 10.30am Wednesday 13th June (Cuppa from 10.00am) in the Lavalla Centre, 58 Fernberg Road, Paddington. **10.30 Rosary/Mass/Adoration** Sacred Heart Church, (oppo Lavalla Centre). BYO Lunch, Tea/coffee provided. Speaker: Fr Emil Milat. Cost: \$10 (or more) donation to cover Fr Milat's expenses. Please RSVP to: Carmel on 3300 3271 or to carmelherbert246@gmail.com by 31st May 2018.

Pious Goods Store located in both churches:

- **New stock** arrived in Tugun for **Confirmation and 1st communion** gifts: Prayer books, jewellery... come browse through;
- **Cards**, holy medals;
- **Catholic Leader**



vocation

A VOCATION VIEW: Be guided by the Holy Spirit, because with the Spirit comes love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, trustfulness, gentleness and self control. With God's help, come forward to proclaim to those who are searching for meaning in life. As the Spirit is our life, let us be directed by the Spirit. To talk to someone about your vocation, contact the Vocation Centre 3324 3351.

Email: vocation@bne.catholic.net.au

Spirituality Network Gathering

You are invited to the next Spirituality Network Gathering on Thursday 31st May at the Ecovillage Old Dairy Hall, 639 Currumbin Creek Rd, Currumbin Valley. Our guest speaker is Fr Morgan Batt, PP Burleigh Heads, who will be speaking about 'Grief, Loss and Healing'. Fr Morgan was the parish priest at Port Arthur during the 1996 shooting massacre and will share with the group, some of the stories from that brutal day and how, more importantly, people sought to deal with their grief and loss and reach a place of healing and peace. As usual morning tea will be at 10.00am and session commences 10.30am finishing by 12 noon. For further information contact Rina on 0400332120.

The monthly formation meeting of the Gold Coast Lay Carmelites will be held at **Surfers Paradise Parish Hospitality Centre, Clear Island Waters at 10.30 am** today, **Sunday 20th, May**. All are welcome especially those interested in maintaining the reality of the words spoken by the 'Angel Gabriel' in the gospel of **Luke 1: 28-33**. Please bring a plate for a light shared-lunch and contact Norm Harding 0421 125 575 (ave.olmc@outlook.com) with any enquiries.

**Worldwide Marriage Encounter
Weekend - 3 to 5 August**

Relationship enrichment for married couples at Santa Teresa Spirituality Centre, Ormiston (Brisbane's bayside). For bookings/enquiries contact Maria and David Murphy, 3342 1456 dandmmurphy@optusnet.com.au Information website: www.wvme.org.au

Reminder - Name Badges

If you have not yet collected your name badge from the office, please phone Julie on 5598 2165, thank you.

See Flyers on Church Noticeboards for upcoming events, including: **Heart Ministry for Women**, 24-26th May; **Terrace Past Mothers' Mass & Morning tea** on **Sunday 27 May**;