

The Catholic Parish of St John XXIII

Perfection Ave cor Bentwood Tce, Stanhope Gardens www.john23rd.com

TWENTY SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 27 - 28 August 2016

Our Parish Mission

The parish of St John XXIII is a faith community with the Eucharist as its heart. Inspired by John XXIII's prophetic opening of the windows of the Church, we welcome the fresh air of the Holy Spirit, inviting every person to share in the responsibility of enriching the life and faith of our community by sharing their gifts and talents."

**FOR EVERYONE WHO
EXALTS HIMSELF
WILL BE HUMBLLED, AND HE
WHO HUMBLLES
HIMSELF WILL BE
EXALTED.**
LUKE 14:11

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Mass Times

Monday to Friday 9:00am

Also Wednesday 9:00am Holy Cross

Primary during school term

Saturday 9:00am, 6:00pm (Vigil)

Sunday 7:30am, 9:00am, 10:30am
6:00pm (Youth)

Baptism 12:00pm *Sunday by appointment*

Reconciliation (First Rite)

Saturday 5:00 - 5:45pm

And after any weekday masses

Parish Office Hours

Tuesday to Friday 8.30 - 4.00pm

Parish Office Contacts

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Devotions & Prayers

Novena Masses

Tuesday 7:30pm

Our Lady of Perpetual Help

First Friday 7:30pm

Sacred Heart of Jesus

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Tuesday 6:30 - 7:30pm

First Friday 6:30pm followed by
7:15pm Benediction

Saturday 8:00 - 9:00am (*Vocations*)

Sacrament of the Sick

First Saturday 9:00am Mass or upon request

Divine Office

Friday 12:00pm with Adoration

Sunday 8:15am

Praise & Worship

3rd Saturday 7:30pm

led by SJ23rd Prayer Group

2nd Saturday 7:30pm

led by CRL (*Community of the Risen Lord*)

Friday evenings 7:00pm

led by Christ Catholic Community Prayer
Group at the church kitchen

From the Pastor's desk

Dear Brothers and Sisters

As we observe the Migrants and Refugees day this weekend, it is worth reflecting with our Holy Father Pope Francis: “In our time, migration is growing worldwide. Refugees and people fleeing from their homes challenge individuals and communities, and their traditional ways of life; at times they upset the cultural and social horizons which they encounter. Increasingly, the victims of violence and poverty, leaving their homelands, are exploited by human traffickers during their journey towards the dream of a better future.

Today, more than in the past, the Gospel of mercy troubles our conscience, prevents us from taking for granted the sufferings of others and points out way of responding which, grounded in the theological virtues of faith, hope and charity, find practical expression in works of spiritual and corporal mercy.

At the heart of the Gospel of mercy, the encounter and acceptance by others are intertwined with the encounter and acceptance of God himself. Welcoming others means welcoming God in person! Do not let yourselves be robbed of the hope and joy of life borne of your experience of God’s mercy, as manifested in the people you meet on your journey! I entrust you to the Virgin Mary, Mother of migrants and refugees, and to Saint Joseph, who experienced the bitterness of emigration to Egypt. To their intercession I also commend those who invest so much energy, time and resources to the pastoral and social care of migrants.”

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- We are going to have a big parish assembly on 18th Sept, Sunday starting at 12pm. Everyone is invited to attend and listen to what’s happening in our parish and activities that are planned. Parishioners are invited to provide input on our parish vision. Light lunch will be served during that time.
 - RCIA will commence on the 7th September. If you have family or friends who might be interested in understanding our Catholic faith, please invite them to the session.

Let us pray for the wellbeing of the recent Migrants and refugees across the world.

Prayers and wishes. Have a great week

Loving Fr Robert

Parish News

DO YOU HAVE A PYX WHICH BELONGS TO THE PARISH?

If anyone might have borrowed pyxes to take communion to the sick of our parish and forgot to return them, if we can please have them returned to the sacristy once communion has been given. We have none left to loan out if the need should arise. Thank you

DOORKNOCK APPEAL 2016

Last weekend 84 volunteer collectors + 18 support staff generously donated their time to go Doorknocking. This included students from St John Paul II Catholic College, St Andrews College and Loyola Senior High School, together with parishioners from Mary Immaculate, St Andrew's and Blessed John XXIII.

