

Petrie Catholic Parish

INCORPORATING THE COMMUNITIES OF:

Our Lady of the Way—38 Armstrong Street Petrie & St Francis Xavier 135 McKenzie Street Dayboro.

PARISH VISION STATEMENT



Petrie Catholic Community is a dynamic, growing Christian church committed to bringing the message of Jesus Christ to all.

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT Year B—21st MARCH 2021

REFLECTION

We want to see Jesus

I can observe a baby, but the parents 'see' their baby very differently. They gaze with total fascination, trying to perceive what this little bundle of flesh is really all about, trying to get an insight into its personality, visualising a possible future, hoping for a response. This Gospel passage begins with a request from some Greeks 'to see Jesus', surely in all the ways parents see their baby. They were trying to perceive what this Jesus was really all about, trying to get an insight into his personality, imagining a possible future, hoping for a response.

And there was a response full of allusions to the future.

Jesus was as a grain of wheat. He died and was buried in the earth and that death was fruitful for the whole of humankind. He foresaw being nailed to the cross which would be dropped upright into a hole in the ground.

Our Lord says of that scene: 'When I am lifted up I will draw all people to myself.' How were people drawn to this scene?

People saw the length to which Jesus was prepared to go in order to persevere in his mission to live out the message that his Heavenly Father was full of mercy and wanted all people to share in Divine Life. This led to his being lifted up on the cross, being buried in the ground like a grain of wheat, only to rise to new life.

We could take a moment to pray that we will shortly see all this with the eyes of faith as we participate in the rituals of Good Friday and Easter.

by Fr Michael Tate



Chrism Mass—Archbishop Mark Coleridge invites you to the Annual Chrism Mass to be held in the Cathedral of St. Stephen on Thursday 25th March commencing at 7.00pm. This is a celebration for the entire Archdiocese and all are welcome. Please register through St. Stephen's Cathedral website.

There will be several important and significant differences at this Mass that only occurs once a year in each diocese throughout the world. Firstly, all the concelebrating priests, because they share in the fullness of the priesthood which comes from the Bishop of the diocese, will renew their pledge of obedience to the Bishop. This action manifests the unity of the priests of the diocese with the Bishop.

The other significant feature of this Mass is the blessing and consecrating of oils used in the pastoral and sacramental life of the Church. One of these three oils, the oil of holy chrism, gives the reason why today's Mass is called the Chrism Mass. At this Mass, the bishop will bless three oils – the oil of catechumens, the oil of the infirm, and he will be consecrating holy chrism, which gives today's Eucharistic celebration its name.



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Archdiocesan Prevention & Protection Policy

The Archdiocese of Brisbane holds that children, young people and vulnerable adults are a gift from God with an intrinsic right to dignity of life, respect and security from physical and emotional harm. They are to be treasured, nurtured and safeguarded by all.

Safeguarding Is Everyone's Responsibility.

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WHATS ON THIS WEEK

Mass Times

Weekdays:

PETRIE

Mon 22nd Mar — 8.00am
Wed 24th Mar — **NO MASS**
Fri 26th Mar — 8.00am

DAYBORO

Thur 25th Mar — **NO MASS**

Weekends:

Registration for Mass is essential.

PETRIE

Sat 27th Mar — 6.00pm
Sun 28th Mar — 8.00am
Sun 29th Mar — 5.30pm
(Contact Parish Office 3285 6759)

DAYBORO

Sun 29th Mar — 10.00am
(Contact Nora 0409 784 071)

Reconciliation:

*By appointment.
Contact the Parish Office*

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Parish Diary:

Wednesday 24th Mar:
8.30am—10.00am: Adoration following the 8am Mass at OLV Church.
Friday 26th Mar:
9.00am: Mothers Prayers at OLV Church
7.00pm: Stations of the Cross—OLW Church
Saturday 27th March:
8.00am: Working Bee - OLV Church

JOSEPH MOST JUST

Joseph was first and foremost just unto God, rendering to Him what was His due. Since all things are due to God, Joseph was perfectly religious in prayer, in labor, and in love giving to God, even as an infant, the energy of his whole life.



Parish Notices

Mass Registrations are required for;

- ◆ Holy Thursday Mass
- ◆ Stations of the Cross
- ◆ The Passions of the Lord
- ◆ All Easter Masses

Holy Week and Easter Services



Come Worship With Us!

