



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.

Second Sunday of Lent — Year B 25th February 2024

Parish Ministries



Children's Liturgy of the Word

Children's ministry takes place during the Sunday 8am Mass Petrie and 10am Mass Dayboro (during the school term) and provides an opportunity for children to hear a child-friendly version of the Gospel and respond through a range of activities. Our team is passionate about helping children learn more about Jesus and to feel welcomed and engaged in Mass. Children are important in our parish community and we want them to feel a sense of belonging and connectedness. It is so wonderful seeing children gathering together from a range of local schools and developing friendships based on their shared faith. If this is an area you feel called to serve (whether it is to lead a session or to help support the children) please get in touch with the parish office.

Baptism Preparation

Being part of the baptism preparation ministry is a wonderful opportunity to be involved in the beginning of someone's lifelong faith journey. Held on the first Sunday of the month after families are welcomed by the community at the 8am mass, baptism preparation focuses on assisting parents get ready for the sacrament by exploring its deep meaning and rich symbols. It is an important opportunity to encourage families to continue to participate in the faith life of the community as they commit to raising their children as Catholics.

Sacramental Preparation of Children

Our ministry is one that very much works with and accompanies families as they prepare their children for the sacraments - in particular Confirmation, Eucharist and Reconciliation. We aim to provide vibrant and relevant catechesis that engages the parents and children to learn together. We work with children and their families after the 8am Mass on Sundays for an hour at various times during the year. Each Sacrament has a preparation course that goes for three to four weeks, where one of the sessions is a practice for the children to prepare for the actual celebration of the sacraments. If you enjoy working with children and their families and want to help prepare them for these grace-filled times in their lives, then this ministry is for you.

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is an ancient rite that aims to lead adult enquirers into the sacred mystery of Jesus Christ and his Body, the Church, bringing their conversion and faith to maturity in response to the voice of the Holy Spirit. The Word of God and prayer form the basis of RCIA while YouTube videos from our Archdiocese, bishops, priests and Catholic theologians stimulate discussion. The Catechumenate is a gradual process extending throughout the year. The RCIA team has members from both Petrie and Dayboro and we would like to invite you to join us: **"Come and see"**. The Catechumenate is a gradual process that has four stages extending throughout the year culminating in the Sacraments of Initiation.

Funeral Ministry

Christians gather with prayer for our loved one who have died. As Funeral ministry people we come to assist the priest where needed and prepare the church for the funeral. We are there to offer a friendly hand to those visitors and parishioners who have come to offer prayer for the deceased. Also we are ready to assist the funeral director with questions they may have. This is very rewarding ministry **please come and join us**.

St Vincent de Paul

Volunteering with St Vincent de Paul allows you to help people who are disadvantaged or living in poverty. It's a rich and rewarding experience where we aim to make a positive impact on people's lives. We are able to connect with like-minded people as well as giving back to the Parish and community.

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Parish Office Hours

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Closed Thursday

Parish Website

www.petriecatholic.com

Parish Facebook Page

Petrie Catholic Parish

Archdiocesan Prevention and 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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Mass Times

Weekdays:

PETRIE

Mon 26th February — 8:00 am

Wed 28th February— 8:00 am

Fri 1st March — 8:00 am
Anointing Mass

DAYBORO

Thurs 29th February— 9:00 am

Weekends:

PETRIE

Sat 2nd March — 6:00 pm

Sun 3rd March — 8:00 am

Sun 3rd March — 5:30 pm

DAYBORO

Sun 3rd March — 10:00 am

Reconciliation:

1st Friday of the month
following 8am Mass—9am
or by appointment

PRAYER FOR PEACE

Loving God,

We earnestly pray for peace and stability in Myanmar amidst the ongoing internal conflict.

Our hearts grieve for the children and families enduring displacement, fighting with hunger and poverty.

Hear the prayer of these children and families and respond with the support they desperately need.

May your love and warmth reach those who are most in need.

In your mercy, grant peace and perseverance to the internally displaced children and families, providing them with the necessary resources for survival.

We pray for the restoration of community and an end to conflict, allowing children and families to feel secure once again.

Grant families the strength and perseverance they need as they travel through these challenging times.

May your guiding light lead them towards hope and a brighter future. Amen.

