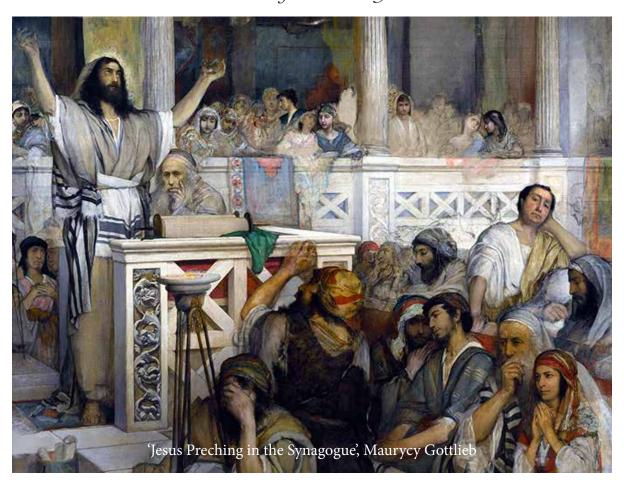
Welcome to

ST PETER'S EASTERN HILL

Diocese of Melbourne - Anglican Church of Australia Parish Church of the City since 1847



Ordinary Sunday 3 27th January 2019

Life-giving God, who sent your Son Jesus to proclaim your kingdom and to teach with authority: anoint us with your Spirit, that we too may bring good news to the poor, bind up the brokenhearted, and proclaim liberty to the captive; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen*

Vicar's Musings

It has been a joy to have my 89 year-old mother visit from New Zealand for the past three weeks. Although frail after two hip-replacements, her zest for life, gratitude, and optimism is an inspiration. We went to see the remarkable M.C. Escher exhibition at the N.G.V. and had the obligatory day at the Australian Open (Mum is a big tennis fan and played herself in Junior Wimbledon back in the day) but this year, undoubtedly, the most memorable moment of my mother's visit was a dream she had – a "God dream" as she called it. Usually dreams are very personal things. They are, as Carl Gustav Jung termed them, "the royal road to the unconscious." But Jung also experienced and wrote about the "collective unconscious"; a profound psychological connectivity between groups of people, even whole nations. After my mother told me her dream, she said: "Hugh, I think this dream is for you!" I actually think that this is a dream for more than just me; I think it is a dream for our parish at this time in our journey of faith together, and so I would like to share it with you.

By way of background, as many parishioners are aware, there is some debate in the parish at the moment around a property decision that the Wardens have duly made concerning the usage of one of the parish properties, Keble House. My mother was completely unaware of this. She was here for a holiday and I didn't want to worry her with parish politics. It was the day of the Parish Council meeting, at which the Wardens' decision was to be noted and debated. I had hardly seen Mum that day, having begun with the usual 7.15am Mass, followed by back-to-back meetings until 4pm. When I finally came home, Mum greeted me with some urgency. "Hugh," she said "I had a dream last night. I don't usually dream, but this was a really vivid dream. I don't think I've ever had a dream like this in my whole life."

My mother then went on to tell me her dream. At the heart of the dream was a woman. Mum described her as an "all-embracing woman." She was hugging people, and she came up to my mother and gave her the most beautiful warm whole-hearted hug. While embracing my mother she quietly said to her, "this is a forward-looking vision." The woman then went on hugging others who were there, and said to each person, "we must all go into the future together; we must all love each other and move forward together." With Mum's permission I shared her dream with the Parish Council that night, and she also said that I could share it with the wider parish. I am sure that this was indeed a Goddream, and that the woman's message was prophetic, we certainly must "all go into the future together; we must all love each other and move forward together." As I reflected in last week's pew sheet, we have been through seven years of significant change since the Archbishop appointed me as Vicar. I know that is not easy. Many would like things to stay the same, but in today's world that is not always possible. Please remember that the Wardens and I are always available to talk, on the phone or in person, and to receive your correspondence. If you have ongoing concerns, please communicate with us; and pray for us as we pray for you.

