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| Prayers & Mass Times of the Week |            |   |
|----------------------------------|------------|---|
| Monday                           | No Service | <i>St Leo The Great, pope, doctor</i>   |
| Tuesday                          | 9.15 AM    | Mass; <i>St Martin of Tours, bishop</i> |
| Wednesday                        | 9.15 AM    | Mass; <i>St Josaphat</i>                |
| Thursday                         | 9.15 AM    | Mass;                                   |
| Friday                           | 9.15 AM    | Mass;                                   |
| Saturday                         | 6.30 PM    | Mass;                                   |
| Sunday                           | 9.30 AM    | Mass;                                   |
|                                  | 5.30 PM    | Mass;                                   |


**Reconciliation:**  
30 minutes prior to all masses

| Last Fortnight's Collection |             |
|-----------------------------|-------------|
| Thanksgiving Offering       | \$ 1,055.00 |
| Presbytery Offering         | \$ 944.10   |

**ST. ELIZABETH'S PARISH DONATION QR CODE**

Scan the QR Code to contribute securely and conveniently for **donations towards the Presbytery, Thanksgiving & Special Collections**.

Your generosity ensures the continued support and care for our parish community.



*Thank you for your kindness and support.*

For those contributing by Direct Debit, if you notice anything unusual on your bank statement in relation to your pledge to our parish, please contact the parish office promptly.


| Next Week's Reading                      |                        |
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| THE THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME |                        |
| First Reading                            | Malachi 3:19-20        |
| Second Reading                           | 2 Thessalonians 3:7-12 |
| Gospel                                   | Luke 21:5-19           |

| Week's Roster |                      |                   |                    |                   |
|---------------|----------------------|-------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
|               | Ministries           | SATURDAY, 6.30 PM | SUNDAY, 9.30 AM    | SUNDAY, 5.30 PM   |
| THIS WEEK     | Commentator          | Rina Pereira      | Volunteer          | Janine Phillips   |
|               | Reader               | Kate Robinson     | Sheryn Disanayake  | Raul Batallonis   |
|               | Eucharistic Minister | Kate Robinson     | Volunteer          | Wilson Fernandez  |
| NEXT WEEK     | Commentator          | Sarah Perera      | Clyde Pereira      | Volunteer         |
|               | Reader               | Joe Connolly      | Belinda Liew       | Jessica Fernandes |
|               | Eucharistic Minister | Kate Robinson     | Dominic Disanayake | Volunteer         |

Please pray for...  
**Those whose memories are sacred to us** : Candice Evans Muscatelo, Maria, Anthony and their 3 sons, Benefactors, friends and ancestors  
**In November, we remember and pray for the souls who are dear to us — our family, friends and all the souls in purgatory, may God grant them eternal rest and peace.**  
Eddi & Molly Perera, Princy & Walter Perera, Chitra & Sam Ramayanake, Ida Samarawickrama and all the deceased family members. Deceased member of the D'Argent, Lahausse, Quenette and Sandion families. Derek Chua G.K, Peter Chua S.P, Duncan Chua W.K, Henry Liew F.N and all the forgotten souls. Nayna family, Mindiel family, Assirvaden family, Dantier family, Cipriani family. Bolano family members, Felimon, Dominador, Julie, Clemente Baldonado, Regino Boquiren, Romula Boquiren & Rose Espiritu. Patricia & John Lawley, Quinliven family and Rick Waters. Charles, Mary George, Alistair & Elaine Peazold, Ivo & Alice D'Sauza, Santan & Mary Rodrigues, Gordon & Lucy Sylvester, Louis, Ettie, Cedric & Mary Lou Gonsalves, Maurice, Norma & Geoff Bird, Benjamin & Dean Fernandez, Clarence Pereira, George & Margaret Pereira, Michael O'Hlmus and Sophie Frois. Ted & Madge Coloe, Karleen Robinson. Conrado Sabater, Gloria Sabater, Thelma Balmes, Julio Balmes, John David Evans, Candice Evans Muscatello. Monica Juminten, Yacobus Kamari & Norman Pereira.

# St Elizabeth's Parish Newsletter

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## The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica Sunday 9 November 2025

**First Reading Ezekiel 47:1-2, 8-9, 12**  
*I see water flowing from the temple and all who were touched by it were saved.*

The angel brought me to the entrance of the Temple, where a stream came out from under the Temple threshold and flowed eastwards, since the Temple faced east. The water flowed from under the right side of the Temple, south of the altar. He took me out by the north gate and led me right round outside as far as the outer east gate where the water flowed out on the right-hand side. The man went to the east holding his measuring line and measured off a thousand cubits; he then made me wade across the stream; the water reached my ankles. He measured off another thousand and made me wade across the stream again; the water reached my knees. He measured off another thousand and made me wade across again; the water reached my waist. He measured off another thousand; it was now a river which I could not cross; the stream had swollen and was now deep water, a river impossible to cross. He then said, 'Do you see, son of man?' He took me further, then brought me back to the bank of the river. When I got back, there were many trees on each bank of the river. He said, 'This water flows east down to the Arabah and to the sea; and flowing into the sea it makes its waters wholesome. Wherever the river flows, all living creatures teeming in it will live. Fish will be very plentiful, for wherever the water goes it brings health, and life teems wherever the river flows. Along the river, on either bank, will grow every kind of fruit tree with leaves that never wither and fruit that never fails; they will bear new fruit every month, because this water comes from the sanctuary. And their fruit will be good to eat and the leaves medicinal.'

