

## DEANERY COLLABORATION

### Deanery Pastoral Council

David & Veronica Colch      ph: 3899 1725

## YOUNG PEOPLE

### Youth Ministry

Engaging youth aged 14-16 through regular Masses and meetings.

Contact: stthomas@bne.catholic.net.au

### Playgroup

Meet at 9.30am each Monday morning during School Term in Parish Hall. For children aged 0-5.  
Coordinator: Amanda Bidston      ph: 0409 265 530

## SPIRITUALITY & PRAYER

### Adoration & Benediction

Held the first Friday of each month at 9.30am.  
Rosary Prayed after weekday morning Masses.

### Reconciliation

Saturday evenings 5.00-5.20pm

### Deanery Scripture Study Group

Meet regularly throughout the year to study the scriptures. Register interest by email at:  
stthomas@bne.catholic.net.au

### Knights of the Southern Cross

An Order of Catholic men offering spiritual and personal growth through prayer and mutual support.  
Contact: Bob Longland      ph: 3395 3972;

## SOCIAL

### Parish Camp

Family-friendly parish event held in the 1st week of Sept school holidays at Lake Ainsworth Holiday Park, Lennox Head NSW.

Contact: Tammie Davies      ph: 0404 883 499

### Mahjong

Played each Friday from 9:30am to 1:30 pm in Hall.  
Contact: Pam Harmer      ph: 3398 7853

## PARISH ADMINISTRATION

**Parish Priest: Fr Dantus Thottathil**

Email: thottathild@bne.catholic.net.au

**Parish Secretary: Shanti Suppiah**

Email: stthomas@bne.catholic.net.au

**Children's Ministry Coordinator (CMC):**

**Sr Analissa Balderama**

Email: cmc.stthomas@bne.catholic.net.au

### Office Hours:

Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri      8:30am - 1:30 pm

*NB: Parish Office is closed each Wednesday*

### Parish Office:

31 Perth Street, Camp Hill, 4152

Postal Address:

PO Box 685, Coorparoo, 4151

Phone: 3398 1154

Email: stthomas@bne.catholic.net.au

### The community gathers to celebrate the Eucharist:

Saturday Evening      5:30 pm

Sunday Morning      8:30 am

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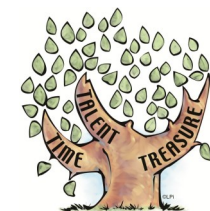
Monday & Tuesday      7:00 am

Thursday & Friday      9:00 am



## Parish of St Thomas the Apostle Camp Hill

### Ministry & Service



St Thomas the Apostle Parish serves the Catholic community of Camp Hill. Our patron, St Thomas, was one of the Twelve called by Jesus. He is often remembered for his moment of doubt, though as an Apostle he witnessed to the risen Christ, professing faith in Jesus as 'My Lord and my God'. We share the faith of St Thomas and are called to give witness to it.

Our parish has a strong community spirit. We welcome all who come here. Everyone in our community is invited to share of their time, talents and resources in service of the parish and the mission of the Church.

Within this booklet you will find a description of the groups and ministries active within our parish. It is the contribution of our parishioner's to these ministries which makes St Thomas' a vibrant parish. **Most ministries require commitment once per month, or less, and training is provided if needed.** Thank you for your consideration.



## OUR COMMUNITY



### PARISH LEADERSHIP

#### Parish Pastoral Council

*Meets monthly to collaborate with the Pastor on pastoral issues.*

Chair: Michael Williamson      ph: 3398 1154

#### Parish Finance Council

*Meets monthly to collaborate, plan and budget the Parish's finances.*

Chair: Anthony Oostenbroek      ph: 0419 027 340

#### Liturgy Committee

*Meets monthly to prepare for various celebrations for the liturgical seasons and feasts.*

Contact: Parish Office      ph: 3398 1154

#### Local Safeguarding Representative (LSR)

David Colch      [lstr.stthomas@bne.catholic.net.au](mailto:lstr.stthomas@bne.catholic.net.au)

### LITURGICAL MINISTRY

#### Mass Organiser

*Responsible for setting up the church for the celebration of the Eucharist.*

Contact: Parish Office      ph: 3398 1154

#### Altar Server

*Young people ( 8 years +) are invited to serve at the altar.*

Contact: Sr Analissa, CMC      ph: 3398 1154

#### Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion

*Assists the priest in distributing Holy Communion at Masses.*

Contact: Parish Office      ph: 3398 1154

#### Reading

*Proclaim the Word of God during the Eucharist at weekend Mass.*

Contact: Parish Office      ph: 3398 1154

#### Children's Liturgy of the Word

*Provides for the young children of the community to hear the Sunday gospel during Mass.*

Contact: Sr Analissa, CMC      ph: 3398 1154

#### Music Ministry

*Involves planning music for our celebrations and singers and instrumentalists who lead the assembly in song.*

Contact: Parish Office      ph: 3398 1154

#### Audio Visual Operator

*Operate the screens during Mass*

Contact: Parish Office      ph: 3398 1154

#### Collectors

*Take collections at Mass each weekend.*

Contact: Parish Office      ph: 3398 1154

### MINISTRY OUTSIDE MASS

#### Hospitality (Welcome)

*Provides an important welcome to those arriving for liturgical celebrations.*

Contact: Parish Office      ph: 3398 1154

#### Hospitality (Morning Tea)

*Prepares morning tea for the community following the Sunday morning Mass.*

Contact: Parish Office      ph: 3398 1154

#### Floral Decoration

*Enhance the church environment through flowers for Masses and special celebrations.*

Contact: Parish Office      ph: 3398 1154

#### Counting Weekly Collections

*Counting & recording weekly collections as part of a team of two, usually on a Monday morning.*

Contact: Parish Office      ph: 3398 1154

#### Church Laundry

*Washing church linen as required.*

Contact: Parish Office      ph: 3398 1154

### SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

#### Baptism Preparation Team

*Required maximum once a month on a roster basis to prepare families wishing to baptise their child at St Thomas'.*

Contact: Parish Office      ph: 3398 1154

#### Baptism Hospitality Team

*Welcome families on the day of the Baptism and assist Fr Dantus with the baptism ceremony.*

Contact: Parish Office      ph: 3398 1154

#### Sacramental Team

*Support our Children's Ministry Coordinator to prepare children to celebrate Confirmation, First Holy Communion & Reconciliation.*

Contact: Sr Analissa, CMC      ph: 3398 1154

### COMMUNITY SUPPORT

#### St Vincent de Paul

*Offers assistance to families experiencing hardship.*

Contact: Christine Harding      ph: 3395 1917

#### St Thomas' Friends

*Offering meals via a roster of volunteers for people in our community in times of unexpected emergencies*

Contact: [stthomasfriends1@gmail.com](mailto:stthomasfriends1@gmail.com)

#### Care and Concern

*Support our elderly parishioners through regular social functions &/or bake for funerals, as required.*

Contact Parish Office      ph: 3398 1154

#### Hospitality Group

*Providing hospitality to our parish through social events throughout the year.*

Contact Parish Office      ph: 3398 1154

#### Holy Communion to the Sick

*Eucharist taken to the sick & elderly in their homes.*

Contact Parish Office:      ph: 3398 1154

#### Gardening & Mowing

Contact Parish Office:      ph: 3398 1154