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### MASS TIMES

<b>Monday</b>	9.15am St Catherine's
<b>Tuesday</b>	9.15am St Bernard's
<b>Wednesday</b>	7.00am St Catherine's
<b>Thursday</b>	7.00am St Bernard's
<b>Friday</b>	8.00am St Bernard's 9.30am St Martin's
<b>Saturday</b>	5.00pm St Bernard's 6.15pm St Catherine's
<b>Sunday</b>	6.30am St Bernard's 7.30am St Martin's 8.30am St Catherine's 9.30am St Bernard's 5.00pm St Bernard's

### RECONCILIATION

**St Bernard's:** Saturdays 4.00pm  
**St Catherine's:** By appointment

### BAPTISMS, WEDDINGS, FUNERALS

by arrangement with the  
Parish Office.

# Upper Mt Gravatt Wishart Catholic Parish



St Bernard's, Upper Mt Gravatt  
St Martin's, Eight Mile Plains  
St Catherine's, Wishart

*Guided by the Holy Spirit, we aim to be an evangelising, faith-filled parish whose members care for one another and are welcoming and inclusive.*

*The Upper Mt Gravatt Wishart Catholic Parish acknowledges the Jagera and Turrbal people, the traditional custodians on whose lands we live, work and worship.*

### THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH, YEAR C

28 / 29 December 2024

**READINGS:** 1 Samuel 1:20-22, 24-28;  
1 John 3:1-2, 21-24

**GOSPEL:** Luke 2:41-52



**THE PARISH OFFICE IS CLOSED**  
and will re-open on Monday 13 January at 8.30am.

For **EMERGENCIES ONLY** while we are closed,  
please call 3849 7158 and leave your **name, number and a  
short message** on the answering machine.

### WE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED

We pray for those who have died recently. Also Domenico Dileo, Tom Begg, Gus Sim, Laura Sim, Rita Galea, Priyadarshani Bandara, Nudge Noonan, Gwen Hemmings, Neville Wilson, Merle Gibbs whom we remember.



### BAPTISMS

We congratulate

**Samuel Robert Watson**, son of Madeline & Andrew;  
**Hayden (Christopher) Karsten Hadde**, son of Eudo & Si;  
**Henry Matthew Brammer**, son of Michael & Hannah.

They will be baptised in the Parish this weekend.

### ENTRANCE: *ANGELS WE HAVE HEARD ON HIGH*

Angels we have heard on high sweetly singing o'er the plains,  
and the mountains in reply echoing their joyous strains.

**Refrain:** *Gloria in excelsis Deo! Gloria in excelsis Deo!*

Shepherds, why this jubilee? Why your joyous strains prolong?  
Say what may the tidings be which inspire your heav'nly song. **Refrain**  
Come to Bethlehem and see - Him whose birth the angels sing;  
come, adore on bended knee Christ, the Lord, the newborn King. **Refrain**

Text and music: French Traditional carol.

### GLORIA

**Refrain:** *Glory to God in the highest,  
and on earth peace to people of good will.*

We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you,  
we give you thanks for your great glory,  
Lord God heavenly King, O God, almighty father. **Refrain**

Lord Jesus Christ, Only begotten son,  
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the father,  
you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us;  
you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer;  
you are seated at the right hand of the father,  
have mercy on us. **Refrain**

For you alone are the holy one, You alone are the Lord,  
you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,  
with the Holy Spirit, In the glory of God, the Father. **Refrain**

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## RESPONSORIAL PSALM: *PSALM 83*

All: How happy they who dwell in your house,  
O Lord.

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## GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

**Antiphon:** *Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!*

Open, O Lord, open our hearts, to listen to the words of Your Son. Open our hearts, O Lord.

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## APOSTLE'S CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
Creator of heaven and earth,  
and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died and was buried;  
he descended into hell;  
on the third day he rose again from the dead;  
he ascended into heaven,  
and is seated at the right hand of  
God the Father almighty;  
from there he will come to judge the living and the dead.  
I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic Church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and life everlasting.  
Amen.

## EUCARISTIC ACCLAMATION

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we proclaim your Death, O Lord, until you come again.

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## COMMUNION: *GIFT OF GOD*

**Refrain:** *Gift of God, O Emmanuel.*  
*Gift of God, O Emmanuel.*

1. Word of mercy, word of justice:  
Gift of God, O Emmanuel.  
Word of prophets, word of poets:  
Gift of God, O Emmanuel.  
Holy Word of God made flesh.
3. You are bread for all who hunger:  
Gift of God, O Emmanuel.  
You are drink for all the thirsting:  
Gift of God, O Emmanuel.  
You are sacrifice and feast.
7. To a world that yearns for meaning:  
Gift of God, O Emmanuel.  
To a world of many hungers:  
Gift of God, O Emmanuel.  
Comes the Living Bread of Life.

**Refrain**

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## SONG OF PRAISE: *WHAT CHILD IS THIS*

1. What child is this, who, laid to rest,  
on Mary's lap is sleeping?  
Whom angels greet with anthems sweet,  
while shepherds watch are keeping?

**Refrain:** *This, this is Christ the King,  
whom shepherds guard and angels  
sing; Haste, haste to bring him laud,  
the babe, the son of Mary.*

3. So bring him incense, gold, and myrrh,  
come peasant, King, to own him;  
the King of kings salvation brings,  
let loving hearts enthrone him.

Text: William C Dix 1827-1898. Music: English melody, 16th Century.

## RECESSIONAL: *JOY TO THE WORLD*

1. Joy to the world! the Lord is come;  
Let earth receive her King;  
Let ev'ry heart prepare him room,  
and heav'n and nature sing,  
and heav'n and nature sing,  
and heav'n and nature sing.

2. Joy to the earth! the Savior reigns;  
Let us our songs employ;  
While fields and floods,  
rocks, hills and plains  
repeat the sounding joy,  
repeat the sounding joy,  
repeat, repeat the sounding joy.

3. He rules the world with truth and grace,  
and makes the nations prove  
the glories of his righteousness,  
and wonders of his love,  
and wonders of his love,  
and wonders, wonders of his love.

Text: Psalm 98, Isaac Watts. Music: ANTIOCH from George F Handel.

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## THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD, YEAR C

4 / 5 January 2025

### READINGS

**Isaiah 60:1-6**

The glory of the Lord shines upon you.

**Ephesians 3:2-3, 5-6**

The revelation means that pagans now share the same inheritance, that they are parts of the same body.

### GOSPEL

**Matthew 2:1-12**

We have come from the East to worship the king.

*On behalf of the Parish Office staff, we wish everyone a safe, healthy, and joyous New Year.  
Thank you for your continued support and we look forward to seeing you in 2025!*

