

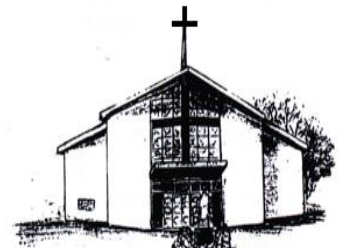
# ST ANTHONY'S PARISH

## NEWSLETTER

Priest Director: Fr Peter Dorfield  
 Parish Leader: Sr Maria Joyner pbvm  
 Chair Parish Council: Mr Jim Tiernan  
 Parish Secretary: Mrs Noela Nolan  
 Safeguard Rep: Mrs Nicole Rangiira  
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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 Peter – 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*

### 19<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time - Yr C

**First Reading:** Wisdom 18:6-9  
 Just as you struck our enemies, you made us glorious by calling us to you.

**Responsorial Psalm:**  
 Happy are the people to be chosen as God's own.

**Second Reading:** Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-12  
 We will look for the city designed and built by God

**Gospel Acclamation:**  
 Alleluia, alleluia!  
 Be watchful and ready:  
 you know not when the Son of Man is coming.  
 Alleluia!

**Gospel:** Luke 12:35-40  
 See that you are prepared.

### \*Parish Notices\*

**We hold up and remember all those who have died recently:** Patricia Joyner (*Maria's mum*), John McMahon (*Marg Morris' brother*), Fr Peter Schultz

**the Anniversaries of our loved ones:** Anne Duncan, Peter Martin, Bernie Martin, Val Adams, Dudley d'Aranjo

**and the Anniversaries of the deceased Priests of the Diocese:** Rev Fr Mark Cosgrove, Rev Fr John Ryan, Rev Fr Patrick Kelly, Rev Fr Charles McDonald, Rev Msgr Patrick Doyle, Rev Fr Bryan Nolan, Rev Msgr Stanley Skehan,

**We hold up in prayer all those who are sick including the following Parishioners:** Daniel Bell, Brian Conrick, Thora England, Eileen Garvey, Carmel Graham, Alan Hahn, Neville Harris, Denise Hopwood, Pat Kamler, Elsie Kirby, Malcolm Kirby, Aaron Marsh, Margaret Morris, Damian Potter, Joan Potter, Allen Ryall, Gayle Sherman, Vonnice Sherman, Rod Sleba

**As well as the following friends & family members:** Regina Albion, Brian & Hazel Bowtell, Barry Cuthbert (*WA*), Maureen Feehelly (*Pat Cullen's sister*), Sr Zoe (*Christina*) Fitzpatrick (PBVM), Yvonne & Bruce Gardiner (*Brisbane*), Frank Hickey, Ralph Hickey, Stephen Mackenzie (*Pam Hahn's son*), Jim & Margaret Macarthur-Onslow, Cheryl McCurran, Mary McCurran, Brian Potter, Kevin Schick (*Val's brother*), Glen Sheridan (*Peter's brother*), Noela Sheriff, Neil Syme, Denis & Ruth Volter, Shane Warren, Frank White (*Cairns*), Martin Yong

**Fr Roque wishes to thank everyone for their prayers whilst he was ill, and gives thanks for his speedy recovery.**

### NORMAL WEEKDAY MASS TIMES - Refer weekly program for changes

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

### Parish Calendar of Events

Aug 13<sup>th</sup> – Funeral Mass for Fr Peter Schultz  
 Aug 15<sup>th</sup> – Feast of The Assumption Mass **9am**  
 Aug 19<sup>th</sup> – Deanery meeting  
 Aug 20<sup>th</sup> – Friendship Group meeting  
 Aug 19-25 – Migrant & Refugee Week  
**Aug 24<sup>th</sup> – Pot Luck Dinner**  
 Aug 27<sup>th</sup> – Parish Finance Committee meeting

### \*\*\* Parish Events/News \*\*\*

#### Birthdays and anniversaries for August –

Chris Bailey, Tim Fitzgerald, Pam Hahn, Pat Cullen, Brett Rangiira, Maria Lindquist, Gordon Roche & Sandra Neale all celebrate their birthdays. Alan & Pam Hahn, Gordon & Anne Roche, Jim & Maria Lindquist, and Gloria & Don McKechnie (60yrs on the 8<sup>th</sup>) all celebrate their wedding anniversaries. Congratulations & best wishes to everyone. Don't forget to let us know when your birthday or wedding anniversary is.

