



Childers Catholic Parish

Embracing the worshipping communities of
Childers ~ Biggenden ~ Gin Gin ~ Mt Perry ~ Woodgate Beach

MISSION & VISION STATEMENT

We are the Catholic Communities of Childers, Gin Gin, Mount Perry, Biggenden and Woodgate beach, loving and welcoming all to faith and fellowship, journeying together in the Spirit towards the heart of Jesus sharing our rich religious traditions and values.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Parish Diary Date Claimers

- ◆ **Public Square Rosary** - Saturday 14th October , 9.30am in the Church grounds followed by m/tea.
- ◆ **CWL Cent Sale** - Saturday 14th October in St Joseph's Primary School Hall. Further details contact Sonia Jones, Ph: 4126 1447
- ◆ **Annual Parish Picnic** - 12th November at Mount Perry, Mass 10.30am with a tasty lunch to follow.

No Mass - Childers

There will be no Mass at Childers on the following dates:

Monday 25th September
 Wednesday 27th September

No Mass - Gin Gin

There will be no Mass at Gin Gin on
 Tuesday 26th September

Latin Mass - Mt Perry

Fr Adrian Sharp, a priest from the Archdiocese of Brisbane and a member of Brisbane Oratory has kindly agreed to say a Latin Mass (in Latin Language) at St Patick's Catholic Church, Mt Perry.

Date: Saturday 21st October, 2017

Time: 10 am

A lunch will follow at the Federal Inn Mount Perry.

All are welcome.

Enquiries Moira Thompson 0458365051 or

Miriam Makowiecki 0418498542

Children's Sacramental Program

Last year, the Brisbane Archdiocese released a revised Sacramental Policy, which our parish will implement from 2018. (There will be no Sacramental Program in 2017)

Steps in the Sacramental Program will be:

STEP 1: Children (in Year 3 or older), will be prepared to receive the **Sacrament of Confirmation**.

STEP 2: The following year (in Year 4 or older), children will be prepared to receive their **First Holy**

Communion. (Children will make their first confession during this program.)

STEP 3: The year after their First Holy Communion (in Year 5 or older), the children will prepare to celebrate more fully, the **Sacrament of Penance** – (with Individual Confession First Rite)

If you would like your child to prepare for the Sacrament of Confirmation in 2018, please contact the Parish office or Liam Dougherty at school.



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Parish Workshops

All Clergy, Lay Pastoral Ministers, Parish Pastoral Council & other leadership group members and all interested parishioners are offered three opportunities to attend a workshop on

Exploring Models of Parish Leadership

This workshop will outline five existing parish leadership models and identify the circumstances in which they best contribute to the life and mission of the parish.

Upper Mt Gravatt Tuesday 10th October 2017

Venue: Community Centre
St Bernard's Church
4 Klumpp Rd
Upper Mt Gravatt

Time: 7.00pm—9.00pm

RSVP by: Friday 6th October 2017

Hendra Thursday 12th October 2017

Venue: Parish Hall
Mother of Mercy Parish
25 Bowman Street
Hendra

Time: 7.00pm—9.00pm

RSVP by: Monday 9th October 2017

Brisbane City Saturday 14th October 2017

Venue: Hanly Room
Francis Rush Centre
Cathedral Precinct
Brisbane

Time: 9.00am—11.00am

RSVP by: Tuesday 10th October 2017



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