# Welcome to

# ST PETER'S EASTERN HILL

Diocese of Melbourne - Anglican Church of Australia Parish Church of the City since 1846



# Ordinary Sunday 17 28<sup>th</sup> July 2019

Provident Father, with the prayer your Son taught us always on our lips, we ask, we seek, we knock at your door: help us so to seek that we may truly find, so to ask that we may joyfully receive, and so to knock that the door of mercy may be opened for us; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen* 

Please feel free to take this pew sheet home.

# VICAR'S MUSINGS

This week we commenced the Pastoral Care Review, led by Shirley Nash. The first meeting was with the Pastoral Care Team, and opened with a beautiful prayer written by Beverly Lanzetta, which you may find helpful as you prepare for worship today.

Prayer is sitting in the silence until it silences us, choosing gratitude until we are grateful, and praising God until we ourselves are an act of praise. Mature prayer always breaks into gratitude.

Holy Earth, Holy Cosmos I bow before you With my whole being.

Holy Creatures, Holy Nature I kneel upon the earth In honour and thanksgiving Of your blessed bounty.

Holy Waters, Holy Mountains I lay my body on your temple In gratefulness for nurturing My tender soul.

Holy Passion, Holy Longing I rise up before you A devotee of truth, Following wherever you lead me.

*Holy Silence, Holy Solitude* I place my hands over my heart Breathing in serenity, Breathing out your peace.

Holy Sorrow, Holy Suffering I close my hands in prayer May I bear every wound With compassion and non-harm. Holy Humility, Holy Emptiness I bow my head before you I have become open, For your All to shine in my soul.

Holy Freedom, Holy Rejoicing I open my heart to the wold Offering myself to this day In joyfulness and gratitude Amen.



# PASTORAL CARE REVIEW

### Background

The Pastoral care review is one of two reviews recommended by the Statutory Parish Meeting earlier this year. The Parish Council appointed a committee to steer the process, chaired by Dr Stephen Duckett.

#### Reviewer

Shirley Nash is a Clinical Pastoral Education (CPE) Supervisor, and has been a Pastoral Care practitioner for 18 years. Prior to that, her background was in Education and H.R. Shirley is a lifelong Anglican with experience on Parish Councils, Mission Planning, and as a Warden. Shirley is looking forward to conversations with parishioners about the future of Pastoral Care in the parish.

### Terms of reference

- To review the pastoral care needs of the parish and people who use the site.
- To identify the best strategy to ensure that pastoral care needs are met, using both stipended staff and volunteers.
- To identify appropriate training needs for volunteers.
- To propose a process for on-going evaluation of the effectiveness of the Parish's pastoral care program.

# Proposed approach

- One-on-one interviews with key staff and volunteers.
- Group meetings with: Review Committee; Parish Council; Pastoral Care Team.
- Sunday forums after Mass.
- Receiving written submissions (particularly from those not able to attend the scheduled meetings).
- Writing a Report for the Review Committee, which will in due course be shared with first Parish Council, and then the Annual Meeting of the Parish in November.

#### 8:00am Mass

*Celebrant:* Fr Hugh Kempster

### 9:30am Family Mass

Celebrant: Fr Hugh Kempster Preacher: Fr Greg Davies Deacon/Lay Minister: Paul Daniels Children's Talk: Paul Daniels Reader: Jan Gordon-Clark Hymns: Entrance : 404 Offertory : 280 Post-Communion : 436 Communion Voluntary: Couperin Cromorne en Taille Postlude: Walther Lobe den Herren, den mächtigen König der Ehren

# 11:00am High Mass

Preacher: Fr Greg Davies Celebrant: Fr Hugh Kempster Deacon: Fr Greg Davies Reader: Susan Southall Intercessor: William Southey Hymns: Entrance : 404 Gradual : 95 Offertory : 280 Post-Communion : 436

Postlude: J.S Bach Fantasia in C

# 6:00pm Evensong & Benediction

Preacher: Fr David Peake Officiant: Fr Hugh Kempster Preces & Responses: Chant Anthem: Goodall The Lord is my shepherd Canticles: Tallis Dorian Service Psalm: 51 Hymns: Office: 252 Evensong: Amazing Grace Benediction: 307 (1, 2), 271 (2, 3) Postlude: Edward Elgar Nimrod

# Next Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> August: Dedication Sunday

Mass Readings: 1 Kings 8: 22-24, 27-30, 1 Peter 2: 4-10 & Matthew 21:12-16 Celebrant: Fr Hugh Kempster & Fr Greg Davies