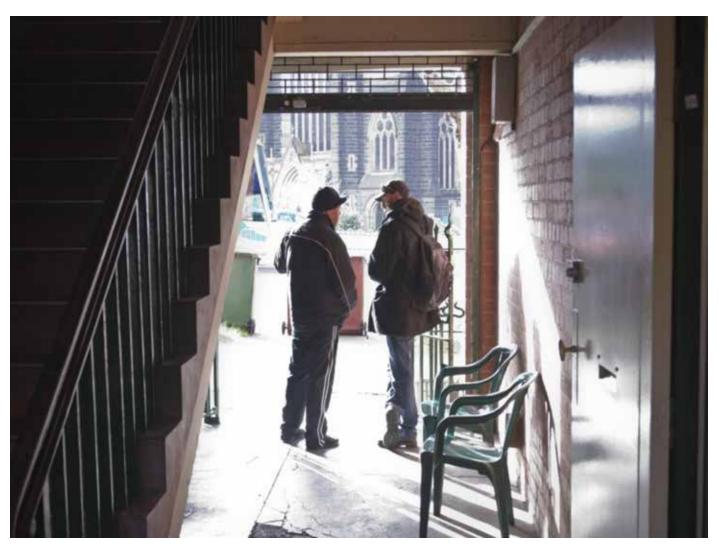
WELCOME TO CHRIS DE PAIVA - TEAM LEADER HOMELESS SERVICES

In November last year we said farewell to the Rev'd Louise Lang, who had been leading the Lazarus Centre breakfast program for more than six years. Next month we welcome Chris de Paiva, who will be taking up this role of Anglicare Team Leader Homeless Services.

Chris de Paiva, after growing up in the Salvation Army, has been working in the Social and Community services and Housing support sector for the past 27 years. His roles range from Homelessness support, Youth housing, University Housing and most recently was the Residential Services Manager for a Disability Support Service.

Chris has a passion for supporting and empowering people who have been disadvantaged and has experience in leadership and working within church communities.

When not working, Chris is a husband and father of two young adults, plays Vets cricket, golf, the tuba in the Camberwell Salvation Army band, enjoys spending time at the beach and supporting Carlton!



8:00 am Mass

Celebrant: Fr Hugh Kempster Preacher: Fr Hugh Kempster

9:30 am Family Mass

Celebrant: Fr Greg Davies Preacher: Fr David Peake

Deacon: Fr Hugh Kempster

Children's Talk: Fr Hugh Kempster

Reader: Carole Tedja

Intercessor: Ann Scott Pendlebury

Hymns: Entrance: 239 Offertory: 302 Post-Communion: 388(i)

Communion Voluntary: Vaughan-Williams Chorale Prelude on Rhosymedre

Postlude: Vierne - Carillon de Westminster

11:00 am High Mass

Celebrant: Fr Philip Gill Preacher: Fr David Peake

Deacon: Fr Hugh Kempster

Reader: Susan Southall Intercessor: William Southey

Hymns: Entrance: 239 Gradual: 370 Offertory: 302 Post-Communion: 388(i)

Mass Setting: Lassus Missa Bell' Amfitrit' altera

Motet: Pärt Da pacem Domine

Postlude: Postlude: Vierne - Carillon de Westminster

6:00 pm Mass

Celebrant & Preacher: Fr Hugh Kempster

Next Sunday 3rd February: Presentation of the Lord (Candlemas)

Mass Readings: Malachi 3: 1-4, Hebrews 2: 10-11, 13b-18 & Luke 2: 22-40 Readers & Intercessors: J. Gordon-Clark, E. Newton, D. Aspin & J. Chapman

Celebrants: Fr Hugh Kempster & Fr Philip Gill

CELEBRATING CANDLEMAS - SUNDAY 3RD FEBRUARY

This year we celebrate the Feast of the Presentation of Christ in the Temple, or Candlemas, next Sunday 3rd February at all Masses (transferred from 2nd February).

COFFEE MACHINE UNDER REPAIR

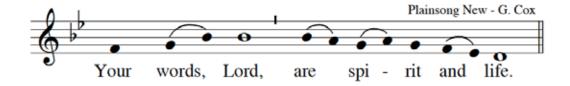
Apologies to our patrons of the coffee cart. We are waiting on a spare part, so no barista coffee or gourmet muffins this week. We hope to be back on board by Sunday 3rd February.

