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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."*

## 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year C) 13th October 2019

Readings: 2 Kings 5:14-17

2 Timothy 2:8-13

Luke 17:11-19

### Mental Health Week – 2019: Take Time for Mental Health

Mental Health Week is an annual, national event that aims to improve community awareness and interest in mental health and wellbeing. In Australia, one in four young people experience some kind of mental health condition. Out of these young people, only half receive professional help. This is highly concerning. Jesus tells us that *'I have come that they might have life, and that they might have it in all its fullness.'* (John 10:10). We as his followers have a responsibility to do all we can to bring about that fullness of life and to tackle the plague of mental illness in our land and beyond.

This weekend we hear in our Gospel about how Jesus, continuing on his journey to Jerusalem, heals 10 lepers. Ten people afflicted with leprosy cry out to Jesus. Struck with pity, Jesus heals all 10. Perhaps mental illness can be seen as a leprosy of the mind in this unsettled time. Something that we really want to avoid until one day it turns up in our family or circle of friends and we are reluctantly forced to acknowledge it and 'Take Time' in dealing with it.

When we speak of tackling this issue we start with advocacy and awareness. Bringing awareness is potentially the most important aspect when looking at creating change on a large scale. This is an extreme positive of mental health week. It gets people talking. It brings issues to the surface that we may ignore in our daily lives. Awareness helps, it is the beginning of something.

We need *awareness* as it's the first step of tackling any problem on a large scale and in mental health I dream of many people not simply forgetting the day after it's been and gone; I dream of a day where we don't have to tackle such an issue on such a large scale, where we don't have stigma, a day where we have more than a week of awareness.

You are not born with a mental illness. It can be prevented in many cases, or the severity decreased. After awareness, the next step is *prevention*. How can we prevent someone from developing such an illness? Once the onset of a mental illness has occurred, how can we intervene early so as to prevent further life threatening issues, increase recovery rates and decrease rates of onset? How can we maintain all the awareness that comes from mental health week and turn it into sustainable action.

On the ground, on a personal level, we can continue the conversation – not let it halt at the end of the week. We can keep the awareness alive. On a larger scale, mental health is an issue that all too often stems from stigma and stereotypes – preventing early intervention and a culture of *'she'll be right'* - which promotes on a superficial level, what some would argue, resilience. But does it?

Resilience is the capacity to withstand stress and catastrophe, it is something we are not born with but that we develop through relationships, through learning of self-awareness, of coping strategies, of positive thinking. *'She'll be right'* can often evoke a care free attitude, a laid back approach to difficulties and can be amazing. However it can also produce the idea that we don't need help, that we can just 'get over it', that things will naturally get better. Unfortunately in mental health it doesn't always work this way.

*(Please turn to page 3 to read the rest of Deacon Mike's reflection)*



## IN OUR PARISH THIS COMING WEEK:

<b>MON 14th Oct</b>	8.00am Mass
<b>TUE 15th Oct</b>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Saint Teresa of Jesus</b></p> 8.00am Mass with children 11.00am Mass at Arcare Springwood 6.30pm Young Adult Catch Up 7.00pm RCIA
<b>WED 16th Oct</b>	6.30am Mass
<b>THU 17th Oct</b>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Saint Ignatius of Antioch</b></p> No Mass 7.30pm Faith Enrichment meeting
<b>FRI 18th Oct</b>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Saint Luke</b></p> 9.00am Rosary 9.30am Mass 7.15pm Social Justice Trivia Night
<b>SAT 19th Oct</b>	5.00pm Reconciliation 6.00pm Vigil Mass for Sunday
<b>SUN 20th Oct</b>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Catholic Mission Appeal Weekend</b></p> 9.00am Mass 11.00am Korean background parishioners get-together 6.00pm Mass

### Social Justice Group Trivia Night:

Friday 18th Oct 6.45pm for a 7.15pm start in the Simon Peter Centre (school hall). \$15 per person. Proceeds to Bushfire & Drought Appeal as well as St Paul's Woodridge Refugees and Asylum Seekers. Contact Anne Scanlon or Carmel Northey-Cherrett for tickets/enquiries.

**Catholic Mission Appeal:** Next weekend our parish will be holding the annual Catholic Mission Church Appeal. This year we are invited to partner with the Church in Ghana, as they provide ongoing protection and development of children who are vulnerable.

You will be offered the opportunity to personally partner with the Church in Ghana as a monthly giving partner, with all gifts specifically directed to life-saving projects for children in need – please come prepared to give generously.

