

2018 Archdiocesan and Secular Calendar

January

- 1 Mary, the Holy Mother of God (Solemnity)
- 1 World Day of Peace (The Holy See)
- 1 New Year's Day Public Holiday (Monday)
- 5 School of the Word (plus all Fridays throughout the month) – Weekly prayer meeting with a talk based on Bible Reading – 5.40pm – 7.15pm - Cathedral of St Stephen Cloak Room
- 6 Centacare CFRS Pre-Marriage Education Group Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Bookings Ph 3252 4371
- 7 The Epiphany of the Lord (Solemnity)
- 8 The Baptism of the Lord (Feast)
- 13 Our Lady of Fatima devotion 7pm, St Paul's Church, Woodridge (Sunnybank PG)
- 11 - 14 Ignite Summer Camp for Teenagers in grades 7-12 in 2018 (QCCC Mapleton 70 Obi Obi Rd, Mapleton) Register at <https://rego.igniteyouth.com/summercamp18>
- 14 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
- 14 World Day of Migrants and Refugees (International)
- 16 – 30 Centacare CFRS FOCCUS Individual Couples Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Session 1: 16/1/18; Session 2: 23/1/18 ; Session 3: 30/1/18 from either 5.15pm or 6.30pm. Bookings Ph 3252 4371.
- 17 - 19 Brisbane Catholic Education (BCE) Professional Development and Planning Days
- 20 Centacare CFRS Pre-Marriage Education Group Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Bookings Ph 3252 4371
- 21 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
- 22 BCE Administration Day (Monday)
- 23 BCE School Term One begins (Term 1: 23 January – 29 March. 10 weeks duration)
- 25 Conversion of St Paul (Feast)
- 26 Australia Day Public Holiday (Friday)
- 28 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

February

- 1 – 15 Centacare CFRS FOCCUS Individual Couples Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Session 1: 1/2/18; Session 2: 8/2/18 ; Session 3: 15/2/18 from either 5.15pm or 6.30pm. Bookings Ph 3252 4371.
- 2 The Presentation of the Lord (Feast)
- 2 School of the Word (plus all Fridays throughout the month) – Weekly prayer meeting with a talk based on Bible Reading – 5.40pm – 7.15pm - Cathedral of St Stephen Cloak Room
- 4 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time
- 6 – 20 Centacare CFRS FOCCUS Individual Couples Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Session 1: 6/2/18; Session 2: 13/2/18 ; Session 3: 20/2/18 from either 5.15pm or 6.30pm. Bookings Ph 3252 4371.
- 9 Archbishop’s Curia Mass – 10am - Cathedral of St Stephen
- 10 Opening Event, CCR Brisbane Centre (9.30am-1.00pm)—Ecumenical National Day of Prayer and Healing
- 10 Centacare CFRS Pre-Marriage Education Group Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Bookings Ph 3252 4371
- 11 World Day of Prayer for the Sick (The Holy See)
- 11 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time – Project Compassion (ACBC)
- 11 Commencement of the Holy Spirit Seminary Academic Year
- 13 Anniversary of the Apology to Members of the Stolen Generation
- 13 Caritas Australia: Project Compassion Launch, 10.00am - Cathedral of St Stephen
- 13 Our Lady of Fatima devotion 7pm, St Paul’s Church, Woodridge (Sunnybank PG)
- 14 St Valentine’s Day
- 14 Ash Wednesday
- 18 First Sunday of Lent - Project Compassion (ACBC)
- 19 – Mar 19 Faber Centre of Ignatian Spirituality - First Spiritual Exercises as a Lenten Retreat (Available at either 10.30am-12pm or 7pm-8.30pm. Directed by Liz Kerr (held at St Ignatius Parish, Toowong) More details www.faberspirituality.org.au
- 22 Chair of St Peter (Feast)
- 22 – Mar 8 Centacare CFRS FOCCUS Individual Couples Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Session 1: 22/2/18; Session 2: 1/3/18 ; Session 3: 8/3/18 from either 5.15pm or 6.30pm. Bookings Ph 3252 4371.
- 24 Centacare CFRS Pre-Marriage Education Group Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Bookings Ph 3252 4371
- 25 Second Sunday of Lent