Preacher: Fr Hugh Kempster

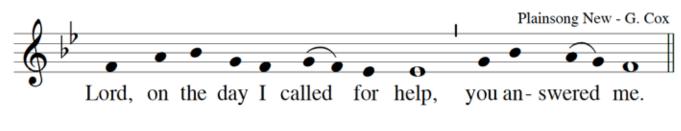
Intercessor: Anne Scott Pendlebury

# MASS READINGS

#### First Reading: Genesis 18.20-21, 23-32

The Lord appeared to Abraham by the oaks of Mamre and said, "How great is the outcry against Sodom and Gomorrah and how very grave their sin! I must go down and see whether they have done altogether according to the outcry that has come to me; and if not, I will know." Then Abraham came near and said, "Will you indeed sweep away the righteous with the wicked? Suppose there are fifty righteous within the city; will you then sweep away the place and not forgive it for the fifty righteous who are in it? Far be it from you to do such a thing, to slay the righteous with the wicked, so that the righteous fare as the wicked! Far be that from you! Shall not the Judge of all the earth do what is just?" And the Lord said, "If I find at Sodom fifty righteous in the city, I will forgive the whole place for their sake." Abraham answered, "Let me take it upon myself to speak to the Lord, I who am but dust and ashes. Suppose five of the fifty righteous are lacking? Will you destroy the whole city for lack of five?" And the Lord said, "I will not destroy it if I find forty-five there." Again Abraham spoke to the Lord, "Suppose forty are found there." He answered, "For the sake of forty I will not do it." Then Abraham said, "Oh do not let the Lord be angry if I speak. Suppose thirty are found there." The Lord answered, "I will not do it, if I find thirty there." Abraham said, "Let me take it upon myself to speak to the Lord. Suppose twenty are found there." The Lord answered, "For the sake of twenty I will not destroy it." Then Abraham said, "Oh do not let the Lord be angry if I speak just once more. Suppose ten are found there." The Lord answered, "For the sake of ten I will not destroy it."

**Psalm :** 138.1-2a, 2b-3, 6-7ab, 7c-8



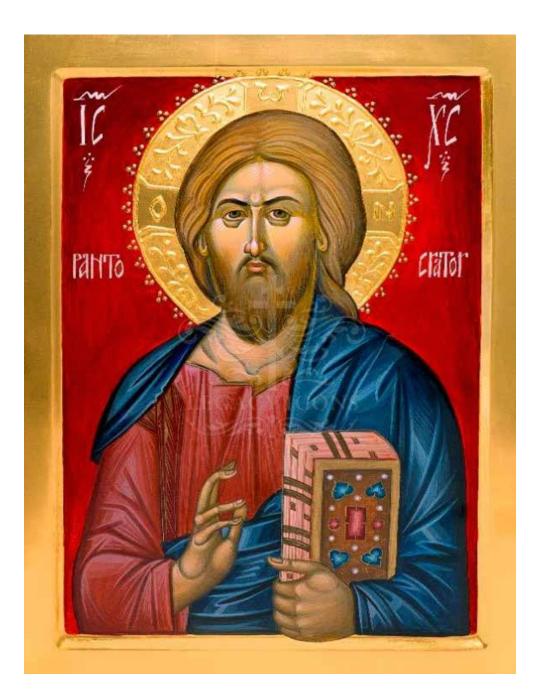
I give you thanks, O Lord, with my whole heart, before the gods I sing your praise; I bow down toward your holy temple. I give thanks to your name for your steadfast love and your faithfulness. R. For you have exalted your name and your word above everything. On the day I called, you answered me; you increased my strength of soul. R. For though the Lord is high, he regards the lowly; but the haughty he perceives from far away. Though I walk in the midst of trouble, you preserve me against the wrath of my enemies. R. You stretch out your hand and your right hand delivers me. The Lord will fulfil his purpose for me; your steadfast love, O Lord, endures forever. Do not forsake the work of your hands. R.

### Second Reading: Colossians 2.6-14

Brothers and sisters, as you have received Christ Jesus the Lord, continue to live your lives in him, rooted and built up in him and established in the faith, just as you were taught, abounding in thanksgiving. For in him the whole fullness of deity dwells bodily, and you have come to fullness in him, who is the head of every ruler and authority. In him also you were circumcised with a spiritual circumcision, by putting off the body of flesh in the circumcision of Christ. When you were buried with Christ in baptism, you were also raised with him through faith in the power of God, who raised Christ from the dead. And when you were dead in trespasses and the uncircumcision of your flesh, God made you alive together with him, when he forgave us all our trespasses, erasing the record that stood against us with its legal demands. He set this aside, nailing it to the cross.