(from Catholic Mission)

Parish Notices

What's on this Week:

Monday 26th February:

7:00pm-8:30pm Seeds of Hope Prayer meeting via Zoom—Meeting ID: 662 852 748 Password: 521023. PH Rosa 3886 1661

Tuesday 27th February:

8:30am OLW Play group—Community Centre

Wednesday 28th February:

8:30—10:00am Adoration following Mass

6:00pm RCIA workshop

7:00pm Music Practice—Church

Friday 1st March:

8.00 am Anointing Mass

8:30 am Stations of the Cross— Petrie

8.45 am Fathers Prayers—Church

9:00am Mothers Prayers—Parish Office

Saturday 2nd March

2.30pm Spanish Mass—Petrie

Upcoming Parish Events:

Monday 4th March:

7:00pm-8:30pm Seeds of Hope Prayer meeting via Zoom—Meeting ID: 662 852 748 Password: 521023. PH Rosa 3886 1661

Tuesday 5th March:

8:30am OLW Play group—Community Centre

Wednesday 6th March:

8:30—10:00am Adoration following Mass

6:00pm RCIA workshop

Friday 8th March:

8:30 am Stations of the Cross— Petrie

9:00am Mothers Prayers—Parish Office

Lent 2nd Rite of Reconciliation.



**Monday 18th
March 7:00pm
Petrie**

Stations of the Cross

Held each Friday morning in Lent
8.30am following the 8am Mass
at Our Lady of the Way 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.

Parish News and Archdiocesan Events

Holy Week Timeline



Palm
SUNDAY



Maundy
THURSDAY



Good
FRIDAY



Holy
SATURDAY



Easter
SUNDAY

ROSTERS FOR PALM SUNDAY GOSPEL, LENT RECONCILIATION AND HOLY WEEK CELEBRATIONS.

If you are able to assist with our Palm Sunday Gospel, Lent Reconciliation or Holy Week Celebrations please put your name on the Roster on the table at the foyer of the Church at Petrie. or contact the Parish Office **by Sunday 17th March**.

Please do not wait for others to put their names down. If you are going to be at the Liturgies please consider being available to assist.



This weekend at the 8am Mass at Petrie and 10am Mass at Dayboro, our parish children who are enrolling in our 2024

Sacramental program will be making their commitment in preparation for receiving the Sacraments over the next 3 years.

We ask our community to support and pray for the children and their families.

Copies of the Lenten resource
"A Resurrected Life"

Are now available from the table
at the back of the church for \$6 each.



Dayboro Catholic Community
invites you to:

PADDYMANIA...

A night of Trivia and Fun with an Irish Theme

COST: \$25 PER PERSON



Friday 15th March 2024 , 7:30pm

at Jack's Place

Dayboro Catholic Church, McKenzie St

Arrange a table or join one! 8 people to a table.

Bookings Essential—Pauline 0421 699 184

See Notice Board for more Information



Caritas
AUSTRALIA



Second Sunday of Lent 24 & 25 February

After the birth of her children, 22-year-old **Ronita** was at risk of having to leave school permanently. But, with the support of Caritas Australia's partners in the Philippines, she resumed her studies and secured a job at a call centre to support her family.

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SCRIPTURE READINGS

Second Sunday of Lent—Year B

First Reading - Genesis 22:1,2, 9-13, 15-18

Second reading - Romans 8:31-34

Gospel - Mark 9:2-10

Please remember in your prayers the sick in our community:



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

THERE IS NO GIFT MORE PRECIOUS THAN PRAYER—Fr Benedict Groeschel

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

WHY WE DO THE THINGS WE DO

Why do we have Stations of the Cross?

Have you ever made a journey retracing the steps of an ancestor? In the early Church a tradition developed whereby Christians would make a pilgrimage to Jerusalem, retracing the journey that Jesus took to Calvary. Visual representation depicting the Passion of Jesus were erected along the way. In memory of this sacred path, the stations were popularised in art and as a devotional practice encouraged especially by the Franciscans. There are fourteen stations in our modern day devotion whereby people move from station to station, reflecting on the sacrifice Jesus make for us.

TAP TO DONATE



The parish has a new donation Eftpos machine which is at all Masses.

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