

AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

Applications are open for a position at St John's Wood, The Gap Catholic Parish. A person with excellent administration and secretarial skills is required for a part time position of Office Assistant for 22.5 hours a week to work alongside the Office Coordinator. For additional information, please visit the Archdiocese of Brisbane website <https://brisbanecatholic.org.au/> and to careers. The Archdiocese of Brisbane has standards of conduct for employees and volunteers to maintain a safe and healthy environment. Our commitment to these standards requires that we conduct background referencing for all persons who will engage in direct and regular involvement with children, young people and/or vulnerable adults.

Catholic Prison Chaplaincy

Volunteer lay Catholic chaplains make a huge difference to the lives and rehabilitation prospects of prisoners. Currently 25 chaplains visit the 11 prisons in the Archdiocese. New male and female chaplains are always welcomed with a particular need right now at Bollon Correctional Centre for male chaplains and for female chaplains at the Southern Queensland Correctional Centre at Gatton and Numinbah Correctional Centre. Training, support and reimbursement of out of pocket expenses provided. Blue Cards and consent for criminal history checks required. **If you would like to know more about faith in action in this ministry please contact Centacare Pastoral Ministries on 3324 3193, or email: adminpasmin@bne.centacare.net.au subject: Prison Chaplaincy.**

Nineteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time

11th /12th August

Endlessly Softly

There are people who talk all the time. You or I could be one of them and not realize it. Maybe it is just exuberance of personality, or a brain packed full of ideas that simply must poke their way out.

Or it could be self-centeredness, I suppose. I have known folks who take their breath in the middle of the sentence instead of at the end so that they can rush to the next sentence without a pause at the period, leaving no room for anyone else to butt in.

Am I being unkind? Not really. It takes all types. But there is a lesson to be learned from this phenomenon, and it concerns each one of us.

The more we talk the less we listen.

Mary had a lifelong habit of listening to God's love. She knew the Holy Spirit when she received it.

Truly listen, I mean. If we talk all the time, our energy is taken up by our own thoughts and actions and effects. We miss one of the greatest treasures of all: the beauty of other people in their complexity and in their simplicity and their interiority.

Should we then just sit in silence and let others talk? Not at all. We must take care to exchange with others. To talk, yes, but also to listen.

All true relationships, be they societal niceties or deep friendships, are founded on receiving and giving. We do not talk all the time, we do not listen all the time. We give the gift of attention to the other, and we receive it back from them. That being said, the Gospel surely gives us a test case. Why does the newly pregnant Mary talk so much in the readings we will hear this coming Thursday? She has hurried to her cousin Elizabeth's house in the hill country, and hardly have they even said hello when Mary bursts into a long speech or song, the one we traditionally call the Magnificat. In it she even says that all generations are going to call her blessed! Talking about herself, so it seems.

No indeed. Examine the words just before the Magnificat. Mary is actually responding to what Elizabeth has just said. "You are the mother of my Lord! Blessed are you who believed that what was spoken to you by the Lord would be fulfilled."

In return Mary does let the excited words pour from her mouth. But the Magnificat is not about Mary, it is entirely about God. She will be blessed by all generations, she says, not at all because she is herself something great, but because God's love and mercy are great, and they will pour out through her to the world. Mary had a lifelong habit of listening to God's love. She knew the Holy Spirit when she received it. Her reaction? To speak the divine Word into the world. She is the great example of hearing and then speaking.

The feast of the Assumption salutes this trust and openness in Mary. She had been at one with God all her life, even in the searing passion and death of her son. She had already been through the sickness and annihilation by which humans normally progress to God. The Assumption is not a mythical statement of fancy, it is an acknowledgment of how close she had been to Jesus all life long, and especially in his death.

It would have been superfluous for her to die again.

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Caboolture Parish is part of the Northern Rivers Deanery

Response:

Taste and See the Goodness of the Lord.

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia! Alleluia! I am the living bread from heaven, says the Lord; whoever eats this bread will love forever. Alleluia!

Masses for the Feast of the Assumption

This Wednesday is the Feast of the Assumption, which is a **Holy Day of Obligation**.

Mass times across the Parish are as follows:

Little Flower - 8.00am
St Peter's - 9.30am.

Confirmation Preparation

Parents who have children they would like to prepare to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation are invited to attend one of the following Parent Meetings with a view to their child being confirmed at the end of September: Children must be baptized & 8 yrs old.

