

Welcome to

ST PETER'S EASTERN HILL

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



SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

26TH MAY 2019

Great and loving God, your will for us in your Son Jesus is the peace which the world cannot give, your abiding gift, the Advocate he promised. Calm all troubled hearts, dispel every fear, and keep us steadfast in love and faithful to your word. Grant this through Jesus Christ, the firstborn from the dead, who lives with you now and always in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God for ever and ever. *Amen*

Please feel free to take this pew sheet home.

SENIOR CHAPLAIN'S REFLECTIONS

t's been an eventful year at RMIT chaplaincy as St Peter's continues to lead an ever-growing multi-faith team. Here's an overview of some of the things we've been up to this semester.

RMIT Inaugural Iftar

Chaplaincy has proudly advocated for and organised RMIT's inaugural Iftar, which is the traditional meal during Ramadan to break the daily fast. The Iftar took place on Wednesday 22 May in the Green Brain dining room, an impressive venue that commands a sweeping view of Melbourne's skyline, and was attended by Vice-Chancellor of RMIT Martin Bean, with the keynote address by Race Commissioner from the Australian Human Rights Commission Mr Chin Tan. The meal brought together communities from different faith traditions--and those with no faith tradition--in a spirit of friendship and hospitality.

Memorial services

It's undoubtedly been a challenging year for inter-faith relations in the world, with the massacres in Christchurch and then Sri Lanka highlighting how much work there is yet to do in combating hate speech and bringing alienated communities together. This semester alone multi-faith chaplaincy has held six memorial services for Christchurch and Sri Lanka respectively across our three Melbourne campuses.

Pride Week

Multi-faith chaplaincy is committed to spreading the Gospel imperative of love and inclusion to all communities and we were proud to participate in RMIT's second Pride Week, to coincide with IDAHOBIT Day. Last year, chaplaincy hosted a panel on faith and sexuality--this year we took a "pop up" approach distributing food at the careers fair for LGTBIQ+ friendly organisations. Not only was out food cart an opportunity to engage with students, it also provided an opportunity for us to increase the visibility of chaplaincy services and build linkages with the LGTBIQ+ community.

Welcome Dinners

In partnership with the Welcome Dinner Project, a national not-for-profit organisation that runs dinners aimed at bringing established and newly arrived Australians together, chaplaincy has launched a pilot project to run four dinners annually that are expertly facilitated by the Welcome Dinner Project, with the support of chaplaincy, aimed at bridging the gap between recently arrived international students and staff and established RMIT staff and students. The first dinner took place 22 March and was a huge success, attended by fifty students and staff. It brought together students and staff from countries as diverse as Iran, Lebanon, China, Pakistan, Ireland and Samoa. We hope this dinner and subsequent dinners will provide a real opportunity for staff and students to form lasting connections.

As busy as we've been, our 2019 programme is far from over, as we contemplate a Christmas event and our annual participation in NAIDOC Week. On a lay ministry side I can distil the coming few weeks to two words: Corpus Christi. Our inaugural 2018 celebration was a huge success--here's to an even better one in 2019!

8:00am Mass

Celebrant: Fr Greg Davies

Preacher: Paul Daniels

9:30am Family Mass & Baptism

Celebrant: Fr Philip Gill

Preacher: Paul Daniels

Deacon/Lay Minister: Brenda Williams

Children's Talk: Paul Daniels

Reader: Jan Gordon-Clark

Intercessor: -

Hymns: Entrance : 478 Offertory : 339 Post-Communion : 124

Communion Voluntary: Lang *Prelude on 'St Fulbert*

Postlude: Bach *Fugue in C minor (BWV 537)*

11:00am High Mass

Celebrant: Fr Philip Gill

Preacher: Paul Daniels

Deacon: Fr David Peake

Reader: Susan Southall

Intercessor : William Southey

Hymns: Entrance : 478 Gradual : 118 Offertory : 401 Post-Communion : 124

Mass Setting: Victoria: *Missa Gaudeamus*

Motet: Tavener *Love bade me welcome*

Postlude: Bach *Fugue in C minor (BWV 537)*

6:00pm Evensong & Benediction

Celebrant: Fr Don Edgar

Preacher: Nick Browne

Readers: Ian Thornton & Peter Wild

Preces & Responses: Chant

Celebrant: Fr Don Edgar

Canticles: Purcell *G minor*

Anthem: Cope *He is risen*

Hymns: Office: 101(ii) (vv 1,2,3,4,7,8) Evensong: 245 Benediction: 309(i) (1,2) 305(1,2)