- 26 – Mar 26 Faber Centre of Ignatian Spirituality - First Spiritual Exercises (Held at 10.30am-12pm) Directed by Chris Kennedy and Lynne Head-Weir (held at Southport Parish, Gold Coast)
More details www.faberspirituality.org.au
- 27 – Mar 13 Centacare CFRS FOCCUS Individual Couples Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Session 1: 27/2/18; Session 2: 6/3/18; Session 3: 13/3/18 from either 5.15pm or 6.30pm. Bookings Ph 3252 4371.
- 28 – Mar 28 Faber Centre of Ignatian Spirituality - First Spiritual Exercises (Held at 10.30am-12pm) Directed by Cecilia Formby (held at St John the Baptist, Enoggera)
More details www.faberspirituality.org.au
- 28 Southside Healing Mass 6.45pm, St Bernard's Church, Upper Mt Gravatt (Beside Restful Waters PG)

March

- Mid-March Faber Centre of Ignatian Spirituality Retreat – Full Spiritual Exercises – 30 weeks in daily life throughout the year. Guided by a Faber Spiritual Director. More details www.faberspirituality.org.au
- 2 School of the Word (plus all Fridays throughout the month) – Weekly prayer meeting with a talk based on Bible Reading – 5.40pm – 7.15pm - Cathedral of St Stephen Cloak Room
- 3 Faber Centre of Ignatian Spirituality - Quiet Saturday “Living, Loving and the Mystical”. 1 day. Directed by Anne Dawson OSU and Kath Dwyer OSU. More details www.faberspirituality.org.au
- 4 Third Sunday of Lent
- 5 – May 14 Alpha @ Griffith, Gold Coast Campus (The Alpha Program will be run on the Gold Coast Campus of Griffith University twice this year - Mainly for students at Griffith University)
- 8 International Women's Day (UN)
- 8 Assembly of Catholic Professionals Luncheon, 12pm – 2pm – Brisbane CBD
- 10 Centacare CFRS Pre-Marriage Education Group Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Bookings Ph 3252 4371
- 11 Fourth Sunday of Lent
- 13 Our Lady of Fatima devotion 7pm, St Paul’s Church, Woodridge (Sunnybank PG)
- 15 – 29 Centacare CFRS FOCCUS Individual Couples Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Session 1: 15/3/18; Session 2: 22/3/18; Session 3: 29/3/18 from either 5.15pm or 6.30pm. Bookings Ph 3252 4371.
- 17 St Patrick (Solemnity)
- 17 CCR National Day of Prayer Rally/Discipleship Day, CCR Brisbane Centre (9.30am-4.30pm)
- 18 Fifth Sunday of Lent
- 19 St Joseph (Solemnity)
- 20 – Apr 3 Centacare CFRS FOCCUS Individual Couples Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Session 1: 20/3/18; Session 2: 27/3/18 ; Session 3: 3/4/18 from either 5.15pm or 6.30pm. Bookings Ph 3252 4371.
- 22 Chrism Mass – Cathedral of St Stephen
- 24 Iona Passion Play (Iona College, 85 North Road, Lindum) www.ipp.org.au
- 24 Centacare CFRS Pre-Marriage Education Group Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Bookings Ph 3252 4371
- 25 Palm Sunday – The Passion of the Lord (Solemnity)

- 28 Southside Healing Mass 6.45pm, St Bernard's Church, Upper Mt Gravatt (Beside Restful Waters PG)
- 29 Thursday of the Lord's Supper
- 30 Good Friday (Solemnity)
- 30 Iona Passion Play (Iona College, 85 North Road, Lindum) www.ipp.org.au
- 31 Holy Saturday (Easter Vigil)
- 31 Faber Centre of Ignatian Spirituality - "Two hours of Quiet". 7am – 9am. Directed by Chris Kennedy. More details www.faberspirituality.org.au

