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MISSION STATEMENT

"Saint Peter's Parish is a community who lives in faith of Jesus Christ and, moved by the Spirit, continues to grow in our love for God and all people."

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year C)

27th January 2019

Readings: Nehemiah 8:2-6, 8-10 1 Cor 12:12-30 Luke 1:1-4; 4: 14-21

Allow some time to prepare our minds for Mass

Punctuality is very important in today's society. However, when it comes to attending and serving Mass, being punctual may not be "good enough" and all that is required. I would like to encourage parishioners to come to Mass not just "on time" but some time before the Mass commences. I would define "some time" as about 10 minutes. If we come to Mass 10 minutes early, we will have some time to calm our hearts, leaving the worries of life behind us and preparing our minds for Eucharist. If we haven't had the chance to read the readings of the Mass, we could use this ten minutes to do so. Alternatively, we could use this time to reflect on the past week. We might consider how successfully we have applied the message that we gained and the grace we were granted during last weekend's Mass, into our everyday lives. What new challenges do I face? What achievements have I made? Who should I forgive? Who could I thank? If we enter into the Eucharistic celebration after this reflection time, we could become more profoundly engaged in the Mass.

For all those who are ministers at Mass, you are encouraged to arrive even earlier- about 15 or 20 minutes before Mass commences. Ministers, you will need more time to prepare yourselves well to serve the holy Mass. And you will need to let the Mass coordinator know you have arrived and are well-prepared to serve. If you arrive just before the start of the Mass, the Mass coordinator will not be sure if you are coming and whether a substitute may be needed. Usually, all the ministers say a short prayer together before the entrance procession, so we need to guarantee enough time to do this as well.

Our younger ministers, such as altar servers, might need parental help with this. They can't drive so their parents always bring them to church. They may forget what Masses they are rostered to serve. Or their parents might not be aware of their rostered Masses and have other family plans. Hence, I would make the following suggestions.

1. Parents can encourage a younger minister to be organised by helping them set up their own diary system, either on paper or in electronic form. Once they get a new roster, parents could prompt younger ministers to put the dates and times of the rostered Mass in the diary and to follow it.
2. If your children are the members of any ministry group, when you make family plans, please check with your kids about their rosters.
3. If younger ministers can't make any rostered Mass, please remind and help them to arrange a substitute or, at least, inform the coordinator of the ministry group. In this way, children are being helped to be responsible and to learn responsibility. This will be good for them and for the church community.

My dear friends, I believe parishioners and ministers have been doing a great job. I thank all of you for your great contribution and commitment to our parish. I thank you for your faithfulness and dependability. Please continue to do your best. I encourage you to do what you can and to know that nobody would or should judge you when you can't make it or can't avoid being late. Finally, please be aware that my remarks are written in the general sense and meant as an encouragement and support, so don't take them the wrong way. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

Fr Baiyi



IN OUR PARISH THIS COMING WEEK:	
MON 28th Jan	St Thomas Aquinas 8.00am Mass <i>Public Holiday—Parish Office closed today</i>
TUE 29th Jan	8.00am Mass 4.30pm St Vincent de Paul meeting 7.00pm RCIA Team meeting 7.30pm Baptism Information meeting
WED 30th Jan	6.30am Mass
THU 31st Jan	St John Bosco <i>No Mass</i> 7.30pm Care & Concern meeting
FRI 1st Feb	8.30am Rosary 9.00am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 9.00—9.20am Reconciliation available 9.30am Healing Mass
SAT 2nd Feb	The Presentation of the Lord 5.00pm Reconciliation 6:00pm Vigil Mass for Sunday
SUN 3rd Feb	Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time 9.00am Mass 6.00pm Mass

2019 Year planner: Ministry Group leaders, please advise the Parish Office of any dates your ministry group is planning events or fund-raising etc.

Card Group: Come and join the Card Group for a friendly and casual game of cards every Monday morning in the Parish Centre at 10am.

Seeking Granny Flat: A former parishioner would love to return to our parish area and is seeking a Granny flat to rent. If you can help please call Eliane on 0415 977 790.

Pilgrimage to Rome, Dubrovnik and Medjugorje in May 2019 being organised by Anna Hickson, who is a parishioner of St Matthew's at Loganholme. 30 people are needed to make the trip financially viable at \$5500 per person twin share. \$999 extra for single occupancy. Contact Anna for more information on 0410 953 964.

Plenary Council 2020
Listen to what the Spirit is saying
What do you think God is asking of us in Australia at this time?" To have your say visit www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au.