**Holy Souls Memorial Mass:** 9.30am Saturday 2nd November. We will remember all those who have died, particularly during the past year. Please mark this special day in your diaries.

**Ministers needed:** Can you spare some time on a Tuesday to visit housebound parishioners and the residents of our local nursing homes and bring them Holy Communion? Please contact Mary Naughton.

### Youth Update:

**YOUNG ADULTS:** The young adults dates for the remainder of the year are:

October 15th- 6:30pm at Nandos Garden City.  
November 22nd then December 13th

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Saturday 7-8:30pm in the parish centre. This Saturday 12th October then:

- October 26th
- November 23rd
- November 9th
- December 7th

If you have any questions, concerns or suggestions please don't hesitate to contact our youth coordinator Olivia at her email:

Youth.stpetroch@bne.catholic.net.au

**Kingdom Now: A one day Parish Renewal Event for the Logan Deanery** On Sunday 3rd November St Peter's and all the parishes in the Logan deanery are invited to attend a one day parish renewal event.

**Where:** Logan Entertainment Centre

**When:** 3rd November 2019

**Invited:** All St Peter's parishioners of all ages

**Time:** Broken into two sessions:

**3pm till 5pm** Input from speakers on topics of music and worship, social justice, evangelization and parish engagement.

**6pm till 8pm** *Emmanuel Worship* will lead a powerful night of encounter that includes Mass with Archbishop Mark Coleridge

**Cost:** Event is free but small fee for bus.

**Dinner** from 5pm till 6pm

(To be advised what food will be there for purchase)

**Transport** - We are trying to organize a bus to leave Rochedale at 2.15pm. RSVP for bus 29 October.

**NOTE:** People will be shuttled back to St Peter's after Session One if they wish or you are welcome to stay for Session Two and Mass. We will need to know numbers a week prior for the bus so could you please contact Jo or the Parish Office if you are interested in attending.



### Readings for next weekend:

**29th Sunday in Ordinary Time:**

Exodus 17:8-13    2 Timothy 3:14-4:2    Luke 18:1-8

### Melbourne Cup Lunch

11am - 2.30pm Tuesday 5th

November. Fundraising towards our Youth Ministry program. Book early!

Tickets on sale now. \$50 per person. Includes 3 course lunch, entry to raffle draws, glass of bubbly on arrival. Dress up for a great day.

Prizes for best hat, fashion on the field.

Great sweeps, fun and friendship!



### Faith Matters! Plenary Council -

**Theme 1 - Missionary and Evangelising**

We are being invited to listen openly to the wisdom of the Holy Spirit to discern ways to be a **Christ-centred Church that is Missionary and Evangelising**. So what do these words mean?

**Missionary** simply means making Jesus known and loved.

**Evangelising** simply means being disciples sent by Jesus speaking on his behalf and sharing the Good News with others.

Pope Francis tells us we are here ... (for) "this mission of bringing light, blessing, enlivening, raising up, healing and freeing." (*Evangelii Gaudium*)

He **says evangelising** is for the whole Church not just a few! **Each of us** is to show God's love by the way we live, words we speak, love we share, good deeds we do in everyday life. He encourages us to be joyful evangelisers "**who have first received the joy of Christ**". (*Evangelii Gaudium*)

Open our hearts O Lord to receive your joy. Give us courage to lovingly live and share this joy with everyone we encounter in our days.

**Faith Enrichment Group**





**Reflection Continued from Page 1:**

Resilience can equal prevention. Resilience is built by learning. Learning to manage strong feelings, learning to seek help, have close relationships, and a positive view of self. As can a supportive positive environment and a healthy lifestyle, which can be found when we live in a culture that promotes it. If we turn our awareness into these actions, perhaps we can improve the statistics mentioned here. If we can change our attitude into one that yearns for us to *be better*, then we will move forward from awareness to perhaps prevention.

During this Mental Health week, may we all both make time and take time for mental health so that the words of Christ will take root in our hearts and in our nation: *I have come that they might have life, and that they might have it in all its fullness.*  
Deacon Mike



**Vinnies News: Donations needed:** We are assisting a lady who has lost 'everything' in a unit fire. If you have any appliances or household items you could donate, please call Brian on 0419 992 294. This lady has absolutely nothing and virtually needs everything. You name it- she needs it. We have already supplied a phone and have a TV to collect. Thank You

**Columban Calendars for 2020:** Available now from the St Vincent de Paul Piety Stall for \$8 each

**St Peter's 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. Please make use of the bright blue "I use electronic banking" cards at the back of the church to drop in the collection baskets when they come around. This might encourage someone else to think about using electronic banking for their Planned Giving—credit card, direct debit or bank transfer.