April

- 1 Easter Sunday (Solemnity with octave)
- 2 Easter Monday (Public Holiday)
- 5 – 19 Centacare CFRS FOCCUS Individual Couples Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Session 1: 5/4/18; Session 2: 12/4/18 ; Session 3: 19/4/18 from either 5.15pm or 6.30pm. Bookings Ph 3252 4371.
- 7 Faber Centre of Ignatian Spirituality - Quiet Saturday "Mt Coot-Tha Camino". 1 day. Directed by Min Wullens. More details www.faberspirituality.org.au
- 8 2nd Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy Sunday)
- 9 Annunciation of the Lord (Solemnity)
- 9 – 13 Movers and Shakers - A Christian leadership training program for young people in a safe and fun environment (James Byrne Centre, Toowoomba)
- 10 – May 1 Centacare CFRS FOCCUS Individual Couples Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Session 1: 10/4/18; Session 2: 17/4/18 ; Session 3: 1/5/18 from either 5.15pm or 6.30pm. Bookings Ph 3252 4371.
- 13 Our Lady of Fatima devotion 7pm, St Paul's Church, Woodridge (Sunnybank PG)
- 14 Centacare CFRS Pre-Marriage Education Group Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Bookings Ph 3252 4371
- 15 3rd Sunday of Easter
- 17 BCE School Term Two begins (Term 2: Tuesday 17 April – 29 June. 10 weeks duration)
- 22 4th Sunday of Easter
- 22 World Day of Prayer for Vocations (Holy See)
- 25 ANZAC Day (Wednesday) - Public Holiday
- 25 Southside Healing Mass 6.45pm, St Bernard's Church, Upper Mt Gravatt (Beside Restful Waters PG)
- 26 St Mark (Feast)
- 26 – May 10 Centacare CFRS FOCCUS Individual Couples Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Session 1: 26/4/18; Session 2: 3/5/18 ; Session 3: 10/3/18 from either 5.15pm or 6.30pm. Bookings Ph 3252 4371.
- 28 Faber Centre of Ignatian Spirituality - "Two hours of Quiet". 7am – 9am. Directed by Meredith Nicholls. More details www.faberspirituality.org.au
- 29 5th Sunday of Easter
- 28 Centacare CFRS Pre-Marriage Education Group Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Bookings Ph 3252 4371

May

- 3 Sts Philip and James (Feast)
- 5 Faber Centre of Ignatian Spirituality - Quiet Saturday "Consolation through the Creative Arts". 1 day. Directed by Lynne Head-Weir. More details www.faberspirituality.org.au
- 6 Feast of the Three Saints – St Filadelfo, St Alfio and St Cirino (Lutwyche Parish) – 10.00am Mass followed by Food Stalls, Procession and Entertainment from 12pm – 6pm; Procession at approx 2.00pm (nb - exact date tbc but likely based upon previous years)
- 7 Labour Day (Public Holiday)
- 8 – 22 Centacare CFRS FOCCUS Individual Couples Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Session 1: 8/5/18; Session 2: 15/5/18 ; Session 3: 22/5/18 from either 5.15pm or 6.30pm. Bookings Ph 3252 4371.
- 12 Centacare CFRS Pre-Marriage Education Group Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Bookings Ph 3252 4371
- 12 Ignite Launch – Live Music and Dance party (Movie World) Register at <https://igniteyouth.com/launch18>
- 13 The Ascension of the Lord (Solemnity)
- 13 Our Lady of Fatima devotion 7pm, St Paul's Church, Woodridge (Sunnybank PG)
- 13 Mother's Day
- 13 - 20 Week of Prayer for Christian Unity (ACBC)
- 17 Assembly of Catholic Professionals Luncheon, 12pm – 2pm – Brisbane CBD – DATE tbc
- 17 – 31 Centacare CFRS FOCCUS Individual Couples Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Session 1: 17/5/18; Session 2: 24/5/18 ; Session 3: 31/5/18 from either 5.15pm or 6.30pm. Bookings Ph 3252 4371.
- 19-20 Pentecost Retreat with Fr Ray Sanchez (Spanish Sunnybank PG)
- 20 Pentecost Sunday (Solemnity)
- 23 Southside Healing Mass 6.45pm, St Bernard's Church, Upper Mt Gravatt (Beside Restful Waters PG)
- 26 National Sorry Day
- 26 Faber Centre of Ignatian Spirituality - "Two hours of Quiet". 7am – 9am. Directed by Chris and Peter Webb. More details www.faberspirituality.org.au
- 26 Centacare CFRS Pre-Marriage Education Group Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Bookings Ph 3252 4371
- 27 The Most Holy Trinity (Solemnity)
- 27 – June 3 National Reconciliation Week