A collection of \$6,030 was raised, with some more donations trickling in this week.

Special thanks must go to the following supporters: Commonwealth Bank Doonside, McDonalds Quakers Hill & Woodcroft Quality Meats. All money collected across the Parramatta Diocese will be used to support the St Vincent de Paul Society's Special Works. A big thank you to all the volunteers who made this achievement possible. SVdP Quakers Hill-Schofields, Marayong & Stanhope Conferences

Parish Assembly

A parish is a definite community of the Christian faithful established on a stable basis within a particular church; the pastoral care of the parish is entrusted to a pastor as its own shepherd under the authority of the diocesan bishop" (Canon 515).

COME, LISTEN and BE HEARD

Your opportunity to hear about what is happening in the parish and our future plans. Featuring a cast of wonderful, entertaining speakers:

Fr John Fr Robert DeaconTan Neville Zammit Bart Sarlabus

... and YOUR chance to have your say about our parish

When: 18 September, Sunday 12.00-1.30

(followed by light lunch)

Where: St Mark's School Staff Common room



Entrance Antiphon

Have mercy on me, O Lord, for I cry to you all the day long. O Lord, you are good and forgiving, full of mercy to all who call to you.

Communion Antiphon

How great is the goodness, Lord, that you keep for those who fear you.

First Reading

Sirach 3:17-20, 28-29

Humble yourself and you will find favour with the Lord.

My son, be gentle in carrying out your business, and you will be better loved than a lavish giver. The greater you are, the more you should behave humbly, and then you will find favour with the Lord; for great though the power of the Lord is, he accepts the homage of the humble. There is no cure for the proud man's malady, since an evil growth has taken root in him. The heart of a sensible man will reflect on parables, an attentive ear is the sage's dream.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 67:4-7, 10-11

R. God, in your goodness, you have made a home for the poor.

The just shall rejoice at the presence of God, they shall exult and dance for joy. O sing to the Lord, make music to his name; rejoice in the Lord, exult at his presence.

R.

Father of the orphan, defender of the widow, such is God in his holy place. God gives the lonely a home to live in; he leads the prisoners forth into freedom.

R.

You poured down, O God, a generous rain: when your people were starved you gave them new life. It was there that your people found a home, prepared in your goodness, O God, for the poor.

R.

**THE WORD
 OF GOD**

*When pride comes,
 then comes disgrace,
 but with humility
 comes wisdom.*

Proverbs 11:2

Second Reading

Hebrews 12:18-19, 22-24

You have to come to Mount Zion and to the city of the living God.

What you have come to is nothing known to the senses: not a blazing fire, or a gloom turning to total darkness, or a storm; or trumpeting thunder or the great voice speaking which made everyone that heard it beg that no more should be said to them. But what you have come to is Mount Zion and the city of the living God, the heavenly Jerusalem where the millions of angels have gathered for the festival, with the whole Church in which everyone is a 'first-born son' and a citizen of heaven. You have come to God himself, the supreme Judge, and been placed with spirits of the saints who have been made perfect; and to Jesus, the mediator who brings a new covenant.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation

Matthew 11:29

Alleluia, alleluia!

Take my yoke upon you; learn from me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart.

Alleluia!

Gospel

Luke 14:1, 7-14

All who exalt themselves shall be humbled and all who humble themselves shall be exalted

On a sabbath day Jesus had gone for a meal to the house of one of the leading Pharisees; and they watched him closely. He then told the guests a parable, because he had noticed how they picked the places of honour. He said this, 'When someone invites you to a wedding feast, do not take your seat in the place of honour. A more distinguished person than you may have been invited, and the person who invited you both may come and say, "Give up your place to this man." And then, to your embarrassment, you would have to go and take the lowest place. No; when you are a guest, make your way to the lowest place and sit there, so that, when your host comes, he may say, "My friend, move up higher." In that way, everyone with you at the table will see you honoured. For everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, and the man who humbles himself will be exalted.'