# **Gospel:** Luke 11.1-13

Jesus was praying in a certain place, and after he had finished, one of his disciples said to him, "Lord, teach us to pray, as John taught his disciples." He said to them, "When you pray, say: 'Father, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come. Give us each day our daily bread. And forgive us our sins, for we ourselves forgive everyone indebted to us. And do not bring us to the time of trial." And Jesus said to the disciples, "Suppose one of you has a friend, and you go to him at midnight and say to him, 'Friend, lend me three loaves of bread; for a friend of mine has arrived, and I have nothing to set before him.' And your friend answers from within, 'Do not bother me; the door has already been locked, and my children are with me in bed; I cannot get up and give you anything.' "I tell you, even though he will not get up and give him anything because he is his friend, at least because of his persistence he will get up and give him whatever he needs. So I say to you: Ask, and it will be given you; search, and you will find; knock, and the door will be opened for you. For everyone who asks receives, and everyone who searches finds, and for everyone who knocks, the door will be opened. Is there anyone among you who, if your child asks for a fish, will give a snake instead of a fish? Or if the child asks for an egg, will give a scorpion? If you then, who are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will the heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him!"



# PRAYERS

### For the Sick:

Carole Ainio, Marja Barouh, Judy Carlyle, Sister Gloria CHN, May Gornall, Anna Laurence, Sam Lawson, Bill Loughnan, Alice McCraith, Lisa Morris, Stanton Nelson, Gia Nu Luu, Deborah Palmer, Tim Peake, Allan Rei, John Ross, Flyn Stewart, Yan Zhang, Melissa, and Peter.

#### As well as:

Jenny Allen, Chris Bennie, Michael Boyle PRIEST, John Crocker, Ginette D'Souza Cheryl Duff, Gail Edwards, Cliff Gornall, Gwen Joyce, Bronwyn Large, Margaret Lea, Margaret Lugg, Sr Lyn CHN, Eleanor Newton, Joyce Newton, Liz Prideaux, Graham Ritchie, Helen Rowley, Bella Saadala, Barbara Ure-Smith, Annette Wood; and also Andrew, Jan and Chad.

### FOR THE RECENTLY DEPARTED: Annie Garrett

#### For those whose year's mind falls this week:

Sun	28	Felix Arnott BISHOP, Lucy Garlick, Reginald Miller
Mon	29	Richard Garton, Philip Jenkins, Myrtle Liversidge
Tue	30	James Hall, Thelma Paxton
Wed	31	Ethel Rust
Thu	1	Harriet Crowle, Leonard Harwood
Fri	2	Elizabeth Hannah Fisher, Barbara Ann Lewis, Sybil Heather Peters
Sat	3	Eunice Marion Edwards, Stanley Griffiths, Edith Handfield, Alan Hugo Hughes, Eunice Liddiard, Gertrude Martin

# Parish Diary

Today	Evensong and Benediction at St Peter's; Preacher, Fr David Peake, at 6pm followed by refreshments in the Hall.		
Sunday 4th August	Dedication Sunday at St Peter's; preacher, the Rev'd Dr Bob Derrenbacker, Dean of Trinity College Theological School.		
Tuesday 6th August	Transfiguration of our Lord at St Peter's; High Mass at 6:15pm followed by refreshments in the Hall.		
Wednesday 14th August	Friends of St Peter's Mass at 11am, followed by light lunch in the Hall.		
Thursday 15th August	Assumption of the BVM at St Peter's; High Mass at 6:15pm followed by refreshments in the Hall; presiding bishop and preacher, the Rt Rev'd Lindsay Urwin.		
Sunday 18th August	Science Week – the Rev'd Dr Chris Mulherin, Executive Director of ISCAST will be our guest preacher.		
Sunday 1st September	New Guinea Martyrs' Day; guest preacher at 9:30am & 11:00am the Ven. Gary Harch, followed by light lunch.		
Sat 14th & Sun 15th September	St Peter's Annual Book Fair in the Parish Hall, Saturday 10:00am-4:00pm & Sunday 10:00am-2:00pm		

# NOTICES

# **ORDINATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD - REV'D CHRISTINE ANGUS**

Former St Peter's parishioner, member of the Guild of Servers, and Klingner Scholar, Christine Angus, will be ordained to the Priesthood by the Rt Rev'd Garry Weatherill, Ballarat Cathedral, at 11am on Saturday the 31st August. All are welcome to attend. Please pray for Christine as she prepares for this very special day.

