

ST ANTHONY'S PARISH

NEWSLETTER

Priest Director: Fr Roque Maguinsay
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Church Opening Hours
 Monday-Friday 8.30am – 4pm
 Sunday 8am – 11am

Office Hours –
 Maria – Mon-Wed, Fri 9-4
 Noela – Tues-Fri 8.30-2.30
 Fr Roque – by appointment

“A Place at the Table for All”

We acknowledge the living culture of the Giabal and Jarowair peoples, the traditional custodians of this land

4th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Yr C

First Reading: Jeremiah 1:4-5, 17-19
 I have appointed you as prophet to the nations.

Responsorial Psalm:
 I will sing of your salvation.

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 13:4-13
 There are three things that last: faith, hope and love; and the greatest of these is love.

Gospel Acclamation:
 Alleluia, alleluia!
 The Lord sent me to bring Good News to the poor and freedom to prisoners. Christ. Alleluia!

Gospel: Luke 4:21-30
 Jesus, like Elijah and Elisha, was not sent only to the Jews.

Parish Notices

We hold up and remember all those who have died recently: Michael Ellison (*Fran Shepherd's brother*), John Bradbury (*Fran Shepherd's brother-in-law*)

For the Anniversaries of our loved ones: Lawrence Schneider, John Cartwright
and the Anniversaries of the deceased Priests of the Diocese:

Fr Thomas Concannon, Fr William Hall, Fr William Behm, Fr Howard Crowe

We hold up in prayer all those who are sick including the following Parishioners: Daniel Bell, Rosemary Carlaw, Thora England, Toni Fitzgibbon, Shelley Fry, Eileen Garvey, Denise Hopwood, Pat Kamler, Elsie Kirby, Aaron Marsh, Damian Potter, Joan Potter, Allen Ryall

As well as the following friends & family members:

Regina Albion, Brian & Hazel Bowtell, Eddie & Hilda Carpenter, Sarah Colin, Max Collins, Barry Cuthbert (*WA*), John Drew (*Brisbane*), Dimity Elson (*Chris Costigan's niece*), Maureen Feehelly (*Pat Cullen's sister*), Sr Zoe (*Christina*) Fitzpatrick (PBVM), Leigh Fry (*Shelley's son*), Yvonne & Bruce Gardiner (*Brisbane*), Sandy Garrett (*Sister-in-law of Kathy Kennedy*), Gabby Hanlon (*Marie Heslop's niece*), Elizabeth Head (*Deb Bowdler's sister*), Frank & Norma Hickey, Ralph Hickey, Patricia Joyner (*Maria's mum*), Eaton Kirkbride, Robin & John de Lange (*Maryborough*), Stephen Mackenzie (*Pam Hahn's son*), Margaret Mackey (*Vonnie Sherman's sister*), Jim & Margaret Macarthur-Onslow, Nerlita McAllister (*Luisa Dillon's mum*), Cheryl McCurran, Mary McCurran, Dr Rob Nova, Colleen O'Dempsey (*sister-in-law of Elaine Duggan*), Jarryd Penrose (*grandson of late Len Penrose*), Brian Potter, Joseph Potter (*Joan's grandson*), Rae Reynolds (*Gold Coast*), Kevin Schick (*Val's brother*), Glen Sheridan (*Peter's brother*), Noela Sheriff, Ned Sparksman, Jane Styles (*Clare Forbes' grand-daughter*), Toni, Elaine Vallely (*Deb Sheehan's mother*), Denis & Ruth Volter, Frank White (*Cairns*), Geoffrey Williams (*brother of late Dorothea Green*)

NORMAL WEEKDAY MASS TIMES –

Refer weekly program for changes

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| St Anthony's: | Wednesday & 1 st Friday monthly | 9.15am |
| Our Lady of Lourdes: | Tuesday - Thursday Friday | 10.00am 5.30pm |
| St Thomas More's: | Monday & Friday Tuesday | 9.00am 5.30pm |
| Sacred Heart: | Monday – Friday Tuesday | 6.30am 12.10pm |
| St Patrick's Cathedral: | Monday – Saturday | 7am |
| RECONCILIATION | | |
| St Anthony's: | Saturday | 5.30pm – 5.45pm |
| ADORATION | | |
| St Anthony's: | 1 st Friday Monthly | 8.45am – 9.15am |

Parish Calendar of Events –

Feb 4th – Parish Pastoral Council meeting
 Feb 6th – Social Justice meeting
 Feb 9th – Diocesan Inservice
 Feb 15th – School Leaders Mass
Feb 17th – Parish Plenary Meeting
 Feb 19th – Friendship Group meeting
 Baptism Team meeting
 Feb 26th – Parish Finance Committee meeting

March 6th – Ash Wednesday

*** Parish Events/News ***

Birthdays and anniversaries for February –

Celia Warr, Tom Nolan, Damian Wyllie, Trevor Wyllie, Michael Cooney, Jim Tiernan, Michael O'Brien (all between 4th & 9th) and Keith Shepherd all celebrate their birthdays this month. Allan & Carol Ryall and Pat & Jill Sullivan celebrate their Wedding Anniversaries! Celebrate well. Don't forget to let us know when your birthday or wedding anniversary is.