Tuesday, 21st August 1.30pm St Peter's
Tuesday, 21st August Little Flower
Thursday, 23rd August 4.00pm Little Flower
Thursday, 23rd August 6.30pm St Peter's

Following that, our young candidates will be enrolled in our Confirmation Program on the w/e 1st/2nd Sept

Seasons Grief & Loss Program

The Season's Grief & Loss program starts this Monday 13th August at 1.30pm in the 'Corinda' Hall at St Peter's Anglican Church, BI



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News from St Peter's

MEETINGS & GATHERINGS

SUNDAY

7.00 am Mass of the 19th Sunday in Ordinary time (St Peter's Church)
8.30 am Mass of the 19th Sunday in Ordinary time (Beachmere)
10.00 am Mass of the 19th Sunday in Ordinary time (St Peter's Church)
1.00pm Samoan Mass (St Peter's Church)
5.30pm Mass of The 19th Sunday Ordinary time (St Peter's Church)

MONDAY EKKA HOLIDAY - PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

12.30 pm 20 Decade Rosary (Church)

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

9.30am Mass of the Feast of the Assumption (Church)

THURSDAY

10.00 am Mothers' Prayer Group (Parish Centre Meeting Room)
10.00 am El Shaddai 21 Hayes St. Ph. Susie 0404 844 395.

FRIDAY

7.45am Mass (St Columbans Chapel)
9.30am -11.00am Craft Group (All welcome) (Hall)

SATURDAY

5.00 pm Individual Reconciliation (Church)
6.00 pm Mass of the 20th Sunday in Ordinary time (Church)

This Sunday the Samoan Community gather for their Mass and fellowship at St Peter's commencing at 1pm. They extend an invitation for all to join them.



News from Little Flower

MEETINGS & GATHERINGS

SUNDAY

8.30am Mass of the 19th Sunday in Ordinary time (Church)

MONDAY EKKA HOLIDAY - PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

9.00 am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament (Church)

TUESDAY

9.00 am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament (Church)
6.00 pm Mass (Church)

WEDNESDAY

8.00am Mass of the Feast of the Assumption (Church)
9.00am Communion Liturgy (Church)
9.30 am Christian Meditation (Our House)
3.30 pm Bible Study Group Frederic Ozanam Centre
5.30 pm Men's Choir Practice (Church)

THURSDAY

9.15am Mass (Church)

FRIDAY

9.00 am Communion Liturgy (Church)

SATURDAY

5.00 pm Individual Reconciliation (Church)
6.00 pm Mass of the 20th Sunday in Ordinary time (Church)

Don't forget if your going away, stay in touch via the website for all Parish News, including the latest newsletter.

OUR SCHOOLS

St Peter's Primary School

30 Beerburrum Road, Caboolture. Ph: 5495 8806
<http://www.stpeterscaboolture.qld.edu.au>

St Columban's College

100 McKean Street, Caboolture. Ph: 5495 3111.
<https://stc.moretonbay.com/>

2019 enrolments are closing fast across all year levels, contact the school asap if you have a child you would like to be enrolled.

Please Remember In Your Prayers

Those Who Have Died Recently

Doreen Dillion, Del Galavin, Jim Lulham, Bill Gardner, Lorna Dickson, Doug Nagle, Bob McAnally, Kay Pratt, Patricia Kelly, Laurene Reynolds, Mollie Gabor, Ian Hobbins, Joseph Dorrington, Priscilla Molina.

Anniversaries of Those Who Have Died

Harry Phillips, Errol Edwards, John Fitzpatrick, Paula Marinovich, Roy Goymer, Patrick O'Neill, Isobel Hughes, Doreen Gates, Jeffrey Smith, Mary McNamara, Dirk Williams, Marlene Oliver, Kevin Kelly, Paul Viney, Sue Hickson, Wladyslaw Bauman, Robert Linton, Paul Haydock, Gwyneth Eichmann, Mary MacDonald, Josephine Loveday, Jams Carpenter, Leonard Murray, Bill Dearlove, Joshua Eusebio, Michael Lynch, Max Donnelly, Dick Keon,

