



Petrie Catholic Parish

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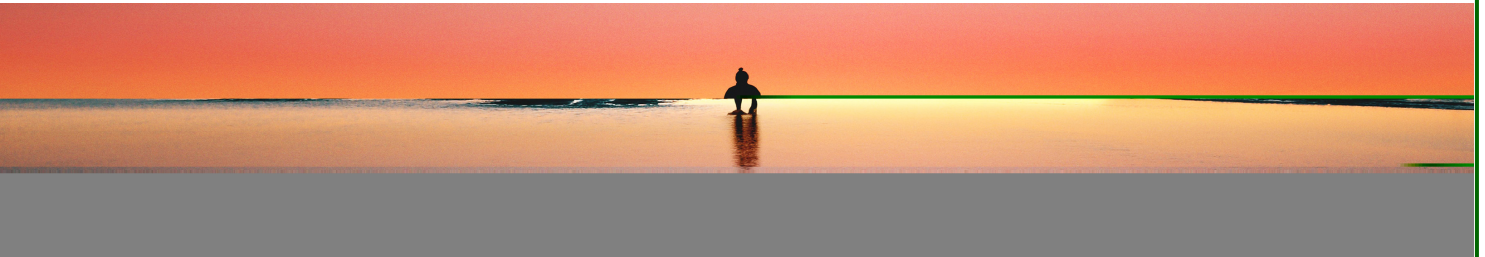
Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time—Year A 29th January 2023

REFLECTION *By Dianne Bergant CSA*

To follow Jesus does not mean merely that one travels with him from place to place. It means that one learns from him, that one follows his manner of life and his way of thinking. To follow Jesus means to follow his example in the way he respects himself and other people, in his use of the things of the natural world. It means that one listens to what he says, and asks for an explanation when what he says is not understood. All of this requires that the disciple be a learner, one who can learn from the life of Jesus as well as from his teaching.

The first lessons that the disciples must learn are found in the beatitudes. The same lessons are placed before us, the modern-day disciples. The setting of Jesus' teaching is so serene; a mountain apart, a teacher with his disciples gathered around him, simple statements that are coupled with glorious rewards. However, the reality of the lessons is in stark contrast with this tranquil scene. These beatitudes, these blessings call for profound inner transformation.

The gospel outlines the kind of person the disciple is to become; the psalm sketches the program to which the learner is called. The disciples of Jesus are not merely his followers; they also continue the work that he began. In whatever circumstance of life we find ourselves, as disciples of Jesus we work to sustain the good that is in the world and to transform whatever needs transformation.



REFLECTION FOR YOUNG PEOPLE – *by Lisa-Marie Calderone-Stewart*

The verses of today's Gospel are called the Beatitudes. Sometimes they are called the Be Attitudes because they tell us the kind of attitudes we need to develop and the way we need to be.

Do these Beatitudes sound like good news or bad news? Why?

Who are the most peaceful and contented people you know? What do they have in common with the attitudes of the Beatitudes?

What are the attitudes of consumerism and materialism? How do commercials and ads encourage people to buy products? How are these attitudes different from those of the Beatitudes?

What attitudes would make a better world? What attitudes would make a more selfish and self-centred world?

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Closed Thursday

Parish Website

www.petriecatholic.com

Parish Facebook Page

Petrie Catholic Parish

Archdiocesan Prevention & Protection Policy

The Archdiocese of Brisbane holds that children, young people and vulnerable adults are a gift from God with an intrinsic right to dignity of life, respect and security from physical and emotional harm. They are to be treasured, nurtured and safeguarded by all.

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WHATS ON THIS WEEK

Mass Times

Weekdays:

PETRIE

Mon 30th January — No Mass

Wed 1st February — 8:00 am

Fri 3rd February — 8:00 am

Anointing Mass

DAYBORO

Thurs 2nd February — No Mass

Weekends:

PETRIE

Sat 4th February — 6.00pm

Sun 5th February — 8.00am

Sun 5th February — 5.30pm

DAYBORO

Sun 5th February — 10.00am

Reconciliation:

By appointment.

Contact the Parish Office



If you have recently changed your personal details, help us to help you, by completing the following form and returning it to the office

“Change of Personal Details”

The form can be found at the Hospitality Desk outside both churches

Parish Notices

Whats on this Week:

Monday 30th January:

7:00pm — 8:30pm Seeds of Hope Prayer meeting via Zoom— *Meeting ID: 662 852 748*
Password: 521023. Ph: Rosa 3886 1661

Wednesday 1st February:

8.30am—10.00am: Adoration following Mass

Friday 3rd February:

8.00am— Anointing Mass—OLW Petrie

8.45am—Fathers Prayers—Petrie Church

9:00am—Mothers Prayers in the Parish Office Prayer Room

Upcoming Parish Events

Monday 6th February:

9.00am - Parish Social Gathering—Community Centre

7:00pm — 8:30pm Seeds of Hope Prayer meeting via Zoom— *Meeting ID: 662 852 748*
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Wednesday 8th February:

8.30am—10.00am: Adoration following Mass

6.30pm—Sacramental Parent Information Night in Petrie Church.