Catholic Leader - Check the Leader this weekend for articles on some of our locals.

Planned Giving Program: If you would like to support our Parish financially, this may be done by Direct Debit, or via our weekly envelope system. For further information, please contact the Parish Office. All contributions are gratefully accepted.



| PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MEMBERS | PARISH FINANCE COMMITTEE MEMBERS | PARISH CO-ORDINATING TEAM | |
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| Jim Tiernan - Chairperson Kathy Doherty – Secretary Terese Hanna Mick Gorring Alice Cavanagh Susan Tek Brian Conrick Louise Pffingst Sr Maria Joyner Fr Roque | Tony Meldon - Chair Tom Warren Greg Bowdler Peter Hanna Keith Shepherd Trish Zeller Fr Roque Noela Nolan | Celia Warr Sr Maria Joyner Tim Fitzgerald Lloyd Bailey Fr Roque | Baptisms 1st & 3rd Sunday – during 8.30am Mass For more info contact office. Marriages: By appointment, contact office. |

Australian Catholics: Available in the foyer.

Horizons: Available in the foyer.

Swag: Available in foyer - \$1 ea.

Majellan Magazine: Available in the foyer - \$4 ea

Catholic Leader: Available in foyer - \$2.50 ea

Circle Dancing: Each **Tuesday (Except during School Holidays)** at 2.30pm in the Community Centre. Any enquiries may be directed to Michael 4638 4753.

Friendship Group: Meet 3rd Tuesday of the month at 10am in the Community Centre, **(except Dec & Jan)**.

Wednesday Morning Tea & Faith Sharing: Meet at 10am each Wednesday in the Parish Office. All welcome.

Parish Coordinating Team: Meet each Friday. **Sunday Singers:** 4pm on 1st Sunday of the month

Social Justice Group: Meet 1st Wednesday of month at 5pm in Parish Office **(except Dec & Jan)**.

Prayer of the Week:



Prayer for Rain

God our Father, You created our earth to nourish us and give us life and Jesus told us to ask and it will be given to us.

We ask now in Faith, Hope and Love that you look with favour on our drought stricken land, our starving animals and failing produce.

Sustain, strengthen and give new heart to our farmers and all those affected by this drought.

In your loving providence send abundant rain soon and renew the faith of your people and the face of our land.

We make this prayer with many, through Jesus Christ who gives new life to all living things. Amen.



Plenary Council 2020
Listen to what the Spirit is saying...

<http://plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au>

CHILD SAFE PARISH

We are a Child Safe Parish: all children, young persons and vulnerable adults visiting have a right to feel safe and be safe. If you are concerned for any form of abuse that is immediate you should call 000; a significant risk or harm, whether or not you have formed this belief on reasonable ground, you should immediately raise your concerns with our Parish Child Safety Officer – Nicole Rangjiira 0437 382 408. Children leaving the Church during Mass are to be accompanied by an adult. Thank you.

Thanks Notice –

'Thank you all for the loving sympathy, support and prayers from so many in St Anthony's community during these last weeks, while my Dad was dying. The family were able to spend some precious time with Dad before he died, and had a special celebration of his life with many friends who came to his funeral. Mum has been in hospital since Dad died and we would appreciate ongoing prayers for her recovery. I hope to be back in Toowoomba in the near future.' **Sr Maria**

☆☆☆ *Social Justice News* ☆☆☆

Social Justice Thought for the Week:



"We are celebrating a date that is offensive to the Aborigines and will continue to be that, which we fully understand. To change the date is not simply a nice thought; it is an essential action in the interest of truth, fairness and goodwill.

"This young nation has undertaken wonderful deeds in the interest of peace and goodwill in other lands. We have an essential demand on us to be dedicated to national harmony in our own land.

"Each step we take, each decision we make must be directed to achieving a just and healthy national community." (Bill O'Brien, *The Chronicle*, 25 Jan 2003)

Next meeting Wednesday,
Feb 6th at 5pm in Parish Office, all welcome.

☆☆☆ *News from outside our Parish* ☆☆☆

Position Vacant - Admin Assistant, Diocesan Finance Office:

This position is full time (38 hours per week) in the Finance and Administration Office of the Catholic Diocese of Toowoomba. Applications close 5:00pm 4/2/19. See flyer on Bulletin Board for more details.

Breakfast And Prayer For City Women:

Date: Feb 2nd **Time:** 7:45-9:30am

Location: Salvation Army, West St Toowoomba

Women from Toowoomba and surrounding communities are invited to come together to share breakfast and inter-church prayer. Flyers in foyer.

