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# NEWSLETTER

## Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Do you ever feel as the disciples of Jesus felt as described in the Gospel of today? Storms are raging all around us. Fearful that direction, safety or security is to be found nowhere. Even Jesus is absent -as if asleep. It is important to remember that Jesus does not chide his followers for waking him. He was disappointed at their lack of faith. So, amid whatever storm we may find ourselves we make time in prayer to wake the sleeping Jesus, who after all is in the boat with us, and share the worries and concerns that make us fearful.

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When a parent names their child after a family member or noted person, it is usually to both honour the older individual and to instil in the child the qualities they admired. A special bond exists between them. Although, in a society of increasing individualism the quest to impart names that are unique and connected to nothing is now verging on the ridiculous. Our faith community honours Peter and Paul – saints of obvious and well-known flaws and failings - and yet through them the grace of God did extraordinary things. We who carry their names have, through that same grace, the opportunity to live as they did. We grow in faith; we share the love of Jesus with others, and we all, like them, rely on the endless mercy of God.

Next week after each Mass you are invited to join fellow parishioners to honour Peter and Paul and share some social time together. Those attending supper after the 5.30 Saturday evening Mass are asked to please bring a plate.

May God bless your week and especially keep safe those enjoying the holidays,

Fr Kevin

We acknowledge the traditional owners and custodians, who have walked upon and cared for this land for thousands of years. We acknowledge the continued deep spiritual attachment and relationships of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples to this country and commit ourselves to the ongoing journey of reconciliation.



**Please pray for our departed loved ones, especially** Kathleen Hourigan, Moira Pearcy, Bernie Mulheran, Trish Ryan, **recently deceased and also for** Vince Long, Margaret Linnett, Dulcie O'Connell, Dolores Reyes, Robyn Illett, Bill Hanley, Patrick and Clare Dugger, Kretschmer, McLachlan and Hanly families, Begley and Bourke families, Norman and Katie Timmins, Norman, Patrick and Daniel Timmins, Patrick and Pat Boyle, Karen Baker and Mike West.



**Please remember the sick in your prayers** – Hazel Langthorne, Remy Rossi, Pete Waldron, Joy Ashworth, Margaret McLaughlin, Anita Xavier, Lance Tutanoa, Roy Hogan, Nicola Fryer and Ray Moresi.

Liturgy and Prayers this Week 24 June – 30 June 2024			
Monday	-	St John the Baptist	-
Tuesday	-		-
Wednesday	7:00pm		Mass
Thursday	-	St Cyril of Alexandria	-
Friday	8.00am	St Irenaeus	Mass + Adoration + Benediction
Saturday	9:00am	Sts Peter and Paul, apostles	Mass
Sunday	5.30pm(Vigil) 8:00am and 5:30pm		<b>13<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>
Readings – Wisdom 1:13-15, 2:23-24 2 Corinthians 8:7, 9:13-15 Mark 5:21-43			
Reconciliation	Saturday 9:30am and 5:00pm		
Rosary and Angelus	Saturday before the 9:00am Mass		
Meditation	Tuesday 4pm at the Convent, 50 Hawthorne Road, Hawthorne.		

### DIARY DATE CLAIMERS 2024

**Saturday 22 June**

**Social Justice** movie @ 6.30pm

**Sunday 23 June**

**SJ Group** meets @ 9am

**Tuesday 25 June**

**CARER'S** meet in hall at 10am

**Saturday 29 June**

**FEAST DAY of Sts Peter & Paul**  
**Wine & Cheese** after Mass

**Sunday 30 June**

**Morning tea** after 8am Mass

# PARISH NEWS AND EVENTS

## PLEASE CONTINUE TO SUPPORT YOUR PARISH

- **Collection Boxes at the church doors** - cash donations
- **Tap and Go device** – pre-set to \$10 donation at the door
- **Give via direct debit or your Credit Card** - please call the parish office or find the form on the website (Quick Links)
- **Direct deposit donation to our bank account** - **BSB 064 786 A/C 100016732 (Ref: surname)**

Another easy way to support the Parish is by using the Parish Giving App: <http://parishgiving.brisbanecatholic.org.au>

## PARISH SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM FOR 2024

Please mark these important dates in your diary.

### CONFIRMATION (Year 3 children)

#### Parent Workshop sessions

8 August 7pm **OR** 9 August 9:30am

Celebration of Sacrament – 12 September



Parish of Saints Peter and Paul - Bulimba  
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Glorious, faith-filled and working together in hope of God's Kingdom – This is the Parish of Sts Peter and Paul.

**DID YOU KNOW?** The parish has a Facebook page (**Parish of Saints Peter and Paul – Bulimba**). Please visit and follow the page for the latest updates, faith-filled content, and events in our parish and community!



**CALLING ALL SINGERS** who would be willing to join the music ministry team! We are in need of a cantor (or a group of singers) for the Sunday 8am Mass – just once per month commitment. For further information or to register your interest, please contact the parish office.

**ARE YOU A CARER?** Do you look after someone who lives with disability, has a medical or mental health condition or is frail due to age? You might be young or old, looking after a relative or friend 24 hours a day or just some of the time. If this sounds like you, you are welcome to join with others at the parish carer's meetings, held on the fourth Tuesday of each month. Consider coming to the next meeting on Tuesday 25 June, held in the parish hall from 10am-12pm. All welcome.

### FOR SALE – HERITAGE PIECE OF STS PETER AND PAUL

Two surplus church pews are available for sale. Solid wood, honey coloured and suitable for that extra seating on the verandah or deck. Measurements (L) 3300mm x (H) 850mm x (D) 530MM. \$250 each. Contact the parish office.