Mass Readings

First Reading : Nehemiah 8.1-4a, 5-6, 8-10

All the people gathered together into the square before the Water Gate. They told the scribe Ezra to bring the book of the law of Moses, which the Lord had given to Israel. Accordingly, the priest Ezra brought the law before the assembly, both men and women and all who could hear with understanding. This was on the first day of the seventh month. He read from it facing the square before the Water Gate from early morning until midday, in the presence of the men and the women and those who could understand; and the ears of all the people were attentive to the book of the law. The scribe Ezra stood on a wooden platform that had been made for the purpose. And Ezra opened the book in the sight of all the people, for he was standing above all the people; and when he opened it, all the people stood up. Then Ezra blessed the Lord, the great God, and all the people answered, "Amen, Amen," lifting up their hands. Then they bowed their heads and worshipped the Lord with their faces to the ground. So the Levites read from the book, from the law of God, with interpretation. They gave the sense, so that the people understood the reading. And Nehemiah, who was the governor, and Ezra the priest and scribe, and the Levites who taught the people said to all the people, "This day is holy to the Lord your God; do not mourn or weep." For all the people wept when they heard the words of the law. Then Ezra said to them, "Go your way, eat the fat and drink sweet wine and send portions of them to those for whom nothing is prepared, for this day is holy to our Lord; and do not be grieved, for the joy of the Lord is your strength."

Psalm: 19.7, 8, 9, 14



The law of the Lord is perfect, reviving the soul; the decrees of the Lord are sure, making wise the simple. R. The precepts of the Lord are right, rejoicing the heart; the commandment of the Lord is clear, enlightening the eyes. R.

The fear of the Lord is pure, enduring forever; the ordinances of the Lord are true and righteous altogether. R. Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable to you, O Lord, my rock and my redeemer.

R.

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 12.12-30

Just as the body is one and has many members, and all the members of the body, though many, are one body, so it is with Christ. For in the one Spirit we were all baptized into one body -Jews or Greeks, slaves or free - and we were all made to drink of one Spirit. Indeed, the body does not consist of one member but of many. If the foot would say, "Because I am not a hand, I do not belong to the body," that would not make it any less a part of the body. And if the ear would say, "Because I am not an eye, I do not belong to the body," that would not make it any less a part of the body. If the whole body were an eye, where would the hearing be? If the whole body were hearing, where would the sense of smell be? But as it is, God arranged the members in the body, each one of them, as he chose. If all were a single member, where would the body be? As it is, there are many members, yet one body. The eye cannot say to the hand, "I have no need of you," nor again the head to the feet, "I have no need of you." On the contrary, the members of the body that seem to be weaker are indispensable, and those members of the body that we think less honourable we clothe with greater honour, and our less respectable members are treated with greater respect; whereas our more respectable members do not need this. But God has so arranged the body, giving the greater honour to the inferior member, that there may be no dissension within the body, but the members may have the same care for one another. If one member suffers, all suffer together with it; if one member is honoured, all rejoice together with it. Now you are the body of Christ and individually members of it. And God has appointed in the church first apostles, second prophets, third teachers; then deeds of power, then gifts of healing, forms of assistance, forms of leadership, various kinds of tongues. Are all apostles? Are all prophets? Are all teachers? Do all work miracles? Do all possess gifts of healing? Do all speak in tongues? Do all interpret?

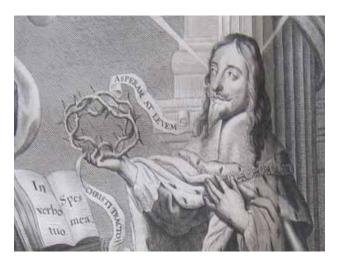
Gospel: Luke 1.1-4; 4.14-21

Since many have undertaken to set down an orderly account of the events that have been fulfilled among us, just as they were handed on to us by those who from the beginning were eyewitnesses and servants of the word, I too decided, after investigating everything carefully from the very first, to write an orderly account for you, most excellent Theophilus, so that you may know the truth concerning the things about which you have been instructed. Jesus, filled with the power of the Spirit, returned to Galilee, and a report about him spread through all the surrounding country. He began to teach in their synagogues and was praised by everyone. When he came to Nazareth, where he had been brought up, Jesus went to the synagogue on the sabbath day, as was his custom. He stood up to read, and the scroll of the prophet Isaiah was given to him. He unrolled the scroll and found the place where it was written: "The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim release to the captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to let the oppressed go free, to proclaim the year of the Lord's favour." And Jesus rolled up the scroll, gave it back to the attendant, and sat down. The eyes of all in the synagogue were fixed on him. Then Jesus began to say to them, "Today this scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing."

