



Petrie Catholic Parish

EMBRACING THE COMMUNITIES OF:

Our Lady of the Way—38 Armstrong Street, Petrie & St Francis Xavier—135 McKenzie Street, Dayboro.

Petrie Catholic Community is a dynamic, growing Christian church committed to bringing the message of Jesus Christ to all.

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time —Year B 4th August 2024

REFLECTION by Dianne Bergant CSA

In many ways the Exodus story of the bread from heaven is very similar to last Sunday's accounts. However, the focus today is not divine prodigality shown through the overabundance of food, but total dependence on God. The bread comes from heaven, not merely because the food seems to come down from the sky, but because it comes from God. The restriction about collecting it was meant to emphasise this point. Our survival is in God's hands, not ours.

Jesus insists that he is the true bread from heaven; he is the real basis of our survival. The people followed him because they saw him as a source of bread; they did not realise that he is really the source of life. If we fill ourselves with all that the world provides as nourishment we will still hunger.

Only faith in Jesus can satisfy our deepest hungers, and we will not be able to survive apart from him.

Acceptance of Jesus as the source of our life and the very nourishment of our spirits effects a total transformation in us. We will no longer be content to live with full bellies but empty minds. We will put aside our old selves steeped in ignorance and self-interest and put on a new self, created in his image. Having fed on the bread from heaven, we will be mysteriously transformed into it. The spirit of our minds will be renewed by his teaching. As a result, we will be able to launch out into a way of living that witnesses to our new understanding, our new life.



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Parish Office Hours

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Closed Thursday

Parish Website

www.petriecatholic.com

Parish Facebook Page

Petrie Catholic Parish

Archdiocesan Prevention and 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.

Safeguarding is Everyone's Responsibility.

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Mass Times

Weekdays:

PETRIE

Mon 5th August — 8:00 am

Wed 7th August — **No Mass**

Thurs 8th August — 8:00 am

Fri 9th August — 8:00 am

DAYBORO

Thurs 8th August — **No Mass**

Weekends:

PETRIE

Sat 10th August — 6:00pm

Sun 11th August — 8:00am

Sun 11th August — 5:30pm

DAYBORO

Sun 11th August — 10:00am

Reconciliation:

*1st Friday of the month
following 8am Mass—9am
or by appointment*

OUR LADY OF THE WAY PARISH

60TH ANNIVERSARY PRAYER

Gracious and loving God, with great joy we thank you as we celebrate the sixty years you have nourished Our Lady of the Way Catholic Parish and School with your many graces and blessings.

You have celebrated with us new life in baptism and new life through the Resurrection; you have fed us with your Word and Sacrament.

May our parish community and school remain a place of welcome and hospitality to the strangers in our midst. May we always cherish the memory of our parish ancestors whose faith and love over sixty years has formed this parish community and school.

Help us to move forward with dedication to Our Blessed Mother, our help and protector.

We ask this in Jesus name.
Amen.

Parish Notices

What's on this Week:

Monday 5th August:

7:00pm-8:30pm Seeds of Hope Prayer meeting via Zoom—Meeting ID: 662 852 748
Password: 521023. PH Rosa 3886 1661
12:00pm Alpha—Session 4

Tuesday 6th August:

8:30am OLW Play group—Community Centre

Wednesday 7th August:

NO MASS OR ADORATION

Thursday 8th August:

8:00am Mass Petrie—**Mary McKillop Feast**

Friday 9th August:

9:00am Mothers Prayers—Parish Office

Upcoming Parish Events:

Monday 12th August:

EKKA SHOW HOLIDAY MORETON BAY—OFFICE CLOSED.

7:00pm-8:30pm Seeds of Hope Prayer meeting via Zoom—Meeting ID: 662 852 748
Password: 521023. PH Rosa 3886 1661
12:00pm Alpha—Session 5

Tuesday 13th August:

8:30am OLW Play group—Community Centre

Wednesday 14th August:

8:30—10:00am Adoration following Mass

Thursday 15th August:

9:00am Feast of the Assumption — Dayboro
6:00pm Feast of the Assumption — Petrie

Friday 16th August:

9:00am Mothers Prayers—Parish Office

Saturday 17th August:

2:30pm Spanish Mass—Petrie Church

Sunday 18th August:

Catholic Campaign weekend. At all Masses.

Monday 19th August:

7:00pm-8:30pm Seeds of Hope Prayer meeting via Zoom—Meeting ID: 662 852 748
Password: 521023. PH Rosa 3886 1661
12:00pm Alpha—Session 6

Tuesday 20th August:

8:30am OLW Play group—Community Centre

Wednesday 21st August:

8:30—10:00am Adoration following Mass

Thursday 22nd August:

10.00am Coffee Club Dayboro



We acknowledge the Turrbal and Jabí Jabí 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

Sacrament of Baptism:



This weekend through the Sacrament of Baptism at Our Lady of the Way, Petrie we welcome

Peyton & Arlo McKenna

Congratulations to these children and their family on this special day.

National Vocation Awareness Week is a crucial opportunity to promote the importance of vocations and discernment in the Church, allowing people to explore their calling, and encourage their next step in following the call of God. How will you respond to God's call this week? How will you encourage others in their call?



PRAYER CARDS ARE AVAILABLE FROM THE TABLE AT THE CHURCHES.

A SIGNIFICANT PARISH EVENT

Sunday 20th October at 9.00am

You are invited to join our community on Sunday 20th October 2024 to celebrate Our Lady of the Way Parish and School's 60th Anniversary.

Mass will be celebrated by Archbishop Mark Coleridge at 9.00am

followed by morning tea in the School Hall.

We ask if you are attending could you please bring a plate to share.

Please register your attendance at the hospitality desk at both Churches



PLEASE NOTE ONLY ONE MASS ON THIS WEEKEND. ALL OTHER MASSES ARE CANCELLED.



KNIGHTS OF THE SOUTHERN CROSS SILVER CIRCLE

Knights Silver Circle: The winner of the 7th Draw was Tony Plucknett with Ticket No 31.

Congratulations, Tony!

Women of the Way Retreat 2024

11th–13th October

Theme: 'Holy spirit, Set my Heart on Fire!'

To Register visit

<https://app.tickets.org.au/WOW/WOW>



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18 August 2024

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SCRIPTURE READINGS

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B

First Reading – 1 Kings 19:4-8

Second reading - Ephesians 4:30-32

Gospel - John 6:41-51



Please remember in your prayers the sick in our community:

Bryan Carmichael, Mary Carmichael, Scott Hines, Norma Quinn, Marcus Neudecker, Ann Smith, Noela Corby, Terry Segrave, Steven Williams, Rohan Somasekaran, Kyle Huff, Thomas Bird, Bradley Wright, Greg Olsson-Lalor, Tia Huff, Sr Carmel Pattison sgs, Nathalie Bernon, Neil & Susan Casey, Nina & Raymond Dove, Gina Morieni, Timothy McNickle, Patrick Bosworth, Frank Christensen, Michael Bartsch, Bernie Bartsch, Donna Harrison, Ian Smith, Mary Noonan James Martin, Carole McGurgan

THERE IS NO GIFT MORE PRECIOUS THAN PRAYER—Fr Benedict Groeschel

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. Double Niches are selling fast, if you are interested please contact the Parish Office on 3285 6759 or email: petrie@bne.catholic.net.au

Called by Name

National Vocation Awareness Week

4-11 August 2024



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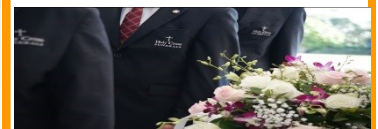
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