

Living Waters Catholic Parish

Embracing the Communities of:

Beachmere, Little Flower Bribie Island, St Peter's Caboolture, St Michael's Kilcoy, St Mary's Woodford.

Third Sunday of Lent

6th / 7th March, 2021

Celebrating Easter Together as a Parish for the First Time!

It might be good to jog our memories in these days as to what we couldn't, and didn't do at Easter last year! We had just become the new parish of Living Waters, and then the restrictions brought with the COVID-19 Pandemic impacted upon us: we realised that we would not be celebrating Easter in any sort of "normal" way. I remember feeling very flat, sad, disappointed, and wondering where we would be next year; that is, where we are now approaching, Easter 2021!

So, again, with a bit of a mixture of excitement in being able to celebrate the very heart of our Christian faith together, and also that sense in the "back of our minds," of what might potentially stop us, we do what we can do! In the midst of our present Lenten journey we look forward with hope to our celebration of Jesus Christ Risen, with us and for us, so as to take up our God-given mission to transform our world!

Yes, we begin to live, maybe even a bit more keenly this year than ever before (?), the life-giving tension between Jesus' death and resurrection, as we join together with him in our celebration of him as Light and Life for our world!

It is, hopefully, in this Light, I have taken the decision that we will celebrate one Easter Vigil this year for our Parish. In being able to make this decision, I would like to thank Mr Michael Connolly, Principal of St Columban's College, for his generosity in allowing us to make use of the College's facilities to enable our parish celebration. Also, our grateful thanks to Mrs Raechel Fletcher and Columban's College staff, who will help us in organising this central liturgical action of our faith: we are blessed by their selfless gift, especially as we intrude somewhat on their Easter holiday time.

In the grateful joy of this gift, and through our Easter celebration this year, we are being given the opportunity to celebrate the new unity that is ours in Jesus Christ as Living Waters Catholic Parish. We know and realise that we are a diverse amalgamation of Catholic faith communities; we stretch across almost 100kms, from the D'Aguilar Range to Bribie Island; we are formed in our faith from many different historical, cultural, liturgical and ethnic backgrounds. However, we are all one in Christ. Out of the celebration of this unity in diversity together on Easter night, we will carry the Light of Christ in the form of our Paschal Candles to our various communities of worship, and celebrate who we are, and who are becoming through the gift of God's Holy Spirit.

There are quite a number of practical implications of this decision, from registration for the Vigil, entry and parking, welcomers, ushers, ministers of Word and Eucharist,.... and more! But we know – especially after our experience of Christmas – that many hands make light work! You will hear more on our needs for this celebration in the coming weeks. Also, with a capacity for around 500 parishioners to be present at our celebration of Easter Night, I encourage you to register early for what will be a wonderful celebration of our unity in Christ and as Living Waters Parish, holding together the communities of Beachmere, Kilcoy, Bribie Island, Caboolture and Woodford. Further, you will find all the times for our Holy Week and Easter celebrations inside this weekend's newsletter.

Blessings on us all. *Fr David*

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SCRIPTURE OF THE WEEK

This Sunday - Third Sunday in Lent

Ex 20:1-17; 1 Cor 1:22-25; John 2:13-25

Weekday Readings:

Monday	2 Kg 5:1-15;	Luke 4:24-30
Tuesday	Dan 3:25,34-43;	Matt 18:21-35
Wednesday	Duet 4:1,5-9;	Matt 5:17-19
Thursday	Jer 7: 23-28;	Luke 11:14-23
Friday	Hosea 14:2-10;	Matt 12:28-34
Saturday	Hosea 5:15-6:6;	Luke 18:9-14

Next Sunday - Fourth Sunday in Lent

2 Chr 36:14-16,19-23; Eph 2:4-10; John 3:14-21

Holy Week & Easter Celebrations

Mass of the Lord's Supper

- 7.00pm Little Flower
- 7.00pm St Peter's

Stations of the Cross

- 9.30am Little Flower
- 9.30am St Peter's
- 9.30am St Mary's
- 9.30am St Michael's

The Passion of Our Lord Jesus Christ

- 3.00pm Little Flower
- 3.00pm St Peter's
- 3.00pm Combined St's Mary & Michael's

Easter Vigil Mass (St Columban's College)

- 6.00pm Combined Parish Mass

Easter Sunday of the Resurrection

- 7.00am St Peter's
- 7.30am Little Flower
- 8.00am St Mary's
- 9.30am Little Flower
- 10.00am St Peter's
- 10.00am St Michaels
- 10.30am Beachmere (Uniting Church)

Registrations will commence for all ceremonies from this Monday. Please phone/email the Parish Office.

