



# Petrie Catholic Parish

EMBRACING THE COMMUNITIES OF:

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

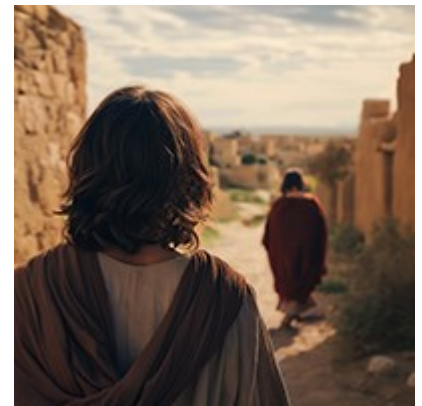
*Petrie Catholic Community is a dynamic, growing Christian church committed to bringing the message of Jesus Christ to all.*

## Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time — Year B 13th October 2024

### REFLECTION by Dianne Bergant CSA

This Sunday's readings confront us with the need to make choices in life, choices for God. They also remind us that no significant choice is without its price. However, if we make the right choice, we are assured that we will be richly rewarded.

We all want to be happy in life. We just don't always know which doors to open, and how far to enter them. We need wisdom for that. The more options that are open to us, the more difficult it is to choose, but choose we must. To choose one option is to relinquish the others. The young man in the gospel wanted eternal life. Surely there is nothing more worthy than that. However, the price he was asked to pay was more than he had expected, and he went away saddened. To choose is to face the consequences of the word of God, and sometimes this is as sharp as a two-edged sword.



One of the mysteries of faith is the incomprehensible generosity of God. We choose wisdom instead of all of the good things of the world, and we receive these good things along with wisdom itself. We are asked to relinquish all of the things that we value, and we get them back a hundred-fold. We are invited to take a step into the unknown. We are told that we will not fall. However, we are never sure of this until we take the step and discover that we have not fallen. God demands so much, but gives so much more.



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### Parish Office Hours

Monday, Tues, Wed & Friday  
8.30am - 3.00pm

### 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 14th October — No Mass

Wed 16th October — No Mass

Fri 18th October — No Mass

#### DAYBORO

Thu 17th October — No Mass

### Weekends:

#### PETRIE

Sun 20th October — 9:00am

*This is the only weekend Mass*

#### DAYBORO

Sun 20th October — No Mass

### 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 14th October:

12.00pm- Alpha Week 2

7:00pm-8:30pm Seeds of Hope Prayer meeting  
via Zoom—Meeting ID: 662 852 748

Password: 521023. PH Rosa 3886 1661

#### Tuesday 15th October:

8:30am OLW Playgroup—Community Centre

#### Wednesday 16th October:

**NO ADORATION**

#### Friday 18th October:

9:00am Mothers Prayers—Parish Office

#### Saturday 19th October:

2:30 pm Spanish Mass—Petrie church

#### Sunday 20th October:

**9.00am—OLW 60th Anniversary Mass and Morning Tea.**

### Upcoming Parish Events:

#### Monday 21st October:

12.00pm- Alpha Week 3

7:00pm-8:30pm Seeds of Hope Prayer meeting  
via Zoom—Meeting ID: 662 852 748

Password: 521023. PH Rosa 3886 1661

#### Tuesday 22nd October:

8:30am OLW Playgroup—Community Centre

## PLEASE NOTE—CHANGES TO

### OCTOBER MASS TIMES

**THERE WILL BE NO WEEKDAY MASSES ON:  
MONDAY 14TH, WEDNESDAY 16TH, THURSDAY  
17TH AND FRIDAY 18TH OCTOBER.**

**SUNDAY 20 OCTOBER: - 9:00am MASS ONLY  
TO CELEBRATE OLW 60TH ANNIVERSARY  
MASS followed by morning tea.**



## KNIGHTS OF THE SOUTHERN CROSS SILVER CIRCLE

Winner of the Silver  
Circle 2nd Draw 5th October  
is Adam Dwyer of Petrie.

**Congratulations Adam!**



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

### 2025 ANNUALS

2025 Annuals are available for collection from the Churches.

Break Open the Word—Cost \$26.00  
**(ALL READERS ARE REQUIRED TO HAVE A COPY)**

God's Word—\$15.00

Advent Reflection—\$6.00

Columban Calendars—\$10.00

**PAYMENT FORMS ARE ON THE TABLES.**



### Our Lady of the Way Parish and School 60th Anniversary celebration

**Sunday 20th October 2024**

**Mass will be at 9:00 am  
followed by morning tea  
in the School Hall.**

**PLEASE NOTE ONLY ONE MASS ON  
THIS WEEKEND.**

#### 60th Memoir Bok Launch

**Celebrate the 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary by  
buying the limited edition printed  
book on our first 60 years.**

**Relive some wonderful memories and  
marvel at the effort of our pioneers.**

**\$10 each and will be available  
20th October at the morning tea.**

#### HELP NEEDED:

**We need people to help with setting up the hall for the morning tea on Saturday 19th October at 8.00am. This includes tables, chairs and history display.**

**We would like assistance with setting up the extra chairs in the foyer of the Church on Sunday 20th October at 7.30am.**

**If you can assist please let us know or leave your details on the form on the table in the foyer of the church.**

#### **October is the month of the Holy Rosary.**



Mother Mary has requested that we pray the Rosary daily. The Holy Father, Pope Francis is encouraging us to pray the Rosary for world peace. The Rosary is a great opportunity for Children to learn about Mother Mary and their Catholic Faith.

For the past 18 months some parishioners have been making Rosary Beads for children in the surrounding Catholic Schools and also sending them to far away Missions. Some of these wonderful people also give a donation towards the cost of the materials.

Should you feel called to be a part of this very relaxing and fruitful ministry we are happy to teach you. You may not be in a position to make Rosary Beads but you may be able to assist us by dropping a small donation into the donation box from time to time.

These donations help us purchase the materials, beads, string, crucifixes and holy cards. We sincerely thank you for any assistance that you can give.

May you be blessed abundantly, Irena and Rosa

### **FLOCKNOTE**



**Thank you to everyone who has completed their registration online or by the form. If you have not yet registered it would be helpful if you could do so. Forms and links are on the tables at the churches. If you need assistance please contact the office or ask at the hospitality desk.**



## SCRIPTURE READINGS

### 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B

First Reading – Isaiah 53:10-11

Second reading - Hebrews 4:14-16

Gospel - Mark 10:35-45



## 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](mailto:petrie@bne.catholic.net.au)



## TAP TO DONATE

The parish has a donation Eftpos machine which is at all Masses.

Simply click on or enter the amount then tap your card on device.



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