29 – June 12 Centacare CFRS FOCCUS Individual Couples Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Session 1: 29/5/18; Session 2: 5/6/18 ; Session 3: 12/6/18 from either 5.15pm or 6.30pm. Bookings Ph 3252 4371.

31 Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Feast)

June

2 Faber Centre of Ignatian Spirituality - Quiet Saturday “Desert and Grace”. 1 day. Directed by Clive Hamlin. More details www.faberspirituality.org.au

3 Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ – Corpus Christi (Solemnity)

3 Mabo Day

6 Queensland Day

6 State of Origin Game 1 – Melbourne

7 – 21 Centacare CFRS FOCCUS Individual Couples Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Session 1: 7/6/18; Session 2: 14/6/18 ; Session 3: 21/6/18 from either 5.15pm or 6.30pm. Bookings Ph 3252 4371.

10 10th Sunday in Ordinary Time

13 Our Lady of Fatima devotion 7pm, St Paul’s Church, Woodridge (Sunnybank PG)

16 Centacare CFRS Pre-Marriage Education Group Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Bookings Ph 3252 4371

17 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

19 – July 3 Centacare CFRS FOCCUS Individual Couples Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Session 1: 19/6/18; Session 2: 26/6/18 ; Session 3: 3/7/18 from either 5.15pm or 6.30pm. Bookings Ph 3252 4371.

24 Nativity of John the Baptist (Solemnity)

24 State of Origin Game 2 – Sydney (nb SUNDAY NIGHT GAME)

27 Southside Healing Mass 6.45pm, St Bernard’s Church, Upper Mt Gravatt (Beside Restful Waters PG)

28 – Jul 12 Centacare CFRS FOCCUS Individual Couples Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Session 1: 28/6/18; Session 2: 5/7/18 ; Session 3: 12/7/18 from either 5.15pm or 6.30pm. Bookings Ph 3252 4371.

29 Sts Peter and Paul (Solemnity)

30 Faber Centre of Ignatian Spirituality - “Two hours of Quiet- Mt Coot-Tha Winter Walking”. 7am – 9am. Directed by Min Wullems. More details www.faberspirituality.org.au

30 Centacare CFRS Pre-Marriage Education Group Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Bookings Ph 3252 4371

tbc Faber Centre of Ignatian Spirituality 3 Day Retreat in Daily Life “Called to be a Pilgrim”. Directed by Min Wullems. More details www.faberspirituality.org.au

