



Petrie Catholic Parish

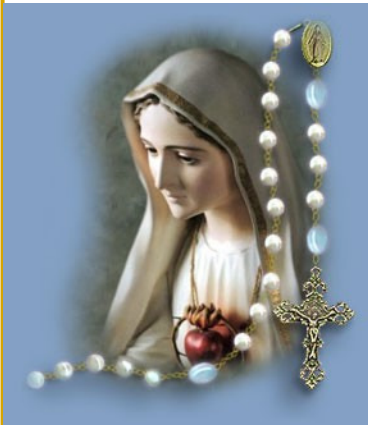
EMBRACING THE COMMUNITIES OF:

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

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

Fourth Sunday of Easter —Year A 30th April 2023

QUEEN OF MAY



The month of May has been accentuated as a time of honouring Blessed Virgin Mary as “the Queen of May” and seeking her intercession by the Catholics for centuries. May devotions may differ in various countries, parishes and families. We celebrate the Marian month with special pilgrimages, devotions, recitation on novena and rosary, visits to churches dedicated to her or placing a crown on a statue of Mary. This is the month in which, in the churches and individual homes, the most affectionate and fervent homage of prayers and devotions from the hearts of Christians are raised to Mother Mary.

Pope Paul VI promulgated his encyclical *Mense Maio* (“The Month of May”) in 1965, which promoted May devotions to the Blessed Mother with the message that those who encounter Mary encounters Christ likewise. One reason the devotion has come to extend over the entire month is the abundance of Marian feast days in May namely ‘Mary, Queen of Apostles’ on the Saturday before Pentecost which falls on May 27th, this year, ‘Our Lady of Fatima’ on 13th May, ‘Mary Help of Christians’ on 24th May, and the ‘Visitation of Mary’ on 31st May.

Mary has a unique and privileged place in salvation history and in the Church. Because she responded yes to becoming the Mother of God, she is our first model of discipleship and our model of grace and trust in God. May is traditionally dedicated in a special way to honoring and seeking the intercession of Mary as the Mother of God and Mother of the Church.

Let us include the following gestures and practices to honour Mary in the month of May namely adorning of Mother Mary, light candles and say a special prayer, pray a novena for a particular intention that you want to entrust to her Immaculate Heart, add more Marian hymns and prayers especially rosary and encourage others to do the same, read books associated with Marian miracles and apparitions, mysteries of her life, virtues and share with others articles of Marian devotion.

Let us pray to Mother Mary – ‘Queen of May’ to intercede for the needs of the Church and the whole human race.

With Sincere Prayers and Many Blessings,

Fr. Geo Francis MCBS

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Closed Thursday

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Safeguarding Commitment

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WHATS ON THIS WEEK

Mass Times

Weekdays:

PETRIE

Mon 1st May — 8.00am Mass

Wed 3rd May — 8.00am Mass

Fri 5th May — 8.00am Mass

Anointing Mass

DAYBORO

Thurs 4th May—9:00 am Mass

Weekends:

PETRIE

Sat 6th May — 6.00 pm

Sun 7th May — 8.00 am

Sun 7th May — 5.30 pm

DAYBORO

Sun 7th May — 10.00 am

Reconciliation:

By appointment.

Contact the Parish Office

MAY

THE MONTH OF THE ROSARY

May is the month set aside to honour Mary who said “yes” to God’s plan of salvation by bringing Jesus into the world.

Mary is also the Mother of great sorrow who watched her Son being crucified and standing at his Cross until the end.

One small way to honour Mary is by praying the Rosary for what she has done for us.

The Rosary is said 1/2 hour before every weekend Mass.

Mary if not just the mother of Jesus—she is also our mother.

*Mary Mother of God
Pray for us.*



Parish Notices

Whats on this Week:

Monday 1st May:

Public Holiday—Office Closed

Wednesday 3rd May:

8.30am—10.00am: Adoration following Mass

Friday 5th May:

8.00am — Anointing Mass—Petrie

8.45am — Fathers Prayers—Petrie Church

9:00 am —Mothers Prayers in the Parish Office Prayer Room

10.30am— Liturgy Meeting—Parish Boardroom

Saturday 6th May:

2.30pm—Spanish Mass, Petrie

Upcoming Parish Events

Monday 8th May::

7:00pm — 8:30pm Seeds of Hope Prayer

meeting via Zoom— *Meeting ID: 662 852 748*

Password: 521023. Ph: Rosa 3886 1661

Wednesday 10th May: **No Adoration**

Friday 12th May:

9:00 am—Mothers Prayers in the Parish Office

Prayer Room

Monday 8th May::

7:00pm — 8:30pm Seeds of Hope Prayer

meeting via Zoom— *Meeting ID: 662 852 748*

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Wednesday 17th May:

8.30am—10.00am: Adoration following Mass

6.30pm—Parish Pastoral Council Meeting

Thursday 18th May:

10.00am—Parish Coffee Club—Dayboro

Friday 19th May:

8.45am —Fathers Prayers—Petrie Church

9:00 am—Mothers Prayers in the Parish Office

Prayer Room

Saturday 20th May:

2.30pm—Spanish Mass Petrie

Monday 22nd May::

7:00pm — 8:30pm Seeds of Hope Prayer

meeting via Zoom— *Meeting ID: 662 852 748*

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5.00pm—Confirmation Practice, Petrie

Wednesday 24th May

6.30pm—Confirmation Liturgy, Petrie



We acknowledge the Turrbal and Jabu Jabu people as the traditional custodians of the land on which we live and work today. We pay respect to elders both past, present and emerging. We stand together with the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander leaders of today, tomorrow and always.

Youth Group Trivia Night!

Who: anyone ready and willing to play

When: Friday May 5th from 5:30 pm to 7:30 pm

Where: Community Hall

What's happening: Fun trivia, games.

Dinner provided!



Summit²³

MAY 18-20, 2023
RIVERLIFE CENTRE
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**BE EMPOWERED, INSPIRED AND
EQUIPPED TO ENGAGE IN THE
MISSION OF THE CHURCH.**

**The principal gathering of the
Archdiocese of Brisbane in 2023.**

Summit 2023 is a three-day event for all who belong to the faith community of the Archdiocese: parishioners, educators, parents, support staff, catechists, lay leaders, religious and clergy - this event is for everyone.

The Summit is a key step in the implementation phase of the Plenary Council and where Archbishop Mark will be sharing his priorities for the years to come.

**PIETY STALL AT PETRIE WILL REOPEN
FORTNIGHTLY ON THE 29TH/30TH APRIL
AFTER ALL MASSES**

**Cash and Eftpos available on Sunday
mornings.**

**Lamps Ablaze: Apostolic Priorities
for the Archdiocese of Brisbane**

Priority Two: Reshaping Parish Communities

"Our current structures are based upon the facts of an earlier time and our current mode of provision is unsustainable. In the cities at least we have too many parishes and too many churches. Urban parishes were established on the assumption that people had to be able to walk to church and at a time when the numbers attending Mass were much larger. Many of our parishes are pressed financially and cannot provide the range of services which a missionary Church requires. Therefore, we need - sensibly and over time - to move towards larger configurations of a community of communities where the concentration of personnel and the sharing of resources would allow a greater range of services for the sake of the Gospel."

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ABLAZE

Download the whole document at tinyurl.com/lampsablaze

HEALING MASS - BARDON

People in the Archdiocese are invited to attend the monthly Healing Mass at St. Mary Magdalene's Church, 51 Cecil Road, Bardon, Friday, 5th May, 2023 at 7.30pm. Fr. Neville Yun, Parish Priest, Mother of Mercy Parish, Hendra, will be the celebrant. Personal prayer for healing will be offered during Mass. Sponsored by CCR Bardon. For further information, contact Len Airey on 0421 977 849 or by email to lenpatairey@gmail.com

**CHECK THE NOTICE BOARD FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT WHAT IS
HAPPENING AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE**

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Fifth Sunday of Easter —Year A

First Reading — Acts of the Apostles
6:1-7

Second reading-First Letter of St Peter 2:4-9

Gospel—John 14:1-12

Please remember in your prayers the sick in our community:

Bryan Carmichael, Mary Carmichael, Scott Hines, Norma Quinn,
Marcus Neudecker, Noela Corby, Terry Segrave, Steven Williams,
Rohan Somasekaran, Thomas Bird, Bradley Wright, Greg Olsson-Lalor,
Nina & Raymond Dove, Tia Huff, Gina Morieni, Tim McNickle, Kyle Huff,
Nathalie Bernon, Patrick Bosworth, Neil and Susan Casey,
Frank Christensen, Michael Bartsch, Bernie Bartsch, Donna Harrison,
Sr Carmel Pattison sgs & Ian Smith . .



PARISH COLUMBARIUM *Have you reserved your niche?*

Constructed in 2021 on the Tom Petrie Homestead site surrounded by heritage trees and lovely gardens. Our aim is to provide a peaceful and respectful atmosphere, which enables family and friends to pray for and reflect on their loved ones who have passed away.

There are four walls with both single and double niches, each is named and dedicated to - Our Lady of the Way, St Joseph, St Francis Xavier and St Mary McKillop.

If you wish to find out more please contact the Parish Office on 3285 6759 or email: petrie@bne.catholic.net.au



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