#### Priest Appointment:

Fr Nandana Saparamadu, who has been at the Cathedral for some time, has been appointed to provide priestly ministry here at St Anthony's in place of Fr Peter. Fr Nandana will commence duties here in September. We take this opportunity to wish Dorf well in his new appointment at Executive Officer, Professional Standards & Safeguards for the Diocese. **The Bishop has just advised that Fr Peter will take over from Fr Roque as Priest Director, so he's not leaving us entirely.** ☺



**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	
Jim Tiernan - Chairperson Kathy Doherty – Secretary Terese Hanna Mick Gorrin Alice Cavanagh Susan Tek Brian Conrick Louise Pffingst Ed Briffa 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	<b>Baptisms</b> 1st & 3rd Sunday – during 8.30am Mass For more info contact office.  <b>Marriages:</b> By appointment, contact office.

**Australian Catholics:** Available in the foyer.      **Horizons:** Available in the foyer.      **The Swag:** Available in foyer - \$1

**Majellan Magazine:** Available in the foyer - \$4 ea      **Catholic Leader:** Available online only.

**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 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month at 10am in the Community Centre, **(except Dec & Jan)**.

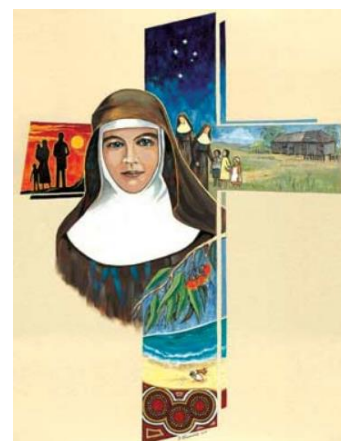
**Wednesday Morning Tea & Faith Sharing:** Meet at 10am each Wednesday in the Parish Office. All welcome.

**Parish Coordinating Team:** Meet each Friday.      **Sunday Singers:** dates to be advised

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

Prayer of the Week:

**Saint Mary of the Cross MacKillop**  
 O God, source of all goodness,  
 who have shown us in St Mary  
 a woman of faith living by the power of the Cross,  
 teach us, we pray, by her example  
 to live the Gospel in changing times  
 and to respect and defend  
 the human dignity of all in our land.  
  
 We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, Amen.



**\*\*\* Social Justice News \*\*\***

**Social Justice Thought for the Week:**



(Homelessness Week, 4<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> August)

Homelessness Week is the annual awareness-raising week to highlight the **116,000** Australians who are homeless on any given night.

There has been a 20 per cent increase in the number of people sleeping rough since 2011. That's 8200 people living on the streets, in tents or improvised dwellings.

- Most of the increase in homelessness between 2011 and 2016 was reflected in people living in 'severely' crowded dwellings, up from 41,370 in 2011 to 51,088 in 2016.

- The St Vincent de Paul Society has been lobbying the federal and state and territory governments to double the amount of money made available to build more social housing. Without a home, having or finding a job, maintaining a family, and getting an education are nearly impossible. "Charities like St Vincent de Paul will always continue to support those experiencing homelessness, but the government must also pull its weight in contributing to a fairer society in which no one gets left out."

(Dr Falzon, former CEO of Vinnies National Council).

Next meeting Wednesday,  
 September 4<sup>th</sup> at 5pm in Parish Office.

## Aged Care Volunteers Wanted:

Ozcare on Greenwattle St are looking for volunteers to support their Diversional Therapy Team. You could help make a difference in someone's life by assisting clients with: Gardening, Men's Shed, Art & Crafts, Cards & Games, Going for Walks or assisting in the coffee shop. If you are interested or would like to know more please contact Jeramy Hope, Facility Manager on 4591 5900 or email [jeramy.hope@ozcare.org.au](mailto:jeramy.hope@ozcare.org.au)

## Parish Camp news from Anne-Maree Spalding:

Hello everyone!

I remember the St Anthony's Parish Camp weekends as being some of the best times our family had together. I know you would feel the same about it!

I've always felt a bit guilty about the fact that the camp '*died out*' on our watch - that we didn't keep passing that flame along. However the restrictions and added expenses at Perseverance just made it too hard. However - things have changed there!! We can cater for ourselves again and there seems to be some flexibility in the way we are allowed to organise a weekend.

So - as a trial - (before hopefully starting the annual school/parish based camps up again) I would love to celebrate the long history of this event. We first attended in 2001 or 2002 and went every year until it ended around 2009.