Cent Sale:

The Missionary Sisters of St Peter Claver are holding their first Fundraiser for 2019 at All Seasons Function Hall, cnr North and Tor Sts Tmba on **Saturday February 9**. Doors will open at 12.30pm for a 1.30pm start. Prizes on offer are of an excellent standard and include generous meat and fruit trays and quality goods. For an entry fee of \$5, you will receive a Free sheet of tickets, a Lucky Door ticket and a Buffet Afternoon Tea. All proceeds go to Charity. Sisters can be contacted on 4632 1818

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10.30AM - 12.00PM**

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TOOWOOMBA CITY LIBRARY
CNR HERRIES ST AND VICTORIA ST**

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If you wish to receive the Newsletter via email please let us know or write your details in the Pink Communications Book in the foyer.

PARISH WEEKLY PROGRAM

| Date | Readings | Mass | Parish Life |
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| Sunday Feb 3 rd | Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time First Reading Jeremiah 1:4-5, 17-19 Second Reading 1 Corinthians 13:4-13 Gospel Luke 4:21-30 | 8.30am | Mass led by Fr Michael 9.30am Morning Tea 4pm Sunday Singers |
| Monday Feb 4 th | Monday of the 4 th Week in Ordinary Time First Reading Hebrews 11:32-40 Gospel Mark 5:1-20 | No Mass or Liturgy | OFFICE CLOSED 5pm SVDP Meeting 6.30pm Parish Pastoral Council meeting |
| Tuesday Feb 5 th | Saint Agatha First Reading Hebrews 12:1-4 Gospel Mark 5:21-43 | Liturgy | Home Communions 2.30pm Circle Dancing 5pm Liturgy of The Word |
| Wednesday Feb 6 th | Saint Paul Miki and Companions First Reading Hebrews 12:4-7, 11-15 Gospel Mark 6:1-6 | 9.15am Mass | Home Communions Mass led by Fr Michael 10am Morning Tea & Faith Sharing 5pm Social Justice meeting |
| Thursday Feb 7 th | Thursday of the 4 th Week in Ordinary Time First Reading Hebrews 12:18-19, 21-24 Gospel Mark 6:7-13 | Liturgy | Home Communions 5pm Liturgy of The Word 7pm Liturgy of The Word |
| Friday Feb 8 th | Saint Josephine Bakhita First Reading Hebrews 13:1-8 Gospel Mark 6:14-29 | No Mass or Liturgy | 10.15am Coordinating Team meeting |
| Saturday Feb 9 th | Saturday of the 4 th Week in Ordinary Time First Reading Hebrews 13:15-17, 20-21 Gospel Mark 6:30-34 | 6pm (Vigil) | Diocesan Inservice – PPC members to attend 5.30pm Reconciliation Youth Mass led by Fr Peter |
| Sunday Feb 10 th | Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time First Reading Isaiah 6:1-9 Second Reading 1 Corinthians 15:1-11 Gospel Luke 5:1-11 | 8.30am | Mass led by Fr Peter 9.30am Morning Tea |

MINISTERS FOR MASS

Saturday/ Sunday 9th/10th February, 2019 – Week 2

| | 6pm Vigil Mass | 8.30am Mass |
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| Co-ordinators: | Celia Warr, Chris Gwydir | Noela Nolan |
| Welcomers: | Pat & Jill Sullivan | Sandra Neale, Jim Nolan |
| AV Operator: | Young People | Noela Nolan |
| Children's Liturgy | | Helen Warren, Trish Zeller |
| Parish Morning Tea: | | Lari & Sue O'Neill |
| Readers: | Young People | Michael Rooke, Kathryn Haynes |
| Prayer of the Faithful: | Young People | Sandra Neale |
| Presentation of Gifts: | Young People | Tom Warren, Jim Nolan |
| Ministers of Communion: | Tabernacle: Jan Boyce Pouring Wine: Marg Wyllie Chris Gwydir, Barry Turner, Ray Cullen | Tabernacle: Marie McAleer Pouring Wine: Val Schick Gail Johnson, Brenda Thomas, Monica Gundry |
| Altar Assistants: | Damian Wyllie, John Roche | Patrick Donohue |
| Music: | Young People | Sr Maria/ Debbie Sheehan & singers |
| Collectors: | Pat Sullivan, Peter Boyce | Mick Gorrington, Jim Nolan |
| Church Environment: | | |
| Money Counters: | | Jan 26/27 |
| This Week: 03/02 | Peter Wilkes, Monica Gundry, Neville Dredge | Planned Giving - \$539.50 |
| Next Week: 10/02 | Michael Rooke, Amber Copland, Jim Tiernan | Loose - \$532.55 Lauri Reedy Fund \$463.70 |

New Rosters

Hard copies of the new roster are available in the foyer.
Please collect one on the way out.