Our Lady of Lourdes Rosary Procession: This year Our Lady of Lourdes' Feast Day, 11th February, will fall on a Monday. However the school have planned a Parent-teacher night on that evening so we will celebrate Our Lady of Lourdes after the Sunday evening 6pm Mass on 10th February. This Mass will still be the Mass for Sunday with the liturgy for the 5th Sunday of Ordinary Time but will be followed by a rosary procession to Our Lady's Grotto to mark the Feast Day of Our Lady of Lourdes. This rosary procession is always a lovely way to honour Our Lady and we encourage everyone to come along and join in.

Planning for World Day of Prayer: World Day of Prayer on 1st March 2019 is a day and time set aside for the entire world of different denominations to come together in prayer. We at St Peters are hosting this year and the country we will be praying for is Slovenia. We have started a planning group and held our first meeting but if you would still like to participate in the planning for the day we would love to hear from you. Please see Jo Cullen if you are interested.

If anyone is from Slovenia or has any mementos from Slovenia that you would allow us to borrow for the day please also contact the Parish Office.

God's Word 2019 Last few copies left! Get in quick! \$10 each. All the readings for every day of the year & reflections.

Attention those in the Reading Ministry!

Break Open the Word is an invaluable resource for those people in the Reading Ministry. As well as the Sunday readings for you to practice, each reading has an explanation and tips on how it should be proclaimed. Cost \$18 each. Last few copies left!

Young Adults Event: Young Adults aged 18 to 35 Sunday 10th February following 9am Mass 11am to 2pm. **Barefoot Bowls and lunch. Pick up a flyer today.** Contact Jo if you would like to attend or for any further information.

Donations of spectacles, Bibles, lead pencils, coloured pencils, crayons and exercise books for an optometrist to take to Vanuatu. Place your donations in the marked box at the back of the church.

Readings for next weekend:

4th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year C)

Jeremiah 1:4-5, 17-19 1 Corinthians 12:31-13:13
Luke 4:21-30

New roster for Mass Co-ordinators, Readers & Extraordinary Minister of Communion: The next roster for Mass co-ordinators, Extraordinary Ministers of Communion and Readers will cover the months of March to May inclusive. Please indicate on the slips on the table near the main doors, any dates you know that you will be unavailable or any changes for the next roster and pop them in the Peter's Post box just inside the main doors. We will start drawing up the new roster this week. New Ministers welcome.

Children's Liturgy will resume next Sunday.

Ministry Groups Around our Parish:

Home Communion and Nursing Home Communion

There are many sick or elderly parishioners, living in their own homes, who are not able to get to Mass. We have a dedicated group of people who visit them on a weekly basis. In addition, Extraordinary Ministers of Communion visit The Plains, Bethany Care, the local Nursing Home, each fortnight. There are another 2 nursing homes about to open soon within our parish so we will need more Ministers to help with visitations. If you know anyone needing Home Communion or would like to be involved in this very rewarding Ministry please contact the Parish Office or Mary Naughton.

Advertising in our Newsletter: If you would like to advertise your business on the back of our newsletter in 2019, starting from March, please contact austnews either by phone on 1800 245 077 or email: advertising.austnews.net.au

Planned Giving via Direct Bank Transfer: If you would like to direct transfer your Planned Giving to our bank account, our BSB is 064-786 and Account number is 007021101. Please use your surname and Planned Giving (or PG) as reference.

Bequests and Endowments: Have you considered leaving a bequest or endowment to the parish in your will? Pick up one of our new bequest brochures.

Christian Religious Instruction in State Schools: Do you have a heart for local missions – reaching those in literally our own backyard?! Why not consider going back to school this year?

Christian Religious Instruction teams in your area need volunteers to help continue this amazing ministry. As a CRI teacher or helper, you can read the Bible with students and share the gospel message clearly. All that is needed is 30 minutes a week to teach, some time to prepare, blue card and a letter from your church minister. Teaching curriculum and training are provided. Please contact us if you would like some more information. Sonia Kenny soniakenny@gmail.com 0422 068 552. Kerri-Ann Caswell evkezc@bigpond.com 3219 7435

Christian Healing Ministries- Level 1 Prayer Training 2019: CCR Brisbane Healing Prayer Centre will be offering training on Healing Prayer Level 1 at CCR Brisbane Centre, 688 Nudgee Road, Northgate (in the grounds of St. John's Catholic Church). This level 1 course will be completed over 3 full Saturdays and participants are expected to attend all 3 days - Saturday 23 March 9.30am - 5.00pm, Saturday 27 April 9.30am - 5.00pm and Saturday 25 May 9.30am - 5.00pm. This Level 1 Course is open to all. For more details, fees and registration, please go to http://www.ccrbrisbane.org.au/News/PrayerTrainingLevel1_2019Notice.pdf or Phone 0432 968 892

Are you new to our Parish? If you've recently joined the Parish, WELCOME!! Please make yourself known to us. We'd like to formally greet you, so please complete a 'New Parishioners Card' at the back of the Church and place it on the collection plate or hand it to Fr Baiyi or to one of the Parish Councillors.