Then he said to his host, 'When you give a lunch or a dinner, do not ask your friends, brothers, relations or rich neighbours, for fear they repay your courtesy by inviting you in return. No; when you have a party, invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, the blind; that they cannot pay you back means that you are fortunate, because repayment will be made to you when the virtuous rise again.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Gospel Reflection

During the last four weekends, we are talking about the same topic - how to prepare ourselves to enter the kingdom of God. You could ask me if I was late to attend Mass last week. Definitely I would say no. It was that I had calculated how much time I need to prepare myself and to leave the house early so that I can be at Mass on time. This is called good preparation. We are reminded to give an early start to prepare ourselves for the entry to the Kingdom.

Today, Jesus has pointed out two virtues that we have to achieve so as to prepare our way to enter the kingdom of God.

Firstly, we have to learn to be humble. In our modern world, science could help us to develop a lot of new things even we can clone new creatures. Gradually we become so proud of ourselves that we could replace God. This is a horrible thinking. Our pride will bring us also to sinful deeds. In today's Gospel, Jesus reminded us again that he himself being the Son of God, he could humble himself to be born among us, living among us. As a follower of Christ, do we ever try to be humbled as him?

Secondly, we have to be charitable. We are asked to be generous to others. We do not seek returns for what we have given. We have to give more care to the marginalized and vulnerable in our society. We need to look further to the other side of the world. We need to help to stop killing among nations. How can we help those who fled the war zone area for a better living? How can we help those people who encountered famine and shortage of food?

Finally, we have to reflect that if we have readily prepared ourselves and to do good deeds in our daily lives.

Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father
almighty, maker of heaven and earth,
of all things visible and invisible.
I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the
Only Begotten Son of God, born of
the Father before all ages.

God from God, Light from Light, true
God from true God, begotten, not
made, consubstantial with the Father;
through him all things were made.
For us men and for our salvation he
came down from heaven,

*At the words that follow, up to and including 'and
became man', all bow.*

**and by the Holy Spirit was
incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and
became man.**

For our sake he was crucified under
Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and
was buried, and rose again on the third
day in accordance with the Scriptures.
He ascended into heaven and is seated
at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge
the living and the dead and his
kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord,
the giver of life, who proceeds from
the Father and the Son, who with the
Father and the Son is adored and
glorified, who has spoken through the
prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and
apostolic Church.

I confess one Baptism for the
forgiveness of sins and I look forward
to the resurrection of the dead and the
life of the world to come.

Amen.

Readings for Next Week

29 Mon The Passion of Saint John the Baptist (M)

1st Reading Jeremiah 1:17-19

Psalm Ps 70:1-6. 15. 17

Gospel Mark 6:17-29

30 Tues 22nd week of Ordinary time

1st Reading 1 Corinthians 2:10-16

Psalm Ps 144:8-14

Gospel Luke 4:31-37

31 Wed 22nd week of Ordinary time

1st Reading 1 Corinthians 3:1-9

Psalm Ps 32:12-15. 20-21

Gospel Luke 4:38-44

1 Thurs 22nd week of Ordinary time

1st Reading 1 Corinthians 3:18-23

Psalm Ps 23:1-6

Gospel Luke 5:1-11

2 Fri 22nd week of Ordinary time

1st Reading 1 Corinthians 4:1-5

Psalm Ps 36:3-6. 27-28. 39-40

Gospel Luke 5:33-39

3 Sat Saint Gregory the Great (M)

1st Reading 1 Corinthians 4:6-15

Psalm Ps 144:17-21

Gospel Luke 6:1-5

Our School Communities

Holy Cross Primary

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Special intentions

Recently Deceased:

Estrella Jimenez, Benjamin Pore

Deceased:

Jeffrey Turner

Anniversary:

Mariano Ferino, Armando P Velasquez,

Reynaldo Reyes, Joseph Ryan Reyes,

Dolerle Cruz, Maraina Slivinski,

Alaysimun Wambeck, Hild Henrisson,

Chantal Raymond, Pierre Francois,

Ernesto R Ribargoso, James Youngman,

Armando Velasquez, Sebastian Livolsi,

Colleen Edwards, Gerardo Dades,

Mai Lacaze, Emy Lilvolsi,

Jocelyn Lacaze,

.Sick:

Laura Z Faelnar, Madeliene R Trieu,

Pinky Flores Baartz, Mark de Jesus,

Caroline G Vazquez, Elizabeth Agtoto,

Concordia Llave, Leonardo Villafana,

Guy Austria, Maria Bellia, Edwin Rizon,

Cay Espanta, Nigel Reynolds,

Mariano Antonio Jon Villaraza

Thanksgiving:

R J Santos & Family, Felina Maglaya,

Apollinario Maglaya,



Paying our debt together

Weekly collections

2nd Collection: \$4944.85

Loose \$1765.75

PG Envelopes \$1619.10

PG by EFT \$1560.00

Pays parish debt and on going running costs, including wages of staff.

Please contribute more on the Second Collection as this helps the parish community

If you would like to be a part of the church's plan giving program, an **SJ23rd form** (white) is available at the church foyer or contact the parish office.



If you or a family member is homebound and would want to receive communion in your home please contact the parish office.

Take part in our Way of Mercy

In this Jubilee Year of Mercy, a large Cross and Relics will be journeying around our Diocese from August to November.

We are seeking special Mercy Representatives and enthusiastic people to be part of the travelling team and/or offer their gifts of prayer, music and faith sharing. Please contact the Way of Mercy office tel (02)9831 4911 or send an email to pastoralplanning@parra.catholic.org.au

Volunteers needed in the Kimberley

The Diocese of Broome urgently needs volunteers to assist with the work of the local Church on Aboriginal missions. A couple is needed to assist the priest in the community of Balgo and a couple to manage the Warmun Retreat Centre over the wet season. There are several other roles available. Placements for a period of six months are preferred. For further details and an application form, contact Volunteer Coordinator Anneliese Rohr tel 0415 526 142, volunteers@broomedioocese.org or PO Box 76, BROOME, WA, 6725.

POSITIONS VACANT**Manager, Communications & Marketing**

Applications are being considered for this position with CatholicCare Sydney. This is a Maternity Leave contract to March 2017. For further information please visit www.catholicjobsonline.com.au or contact Anthony Spata at REACH Human Resources tel 0402 210 055.

Project Officer with a focus on the RCIA

This full-time position based at St Stephen's Cathedral precinct in Brisbane CBD, requires someone with a sound theological background who is a committed Catholic and is prepared to work with the Evangelisation Brisbane project team supporting parishes in the Archdiocese of Brisbane. Addressing selection criteria is essential. For full details of this position incl selection criteria, send an email to ebadmin@bne.catholic.net.au tel (07)3324 3440, visit

www.evangelisationbrisbane.org.au

Applications close at 5pm on 31 August.

Why we do what we do...

WHAT IS THE NICENE CREED? The Creed is an affirmative statement of what we believe as Catholics. It is a summary of Definitive Declarations of Revealed Truth. Not only does the Creed help to teach us about the infallible dogmas of our faith, but it also helps to defend against false teachings of heresy.

WHERE DID IT COME FROM? The Nicene Creed was developed at the Council of Nicea in 325AD. It draws authority from the first two ecumenical councils in the Church and it remains as a common declaration of faith between the Great Churches of the East and West.

WHY IS IT RECITED IN THE LITURGY? The Creed is recited (or sung) following the readings of God's word and the homily. It is the response of the faithful to the word of God. Together we state before one another, "I believe!" The Creed also serves to remind us of our baptismal vows which are binding on us for our entire existence. We pledge ourselves to what we believe.

WHAT ARE THE PARTS OF THE CREED? There are 4 parts to the Creed: 1. The Father 2. The Son (Incarnation, Sacrifice, Glory) 3. The Holy Spirit 4. The 4 Marks of the Church & Resurrection

WHY CHANGE FROM "WE BELIEVE" TO "I BELIEVE?" While it's true that we are baptized into the collective Body of Christ, we receive the Sacraments individually and so it is important to profess and affirm our own belief.

WHY DO WE SAY "CONSUBSTANTIAL WITH THE FATHER?" Consubstantial means that Jesus is of the same substance as the Father. He is more than "one in Being with the Father" as if there were two beings that were simply joined together. This philosophical term has rich theological implications meaning that the Father and Son are of the same essence.