July

- 1 The Coming of the Light (Torres Strait Islander Day remembering the coming of the Gospel to Torres Strait)
- 1 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time – National Aboriginal and TSI Sunday (ACBC)
- 2 – 9 NAIDOC Week
- 7 Faber Centre of Ignatian Spirituality - Quiet Saturday “Contemplative Therapy for those on the Autism Spectrum”. 1 day. Directed by Catherine Hefferan RSM and Rachel Lee Harris. More details www.faberspirituality.org.au
- 8 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time – Apostleship of the Sea (ACBC)
- 9 Institution of Brisbane Oratory in Formation seminarians as Acolytes
- 10 – 24 Centacare CFRS FOCCUS Individual Couples Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Session 1: 10/7/18; Session 2: 17/7/18 ; Session 3: 24/7/18 from either 5.15pm or 6.30pm. Bookings Ph 3252 4371.
- 11 State of Origin Game 3 – Suncorp Stadium
- 12 – 14 Proclaim 2018 Conference – Held in Brisbane
- 13 Our Lady of Fatima devotion 7pm, St Paul’s Church, Woodridge (Sunnybank PG)
- 14 Centacare CFRS Pre-Marriage Education Group Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Bookings Ph 3252 4371
- 15 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time
- 16 – Sept 24 Alpha @ Griffith, Gold Coast Campus (The Alpha Program will be run on the Gold Coast Campus of Griffith University twice this year - Mainly for students at Griffith University)
- 16 BCE School Term Three begins (Term 3: 16 July – 23 September. 10 weeks duration)
- 19 – Aug 2 Centacare CFRS FOCCUS Individual Couples Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Session 1: 19/7/18; Session 2: 26/7/18 ; Session 3: 2/8/18 from either 5.15pm or 6.30pm. Bookings Ph 3252 4371.
- 21 Discipleship Day, CCR Brisbane Centre (9.30am-4.30pm)
- 22 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time – Bible Sunday (ACBC)
- 25 St James (Feast)
- 25 Southside Healing Mass 6.45pm, St Bernard’s Church, Upper Mt Gravatt (Beside Restful Waters PG)

- 28 Faber Centre of Ignatian Spirituality - "Two hours of Quiet". 7am – 9am. Directed by Chris Webb. More details www.faberspirituality.org.au
- 28 Centacare CFRS Pre-Marriage Education Group Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Bookings Ph 3252 4371
- 29 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time
- 29 – Aug 4 Catholic Education Week 2018 (Official launch in Townsville Diocese)
- 31 – Aug 14 Centacare CFRS FOCCUS Individual Couples Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Session 1: 31/7/18; Session 2: 7/8/18 ; Session 3: 14/8/18 from either 5.15pm or 6.30pm. Bookings Ph 3252 4371.

August

- 5 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time
- 11 Centacare CFRS Pre-Marriage Education Group Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Bookings Ph 3252 4371
- 5 - 12 National Vocations awareness week (ACBC)
- 6 The Transfiguration of the Lord (Feast)
- 8 Solemn High Mass for the feast of Saint Mary of the Cross (5:30pm) and Clergy in the Archdiocese invited to dinner at the Oratory House, Annerley (7.30pm).
- 9 – 23 Centacare CFRS FOCCUS Individual Couples Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Session 1: 9/8/18; Session 2: 16/8/18 ; Session 3: 23/8/18 from either 5.15pm or 6.30pm. Bookings Ph 3252 4371.
- 10 St Lawrence (Feast)
- 11 CCR Brisbane AGM at CCR Brisbane Centre (9.30am-1pm)
- 12 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time
- 13 Our Lady of Fatima devotion 7pm, St Paul's Church, Woodridge (Sunnybank PG)
- 15 The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Solemnity) – Holy Day of Obligation
- 15 EKKA Wednesday Show Day (Public Holiday for Brisbane City Council area only)
- 18-19 Feast of St Filomena, Marian Valley (Sunnybank PG)
- 19 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time
- 20 – 26 Migrant and Refugee Week (Australia) tbc
- 21 – Sept 4 Centacare CFRS FOCCUS Individual Couples Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Session 1: 21/8/18; Session 2: 28/8/18 ; Session 3: 4/9/18 from either 5.15pm or 6.30pm. Bookings Ph 3252 4371.
- 22 Southside Healing Mass 6.45pm, St Bernard's Church, Upper Mt Gravatt (Beside Restful Waters PG)
- 24 St Bartholomew (Feast)
- 24 Assembly of Catholic Professionals Luncheon, 12pm – 2pm – Brisbane CBD - DATE tbc
- 24-26 Women of the Way Retreat