# PARISH SUPPORT TEAM PROCESS UPDATE

Over recent weeks, the Parish Support Team has met with the Wardens, Parish Council and some Staff to discuss concerns and conflicts which have arisen at St Peters over recent months. A number of other parishioners have requested meetings with the team. These meetings will be held with small groups of parishioners. The purpose is to provide an update on the process so far, and to explore other ideas for St Peter's moving forward constructively. The scheduled meeting times are:

- Today, Sunday 28th August, 1:00-2:30pm after High Mass, in the Hughes Room.
- Thursday 1st August, 6:00-7:30pm, in the Handfield Chapel.
- Saturday 3rd August, 10:00-11:30am, in the Hughes Room.

Please note that parishioners may not attend more than one meeting, priority will be given to those parishioners who have previously requested a meeting with the team and, should it be necessary, parishioners may be requested to attend another scheduled meeting to that requested as numbers are important to the success of the process.

Please contact me, Craig Wilson, by next Tuesday 30 July at: ccw01@bigpond.net.au or text to 0400 799 034 to register for one of the meetings. Simply provide me with your name, contact email and phone number, and the desired meeting time.

# BOOK FAIR – SATURDAY 14TH AND SUNDAY 15TH SEPTEMBER 2019

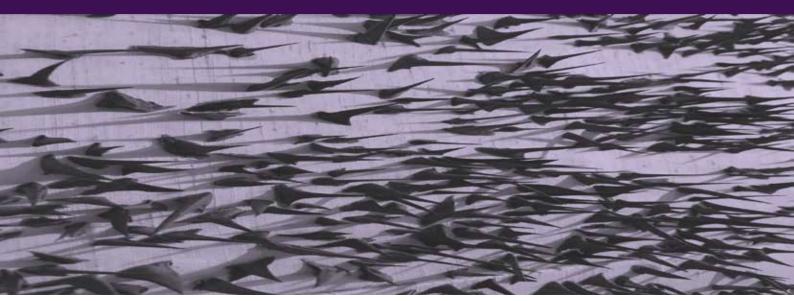
# TIME TO START CLEARING OUT YOUR BOOKS!

Thank you to parishioners who have already started donating books. If have books to donate, that would be wonderful. Because we have run out of storage space onsite, if you could wait until the week before the Fair to bring in your books, that would be very helpful.

If you can assist with the Book Fair in any way – we especially need drivers before and after the event, and assistants to sort books the week beginning 9th September, and sellers on the day itself - please leave your details in the Bookroom or contact Carol 9663 7487. It's always a fun time!

Carol O'Connor Bookroom Manager





# Faculty of Theology and Philosophy guest lecture: Professor Didier Pollefeyt, KU Leuven

# Nazism as an attack on Monotheism: Ethics and theology after the Holocaust

The Holocaust casts a heavy shadow over the twenty-first century. The Nazi extermination camps radically call into question the very foundations of Christianity, modernity and the postmodern world. Pollefeyt's work challenges and critically reconstructs ethics and theology by bearing witness to the victims, as well as shedding light on the perpetrators and bystanders, thus providing the basis for a renewed Christian understanding of good and evil for our time.

Pollefeyt has developed a comprehensive and interdisciplinary post-Holocaust ethics and theology, charting questions at the heart of a new synthesis: our concepts of God, the human person and the (post)modern world, as well as our understanding of ecology, politics, education, sacred texts, Christology, interreligious dialogue, forgiveness and reconciliation and eschatology.

This lecture will engage with some of these issues as explored in his latest book.

#### DATE AND TIME

Wednesday, 31 July, 6.30pm to 8.30pm

CONTACT

Please RSVP: Emily.Moore@acu.edu.au

#### VENUE

Philippa Brazill Lecture Theatre, Daniel Mannix Building ACU Melbourne Campus 8-18 Brunswick St, Fitzroy, Victoria



**Didier Pollefeyt** is a Catholic theologian and full professor of the Katholieke Universiteit Leuven, Belgium.

In the Faculty of Theology and Religious studies, he teaches catechetics, religious pedagogy, post-holocaust theology and Jewish-Christian dialogue. As Holocaust scholar, he works on an ethical and theological analysis of the Holocaust and the development of the foundations of 'ethics and theology after Auschwitz'. As chairman of the *Center for Peace Ethics*, he develops an analysis of the questions of evil, guilt, remembrance, forgiveness and reconciliation.

Didier Pollefeyt has published widely about the ethical and theological problems connected to the encounter of Judaism with Christianity. His latest book is *Ethics and Theology after the Holocaust* (Leuven, Peeters, 2018).