WHY DO WE BOW? Making a profound bow (from the waist) is a physical liturgical action in which the body joins the voice in professing our faith. Some of have traced this bow to St. Louis of France who would genuflect during the Nicene Creed to show reverence to the incarnation of Christ. During the crusades, the king's practice became widespread and eventually part of the rubrics of Holy Mother Church. Our actions show reverence for the Mystery of the Incarnation which is one of the most significant acts in the history of all creation! The bow is not considered to be optional.

WHY THE CHANGE FROM "ACKNOWLEDGE" TO "CONFESS?" The word "confess" is a much stronger word than a simple acknowledgement. It is to profess, proclaim and to declare publicly our belief in the importance of baptism.

www.cathedraloftherisenchrist.org

In the Mass, our gestures and postures should always reflect what we believe at each moment in the Mass. Since the Incarnation is so central to what we believe as Christians, the profound bow becomes an important way of outwardly expressing that belief.

BAPTISM

We pray and welcome to our Parish Community the following children being baptised this Sunday

Isla Lee Bridges

Edward Jamer Kutasi

Santino Dominic Tallaridi

Syler See

Harvey Jack Anderson

Lauren Margaret Matthews



BISHOP'S COLLECTION FOR RETIRED AND SICK CLERGY

The Clergy Support Foundation of the Diocese of Parramatta assists in meeting the needs of the retired and sick priests of the Diocese, and an annual appeal, *The Bishop's Collection for Retired and Sick Clergy*, is held on Father's Day each year to support the Foundation. It is hoped to raise \$200,000 each year through this appeal.

FIRST RECONCILIATION 2016

(For children who are baptised and in Year 3)

Enrolment Opens - 12th Sep, Mon
Enrolment forms available from the Parish Office, at the church foyer or online www.john23rd.com

Enrolment Rituals during masses

15th Oct, Sat 6pm

16th Oct, Sun 9am, 10.30am & 6pm

Parent Meeting

19th Oct, Wed - 7.30pm, Church

Children's Session 1

22nd Oct' Sat and 23rd Oct, Sun
4.30pm, St Marks Staff Room

Children's Session 2

29th Oct, Sat and 30th Oct, Sun -
4pm, Church

First Reconciliation

8 Nov, Tues 9 Nov, Wed

10 Nov, Thur 11 Nov, Fri

Times to be Confirmed

Last year, through your generosity we almost reached the target with donations totalling \$200,000 and the Foundation thanks you for this contribution. This year the appeal in the Diocese will be held on the weekend of September 3-4. A third collection will be held on this weekend at each Mass. Special envelopes will be available and all donations over \$2 are tax deductible. If you wish to claim a tax deduction, please tick the box and write your details clearly on the envelope. Appeal envelopes are available this week for those who will not be here on the Father's Day weekend.

If you wish you can make online contributions at csfparra.org.au using your credit card or direct transfer via eft to BSB 067 950 and Account No 01691 in the name of the CSF with reference your name, and send e-mail to csf@parra.catholic.org.au with your details so receipts can be sent, which we usually do in January. can send a receipt.

Parish Pastoral Council Corner

Let it be love that sustains and gives strength to your spirit; love of your family, of the Church, and of your country; a love that spurs you on to comfort others and almost makes you forget yourself, a love that accompanies you in your strivings to give glory to God and do good to others.

SJ23rd - 1 March 1959

COUNCIL MATTERS

- † **14 September 2016, Wednesday** - Next PPC Executive Team meeting scheduled **from 7:30 pm, at the Parish Office Conference Room.**
- † **18 September 2016, Sunday** - General Parish Meeting scheduled from 12 noon at St. Mark's Staff Common Room. Parishioners are invited to attend.

FAITH FORMATION TEAM

- † We continue to ask for host families for December onwards to pray the Rosary at home and request for our Blessed Mother's intercessions.
- † Plans are underway for our parish community's participation in the Way of Mercy programme, to be hosted by Quakers Hill Parish. More details to be announced later by our representatives Rose Franco and Vitt Lim.
- † Don't forget our Praise & Worship night every 3rd Saturday of the month. Light refreshments provided before the start of the night.