HOLY THURSDAY

7.00pm Mass at Petrie

GOOD FRIDAY

2nd April

Stations of the Cross

9.30am at Petrie

The Passion of the Lord

3.00pm at Petrie

EASTER VIGIL

Saturday 3rd April
7.00pm Mass at Petrie

EASTER SUNDAY

4th April
8.00am Mass at Petrie
10.00am Mass at Dayboro

Please note NO evening Mass Easter Sunday

Stations of the Cross

will be held at Petrie on Friday nights at 7.00pm.

Everybody welcome



Scriptural context – The Final Days

Today's reading reminds us that we are closing in on the events of the Passion that we will remember more closely over the next couple of weeks. Although the Gospel of John appears to have Jesus in and around Jerusalem quite often, the events described in this week's reading take place in the preparation for Passover, immediately before the final days leading up to Jesus' death and resurrection. It is a fitting culmination to the Sunday gospels of Lent. It prepares us for the account of the Passion that will be the gospel next week

By Greg Sunter—Liturgy Help

Parish Notices

REMINDER for the Easter Triduum celebrations – Registrations of all celebrations are required including – Holy Thursday, Good Friday, Easter Sunday Masses and Vigil. Please register through the Parish Office for all liturgies held at Petrie and with Nora for Mass Easter Sunday at Dayboro.



Sacramental Commitment Mass

This Sunday at 8.00am Mass we will celebrate the Commitment Mass for the Children who are starting the Sacramental program. The Parish wish these children many blessings as they journey on in their faith.

Please keep these children and their parents in your prayers as they embark on this faith journey.



Church Working Bee

There will be a
WORKING BEE held at OLW Church
on **Saturday 27th March at 8.00am.**
Please join us in getting the Church ready
for our Easter masses



Knights Silver Circle: The winner of the 1st Draw was Alan Trounce of Kallangur with Ticket No. 30. Congratulations!



Fourth Sunday of Lent 21st March 2021

Jamila is a Rohingya refugee living in a camp in Bangladesh with her elderly mother and baby daughter. With the support of Caritas Australia, and through Caritas Bangladesh, Jamila has been able to access to emergency food, shelter, counselling, and vocational training that will help to support her family.

Please donate to Project Compassion 2021 to help mothers like Jamila be more for her family and her community.

You can donate through Parish boxes and envelopes,
or by visiting www.caritas.org.au/projectcompassion or phoning 1800 024 413.



LENTEN EXPLAINERS - A SERIES OF 7 VIDEOS OVER 40 DAYS

Two of our seminarians currently on parish placement (David Nightingale at Alexandra Hills Capalaba and Gerard Lai at Rochedale Springwood) have appeared in a series of 1 –2 minute “explainers” about certain terminology and practices throughout Lent. The first few of these are found at our Archdiocesan You Tube Channel here:

RE: What is Shrove Tuesday? https://youtu.be/cV_L0AY6Jql

RE: Why do we use Ashes during Lent? <https://youtu.be/a8sl2VwUZis>

RE: How do you fast during Lent? <https://youtu.be/VqSUcwnTeaM>

RE: Why is Lent’s Liturgical colour purple <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wsfKzEDIJms>

RE: Why can’t we say the A word (Alleluia) in Lent? <https://youtu.be/oKbN6gIk9TM>



Scripture Readings
PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION
FO THE LORD -Year B

A reading from the prophet
Isaiah 50:4-7.

A reading from the letter to
the Philippians 2:6-11

The passion of our Lord Jesus
Christ according to Mark 15:1-39.

Please remember in your prayers the sick in our community:

Bryan Carmichael, Scott Hines, Barry Guest, Rolf Germain, Pita Nepata, Norma Quinn, Marcus Neudecker, Noela Corby, Christina Peters, Terry Segrave, Rita Miles, Steven Williams, Rohan Somasekaran, Thomas Bird, Bradley Wright, Greg Olsson-Lalor, Nina & Raymond Dove, Tia Huff, Helen Chicken, John Engwicht, Vera Versace, Michelle Woodworth, Abbie Wellspring, Lloyd Mason, Sharon McCourt, Gina Morieni, Paige Hoffman, Nicole Blackburn, Tim McNickle, Kyle Huff, Nathalie Bernon, Ghishiane Smidt, Patrick Bosworth, Brian Langton and Stephanie Mee.



These names will be removed after 2 months.

If you wish for them to remain on longer please ring the Parish Office.

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Our faith sustains us through challenging times. Now, more than ever, your support is needed to help our Parish to continue valuable pastoral activities and to provide ongoing sustainability.

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