- I'm looking for information and participation!!!
- When did the camp first move to Perseverance?
- Which families were part of the initial camp groups?
- Were they held every year?
- Would anyone be willing to help build interest and involvement amongst '*your*' families so that we get a cross section of years out there. We'd also love to scan some photos of the camps before our time to add to the Facebook page we've started.

We have made a good start. Here's what is planned so far:

### **Parish Camp 2020 - Australia Day Long Weekend**

From 3pm Friday 24th January

To 11am Monday 27 January

Estimated cost for venue and equipment \$75 per person for 3 nights. We have break downs for anyone who wants to get involved!

We'd love to have a Mini-Olympics games night (like Paul and Carmel Barrett used to organise) on the first Friday night and a Pot luck dinner to start us off.

We'll run a tennis tournament throughout the weekend and do some outdoor relays/soccer or something on Saturday afternoon. Camp Stew, Trivia night and Sing-song on Saturday night.

Sunday Mass and Tennis Final with Spit roast dinner dance and concert (if we have any kids young enough and silly enough to want to sing for us!)

And then home on Monday after breakfast and clean up.

Of course - all this is flexible and open to suggestions. There are probably traditions we know nothing about.

I know that my four children (aged 17, 19, 21 and 23) are all very keen to attend - and many of their peers are too. It is hard to give up a whole weekend these days I know but I think for it to work it'd have to be those who plan to sleep out there should come for the whole time. We'd love to invite the whole parish out to join us for mass - and make that time after mass the reunion time where those who can't come for the weekend might be able to join us for some time on the Sunday.

Looking forward to hearing from you with your ideas!

Anne-Maree Spalding - on behalf of the Parish Camp Committee!



### **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.





Migrant & Refugee Week 19th - 25th August 2019



A Publication of the Australian Catholic  
Migrant and Refugee Office

Pope Francis tell us - ***It is not just about migrants***

*"Faith assures us that in a mysterious way the Kingdom of God is already present here on earth (cf. Gaudium et Spes, 39). Yet in our own time, we are saddened to see the obstacles and opposition it encounters. Violent conflicts and all-out wars continue to tear humanity apart; injustices and discrimination follow one upon the other; economic and social imbalances on a local or global scale prove difficult to overcome. And above all it is the poorest of the poor and the most disadvantaged who pay the price..."*

**St Anthony's will celebrate the 105<sup>th</sup> World Day of Migrants & Refugees with a Pot Luck Dinner on Saturday, August 24 commencing 7pm.**

**You are invited to bring a symbol of your heritage to place before the altar in thanksgiving.**

**We encourage everyone to come along and bring a dish to share that reminds you of your heritage.**



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Student Protection Contacts:  
Louise Pfingst Amy Davis  
Rebecca Holmes Emma Slatter

Why do you send your child to St Anthony's? Why this school? Why this community? It might not be a question you reflect upon often, but it is an important one to pose as we reflect on Catholic Education Week celebrated last week.

As a parent you made a conscious and intentional decision to choose St Anthony's as the school for your children and for your family. By being here you are choosing to be part of a Catholic community, not just our own St Anthony's community but a wider community, made up of over 306 Catholic schools in Queensland alone. Your child is one of the 1 in 5 young people in our state who are being educated in a Catholic school! By choosing Catholic schooling for your child you are choosing a faith-based education, an education that places the person and mission of Jesus Christ at its centre. It is our faith in Christ, and the work we do to continue his mission that unites us with all Catholic schools, not just those in Queensland or Australia but across the globe.

While we have much in common with many other Catholic Schools, St Anthony's has its own distinctive ethos and way of being that makes our community special and unique. The charisma of St Anthony, our patron saint and Nano Nagle, the foundress of the Presentation Sisters, permeates our very being, informing our decision making and framing the type of Catholic community we strive to be. At the very heart of who we are, what shapes our identity and sets us apart, are the people who comprise it. The teachers and all the staff, the families and the students who give so much of themselves to make our school such a vibrant and dynamic place of learning.

St Anthony's is a school defined by the connection and belonging felt by its members. St Anthony's is a welcoming and inclusive school, offering a place at the table for all. We are a school that reaches out and gives to the poor and vulnerable. We are a school that values diversity and shows compassion, dignity and respect to all. We are a school that

is committed to giving back, to being more, to teaching our students that service requires sacrifice. In giving of ourselves, we gain so much in return. We are a school that strives to be a beacon of light in our world. Determined to provide an education for our children so that they may be the future of peace, justice and love in our world.