- 25 Faber Centre of Ignatian Spirituality - "Two hours of Quiet". 9am – 11am. Directed by Meredith Nicholls. More details www.faberspirituality.org.au
- 25 Centacare CFRS Pre-Marriage Education Group Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Bookings Ph 3252 4371
- 26 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time
- 26 World Refugees and Migration Day (Holy See)
- 26 Multicultural Mass – Cathedral of St Stephen. Followed by food and cultural presentations on Cathedral grounds
- 30 – Sep 13 Centacare CFRS FOCCUS Individual Couples Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Session 1: 30/8/18; Session 2: 6/9/18 ; Session 3: 13/9/18 from either 5.15pm or 6.30pm. Bookings Ph 3252 4371.
- tbc Faber Centre of Ignatian Spirituality 3 Day Retreat in Daily Life "Called to be a Pilgrim". Directed by Min Wullems. More details www.faberspirituality.org.au

September

- 1 Retreat with Fr Ray Sanchez (English Sunnybank PG)
- 1 Faber Centre of Ignatian Spirituality - Quiet Saturday "Sounding Solitude". 1 day. Directed by Catherine Hefferan RSM and Peter Heaney FSC. More details www.faberspirituality.org.au
- 1 World Day of Prayer for Creation (Holy See)
- 1 - 2 Annual Catholic Campaign Introduction Weekend
- 2 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
- 2 Father's Day
- 4 – 8 National Catholic Communications Congress – Held in Brisbane
- 8 Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Feast)
- 8 - 9 Annual Catholic Campaign Commitment Weekend
- 9 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time – Child Protection Sunday (ACBC – NB but observed in October in Brisbane)
- 11 – 25 Centacare CFRS FOCCUS Individual Couples Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Session 1: 11/9/18; Session 2: 18/9/18 ; Session 3: 25/9/18 from either 5.15pm or 6.30pm. Bookings Ph 3252 4371.
- 13 Our Lady of Fatima devotion 7pm, St Paul's Church, Woodridge (Sunnybank PG)
- 14 Exaltation of the Holy Cross (Feast)
- 15 Centacare CFRS Pre-Marriage Education Group Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Bookings Ph 3252 4371
- 16 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time
- 20 – Oct 4 Centacare CFRS FOCCUS Individual Couples Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Session 1: 20/9/18; Session 2: 27/9/18 ; Session 3: 4/10/18 from either 5.15pm or 6.30pm. Bookings Ph 3252 4371.
- 21 St Matthew (Feast)
- 23 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time
- 26 Southside Healing Mass 6.45pm, St Bernard's Church, Upper Mt Gravatt (Beside Restful Waters PG)
- 27 – 30 Ignite Conference 2018 - a national Catholic youth conference held in Brisbane for adults, students, kids, ministry leaders, teachers, priests and religious (Mueller Performing Arts Centre, 75 Morris Rd, Rothwell) Register at <https://igniteyouth.com/conference18>

- 29 Sts Michael, Gabriel & Raphael (Feast)
- 29 National Police Remembrance Day (date tbc)
- 29 Faber Centre of Ignatian Spirituality - "Two hours of Quiet". 7am – 9am. Directed by Chris Webb. More details www.faberspirituality.org.au
- 29 AFL Grand Final
- 30 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Social Justice Sunday (ACBC)
- 30 NRL Rugby League Grand Final

October (October is MISSION month or *Socktober*)