Filipino Mass

12 noon next Sunday 14th March at St Peter's.

Please come and join with our fellow Filipino Parishioners as they celebrate Mass within their own cultural style you'd be more than welcome. For all enquiries please phone Kevin Donaldson 0401 223 217

Please Remember in Your Prayers

Our Recently Deceased

Brendan O'Sullivan, Susanne Kiely, Elliott Neaves, Fr Pat Dowd, Antonio Iannella, James Dawson, Eulalio Otaza, Jane Allom, John Vlieg, Teodora Dungao, Francis Falzon, Robin Kelly, John Ledger, Shirley Johnstone & Rob Kelly who have recently gone to their eternal reward.

Those Who's Anniversaries Occur at This Time

Sarah Hawker, Maureen Moane, Kenneth Kelly, Edna O'Keefe, Betty Pitkin, Paul Lutton, William Mathieson, Joan O'Connell, Daphne Young, Marilyn MacDonald, Barbara Young, Elizabeth Rumph, William Tyrell, Carole Jordan, Marie De Lafontaine, Dora Cervellone, Regina Gralike, Kenneth Murphy, Vince Corbett & Peter O'Connell.

Our Parishioners who are Sick

Carmel Pitman, Julie Hawkins, Helen Clark, Lili Lo Tam, Margaret Anne, Eugenio Sangle, Henry Uy, Joana Van Laart, Bede & Louisa Brittenden, Miriam Gittins, Tracey Morgan, Abel McHugh, Elva Polito, Martein Duivesteyn, Rita Hyde, Nicole Harvey, Margaret Kelly, Carmel Salgado, Mark Kennedy, Eileen Ryan & Michael Shiel

Around Our Parish

****Mother's Prayer Group meets every Thursday from 9.30am - 11.00am in the Meeting Room in the Parish Office. All welcome**

****St Peter's Craft meet in the Mary McKillop Hall at St Peter's every Friday from 9.30am - 11.30am. All welcome.**

****There will be a cuppa after mass at Little Flower every third Thursday of the month. All welcome.**

**** There will be a cuppa after mass at St Peter's every fourth Wednesday of the month. All welcome.**

****At St Mary's please stay and enjoy a cuppa and chat after Mass each Sunday. All welcome**

Will be held every Friday during Lent at:

- **St Mary's at 8.15am**
- **Little Flower at 5.30pm**
- **St Peter's at 7.00pm**



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ENROLMENT INFORMATION EVENING

TUESDAY 9 MARCH

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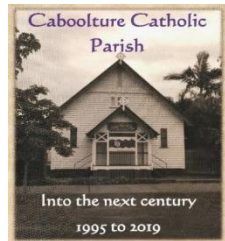
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You're Invited to the opening of the Time Capsule & Launch of 'Caboolture Catholic Parish into the next Century 1995 – 2019'

On 24 October 1994 the then Caboolture Catholic Parish (St Peter's Caboolture, Little Flower Bribie Island and Beachmere) buried a Capsule to be dug up after 25 years. this will happen (a little later than planned) after the 10.00 am Mass at St Peter's on Sunday 21 March 2021 at approximately 10.45am. What does it contain? Did you or your family place an item in it? After the opening of the time capsule the official launch of David & Penny-Sue Wrights 'Into the Next Century' will take place followed by a COVID safe morning tea. Come along to be a part of our history.

Year of St Joseph Monthly Reflections.

Each month of this year of St Joseph the Australian Catholic Bishops has a new reflection. Each of these through the year will highlight an aspect of who St Joseph can be for us. So far this year our Archbishop traces something of Joseph's origins. February offers a reflection by Michele Connolly RSJ on how St Joseph is "Attentive to the Word," and this month of March Robert Falzon reflects on Joseph as "Spouse of Mary and Father of Jesus." These links to these reflections and the ones in the months to come can be found at <https://www.catholic.org.au/yearofstjoseph> May these provide a fruitful way for us to come closer to Joseph for us in our lives today.

Fr David

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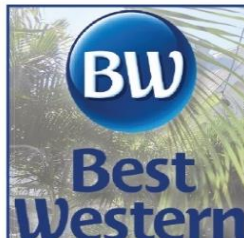
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