Thank you to everyone who came and celebrated Catholic Education Week with our school community last week. It was very heart-warming to see so many parents and other family members attend our Catholic Education Week mass and open morning!

**St Anthony's Showcase** - Friday, September 13 from 5.00 – 7.00pm.

This is an exciting initiative of the new Parent Partnership Forum and the purpose of the evening is to provide an opportunity for parents to engage in the learning of their children.

For catering purposes, it is important to RSVP and we look forward to opening our doors once again to parents and students to showcase the exciting learning opportunities our students engage in every day!

Until next newsletter.....God Bless!

Louise



## \*\*\* News from outside our Parish \*\*\*

**FR PETER SCHULTZ - Funeral Mass**

**Date:** 13/8/19 Tuesday

**Time:** 1:00pm

**Location:** St Patrick's Cathedral, Toowoomba

The diocesan community was saddened to learn of the death of Fr Peter Schultz on Monday. Bishop Robert McGuckin invites clergy and the community to come together to celebrate and give thanks for Peter's life and ministry.

**Carnival of Flowers Floral Display:**

As usual St Patrick's Cathedral will be hosting a floral display by local schools, parishes and organisations. It would be lovely if St Anthony's could participate again but we need volunteers. If you are interested in helping out in any way please let Noela or Maria know asap. The chosen theme this year is "**Spirit**". The challenge is to express through colour, artistry, sign and symbols and of course flowers, the **energies of the Spirit** that come to our hearts and minds through the words of the Scriptures.



**Rosary Crusade** - St. Patrick's Cathedral Sunday **18th August** 2:00 pm. Come for part or come for all.

**St Mary's Catholic Community Toowoomba celebration**

The members of our Indian Syro Malabar Catholic community invite parishioners to attend their feast day mass and celebration for the feast of the Assumption of Mary on **Sunday 18th August** at Holy Name Church Bridge St Toowoomba. See Bulletin board for details.

**A discussion workshop on End of Life Issues**, -

(*Will, POA, Advance Health Directive, Palliative Care v Euthanasia, Funeral / Liturgy Planning, etc.*) will be held in the Four Seasons Function Centre, Tor and North Sts, on Saturday **August 24th**, 9.30am - 3.30pm.

A number of invited speakers will give presentations (followed by Q & A opportunity) on particular relevant topics.

Please advise intention to attend by text or call - 0439 760 008. Please bring a plate for shared lunch.

**Cent Sale:**

The Missionary Sisters of St Peter Claver are holding their cent sale on Wednesday **August 28** at All Seasons Function Hall, cnr North and Tor Sts Tmba. Doors will open at 8.30am for a 9.30 start. Entry fee is \$5. All Proceeds go to Charity. For further information contact the Sisters on 4632 1818.

**Ignite Conference 2019: NEW AGAIN**

**Date:** 26-29 September 2019 **Where:** Mueller College, Rothwell (Brisbane)

Cost: Registration fees applicable, see [website](#) for discounts/full cost - <https://igniteyouth.com/conference/register>

There is also a conference in Sydney, see [website](#) for details.

Every year, Ignite Youth hosts Australia's largest Catholic Youth Conference in Brisbane. Ignite Conference draws out communities, parishes, schools, priests and religious from around the country and the world, sending them out with a new passion for authentic faith in Jesus. For four days we experience enriching formation, encouraging fellowship and powerful worship.

For more information about the conference program, costs and registration please refer website above.