FEAST DAY OF CHARLES, KING AND MARTYR - SUNDAY, 3RD FEBRUARY

Our friends at Christ Church Brunswick will be hosting a festival Evensong and lecture to mark the Feast Day of Charles, King and Martyr on Sunday, 3rd February 6pm at Christ Church Brunswick.

The speaker will be Archbishop David Moxon, former director of the Anglican Centre in Rome and Archbishop of Canterbury's representative to the Holy See. The Archbishop will be reflecting on his life in Rome and his relationship with



Pope Francis, as well as his important work with ecumenical education and refugee ministry.

The evening will include refreshments and all are warmly invited to join the community at Christ Church for what promises to be a wonderful evening.

For more info: http://www.christchurchbrunswick.org/

PRAYERS

FOR THE SICK:

Carole Ainio, Mary Armour, Chris Bennie, Gail Edwards, Ian George BISHOP, John Harvey, Noelene Jones, Trish Lawrence, Sam Lawson, Bill Loughnan, Kel McMeeken, Akuach Miyen, Robert Moore, Lisa Morris, Allen Rei, George Shaw, Peter Swindells, Hugh Todd, and John Willis.

As well as:

Jenny Allen, Michael Boyle PRIEST, John Crocker, Cheryl Duff, Cliff Gornall, Gwen Joyce, Bronwyn Large, Margaret Lea, Margaret Lugg, Sr Lyn CHN, Reg Mills PRIEST, Joyce Newton, Liz Prideaux, Graham Ritchie, Helen Rowley, Bella Saadala, Barbara Ure-Smith, Ruth Tindale, Annette Wood; and also Andrew, Jan and Chad.

FOR THE RECENTLY DEPARTED:

FOR THOSE WHOSE YEAR'S MIND FALLS THIS WEEK:

Sun	27	Alec Graeme Bond, Sister Rachel CHN
Mon	28	Arthur Rupert Lumsden
Tue	29	Nellie Winifred Holland
Wed	30	Sophie La Trobe, Julia Scott, Edward Stuart Talbot bishop
Thu	31	Jack Gould Ashton, Margaret Matthews, Alison David
Fri	1	Hilda Anderson, Mervyl Wycliffe Clark, Sister Rosemary CHN, Norley Weeks PRIEST
Sat	2	Agnes Edwards, Audrey Walker Gaillard, Sr Katherine Mary CHN, Mother Monica CHC

Parish Diary

Thursday 31st January	Induction of former St Peter's Curate and Archdeacon of Melbourne, the Rev'd Dr Craig D'Alton at Christ Church South Yarra at 7:00pm. All are welcome.
Saturday 9th February	Colleen Clayton and Lynda Crossley will be ordained as Deacons at 10.30am on Saturday 9th February 2019 at St Paul's Cathedral, followed by lunch in the St Peter's Hall.
Sunday 10th February	Commissioning of 2019 Parish Council, and prayers for others in Lay Leadership at all morning Masses; followed by launch of new Parish Website at 1:00pm.
Tuesday 12th February	Spiritual Care Australia Conference "Conflict, Reflection and Creativity" with keynote speaker Padraig O Tuama, at the Royal Children's Hospital, Flemington Road Parkville, from 9am to 4pm.
Wednesday 13th February	'Friends of St Peter's' Mass in Church and Meal in the Hall, from 11am.
Wednesday 13th February	The Second Robin Sharwood Lecture in Church Law, "Anglican Canon Law: Identity, Ecclesiology and Ecumenism" at the Craig Auditorium, Gateway Building, Trinity College, Parkville at 7:30pm. Keynote speaker, Prof. Mark Hill QC
Tuesday 5th March	Shrove Tuesday pancakes and children's activities in the Parish Hall from 6pm, and burning of last year's Palm Crosses in preparation for Ash Wednesday.
Wednesday 6th March	Ash Wednesday Masses at 7:15am and 1:15pm, as well as a High Mass at 6.15pm, followed by a light meal. Also, following the 7.15am Mass a ministry team will take "Ashes to Go" for the commuters at Parliament Station.



On behalf of the Parish of Christ Church the Churchwardens invite you to attend

The Induction of The Rev'd Dr Craig D'Alton as Vicar

by the Rt Rev'd Genieve Blackwell Bishop of the Marmingatha Episcopate

Thursday 31st January 2019 at 7:00pm

RSVP Thursday 24th January 2019

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Clergy are invited to robe (white stole) please indicate this in your reply



St Peter's Eastern Hill





Check out our new Parish Website: www.stpeters.org.au
We're excited to announce that our new website is now live.