**Responsorial Psalm**  
Ps. 45:2-3, 5-6, 8-9

*(R.) The waters of the river gladden the city of God.*

1. God is for us a refuge and strength, a helper close at hand, in time of distress: so we shall not fear though the earth should rock, though the mountains fall into the depths of the sea. (R.)
2. The waters of a river give joy to God's city, the holy place where the Most High dwells. God is within, it cannot be shaken; God will help it at the dawning of the day. (R.)
3. The Lord of hosts is with us: the God of Jacob is our stronghold. Come, consider the works of the Lord the redoubtable deeds he has done on the earth. (R.)

**Second Reading**  
**1 Corinthians 3:9-11, 16-17**  
*You are the temple of God.*

You are God's building. By the grace God gave me, I succeeded as an architect and laid the foundations, on which someone else is doing the building. Everyone doing the building must work carefully. For the foundation, nobody can lay any other than the one which has already been laid, that is Jesus Christ.

Didn't you realise that you were God's temple and that the Spirit of God was living among you? If anybody should destroy the temple of God, God will destroy him, because the temple of God is sacred; and you are that temple.

**Gospel Acclamation 2 Chronicles 7-16**

**Alleluia, alleluia!**  
*I have chosen and sanctified this house, says the Lord, that my name may remain in it for all time. Alleluia!*

**Gospel John 213-22**  
*He spoke about the temple of his own body.*

Just before the Jewish Passover Jesus went up to Jerusalem, and in the Temple he found people selling cattle and sheep and pigeons, and the money changers sitting at their counters there. Making a whip out of some cord, he drove them all out of the Temple, cattle and sheep as well, scattered the money changers' coins, knocked their tables over and said to the pigeon-sellers, 'Take all this out of here and stop turning my Father's house into a market'. Then his disciples remembered the words of scripture: Zeal for your house will devour me. The Jews intervened and said, 'What sign can you show us to justify what you have done?' Jesus answered, 'Destroy this sanctuary, and in three days I will raise it up'. The Jews replied, 'It has taken forty-six years to build this sanctuary: are you going to raise it up in three days?' But he was speaking of the sanctuary that was his body, and when Jesus rose from the dead, his disciples remembered that he had said this, and they believed the scripture and the words he had said.

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# The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

## SATURDAY 6.30PM & SUNDAY 5.30PM MASS

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| GATHERING SONG<br>Come to the Water           | HYMNS "AS ONE VOICE"<br>No 74; Page 75 |
| PROCESSION OF GIFTS<br>I am the Bread of Life | No 49; Page 50                         |
| COMMUNION SONG<br>Amazing Grace               | No 29; Page 32                         |
| Jubilee Song – Pilgrims of Hope               | Printed page separately                |
| FINAL SONG<br>All the End of the Earth        | No 76; Page 77                         |

## SUNDAY 9.30AM MASS

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| GATHERING SONG<br>Come to the Water              | HYMNS "AS ONE VOICE"<br>No 74; Page 75 |
| PROCESSION OF GIFTS SONG<br>Eat this Bred        | No 125; Page 124                       |
| COMMUNION SONG<br>Fill my House unto the Fullest | Text Attached                          |
| FINAL SONG<br>The Spirit Lives to Set Us Free    | No 165; Page 344                       |

### FILL MY HOUSE UNTO THE FULLEST (By Peter Kearney)

- Fill my house unto the fullest,  
Eat my bread and drink my wine.  
The love I bear is held from no-one.  
All I have and all I do I give to you.
- Take my time unto the fullest,  
Find in me the trust you seek.  
Take my hands to you outreaching.  
All I have and all I do I give to you.
- Christ our Lord with love enormous  
From the cross His lesson taught:  
Love all men as I have loved you.  
All I have and all I do I give to you.
- Join with me as one in Christ-love,  
May our hearts all beat as one.  
May we give ourselves completely.  
All I have and all I do I give to you.

## The Jubilee Prayer

Father in heaven, may the *faith* you have given us in your son, Jesus Christ, our brother, and the flame of *charity* enkindled in our hearts by the Holy Spirit, reawaken in us the blessed *hope* for the coming of your Kingdom.

May your grace transform us into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel.

May those seeds transform from within both humanity and the whole cosmos in the sure expectation of a new heaven and a new earth, when, with the powers of Evil vanquished, your glory will shine eternally.