Our Sick

Sherlita Arcabo, John Abel, Michele Akers, Louisa Brittenden, Gerard Brown, Pam & Don Bryant, Les Bushell, Patricia Butterfield, Grant Butterfield, Calvin Bartlett, Joy Cater, Kelly Conway, Pat Connor, Peter Cassimatis, Karen Croke, Cathleen Dooley, Hank Damen, Bill Dooley, Aniline Ebcas, Beverley Forrest, Meagan Frohloff, Edyn Gale, Raymond Gordon, Harry Gordon, Susan Genery, Elaine Gow, Lionel Henschell, Desley Hawkes, David Hardy, Gary Kelly, Anna Lovisa, Paula Laughlan, Muriel Lawson, John Leach, Michael Lynch, Jason, Morphett, Eva Mendoza, Peggy McPherson, Tina Maccarone, Val Mitchell, Rieka O'Sullivan, Dianna Predabon, Faye Pennington, Kevin Rae, Denise Reilly, Dianne Radson, Gene Rosenblatt, Brenda Renkie, Bernie Sheppard, Jim Serridge, Amanda Thacker, Joan Tomasiello, Terry Walsh, Una Withers, Juanita Briones Woolnough, Judy Williamson, Therese White

PARISH COLLECTIONS:

(4th / 5th August) \$5721.30

Thank you for the continued support of your 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

"A simple act of kindness can make a tremendous impact on another persons life"

SCRIPTURE OF THE WEEK

This Sunday - 19th Sunday in Ordinary time (Yr B)

1 King 19:4-8; Eph 4:30-5:2; Jn 6:41-51

Weekday Readings:

Monday Ezek 1:2-5,24-28; Matt 17:22-27
Tuesday St Maximilliam Kolbe Ezek 2:8 - 3: 4 Matt 18:1-5; 10. 12-14
Wednesday Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Apoc 11:19, 12:1-6, 10; 1 Cor 15:20-26; Lk 1: 39-56
Thursday Ezek 12: 1-12; Matt 18:21- 19: 1
Friday Ezek 16: 1-15, 60, 63; Matt 19: 3-12
Saturday Ezek 18: 1-10, 13, 30-32; Matt 19: 13-15

Next Sunday - Twentieth Sunday in Ord Time (Yr B)

Prov 9:1-6; Eph 5:15-20; John 6:51-58

NEXT WEEKEND MASSES

St Peter's: Saturday 6.00pm
Sunday 7am, 10am, 5.30pm
Little Flower: Saturday 6.00pm
Sunday 8.30am
Beachmere: Sunday 8.30 am (24 Rogers Street)

RECONCILIATION - Saturdays

St Peter's: Individual: 5.00 pm, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th Sat
Communal 8th Sept 5.00 pm (No Communal Rite in August)
Little Flower: Individual: 5.00 pm, 1st, 2nd,3rd, 4th, 5th Sat
Communal 15th Sept 5.00 pm (No Communal Rite in August)

PARISH BAPTISMS

St Peter's 10.30am 1st & 2nd Saturdays of each month
Little Flower 10.30am 3rd Saturday of each month

Little Flower this Week: St Peter's this Week:

Tues	6.00 pm	Mass	Wed	9.30am	Mass
Wed	8.00 am	Mass	Fri	7.45am	Mass
Thurs	9.15 am	Mass			St Columban's Chapel
Fri	9.00 am	Liturgy			

DATE CLAIMERS:

Sun 12th Aug 1pm Samoan Mass & Fellowship (Cab)
Mon 13th Aug Ekka Public Holiday - Office Closed
Tues 14th Aug 6pm Parent Baptism Meeting (Cab)
Wed 15th Aug Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
8am Mass at Little Flower Holy Day of obligation
9.30am Mass at St Peter's Holy Day of obligation
Thur 16th Aug 6pm Parent Baptism Meeting (Bribie)
Thurs 16th Aug Anointing Mass (Bribie)
Thurs 16th Aug Pastoral Council Meeting (Bribie)
Thurs 16th Aug 7pm K.S.C. Meeting (Cab)
Sun 19th Aug 12pm Filipino Mass & Fellowship (Cab)
Tues 21st Aug Parent Sacramental Meeting
1.30pm re Confirmation (Cab)
Tues 21st Aug Parent Sacramental Meeting
6.30pm re Confirmation (Bribie)
Wed 22nd Aug Memorial Service for departed loved ones—
Caboolture Hospital Chapel (Cab)
Thur 23rd Aug Parent Sacramental Meeting (Cab)