

Diocese of Brisbane—Parish of Rosewood **Qican** Rosewood, Marburg, Lowood, Hidden Vale

20 OCTOBER 2024 TWENTY SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



Today's Services Saint Luke's, Rosewood 8:00am (Rev'd John Simons) 5:00pm (Rev'd John Simons) All Saints, Marburg 10:30am Morning Prayer Saint Anne's, Hidden Vale 10:30am (Rev'd John Simons)

Next Week Saint Luke's, Rosewood 8:00am (Rev'd John Simons) 5:00pm (Rev'd John Simons) All Saints, Marburg 10:30am (Rev'd John Simons) Café Church, Lowood 3:00pm (Rev'd John Simons)

Today's Bible Readings

Isaiah 53.4-12 Psalm 91.9-16 Hebrews 5.1 - 10Mark 10.35-45

Reflect on today's sentence

The Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many. Mark 10.45

As we gather in the various churches of our parish, we acknowledge the traditional custodians of this land, the Jagera, Yuggera and Ugarapul peoples, and their elders past and present. We honour the connection the traditional custodians have with this land.

Prayer of the Day

God of unchangeable power, when the heaven and earth were made, the morning stars sang together and the host of heaven shouted for joy: open our eyes to the wonders of creation

and teach us to use all things for good, to the honour of your glorious name; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,

one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Prayer for the Archdeaconry

Loving God, let us be people of courage. Speak to the depths within our hearts and souls; the places where we ask the questions of meaning and faith and purpose. Help us attend to the answers, help us recognize what makes us afraid, what paralyses and holds us back. Let us understand these things, and then with love, with humour, courage and humility let us teach and learn, dream, and imagine and with every action, every word, work towards the vision of Your Kingdom among us. In Jesus's Name. **Amen**.

Rev'd John's Sermon Outline

MARK 10: 32-45

* vs 32. Jesus demonstrates selfless determination in carrying out His Father's will. His disciples were astonished and afraid.

* vs 37. James and John demonstrate selfish determination in persuing their own desires

* vs 45 . Jesus teaches his disciples what true greatness is really about. LESSONS today for us as God's church.

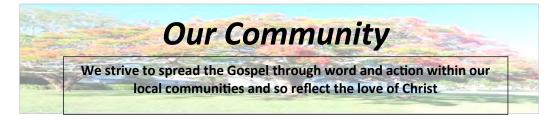
1. We learn how determination is easily



corrupted .James /John wanted to pursue their own ambitions.

2.True greatness is found only in a determination to die to self and serve others : John 3:30 ; Phil 2:3-5

3.Jesus our Model and our means for true greatness. The Holy Spirit to guide us. The old has gone, the new is here: 2 Cor 5:17 Scripture memory verse: Heb 12:2 "Let us fix our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfector of our Faith"



Markets Co-Ordinator on Break

Janet will be taking a well-earned break for the December, February and March markets, and we'll need a co-ordinator to fill in. If you can help please see Janet or a Warden and she can give you a run through at next Saturday's market.

Parish Outreach

Bible Study

Bible Study continues in the St. Luke's Hall on Mondays at 1pm and Tuesdays at 10am. Studies are led by Rev'd John Simons. Everyone is invited to attend. **Morning Prayer**

9:00am Tuesdays in the Outreach Centre, Rosewood. All welcome!

Friends on Friday

The Op Shop is open for cuppas and chats Friday , 9am-12pm

Men's Group

6:00pm on the last Monday of the month. Come along for a meal, fellowship and a guest speaker.



20 Oct—Movie, "Courageous" 3pm 27 Oct—Café Church, Lowood 30 Nov—Parish Christmas party 1 Dec—Election of officers 8 Dec—Archbishop's visit

Why we should be a praying Church

Martin Luther: "Prayer is the most important thing in my life. If I should neglect prayer for a single day, I should lose a great deal of the fire of faith."

John Wesley: "I have so much to do that I must spend several hours in prayer before I am able to do it."

Billy Graham: "Every person whose life has counted for the church or for the Kingdom of God has been a man of prayer. You cannot afford to be too busy to pray. A prayerless Christian is a powerless Christian."

Prayer Requests We give thanks for prayers answered and ask for continued prayers for: Desree Crawford & family, Penny & Bernie Montgomery, Jayke, Robyn, Jenny, Bryan and family, Leone, parishioners in the congregation of Saint Luke's. *Pray for those whose need is ongoing:* Tyson, Jan Embrey, Yvonne and Ian Hillard, Enid and Susanne Mallon.

Parish Directory

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"Forget the former things; do not dwell on the past. See, I am doing a new thing! Now it springs up; do you not perceive it?" Isaiah 43.18—19

> Giving: Envelopes are available at each centre. To deposit offerings: Anglican Parish of Rosewood BSB 704 901 A/c 00008030