

Ss Peter and Paul's Catholic Parish

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21st Sunday in Ordinary Time 26th and 27th of August 2023

Year A

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.

FATHERS DAY

Can you believe it, Fathers day is only just over a week away.

This year we would like to invite Fathers to speak to the community about their experiences/thoughts/ reflections as a father. We are seeking at least 2 fathers per mass to share their experiences. If you would like to put your name forward please ring Liza in the Parish Office on 03 9842 1480.

Joint Parish Council Meeting

There will be a joint parish Council meeting on Thu the 31st of July. All Parish Council members are invited to attend.

Childrens Liturgy.

We are pleased to announce that Children's liturgy will be returning to the parish twice a month from September. The first children's liturgy will be held on Sunday the 10th of Sept followed by Sunday the 24th of September at our 11.15am Mass. If you would like to participate in this exciting ministry, please let Liza know .in the Parish Officed. Pass the message on!

Security at Church

We hope to implement the Electronic Locks system by early September. We are as yet still short of quiet a few pin numbers from those who need regular access to the Sacristy, Parish Kitchen and Parish Office.

Could we please ask you to get this information to us as soon as possible.

Thank you all for your help with this new security initiative.

Parish Newsletters

We would like to advise that with immediate effect, all future parish newsletters will now be printed on the Thursday prior to weekend masses.

Should anyone have an entry for the Parish Newsletter please ensure that this is forwarded to the Parish Office by 5.00pm on the Wednesday prior.

Thank you for your assistance with this.



DEVINE MERCY MASS

Our next Devine Mercy mass will be held here at SSPP on Friday the 1st of September at 7.30pm.

We look forward to seeing you at this mass.

Emailed Newsletters

If you have been receiving our newsletters electronically weekly and would like to stop receiving this, please let the parish office know. We will get your name and email removed. Thank you.



School News

On Tuesday the 22nd of August our school had their whole school production of "We are called..... To find the treasure within" at Forest Hill College theatre.

What a wonderful evening of joy watching the children perform their parts.

All the children were so well dressed, well rehearsed, sang beautifully, what was even more amazing was that every child, no matter their ability had a part to play. Such an Inclusive performance.

Thank you to our School Principal, School Staff and the production team for going the extra length to make this such a memorable night.

CONTRATULATIONS

Events being held at the school next week:

Tues the 29th of AugustConfirmation Family Faith Night 7-8pm

Wednesday the 30th of August Learning Support Officer Appreciation Week

Thursday the 31st of August Father's day Liturgy and Pizza Supper 6-7pm

Friday the 1st of September Playgroup at School 9.15am to 10.45am.

Fathers Day Stall 9.15 am.

Urgent Help Needed

We are in urgent need of assistance with our Reader, Commentator, Projector Operators and Live stream. If you are normally at our 6.00pm, 8am or 11.15am masses, please consider one of these roles. We cannot deliver effective liturgy without help from parishioners. Even if you are unsure, please have a chat with us. We can arrange training. Please consider this request.

St David's 'Spring Song' Concert

Gilbert and Sullivan Favourites by the Cantate Singers Sunday September 10th at 2pm

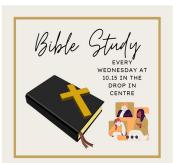
Tickets \$30, \$25 concession (pensioners & seniors.) Includes afternoon tea.

Ring 9842 4115 or 0438 034 739

Venue: 1111 Doncaster Road, Doncaster East (opp Tunstall Square)

Bible Sharing Group

Our Bible Sharing Group is going strong and meets every Wednesday, 10.15am in the Drop In



Centre to read, reflect and discuss scripture readings.

This will be followed by a fellowship over a light lunch. All are welcome to join in. Please bring your bible along.

Ladies Luncheon Group

The last lunch was held at the Veneto Club and was attended by 20 ladies from the Parish. What a wonderful turnout.

The next lunch will be held on Wednesday the



■ 13th of September. The venue of the next lunch has as yet not been set. If you are interested in attending please let ■ Muriel know on 0417 055 617.

Healing Service



Our next Benediction and Healing Service will be held here at Ss Peter and Paul's on Saturday the 2nd of September after the 6.00pm Mass.

If you know of anyone who needs healing and prayer, please let them know to come to this powerful service.

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 – The Nanoo Family, Lolene Cotter, Joseph Collins, Angelo VIrgona, Giuseppe Menzzapesa, Peter Duffy, Irene Dowling Richard Pratley, Mercurio Cafari, Charles Sargeant, Charles Cross, Lucia Fatone, Gino Borsato, Maria Borsato, Antonio Chiodo, Elisabeth Morbabito, Martin Prendergast, John Charles Crosby, Mari Curz Consalez, Mima Zougo. and those who are sick: Franco and Anna Paron, Giovanna Tornese, Lina Antonino, Luisa 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. Victor Soto and Mario Volpe.

SUPPORTING MINISTRIES

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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 partnered Parishes of SSPP & OLOP— 28th Aug to 3rd of Sept 2023

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

Rosters for the 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time —2nd and 3rd of Sept 2023

First Reading	Jeremiah	20: 7-9	
Second Reading	Romans	12:1-2	
Gospel	Matthew	16:21-27	
Readers: 6.00pm 8.00am 11.15am	Paul O'Hanlon Paul OÇonnor Tehani Fernando	Communion Ministers 6.00pm 8.00am 11.15am	Paul O'Hanlon Harry Martin Carmel Nigro + Volunteer
Commentator: 6.00pm 8.00am 11.15am	Marie de Kretser Harry Martin Carmel Nigro	Money Counters; Group 3	Angela Stuart Bernadette Mithen Dawn Pratley Ann Wetherall
Projector Operator 6.00pm 8.00am 11.15am	Nick Soo Frank Smit Amor Grabkowski	Altar Servers 6.00pm 11.15am	TBC Adam Desai
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