Praise & Worship Schedule

Date	Theme	Guest Speaker
17 September	Gifts of the Holy Spirit (Part 2)	Fr Dado Haber
15 October	Fruits of the Holy Spirit (Part 1)	Fr. Bong Pamintuan
19 November	Fruits of the Holy Spirit (Part 2)	tba

FUNDRAISING TEAM

- † Next week is our **Grand Raffle Draw on Father's Day, 4 September, 2016.** The first prize is a brand new Mitsubishi Mirage ES while the secondary prizes are 2x large-screen TVs and 4x Garmin smart fitness watches. So there are lots of prizes to go around. All tickets taken are expected to be returned ASAP. Please continue to support this fundraising activity.

Novena Mass to Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Tuesday nights beginning with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at 6.30pm, Evening Prayer of the Church at 7.00pm, Rosary at 7.15pm, sung Benediction Mass 7.30pm and Novena prayers at 7:40pm.

If you want the opportunity of having the statue of Our Lady visit your home contact Bart Sarlabus - bart.sarlabus@gmail.com. Pick up the statue after the Tuesday novena mass and return a week after before the start of the novena mass.

This is a good time for the whole family to pray the rosary together and maybe invite some other family members and friends to join you in prayer.

Rosary Statue Family Roster for Tuesday Nights

August	2 <i>Lozada</i>	9 <i>Lequin</i>	16 <i>Manoj</i>	23 <i>Pangilinan</i>	30 Sebastian
September	6 Keenan	13 Mojica	20 Mira	27 Mathias	
October	4 Festejo	11 Sebastian	18 Pangilinan	25 Shalini	
November	1 Huang	8 Olan	15 Blasonato	22 Viola	29 Pierena



President Bart Sarlabus

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Fundraising Rodi Orantia

Liturgy Bob Agbulos

Music Ray Samonte

Pastoral Care Jill Franco

Social Outreach Qwayne Guevarra

Youth Corner

GTK (Getting to Know)



St John XXIII Parish youth group where our young people get to know God, the Catholic faith and each other through Gospel reflection, music, active participation at mass, games and food! So, if you are in years 4 - 9, come along to one of our sessions and let us grow together in our faith.

When: 2nd (choir) and 4th Sunday

Where: St Mark's Staff Room

Time: 4:30 - 7:30 pm

Contact: gkyouth@gmail.com

Info: <http://www.gtkyouth.com/>

IGNITE - Enkindling the fire of faith

Young adults from 18 - 35 years of age meets every 3rd Sunday of the month after the 6:00pm mass. Monthly guest speaker, discussions & shared supper

CRL (Community of the Risen Lord)

When: 2nd Saturdays

Praise & Worship

4th Saturdays

Where: Church

Time: after 6:00pm vigil mass


YFC (Youth for Christ)


When: Meets every 3rd Sundays


Where: St Mark's Staff Room


Time: 1:00pm Break open the word then 6.00pm Youth Mass


Complete the sentences

 When you are invited to be a _____, go and sit in the _____ place.

 If you put yourself _____ others, you will be put down.

 When you are _____ to a wedding feast, don't sit in the _____ place.

 If you _____ yourself, you will be honoured.

 When you give a _____, invite the _____, crippled, the lame and the _____. They _____ pay you back.

Pick from these words

CANNOT BEST
GUEST HUMBLE
BLIND INVITED
FEAST ABOVE
WORST POOR
WEDDING

Word Find

Humble yourself and you will be honoured

X G Z J Q V S I P Y E P P R P
 S O A I X L N D G D I H J O R
 R D S B G V X A G A A Z O O R
 M O I B I D Z U T R G R P P E
 E N P T F Z E B I C L T W N N
 J M E H A S I S A A U Z R N N
 N D B I T S E M M N A J S Q I
 D S D A G E M E D H Q O D J D
 B T A R R H A N J L R U N O O
 L H Q G J R B S K R A W E A J
 I S P D W Q A O A K L W I T Y
 N I T A R J R S U G H X R S Q
 D N O X F P I M S R O A F T O
 R V E B K K C X K E S N I L B
 H J W I E N H M X Q D G D S X

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 Invited lame neighbours Pharisee poor rich

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