Our new website supports our growing
social media and online presence,
and will help us showcase our programmes
and initiatives to an even wider audience.

Over the coming days, we'd love it if you'd look over
the new website and provide feedback.

Our previous website, expertly managed by Bruce Kellett, will remain live as we continue to bring content over to the new platform.

You can access the previous site on the homepage of the new site or directly:

http://webmail.stpeters.org.au.

We'll be launching the new Parish Website officially on 10th February 2019 after High Mass. Please send comments and feedback to alae.taulealo@rmit.edu.au



PÁDRAIG Ó TUAMA CONFLICT, REFLECTION AND CREATIVITY

"Northern Ireland peacemaker, poet and theologian, Pádraig Ó Tuama's work centres around themes of language, religion, conflict and art.
Working fluently on the page and with groups of people from various religions and walks of life, Pádraig is a skilled speaker, teacher and group worker."

Spend a day with Pádraig Ó Tuama on Tuesday, 12 February 2019. Pádraig inspired many SCA members and friends during the 2016 SCA Conference in Melbourne. Now you have the opportunity to kick off your professional development for 2019 with seminars with Pádraig. He will lead two sessions across the day and you can attend one or both.

TUESDAY 12 FEBRUARY 2019

MORNING SESSION 9AM - 12.30PM

A workshop-based session for Spiritual Care Practitioners and others that will explore their role in resolving interreligious, workplace and interpersonal conflict. The session will run for approximately three-hours and will be a mixture of didactic and practical exercises.

AFTERNOON SESSION 1.30PM - 4PM

A retreat-style workshop that aims to nourish attendees. Pádraig will lead us through a reflective process that will engage our inner self using creative approaches such as poetry, music and mindfulness.

ROYAL CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL, FLEMINGTON ROAD, PARKVILLE

Costs:

PER SESSION \$65 WHOLE DAY \$120



THE COST INCLUDES MORNING AND AFTERNOON TEAS.

ATTENDEES CAN BYO LUNCH OR PURCHASE LUNCH IN ONE OF
THE MANY EATERIES AT THE ROYAL CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL.

CONTACT LUKE BOWEN <u>LUKE.BOWEN@AUSTIN.ORG.AU</u>
BOOKINGS VIA HTTPS://POT2019.EVENTBRITE.COM

You are warmly invited to the

Friends of St Peter's Mass & Festive Lunch

(formerly "60 Plus")