You are warmly invited to the

# Friends of St Peter's Mass & Festive Lunch

(formerly "60 Plus")

# Wednesday August 14th @11am

"The Friends" is an inclusive and welcoming group open to people of all ages from within and beyond the parish.

To book your lunch (\$15) phone the Parish Office by **Monday 12th Aug** on 9662 2391, or sign up at the Sunday Welcome Table in the Parish Hall



# Sunday 25 August 2019 2.30 pm St Paul's Cathedral Melbourne The Lewis Grand Organ



\$20 admission at the door includes program. All the proceeds from this GALA NextGen Concert go to encourage these young artists as tomorrow's leaders.





# cathedral.org.au



# Grand Organ Discovery at 1.00 pm

Do you learn, or want to learn, the King of Instruments? Free admission at 1.00 pm to meet and play the world-famous Grand Organ in St Paul's Cathedral!

This GALA NextGen Organ Concert is proudly presented by The Australian and New Zealand College of Organists and generously supported by St Paul's Cathedral, Melbourne



# St Peter's Bookroom **Book Fair** As-new and second-hand Saturday 14th September 10-4pm Sunday 15th September 10-2pm St Peter's Hall **15 Gisborne Street** Eastern Hill Melbourne Phone Carol 9663 7587



# St Peter's Bookroom & Church Supplies

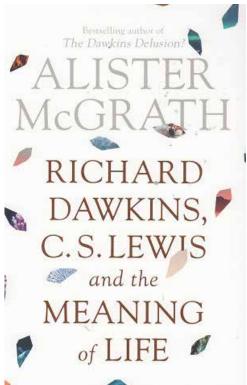
Christmas in July sale finishes this week!

NEW RELEASE

Richard Dawkins, C.S.Lewis and the Meaning of Life by Alistaer McGrath

Alister McGrath has written to great acclaim before on both Richard Dawkins and C. S. Lewis.

Here he brings these two intriguing and well-known writers into a conversation. They could hardly have more different perspectives! Engaging with their views is a brilliant way of sharpening up our own thinking on the meaning of life.



**Opening Hours** 

Monday – Friday 9.30am to 4.30 pm Sunday - after 9.30am & 11am Mass 15 Gisborne St Melbourne 3002 Situated in the Parish Hall building on the street side, facing St Patrick's Cathedral

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#### **Sunday Services**

8.00 am Mass (BCP) 9.30 am Family Mass 11.00 am High Mass 6.00 pm Mass/Evensong & Benediction Refreshments are available in the Parish Hall after each of the Sunday morning services

#### Weekday Services

Mon – Fri:	Mass at 7.15am (9am on Public Holidays)		
	Feast Day High Mass, as advertised: 6.15pm		
Wed:	Mass at 1.15pm		
Sat:	Mass at 9.00am (Cell of our Lady of Walsingham, 3rd Saturday of the month)		

**Parish Council** 

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	Fr Don Edgar	0418 967 829	Stephen Duckett (chair)
	Fr Philip Gill	0480 101 711	Rachel Ellyard
	Fr Ken Letts	03 9662 2391	Fr Hugh Kempster
	Fr David Peake	0412 299 839	Nick Lambarde-Scott
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-	Brenda Williams	03 9662 2391	David Spriggs
			Rwth Stuckey
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Acting Sacristan	Eugene Chin	03 9662 2391	Peter Yewers
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Children:	Katherine Barnett	03 9387 4089	
Child Safety Officer:	Konstantine Soteriou (acting)	9662 2391	
Churchwardens:	Stephen Duckett (Vicar)	0447 837 741	
	Nick Lambarde-Scott (People)	0423 213 622	We are an inclusive
	Rwth Stuckey (People)	03 9662 2391	and welcoming Church,
Director of Music:	Andrew Raiskums	0439 556 627	0
Flowers:	Helen Drummond	0419 897 973	built on the lands of the
Head Server:	Peter Bryce	03 9850 2403	Wurundjeri people.
Inst. for Sp. Studies:	Nick Browne	0427 332 340	We are committed to
Music Administrator:	Sue Wuttke	0422 866 286	
Organist:	Rhys Arvidson	0405 277 853	social justice, equality and
Parish Office:	Konstantine Soteriou	03 9662 2391	diversity. Our mission
Pastoral Care:	Di Clark	0407 354 987	is: "Catholic Evangelism:
RMIT Chaplaincy:	Alae Taule'alo	0409 802 892	Growing in God's love".
Guild of St. Ben Comm	0	0419 572 033	
Treasurer:	Peter Wild	0455 803 584	