**See the Noticeboard for Invitations from around the Archdiocese**

**Please sign the e-petition "Euthanasia – we can live without it."**

Add your voice of opposition to Voluntary Assisted Dying/ euthanasia via the Petition link: <https://www.parliament.qld.gov.au/work-of-assembly/petitions/petition-details?id=3176>

**Photo Exhibition of the work of Catholic Mission** at the Percolator Gallery, Brisbane from October 23 until November 3. An official opening will take place on Friday, October 25, with refreshments provided. (To help with catering, please call our office on 07 3324 3421 or email [brisbane.admin@catholicmission.org.au](mailto:brisbane.admin@catholicmission.org.au).)

**PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:**

**Those who have died:** Angelina Russo, Mark Collier (*Mike's brother*), Pauline Lennane, Irene Hughes

**Book of Life & Mass Requests:** Ricardo 'Rex' Jardeleza, Marian McLeod Maddox, Zena Bray, Ellen Glancy, Colin Murphy, Sr. Patricia Mary Butler, Doug Elliot, Ena Gallagher, Eileen Gray, Joyce Thompson, James Denton, Joan Rauchle, Paul Snow, Mollie Yourell, Nicole Phillips, Sandra McCulkin, Peg Bradley, Richard Schlegel, Agatino Mailli, Josephine White, Richard Caligari, Rod Ferguson, Michael Galea

**Please pray for those who are sick, especially:** Frank Sankey, Elmore Kotzur, Lucy, Kevin Fry, John Franks, Michael O'Grady, Joseph Peki, Vickie Routledge, Ian Thompson, Kevin Kelly, Edna Bultitude, Vilma Ghouse, Callum Poynter, Sue Power, Rebecca Power, Rex Bowen, Catherine Nystrom, Kevin Hargrave, Joyce Byrne, Rory Bakker, Simon Hinton, Ray Parker, June Richards, Brad Richards, Barrie Martin, Marcos Mendoza, Gwen Green, Esme Jensen, Margaret Drummond, Michael Harkin, David Richardson, Kaitlin Bakker, Karen Johnston, Warren Williams, Vivian Kennedy, Danny Costello, Benny Santanaraj, Jose Rochil Contreras, Lexie Harding, Violet Adamson, Max Drummond, Lori Hodder, Alan Camp, Ramona Cruz, Ursula Williamson, Kieran McKenna, Trevor Parker, Fabio Viola, Sesinando de Leon Jnr, Sandra Murphy, Sylvia Privitera, Johnny Summers, Hamish Stuhmeke, Bonnie Dematillar

*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.*

19th & 20th Oct	Saturday 6pm	Sunday 9am		Sunday 6pm
<b>Mass Co-ordinators</b>	Carl de Mello	Lydia Chew		Kate Guy
<b>AV Operators</b>	Mike Collier	Mick Denton		John Donohue
<b>Readers</b>	C. Peta Grandin 1. Clive D'Silva 2. Joyce Lyster	C. Stephanie Lenihan 1. Jonathan Vigor 2. Megan Philpott		C. Raylee Burns 1. Bob Burns 2. Shane Sweeney
<b>Extraordinary Ministers of Communion</b>	Deacon Mike Jones Danny Vaihu Rob Meulman	Alan Scanlon Lydia Chew Julie Hondroudakis Gwen Martin	Donald Fernando Jim Nathan Jo Cullen	John Blake Malcolm Carroll Cesarina Gigante
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Talia	Agnes, Angela, Tess		Eza
<b>Musicians</b>	Carmel	Rita		Liz

**Church Cleaning: Group 8 Basil's Cleaners**

**Children's Liturgy:** Paola Tagini      **This week: Sacristan:** Celine Phillips **Counting:** Carl's Team

**Cuppa:** Sunday Oct 20 after 9am Mass: Rachele Johnson, Amanda Revelo, Kimberley Kanages



**Are you new to our Parish? WELCOME!!** 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  
**St Vincent de Paul:** New members: John Blake 0411 196 775

**Safeguarding Children & Vulnerable Adults Representative:** Malcolm Carroll 0410 193 569 or [sgrep.stpetroch@bne.catholic.net.au](mailto:sgrep.stpetroch@bne.catholic.net.au)  
**Social Justice Group Facebook:** St Peter's Rochedale Social Justice Group  
**Rosary Group:** Fridays 9:00am (1st Fridays 8.30am)

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