



Ss Peter and Paul's Catholic Parish

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15th Sunday in Ordinary Time 15th and 16th of July 2023

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Our Vision

We are a Catholic Community who profess, celebrate and witness that Jesus lives, and to whom the Father sends His Spirit. We express that belief by living out and spreading the message of the Gospel.

Child Safety Policy

Ss Peter and Paul's is committed to upholding the safety and dignity of each child and young person, ensuring they are able to grow and develop in a caring and supportive environment within our parish. Visit our parish website or contact our parish office for our child-safe policy."

Acknowledgement to Country

In the spirit of reconciliation, Ss Peter and Paul's parish acknowledges the Wurundjeri people as the traditional custodians of the land we all now share. For thousands of years they raised their families, maintained their culture and sustainably managed this sacred land. We pay our respects to their Elders past, present and emerging.

Parish Office

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www.youtube.com/@sspp3109

PARISH OFFICE OPENING HOURS:

Parish Office is open every
Mon and Thu 9-5pm
Tue and Wed 9-3.30pm and
Fri 9-4pm.

Thank you from Fr Jerald

What a wonderful journey I had these few years with you.

It reminds me of the unnamed person in Emmaus disciples passage , in Lukes Gospel.

As we walked together in faith all these years ,we discussed and tried to make sense of the things happening in our life and in the world in the light of our Faith and Gospel.

I cherish those precious Moments of Grace during our journey as Jesus did come up and walk along with us assuring his presence.

Now it's time to join another community to accompany their faith journey. I would like to thank each and every one of you for your wonderful friendship and support in my faith journey.

Let us keep allowing Jesus to aflame our heart with Love and compassion.

Peace be with you. Jerald

Thank you To Fr Jerald

Thank you for your service and dedication to our faith. Your guidance has blessed us all with spiritual fulfillment and love.

Thank you for your countless hours spent teaching us about God's word, leading us closer to Him, and enriching our lives through prayer. Your presence in our church was like a beacon of hope that guided us through difficult times.

You are more than just a priest to us. You are a friend and mentor who showed us the way of faith and love. Your kind words, wise counsel and unwavering spirit have been an immense source of strength for all of us here.

Thank you for being such an incredible leader who always showed us what it truly means to be a friend in faith. You will be greatly missed, but never forgotten. May God grant you all the joys of life.

THANK YOU FR JERALD

SsPP "One in a Hundred Appeal" 2023-24

Firstly, I want to thank each and every contributor for supporting the Appeal in 2022-23 which raised \$A12,500 for the education of children of poor families, conducted by the Sisters of Our Lady of Sion Jerusalem, via the Notre Dame de Sion Local Children's Education Fund. That thanks comes from the co-ordinator Sr Trudy who visited us last October, and from me. Your response is much in keeping with your generosity displayed since we started our Appeal in 2003.

Continuing our Appeal in 2023-24 which has long been a significant overseas-aid commitment by SsPP and you, is a must! Your ongoing support will help determine the future of the Education Fund. I will share with you what the contribution means for children and families, the hopes for 2023-24, and the political situation in Israel and how it might impact.

The options are unchanged – the equivalent of \$10 @ month - contributed as an annual donation of \$120, two donations of \$60, or monthly at \$10. Envelopes will be available to match your choice.

Know that your support will make a difference, whether you are a new or a continuing contributor, please pray also for those most in need, that God will provide.

To offer your support please either take an envelope for annual or six-monthly use, or a set for monthlies, as you leave Mass this weekend, and return into the Church collection bowl.

Please leave your contact details or Email hmrMartin@optusnet.com.au with your commitment.

Direct deposits can be made to Ss Peter & Paul's Social Justice Account

(BSB 083-347 Account Number 473008563

Thanks, and God Bless!

Harry Martin

Mob. 0421 770 498

Ladies Lunch Group

"On Wednesday 14 June, 18 ladies from the Ladies Luncheon Group shared a delicious meal at the Fish and Burger Co in Doncaster Road. Good food and good company made it a most enjoyable time. **Our next outing will be on Wednesday 12th July at the Box Hill Golf Club.** Anyone interested in joining us please book with Muriel on 0417 055 617"

Charismatic Prayer Group

St Peter and Paul's Charismatic Prayer Group meets every Tuesday at 7.00pm in church to praise and worship our Lord. Please ring Bernadette on 0407 007 708 if you have any queries or would like to attend.

Adoration and Healing Prayers

On Saturday the 15th of July, our 6.00pm mass will be followed by an hour of adoration of the blessed sacrament and healing prayers.

If you would like more information, please ring Bernadette O'Hanlon on 0407 007 708.