- 1 Queen's Birthday (Public Holiday)
- 2 – 16 Centacare CFRS FOCCUS Individual Couples Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Session 1: 2/10/18; Session 2: 9/10/18 ; Session 3: 16/10/18 from either 5.15pm or 6.30pm. Bookings Ph 3252 4371.
- 6 Centacare CFRS Pre-Marriage Education Group Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Bookings Ph 3252 4371
- 6 Faber Centre of Ignatian Spirituality - Quiet Saturday "Exploring Ignatian Spirituality". 1 day. Directed by Meredith Nicholls. More details www.faberspirituality.org.au
- 6 Golden Weddings Mass – Cathedral of St Stephen - 10am
- 7 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time
- 8 – Nov 12 Faber Centre of Ignatian Spirituality - First Spiritual Exercises (Held at 10.30am-12pm) Directed by Chris Kennedy and Lynne Head-Weir (held at Burleigh Heads Parish, Gold Coast) More details www.faberspirituality.org.au
- 9 BCE School Term Four begins (Term 4: 9 October – 7 December. 9 weeks duration)
- 11 Assembly of Catholic Professionals Luncheon, 12pm – 2pm – Brisbane CBD – DATE tbc
- 11 – 25 Centacare CFRS FOCCUS Individual Couples Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Session 1: 20/9/18; Session 2: 27/9/18 ; Session 3: 4/10/18 from either 5.15pm or 6.30pm. Bookings Ph 3252 4371.
- 13 Our Lady of Fatima devotion 7pm, St Paul's Church, Woodridge (Sunnybank PG)
- 14 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time
- 18 St Luke (Feast)
- 21 World Mission Day (Holy See)
- 21 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time
- 22 BCE Moderation / CTJ Day (Pupil free day)
- 24 Southside Healing Mass 6.45pm, St Bernard's Church, Upper Mt Gravatt (Beside Restful Waters PG)
- 23 – Nov 6 Centacare CFRS FOCCUS Individual Couples Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Session 1: 23/10/18; Session 2: 30/10/18 ; Session 3: 6/11/18 from either 5.15pm or 6.30pm. Bookings Ph 3252 4371.
- 27 Faber Centre of Ignatian Spirituality - "Two hours of Quiet". 7am – 9am. Directed by Min Wullems. More details www.faberspirituality.org.au
- 27 Centacare CFRS Pre-Marriage Education Group Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Bookings Ph 3252 4371

- 28 Sts Simon and Jude (Feast)
- 28 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time
- November** (the month dedicated to the *Holy Souls*)
- 1 All Saints Day (Solemnity)
- 1 – 15 Centacare CFRS FOCCUS Individual Couples Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Session 1: 1/11/18; Session 2: 8/11/18 ; Session 3: 15/11/18 from either 5.15pm or 6.30pm. Bookings Ph 3252 4371.
- 2 The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed/All Soul's Day
- 3 Faber Centre of Ignatian Spirituality - Quiet Saturday "Called to be Fully Alive". 1 day. Directed by Kerry Holland. More details www.faberspirituality.org.au
- 4 Anglican Roman Catholic Reconciliation (ACBC)
- 4 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time
- 6 Melbourne Cup Day
- 9 Dedication of the Lateran Basilica (Feast)
- 11 Remembrance Day
- 11 Retreat with Fr Ray Sanchez (Spanish Sunnybank PG)
- 11 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
- 13 Our Lady of Fatima devotion 7pm, St Paul's Church, Woodridge (Sunnybank PG)
- 13 – 27 Centacare CFRS FOCCUS Individual Couples Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Session 1: 13/11/18; Session 2: 20/11/18 ; Session 3: 27/11/18 from either 5.15pm or 6.30pm. Bookings Ph 3252 4371.
- 17 Centacare CFRS Pre-Marriage Education Group Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Bookings Ph 3252 4371
- 18 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
- 22 – Dec 6 Centacare CFRS FOCCUS Individual Couples Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Session 1: 22/11/18; Session 2: 29/11/18 ; Session 3: 6/12/18 from either 5.15pm or 6.30pm. Bookings Ph 3252 4371.
- 24 CCR Brisbane End of Year Celebration at CCR Brisbane Centre (9.30am-1pm)
- 24 Faber Centre of Ignatian Spirituality - "Two hours of Quiet". 7am – 9am. Directed by Clive Hamlin. More details www.faberspirituality.org.au
- 25 Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe (Solemnity)
- 28 Southside Healing Mass 6.45pm, St Bernard's Church, Upper Mt Gravatt (Beside Restful Waters PG)
- 28 Finish of the Holy Spirit Seminary Academic Year

tbc Faber Centre of Ignatian Spirituality 3 Day Retreat in Daily Life “Called to be a Pilgrim”. Directed by Min Wullems. More details www.faberspirituality.org.au

