



EDMONTON CATHOLIC PARISH

St Thérèse Church

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Kirby & Eddy are happy to receive ideas about how we keep our parishioners safe and listen to your concerns about safeguarding. They will deal with all matters sensitively and confidentially.

Reconciliation: Before Mass and by appointment

Priest for Emergency: 0409 622 392

Gordonvale Sunday Masses **Edmonton Sunday Masses**
Sat Vigil 6.00pm Sunday morning 8.00am 10.00am and 5.00pm

For Service times across the Diocese: 4051 1990 or www.cairns.catholic.org.au

A Welcoming Parish: Under the patronage of St Thérèse of Lisieux

Sun 1/6	The Ascension of The Lord 8.00am Mass Gordonvale 10.00am Mass Edmonton 5.00pm Mass Edmonton Seminary Appeal	Thurs 5/6	8.00am Mass, Benediction, Holy Hour, Sacrament of Anointing 6.30pm Young Adults Group
Mon 2/6	7.00pm Rosary 4.30pm Sacramental Session	Fri 6/6	8.00am Mass Gordonvale - Exposition of Blessed Sacrament, Holy Hour, Benediction
Tues 3/6	8.00am Mass	Sat 7/6	6.00pm Vigil Mass Gordonvale
Wed 4/6	9.30am Mass Gordonvale with Sacrament of Anointing 7.00pm Prayer and Praise	Sun 8/6	Pentecost Sunday 8.00am Mass Gordonvale 10.00am Mass Edmonton 5.00pm Mass Edmonton Shared Morning Tea Launch of Synod St Monica's 10.00am

PICCONE'S  VILLAGE
Edmonton - Feel Good!

We acknowledge the Yidinji (Yidiny) people, our land's traditional stewards and custodians.

R.I.P. Lord of Life raise up in glory all those who have died recently, especially Helen Marsh and Denise O'Rourke and those whose anniversaries occur about this time, Molly Craig, Wendy Szymanski, Dino Sorbello, John Hayes, Vince Nicholas, Grazia Chillemi, Carmel Portelli, Sam Mauloni, Alexander Kavalnal, Anthony Allan, Jimmy Bragg, Caterina Calaberetta, Primo Melchiori, Lena Mauloni, Jack Martin

1 June 2025	10.00am	5.00pm
Commentator/Reader	Tutoe Family	Will Family
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Minister of Communion	W Wood A Obeyesekere	
PowerPoint	Vera	M Gaul
Church Cleaning 8/6	S Brasset & T Jankowski	
Flowers 8/6	T Soares	
8 June 2025	10.00am	5.00pm
Commentator/Reader	M Shay	I Davis
Commentator/Reader	Brigid O'Brien	M Burnham
Minister of Communion	G Will L Beck	
PowerPoint	Vera	M Dunstan
Church Cleaning 15/6	M Creswell	
Flowers 15/6	I Lee	

Pentecost Sunday – Sunday June 8 is the Feast of Pentecost. Here at St Therese's, we celebrate Pentecost with community participation during both the Mass and afterwards at a shared Brunch highlighting our cultural culinary diversity. This is now a much-loved parish tradition and part of our culture of hospitality. You are all invited to a shared brunch after the 10.00am Mass on Pentecost Sunday. Would you kindly bring a dish depicting your cultural heritage to share with your parish family.

Launch of the Synod - Pentecost Sunday, 8th June

Plenary Session: Saturday 14 June 10.00 – 4.00

Thank you to everyone who expressed interest in becoming a Synod Member or registered for the Plenary Consultation Event. Expressions of interest and registrations are now closed, but we ask all parishioners to continue praying for the Synod and all involved, that the Holy Spirit may guide us in shaping the future of our Church in Cairns.

St Monica's College warmly invites you to our Garden Party High Tea on Saturday, June 7th, 2025. The event will feature a fashion parade, entertainment, a door prize and a chance to win prizes in our raffle!

\$80.00 per ticket link to obtain tickets is

<https://www.trybooking.com/DBKGQ>

All proceeds will be donated to **COUCH**.

Seminary Appeal This weekend 31st May/1st June

Your gift to support Holy Spirit Seminary at Banyo provides a home for the education and formation of Catholic priests. Holy Spirit Seminary serves the five dioceses of Queensland. You can support our seminarians through your prayers, by recognising and encouraging young men who might be called to serve the Church as priests, and through a donation. A collection will be taken up this weekend.

Reach Young Adults Group

Are you aged 18-35? Come and join us for faith discussion, food and fellowship.

When: Every Thursday 6:30pm (starting 5th June)

Where: St Therese's Church

Any questions contact Brigid O'Brien 0403990277

National Reconciliation Week: Message from Bishop Joe:

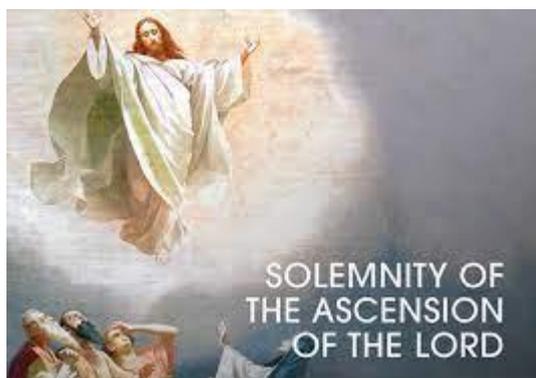
'National Reconciliation Week is a time for all Australians to reflect on our shared history and to renew our commitment to healing and unity.

The week begins on 27th May, the anniversary of the 1967 Referendum, when Australians voted to amend the Constitution to recognise Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples. It ends on 3 June, the anniversary of the 1992 Mabo decision, when the High Court recognised native title and rejected the notion of terra nullius – the false claim that this land belonged to no one before European settlement.

We are called to hear the truth of our past, to honour the dignity of every person, and to work together for justice, healing and reconciliation in our land.

Let us continue to build bridges, from now to next, as we walk the path of truth, hope and peace.

Yours sincerely in Christ. Joseph Caddy Am



The Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord commemorates the fortieth day after the Resurrection when Jesus ascended body and soul into Heaven. The Ascension of Jesus, whereby He is glorified at the Father's right hand and made 'ruler of everything', does not signal His departure from our midst. It points rather to a new mode of presence that will endure 'until the end of the world.' In the meantime, it is our vocation, as His church, to reveal Him (St Paul's Sunday Missal)