Friday 10th February:

9:00am — Mothers Prayers in the Parish Office Prayer Room

11.00am—Liturgy Meeting—Parish Office

Monday 13th February:

9.00am - Parish Social Gathering—Community Centre

7:00pm — 8:30pm Seeds of Hope Prayer meeting via Zoom— *Meeting ID: 662 852 748*
Password: 521023. Ph: Rosa 3886 1661

Wednesday 15th February:

8.30am—10.00am: Adoration following Mass

Friday 17th February:

8.45am — Fathers Prayers—Petrie Church

9:00am — Mothers Prayers in the Parish Office Prayer Room

10.00am—Coffee Club Petrie—Lawnton Coffee Shop 2/12 Ebert Pde, Lawnton

Sunday 19th February:

8.00am—School Staff Commissioning



We acknowledge the Turrbal and Jabi Jabi people as the traditional custodians of the land on which we live and work today. We pay respect to elders both past, present and emerging. We stand together with the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander leaders of today, tomorrow and always.

Parish News and Archdiocesan Events

Sacramental Program 2023



Expressions of interest forms are at the back of both Churches and on our website.

Please ensure your Expression of Interest forms are returned to the Office by
5th February 2023

***Parent Information Night will be held
Wednesday 8th February at 7pm
Our Lady of the Way Church, Petrie.***

Should you have any questions please contact the office by email or phone.

ASH WEDNESDAY MASSES

22nd February 2023

8am — Petrie

10am — Dayboro

7pm — Petrie



Petrie Catholic Parish is looking for a faith-filled Youth Coordinator, who has a passion to share our marvellous gift of faith with others.

*Part time position - 10 hours p/w
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The role will be for 10 hours per week, which will include gathering our youth once a week for faith formation and building friendships. We would also like you to encourage the youth to engage with our wider parish community by leading the ministries of several Masses throughout the year.

Key responsibilities: Reporting directly to the Parish Priest, the Parish Youth Coordinator will work in the parish to evangelise young people by connecting them with the person of Christ and the Church through involvement in the parish community.

- * Run a regular youth group (Ages 12-17) that includes elements of faith, fun and fellowship
- * Run a regular young adults group (Ages 18-30) Involving social aspects, discussion and formation
- * Plan a yearly calendar of internal and external events, relevant to young people of the Parish
- * Create and maintain website and social media pages
- * Establish a Parish Youth Ministry Team
- * Identify potential leaders within the parish community and actively seek avenues to develop their leadership capabilities

Liaise with local school contacts and seek opportunities to connect with the students in local school communities

Core competencies: The successful applicant should be able to demonstrate:

- * High level skills in organisation and attention to detail
- * Highly developed interpersonal communication skills
- * Experience in ministry to young people (parish experience preferable)
- * Experience in coordination and management of youth events
- * Theological certification (desirable)
- * Willingness to seek further training/education in this field

For a copy of the position description or any other enquires please email Holly Dichiera, at dichierah@bne.catholic.net.au or email Petrie Parish

SENIOR SOCIAL GROUP



Please come along and join us for a
Senior Social Morning
Monday 6th February 2023
from 9.00am In the Community Centre.

Join us to have a game, a chat and a coffee with those you know and meet others who are new. Hope to see you there.



PARISH COFFEE CLUB

Our Next Coffee Club will be held at
Lawnton Coffee Shop
2/16 Ebert Pde, Lawnton
Friday 17th February at 10am

If you wish to attend please leave your name on the form at the Church.



CHECK THE NOTICE BOARD FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT WHAT IS HAPPENING AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time—Year A

First Reading — Prophet Isaiah 58:7-10

Second reading —St Paul to the Corinthians 2:1-5

Gospel — Matthew 5: 13-16

Please remember in your prayers the sick in our community:

Bryan Carmichael, Mary Carmichael, Scott Hines, Norma Quinn, Marcus Neudecker, Noela Corby, Terry Segrave, Steven Williams, Rohan Somasekaran, Thomas Bird, Bradley Wright, Greg Olsson-Lalor, Nina & Raymond Dove, Tia Huff, Vera Versace, Gina Morieni, Tim McNickle, Kyle Huff, Nathalie Bernon, Patrick Bosworth, Neil and Susan Casey, Frank Christensen, Michael Bartsch, Donna Harrison.

Please Note: These names will be removed after 2 months. If you wish for them to remain on longer please ring the Parish Office.



PARISH COLUMBARIUM

Have you reserved your niche?

Constructed in 2021 on the Tom Petrie Homestead site surrounded by heritage trees and lovely gardens. Our aim is to provide a peaceful and respectful atmosphere, which enables family and friends to pray for and reflect on their loved ones who have passed away.

There are four walls with both single and double niches, each is named and dedicated to - Our Lady of the Way, St Joseph, St Francis Xavier and St Mary McKillop.

If you wish to find out more please contact the Parish Office on 3285 6759 or email: petrie@bne.catholic.net.au



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