### A sense of humour is a gift from God. Laughter unites us.

What did God say to Saint Peter, when giving him control of the weather?

You have free rain!



## THIS WEEK'S ACTION

When purchasing new appliances, consider the energy rating. The appliance may initially cost more, but will save you money (*and the planet*) in the long run.

**FEAST OF ST PETER AND ST PAUL** – next week we celebrate the solemnity of our parish's patron saints.

St. Peter was one of the original Apostles. He was a fisherman before he was called to follow Jesus. Originally, Peter's name was Simon. Jesus asked the apostles, "Who do you say that I am?" Simon said, "You are the Messiah, the son of the living God." Jesus then said: "Blessed are you Simon, Son of Jonah, for flesh and blood have not revealed this to you but my heavenly Father. And so I say to you, you are Peter and upon this rock I will build my church and the gates of the netherworld shall not prevail against it. I will give you the keys to the kingdom of heaven. Whatever you bind on earth shall be bound in heaven and whatever you loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven."

**St. Peter is the patron saint of fishermen. He is considered the first Pope of the Catholic Church.**

St. Paul was not one of the original apostles. While persecuting Christians after the death of Jesus, he was thrown to the ground by a bright light. He heard a voice asking him, "Saul, Saul, why do you persecute me?" He responded with "Who are you, Lord?" Jesus answered him: "I am Jesus whom you are persecuting. But get up and enter the city and you will be told what you are to do." Paul was blinded by the light for three days after which scales fell from his eyes. He then joined the apostles and became known as "The Apostle of the Gentiles". He wrote many of the letters in the New Testament.

**St. Paul is the patron saint of writers, the press, and missionaries.**



## THE ARCHDIOCESE



**A VOCATION VIEW:** Jesus says, 'Quiet now! Be Calm! To the strong winds in today's Gospel. How often do we allow Jesus to calm the distractions in our lives that make it difficult for us to trust in Him who calls even the wind to be quiet? Please pray for vocations. Scan the QR code to find out more or contact the vocation office on 1300 133 544 or [www.vocationbrisbane.com](http://www.vocationbrisbane.com) Follow us on @vocationbrisbane

**TWO MINUTE HOMILY** by priests from across the Archdiocese of Brisbane. You are able to watch this week's homily [here](#).

Share your cultural faith expression and celebrate the diversity of the Catholic Church in the Archdiocese of Brisbane at the **ANNUAL MUTICULTURAL MASS**. The Mass will be held on **Sunday 25th August** at Queen of Vietnamese Martyrs Catholic Church, Inala in recognition of World Day of Migrant and Refugees, highlighting this year's theme, "**God walks with his people**". Mass will be presided by **Archbishop Mark Coleridge** and concelebrated by priests ministering to cultural communities throughout the Archdiocese. Cultural performances, refreshments, and activities for children will follow in the church grounds after mass. We welcome and encourage members of cultural communities to wear their traditional cultural costumes. For more information contact Liliana Ortiz at [ortizl@bne.catholic.net.au](mailto:ortizl@bne.catholic.net.au)

# MUSIC ON SUNDAY

Readings – Job 38:1, 8-11 2 Corinthians 5:14-17 Mark 4:35-41

## GATHERING HYMN

### ALL THE EARTH

*All the earth proclaim the Lord,  
Sing your praise to God.*

Serve you the Lord, heart filled with gladness,  
Come into his presence singing for joy!

Know that the Lord is our Creator,  
Yes, he is our Father, we are his own.

Enter his gates bringing thanksgiving,  
O enter his courts while singing his praise.

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**GLORIA** *Glory to God in the highest,  
and on earth peace to people of good will.*

We praise you, we bless you, we adore you,  
we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory,  
Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, only begotten Son,  
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,  
you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us;  
you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer;  
you are seated at the right hand of the Father,  
have mercy on us.

For you alone are the holy one, you alone are the Lord,  
you alone are the most high, Jesus Christ,  
with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen

## RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Give thanks to the Lord, his love is everlasting.

## GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!

A great prophet has appeared among us:  
God has visited his people.  
Alleluia!

## APOSTLES CREED

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,**  
**Creator of heaven and earth,** and in **Jesus Christ,**  
**his only Son,** our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin  
Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and  
was buried;  
he descended into hell; on the third day he rose again  
from the dead; he ascended into heaven,  
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father  
almighty;  
from there he will come to judge the living and the dead.  
I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and life everlasting.  
Amen

## SANCTUS

Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of hosts,  
Heaven and earth are full of your glory  
Hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest

## COMMUNION HYMN

### SHELTER ME O GOD

Shepherd and sheep, my God and I,  
To fresh, green fields you led my steps  
in days gone by.  
You gave me rest by quiet springs  
And filled my soul with peace your loving presence  
brings.

*O shelter me, O shelter me:  
The way ahead is dark and difficult to see.  
O shelter me, O shelter me;  
All will be well if only you will shelter me.*

Yet now I tread a different way  
Death dogs my path with stealthy steps  
from day to day.  
I cannot find your peaceful place,  
But dwell in dreary darkness, longing for your face.

I will look back in days to come,  
And realize your faithfulness has led me home.  
Within your house I'll find my peace  
Trusting that in your mercy you have sheltered me.

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## RECESSIONAL HYMN

### PRAISE MY SOUL

Praise, my soul, the King of heaven;  
To his feet thy tribute bring,  
Ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven,  
Evermore his praises sing:  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise the everlasting King!

Praise him for his grace and favour,  
To his children in distress;  
Praise him, still the same as ever,  
Slow to chide and swift to bless.  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Glorious in his faithfulness.

Angels, help us to adore him'  
You behold him face to face;  
Sun and moon bow down before him,  
In his holy dwelling place.  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise with us the God of grace.

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