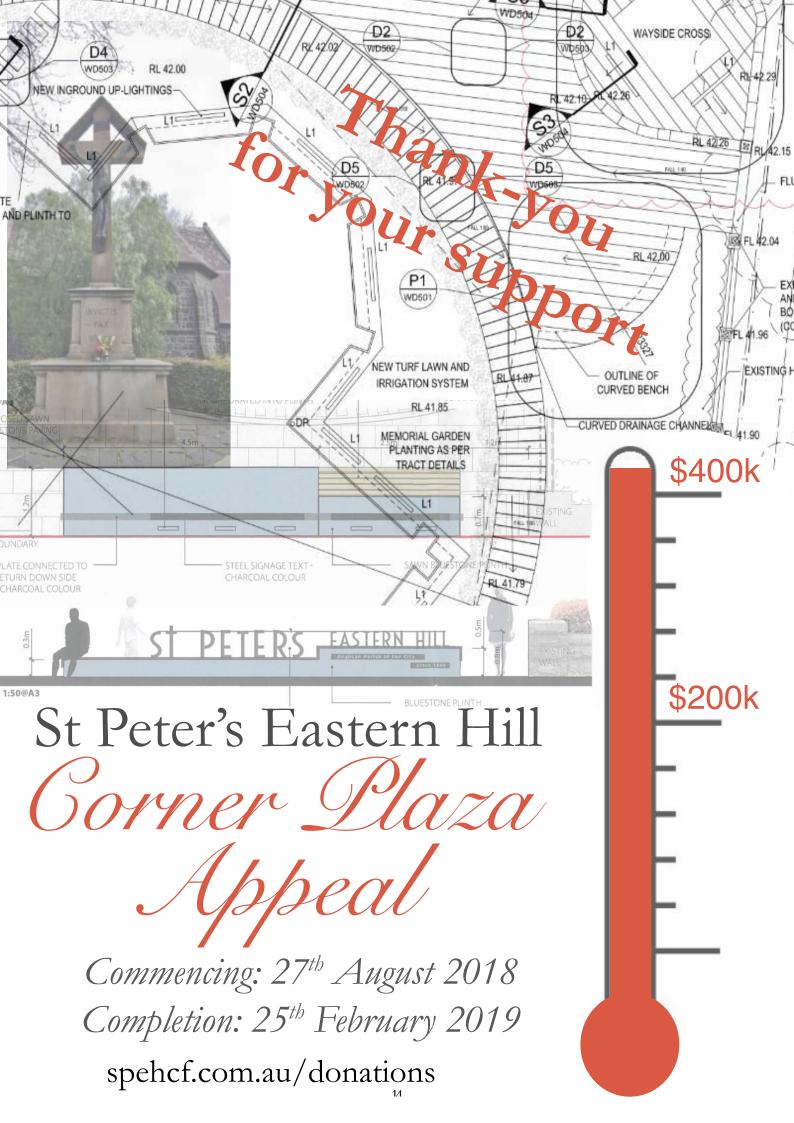
Wednesday Feb 13th @11am

"Friends of St Peter's" 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 11th February** on 9662 2391, or sign up at the Sunday Welcome Table in the Parish Hall







ST PETER'S BOOKROOM & CHURCH SUPPLIES

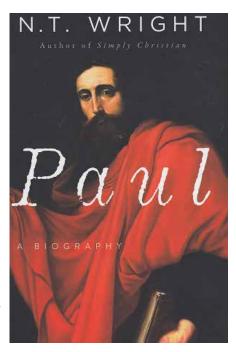
RECOMMENDED SUMMER READING!

A title published in 2018 that many customers enjoyed and spoke highly of.

Paul: A Biography by N T Wright

For centuries, Paul, the apostle who "saw the light on the Road to Damascus" and changed dramatically from zealous Pharisee persecutor to devoted follower of Jesus, has been one of the church's most widely cited early teachers. Yet for leading New Testament scholar and Anglican bishop N.T.Wright, most Bible scholars and pastors have not fully grasped what Paul was actually doing and why.

In this pioneering new account, Wright celebrates Paul's humanity, arguing that this is the best context for understanding him and ultimately for appreciating how he invented new paradigms for how we understand Jesus.



"The problem," Wright explains, "is that while Paul is central to any understanding of early Christianity, we cannot understand him without taking full account of the pre-Christian Jewish beliefs and hopes that he believed had been fulfilled in Jesus." Only when we consider Paul in this manner can we move on to understand how he led the way for Christianity to conquer the Roman world.

\$45.00

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 P: (03) 9663 7487 E: bookroom@stpeters.org.au

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E-mail: sphoffice@stpeters.org.au Office Hours. 9.30am – 2.00pm Monday-Thursday

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)

Vicar:	Fr Hugh Kempster	0488 960 022
Lay Minister:	Alae Taule'alo	0409 802 892
Clergy:	Fr Greg Davies	0417 992 976
	Fr Don Edgar	0418 967 829
	Fr Philip Gill	0467 550 175
	Fr Ken Letts	03 9662 2391
	En Darrid Doolro	0412 200 920

Fr David Peake 0412 299 839 Lynda Crossley 0430 993 266

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Klingner Scholar:

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Flowers:	Helen Drummond	0419 897 973
Head Server:	Peter Bryce	9850 2403
Inst. for Sp. Studies:	Nick Browne	0427 332 340
Music Administrator:	Sue Wuttke	0422 866 286
Organist:	Rhys Arvidson	0405 277 853
Parish Office:	Konstantine Soteriou	9662 2391
Pastoral Care:	Di Clark	0407 354 987
RMIT Chaplaincy:	Alae Taule'alo	0409 802 892
Sacristan:	Adam Blackmore	0439 369 911
SWH Committee	Daniel Ferguson	0419 572 033
Treasurer:	Peter Wild	0455 803 584

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Peter Yewers

Nicholas Browne (secretary)
Stephen Duckett (chair)
Helen Drummond
Rachel Ellyard
Fr Hugh Kempster
Nick Lambarde-Scott
David Spriggs
William Southey
Rwth Stuckey
Peter Wild

We are an inclusive and welcoming Church, built on the lands of the Wurundjeri people.
We are committed to social justice, equality and diversity. Our mission is: "Catholic Evangelism: Growing in God's love".