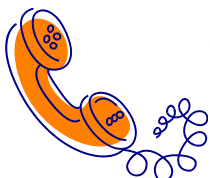
## PARISH WEEKLY PROGRAM

Date	Readings	Mass	Parish Life
Sunday August 11 <sup>th</sup>	<b>19<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> First Reading <b>Wisdom 18:6-9</b> Second Reading <b>Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-12</b> Gospel <b>Luke 12:35-40</b>	<b>8.30am</b>	Mass led by Fr Peter 9.30am Morning Tea
Monday August 12 <sup>th</sup>	Monday of the 19 <sup>th</sup> Week in Ordinary Time First Reading <b>Deuteronomy 10:12-22</b> Gospel <b>Matthew 17:22-27</b>	No Liturgy or Mass	5pm SVDP meeting <b>OFFICE CLOSED</b>
Tuesday August 13 <sup>th</sup>	Tuesday of the 19 <sup>th</sup> Week in Ordinary Time First Reading <b>Deuteronomy 31:1-8</b> Gospel <b>Matthew 18:1-5, 10, 12-14</b>	Liturgy	Home Communions 1pm Funeral Mass for Fr Peter Schultz – St Pat's 2.30pm Circle Dancing 5pm Liturgy of The Word
Wednesday August 14 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Saint Maximilian Mary Kolbe</b> First Reading <b>Deuteronomy 34:1-12</b> Gospel <b>Matthew 18:15-20</b>	<b>9.15am Mass</b>	Home Communions Mass led by Fr Michael – Yrs 3 & 4 to attend 10.00am Morning Tea & Faith Sharing
Thursday August 15 <sup>th</sup>	<b>The Assumption of The Blessed Virgin Mary</b> First Reading <b>Revelation 11:19; 12:1-6, 10</b> Second Reading <b>1 Corinthians 15:20-26</b> Gospel <b>Luke 1:39-56</b>	<b>9am Mass</b>	Home Communions Mass led by Fr Michael <b>Holy Day of Obligation</b>
Friday August 16 <sup>th</sup>	Friday of the 19 <sup>th</sup> Week in Ordinary Time First Reading <b>Joshua 24:1-13</b> Gospel <b>Matthew 19:3-12</b>	No Liturgy or Mass	<b>OFFICE CLOSED</b> Funeral Mass at Carseldine for Patricia Joyner time tbc
Saturday August 17 <sup>th</sup>	Saturday of the 19 <sup>th</sup> Week in Ordinary Time First Reading <b>Joshua 24:14-29</b> Gospel <b>Matthew 19:13-15</b>	<b>6pm (Vigil)</b>	5.30pm Reconciliation Vigil Mass led by Fr Michael
Sunday August 18 <sup>th</sup>	<b>20<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> First Reading <b>Jeremiah 38:4-6, 8-10</b> Second Reading <b>Hebrews 12:1-4</b> Gospel <b>Luke 12:49-53</b>	<b>8.30am</b>	Mass led by Fr Michael 9.30am Morning Tea Crothers Baptism

### MINISTERS FOR MASS

**Saturday/ Sunday 17<sup>th</sup>/18<sup>th</sup> August, 2019 – Week 3**

	6pm Vigil Mass	8.30am Mass
<b>Co-ordinators:</b>	Lloyd Bailey, Marg Nolan	Noela Nolan
<b>Welcomers:</b>	Norm & Carol Lovell	Sandra Neale, Jim Nolan
<b>AV Operator:</b>	Gerald Hicks	Noela Nolan
<b>Children's Liturgy</b>		Mary Neilan & Vanessa Quinlan
<b>Parish Morning Tea:</b>		Susan Tek, Felda Gabougi, Rita Msambya
<b>Readers:</b>	Michael O'Brien, Carmel Graham	Peter Sheridan, Brenda Thomas
<b>Prayer of the Faithful:</b>	Gillian Brandt	Prasadi Indrawimala
<b>Presentation of Gifts:</b>	Carmel Graham, Tom Nolan	Susan Tek, Jim Nolan
<b>Ministers of Communion:</b>	<b>Tabernacle:</b> Carol Lovell <b>Pouring Wine:</b> Ann Matthew Marg Nolan, Barry Turner, Ray Cullen	<b>Tabernacle:</b> Kathy Doherty <b>Pouring Wine:</b> Sandra Neale Gail Johnson, Mick Gorrington, Monica Gundry
<b>Altar Assistants:</b>	Damian Wyllie, John Roche	Pat Donohue
<b>Music:</b>	Anne-Maree Spalding & Men's Choir	Sr Maria & singers
<b>Collectors:</b>	Tony Allport, Tom Kelly	Jim Nolan, Mick Gorrington
<b>Church Environment:</b>	Geraldine Waite	
<b>Money Counters:</b>		August 3/4
<b>This Week: 11/08</b>	<b>Michael Rooke, Amber Copland, Jim Tiernan</b>	<b>Planned Giving - \$536.00</b>
<b>Next Week: 18/08</b>	<b>Tony Meldon, Tom Kelly</b>	<b>Loose - \$513.70 D/D July - \$2,145.00</b>



**Always remember to keep your contact details up to date!**