May the grace of the Jubilee reawaken in us, *Pilgrims of Hope*, a yearning for the treasures of heaven.

May that same grace spread the joy and peace of our Redeemer throughout the earth.

To you our God, eternally blessed, be glory and praise for ever.  
Amen.

### Prayer for the Faithful Departed

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.  
May they rest in peace. Amen.  
May their souls, and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

### November - Offer Masses for the Holy Souls

Masses can be offered for those we knew and loved, or for the souls that have nobody to pray for them. Masses for the Souls Departed are available on the Church Foyer  
The Church dedicates the month of November to praying for our deceased loved ones. Both Scripture and Tradition remind us to pray for the dead that they may be loosed from their sins and enter the joy of Heaven. Offering Masses therefore is the greatest gift we can give to them.

# PARISH NOTICES

## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

|                    |                  |
|--------------------|------------------|
| Tuesday & Thursday | 8.45am - 12.45pm |
| Wednesday & Friday | 11.30am - 3.30pm |

Legion of Mary meet Every Wednesday after Mass at Coolibah Room (next to the parish office) New members are welcome.  
Contact ; Yves & Lisiane D'Argent  
Mobile no# 0478077703

## BAPTISMS (Baptism requires a months' notice)

Upcoming baptism:

|                 |                          |
|-----------------|--------------------------|
| Church Cleaning | 21 Nov : Lolita & Maria  |
|                 | 12 Dec : Herman          |
| Laundry         | November : Kate Robinson |

We need more volunteers for Laundry, Church Cleaning & Flowers Arrangement,  
Please contact Parish Office or Rina # 0420986896

## ALTAR SERVERS

Please encourage your child/children/Boys/Girls who have completed the sacrament of First Holy Communion to volunteer as altar servers during mass. Training will be given. Please contact ; Cheryl; 0422724572 or Clyde 0407543561

## COMMENTATOR / READER

Father Tad would like to invite more parishioners to take more active part in the Liturgy. More specifically as the commentator or reader. Please stay back after mass if you would like to volunteer, our commentators and readers are available to assist you.

## Be Early for Mass – Prepare Your Heart

Arriving early or on time for Mass is more than good manners — it is an act of reverence, preparation, and devotion. When we come early, we allow ourselves the quiet time to enter prayerfully into the presence of God. When we arrive a few minutes before Mass, we can:  
**Prepare our hearts and minds** – leave behind daily distractions and focus on being present before the Lord.  
**Pray quietly** – offer personal intentions, give thanks, or rest in silence before the Blessed Sacrament.  
**Participate fully from the beginning** – including the Sign of the Cross, Penitential Rite, and opening prayers that set the tone for the entire celebration.  
**Show reverence** – our punctuality is a simple yet meaningful way to honour God and the sacredness of the liturgy.  
**Set an example** – especially for children and visitors, reminding them that the Holy Mass is a priority, not a routine.  
✦ Let's make every effort to arrive a few minutes early — to centre our hearts, show respect, and be united in prayer from the very first moment of the Mass.

## Prayer Service of Lament

Archbishop Peter A. Comensoli invites all parishioners to join the Archdiocesan Prayer Service of Lament on **Wednesday, 12 November 2025 at 11.30am-12.00 Noon in the grounds of St Patrick's Cathedral.**

During the week of 5–12 November, parishioners are also encouraged to spend time in prayer and reflection, uniting with the wider community in this time of lament and hope.

A copy of the Archbishop's letter is available in the foyer and on the notice board for those who wish to read more.

## Christmas Thank You Gathering

Fr. Tad warmly invites all ministers, volunteers, and parishioners to a Christmas Thank You Gathering on; **Friday, 28<sup>th</sup> November 2025, at the Parish House, from 6:30 pm to 8.30 pm**

**RSVP is necessary** by adding your name to the sheet on the table in the foyer to assist with catering arrangements purpose only.

We sincerely thank you for your generous help and support throughout the year, and we look forward to sharing another wonderful year of active participation and community together.

## Closure of the Parking / Basketball Court for Parking

Tuesdays and Wednesdays,  
from 12 November to 2 December 2025  
Basketball courts will be used for School PE lessons  
Please avoid parking inside the gates during these times to keep everyone safe.

Thank you so much for your understanding and support — it's always appreciated.

**Beautiful Religious Christmas Cards** are now available at the Piety Stall  
\$2 each or 6 for \$10  
They're a lovely way to share the joy and blessing of Christmas with family and friends.

**The 2026 Columban Catholic Art Calendar** are still available for purchase. Get yours now from the Piety Stall — a beautiful way to keep track of feast days and liturgical seasons throughout the year.

## Safeguarding Unit

Our commitment to Children and Young People. We commit to making our Church a safe place for children and young people and protecting them from harm. Email: [safeguardingunit@cam.org.au](mailto:safeguardingunit@cam.org.au)