New Rosters

The new rosters for Readers and Commentators, Welcomers and Communion Ministers is now out for collection in the Narthex. Please pick your roster up on your way out today.

Adoration and Healing Prayers

On Saturday the 15th of July, our 6.00pm mass will be followed by an hour of adoration of the blessed sacrament and healing prayers. If you know of anyone who will benefit from this, please let them know.

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TEMPORARY USE OF CAR - URGENT NEED

An heroic lady who is a recent widow with significant health issues requiring ongoing medical treatment, and who is caring for 2 adult children with disabilities is in urgent need of a reliable vehicle in good order - if possible as a loan of 2 to 3 months. Her own car has "died" and is not worth repairing.

Her story, if it was told, is an extraordinary mix of courage and heartbreak. Do you know someone who might help? Any additional insurance required will be covered. For further information, contact Fr. Kevin Dillon on 0421 777 360 or frkdillon@outlook.com.au.

Fr Jerald's last Mass here at Ss Peter and Paul's

With Fr Jerald's impending move, we wish to advise that his last weekday mass with us will be held Saturday the 15th of July at 9.00am. His last weekend mass with us will be on Sunday the 16th of July at the 8.00am Mass.

During the period between Fr Jerald's departure and Fr Toan's arrival, we will be helped by Fr Kevin and by a few supply priest.

Please note, from the 18th of July to the 8th of August, our weekday morning masses will be held at 9.30am and will be presided by Fr Kevin.

This week we pray for :

Prayers of the Community : Our Prayers are asked for those who died recently and those whose anniversaries occur at this time especially – Margaret O'Callaghan, Uliana Mercuri, Valerie Whiticker, Edith Street, Reginal Kaine, Sebastian Coffa, Joseph Lim, Feley Martis, Maria Vivlione, Giuseppina Zuccala, Maxwell Murphy, William Bourke, Diana Barton, Frances Rigby and Katheleen Morley

and those who are sick : Franco and Anna Paron, Giovanna Tornese, Lina Antonino, Uisa Stilo, Pietro Ciccotelli, June Webster, Rhonda McMahon, Emily Patrikis, Julia Smith, Ann Weerappah, Tai Thomas, Jamie Yarnold, Hazel Cross, Jaxson Pelligrino, Marie Cameron, Joseph & Monica Lee, Conroy Chan, Vittoria Del Pomte, Jolly Noronha, Peter Bevilacqua, Sophie Saidel, Andriano Donato, Diana Munante and Daniel Munante, Young Ang Siok, Sebastian Nigro.

SUPPORTING MINISTRIES

Parish Priest: Fr Jerald Mariadas
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Parish Administration :

Liza Jansz: doncastereast@cam.org.au or
 Liza.Jansz@cam.org.au

Rosary: Weekdays after Mass/Communion Service

Reconciliation: Saturdays 9.30am and 5.30pm and any weekday after Mass

Baptisms: On 2nd and 4th Sundays of every month at 12.30pm by appointment

Weddings: By appointment

MASS TIMES for partner Parishes of SSPP & OLOP

	OLOP	SSPP
Mon	No Mass	9.00 am Communion Service
Tue	No Morning Mass—	9.00 am Communion Service
Wed	9.30am Mass followed by Rosary	9.00 am Communion Service
Thur	No Morning Mass	9.30 am Mass
Fri	9.30am Mass followed by Rosary	9.00 am Communion Service
Sat	5.00pm Mass	9.00am Communion Service 6.00pm Mass
SUN	9.30am Mass	8.00AM AND 11.15AM

Rosters for the 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time —22nd and 23rd of July 2023

First Reading	Wisdom	12:13.16-19	
Second Reading	Romans	8:26-27	
Gospel	Matthew	13:24-43	
Readers: 6.00pm 8.00am 11.15am	Nikita Perera Sheryl Kamath Julian Wong	Communion Ministers 6.00pm 8.00am 11.15am	Nevissa D'Souza Michael Liddy Anna Fabris + Volunteer
Commentator: 6.00pm 8.00am 11.15am	Volunteer Please Michael Liddy John Mirams	Money Counters: Group 5	Pauline and Brian Donovan Rose Miras
Projector Operator 6.00pm 8.00am 11.15am	Boris Dias Greg Sleeth Volunteer Please	Altar Servers 6.00pm 11.15am	Volunteer Adam Desai
Live Stream 6.00pm Mass	Mariluz	Sacristans 6.00pm 8.00am 11.15am	Vincent Lam/Kenneth Ting Sheryl Kamath/John D'Silva Dale Gordon Stewart/ Kenneth Ting