Other Parish Contacts

Care & Concern: Transport: 0412 267 337
Co-ordinator Lynn White 0403 051103
Family Group Facebook:
St Peters Rochedale Family Groups
Memorial Wall & Gardens: Mal Jensen 0411641312
Rosary Group: Fridays 9:00am
(1st Fridays 8.30am) All Welcome!

Safeguarding Children & Vulnerable Adults Representative:
Malcolm Carroll 0410 193 569 or
sgrep.stpetroch@bne.catholic.net.au
Social Justice Group Facebook:
St Peter's Rochedale Social Justice Group
St Vincent de Paul Group:
New member enquiries John Blake 0411 196 775

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Those who have died: Dorothy Taylor, Anie Wright, Danielle van Heerden, Nhang Seng Jong, Kim Chang, Helen Arkadieff, Kevin Dingwall, Brian Rixon, Kyle Webster, Armando Sta. Ana, Jeffrey Lawlor

Book of Life & Mass Requests: John Moy, Bill Hawkins, Pamella Brown, Jessie Bess, Bert Flanagan, Hilary Maloney, Sr Agnes Lyng, Elso Ghidella, Tim O'Neil, Mary Bakker, Christopher Harding, Muriel Tonneli, Wayne Webb, John Moy, Sharron McKenna, Brian Christensen, Daisy Bucklar, Robert Irwin, Ron Tasker, Derek Sharp, Paula Mulderry, Vince Dibella, Julie Apted, Kathleen Slattery, Alan D'Mello, Pauline Maczkowiack, Peter Maczkowiack.

Please pray for those who are sick, especially Baby Poynter, Barrie Martin, Irene Hughes, Kevin Fry, Don Bechly, Marcos Mendoza, Margaret Drummond, Gwen Green, Esme Jensen, Michael Harkin, Zhiding Gong, David Richardson, Vickie Routledge, Martine Pitts, Kaitlin Bakker, Warren Williams, Vivian Kennedy, Danny Costello, Benny Santanaraj, Jose Rochil Contreras, Kim Power, Lexie Harding, Violet Adamson, Max Drummond, Karen Johnston, Lori Hodder, Apolonio Aguas, John Drew, John Green, Alan Camp, Ramona Cruz, Ursula Williamson, Kieran McKenna, Sesinando de Leon Jnr, Trevor Parker, Sandra Murphy, Fabio Viola, Michael Smith, Sylvia Privitera, Andrew Briskey, Elmore Kotzur, Monica Ah Koy, Kevin Kelly, Hamish Stuhmeke, Bonnie Dematillar, Johnny Summers

Prayer requests should be recorded on the form on the back table of the church nearest to the lectern.

Please ensure you have the permission of the person who is sick to make their name public.

2nd & 3rd Feb	Saturday 6pm	Sunday 9am	Sunday 6pm
Mass Co-ordinators	Natalie & Steve	Marilyn Mills	Kate Guy
AV Operators	David Crowley	Mick Denton	John Donohue
Readers	C. Clive D'Silva 1. Geoff Hondroudakis 2. Joseph C Varkey	C. Romana Langdon 1. Alan Vigor 2. Maria Chamberlain	C. Vickie Routledge 1. Aurelie Twidale 2. Daniel Twidale
Extraordinary Ministers of Communion	Steve Danudibroto Natalie Hadde Ann Maree Collier	Bernard Langdon Diane McKeone Julie Hondroudakis Gwen Martin	Deacon Mike Jones Malcolm Carroll Ros Dawson
Altar Servers	Talia, Rene	Jada, Agnes, Angela	Eza, Angelina
Musicians	Rita	Madden family	Liz

Church Cleaning: 3 Brian & Janice Mason, Jeffrey Aranha, Diane McKeone

Children's Liturgy: None **This week:** **Sacristan:** Glenys Peters **Counting:** Bob's Team

Cuppa: Sun 3rd Feb after 6pm Mass: Celine Phillips, Jodie Baigent, Lynn White

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