December

- 1 Centacare CFRS Pre-Marriage Education Group Programme, (Venue: Centacare CFCS Conference Room, 58 Morgan St, Fortitude Valley). Bookings Ph 3252 4371
- 1 Faber Centre of Ignatian Spirituality - Quiet Saturday “Love is fire both Human and Divine”. 1 day. Directed by Mary Robson. More details www.faberspirituality.org.au
- 2 1st Sunday of Advent
- 2 Cathedral of St Stephen Advent Fair; from 8am until 1.00pm
- 4 Anniversary of the Dedication of the Cathedral of St Stephen
- 8 The Immaculate Conception of Blessed Virgin Mary (Solemnity)
- 9 2nd Sunday of Advent
- 13 Our Lady of Fatima devotion 7pm, St Paul’s Church, Woodridge (Sunnybank PG)
- 16 3rd Sunday of Advent
- 23 4th Sunday of Advent
- 24 Christmas Eve (Monday)
- 25 The Nativity of the Lord (Christmas) – Solemnity with Octave - Holy Day of Obligation (Public Holiday)
- 26 St Stephen (Feast)
- 26 Boxing Day (Public Holiday)
- 28 St John (Feast)
- 30 The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph (Feast)
- 31 New Year’s Eve (Tuesday)

LOOKING AHEAD – ASH WEDNESDAY – MARCH 6, 2019 ; EASTER - APRIL 21, 2019

Please note below are significant feast days observed by particular ethnic communities

The Three Holy Hierarchs (St. Basil, St. Gregory, St. John Chrysostom)	30 Jan
Saint Blaise/Sv Vlaho (Dubrovnik)	3 Feb
Saint Josephine Bakhita	8 Feb
Saint Maroun	9 Feb
San Giuseppe (Saint Joseph's Day)	19 Mar
Holy and Glorious Pascha - Fesakh – Hajmeh (on the first ecclesiastical full moon on or after March 21)	
Saint Rafqa	23 Mar
San Pedro Calungsod	2 Apr
Three Saints – Alfio, Filadelfo & Cirino (Brisbane)	3 May
Giovanni Battista Scalabrini (Father to the Migrants)	1 Jun
The 120 Martyrs of China	9 Jul
Santa Teresa de los Andes	13 Jul
Saint Charbel (3rd Sunday in July)	21 Jul
Saint Alphonsa	28 Jul
San Alberto Hurtado	18 August
Saint Rose of Lima	24 Aug
Our Lady of Czestochowa	26 Aug
Our Lady of Vailankanni	8 Sep
Saint Teresa of Calcutta	5 Sep
Eid Al- Salib or the Feast of Holy Cross	13 Sep
Saint Andrew Kim and Korean Martyrs	20 Sep

Padre Pio of Pietrelcina	23 Sep
San Lorenzo Ruiz	27 Sep
Protection of the Blessed Virgin Mary	1 Oct
Our Lady of Aparecida	12 Oct
Saint Laura Montoya y Upegui	21 Oct
The Lord of Miracles	26 Oct
Our Lady of 33 Orientals	9 Nov
Martyrs of Vietnam	24 Nov
Blessed Anuarite Nengapata Clementina	1 Dec
Our Lady of Guadalupe (patroness - Catholic Chaplaincy of Brisbane)	12 Dec
Saint Juan Diego of Cuauhtlatoatzin	7 Dec

Special Commemorations On Sunday

The practice of observing some Sundays in the year as days on which matters that pertain to the life and mission of the Church are commemorated has become a feature of the average Australian parish. Some of these commemorations are mandated from the Holy See, and others have emerged from various national Church agencies and secular organisations. Those special causes which are officially designated by the Holy See or the Australian Catholic Bishops Conference (ACBC) are marked accordingly in the calendar.

Resources for these special days/weeks are provided by the relevant agency, not by Liturgy Brisbane

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