Postlude: Tomkins *Voluntary*

Next Sunday 2nd June: Seventh Sunday of Easter

Mass Readings: Acts 7.55-60, Revelations 22.12-14,16-17,20 & John 17.20-26

Celebrants: Fr Hugh Kempster and Fr David Peake

ELECTION OF SYNOD LAY REPRESENTATIVES - SUN 16TH JUNE

The Archbishop has called for an election of Lay Representatives for the Fifty-Third Synod of the Diocese of Melbourne. St Peter's will be need to elect two Lay Representatives and an Alternate Lay Representative. An election has been set for Sunday 16th June, should it be required. Nomination forms are available at the back of church and on the Welcome Table. Nominations close on Saturday 8th June.

MASS READINGS

First Reading: Acts 15.1-2, 22-29

Certain individuals came down from Judea and were teaching the brothers, “Unless you are circumcised according to the custom of Moses, you cannot be saved.” And after Paul and Barnabas had no small dissension and debate with them, Paul and Barnabas and some of the others were appointed to go up to Jerusalem to discuss this question with the apostles and the elders. Then the apostles and the elders, with the consent of the whole church, decided to choose men from among their members and to send them to Antioch with Paul and Barnabas. They sent Judas called Barsabbas, and Silas, leaders among the brothers, with the following letter: “The brothers, both the apostles and the elders, to the believers of Gentile origin in Antioch and Syria and Cilicia, greetings. Since we have heard that certain persons who have gone out from us, though with no instructions from us, have said things to disturb you and have unsettled your minds, we have decided unanimously to choose representatives and send them to you, along with our beloved Barnabas and Paul, who have risked their lives for the sake of our Lord Jesus Christ. We have therefore sent Judas and Silas, who themselves will tell you the same things by word of mouth. For it has seemed good to the Holy Spirit and to us to impose on you no further burden than these essentials that you abstain from what has been sacrificed to idols, and from blood and from what is strangled, and from fornication. If you keep yourselves from these, you will do well. Farewell.” “For it has seemed good to the Holy Spirit and to us to impose on you no further burden than these essentials:

Psalm : 67.1-2, 4-5, 6-7



May God be gracious to us and bless us
and make his face to shine upon us,
that your way may be known upon earth,
your saving power among all nations. R.
Let the nations be glad and sing for joy,
for you judge the peoples with equity
and guide the nations upon earth.
Let the peoples praise you, O God;
let all the peoples praise you. R.

The earth has yielded its increase;
God, our God, has blessed us.
May God continue to bless us;
let all the ends of the earth revere him. R.

Second Reading : Revelation 21.10-14, 22-23

In the spirit the angel carried me away to a great, high mountain and showed me the holy city Jerusalem coming down out of heaven from God. It has the glory of God and a radiance like a very rare jewel, like jasper, clear as crystal. It has a great, high wall with twelve gates, and at the gates twelve angels, and on the gates are inscribed the names of the twelve tribes of the Israelites; on the east there were three gates, on the north three gates, on the south three gates, and on the west three gates. And the wall of the city has twelve foundations, and on them are the twelve names of the twelve apostles of the Lamb. I saw no temple in the city, for its temple is the Lord God the Almighty and the Lamb. And the city has no need of sun or moon to shine on it, for the glory of God is its light, and its lamp is the Lamb.

Gospel : John 14.23-29

Jesus said to his disciples: “Those who love me will keep my word, and my Father will love them, and we will come to them and make our home with them. Whoever does not love me does not keep my words; and the word that you hear is not mine, but is from the Father who sent me. I have said these things to you while I am still with you. But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything, and remind you of all that I have said to you. Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid. You heard me say to you, ‘I am going away, and I am coming to you.’ If you loved me, you would rejoice that I am going to the Father, because the Father is greater than I. And now I have told you this before it occurs, so that when it does occur, you may believe.”

PRAYERS

FOR THE SICK:

Alan Foster PRIEST, Ginette D'Souza, Sister Gloria CHN, May Gornall, John Harvey, Noelene Jones, Sam Lawson, Bill Loughnan, Alice McCraith, Kel McMeeken, Jenny Monger, Lisa Morris, Eleanor Newton, Gia Nu Luu, John Ross, Flyn Stewart, Margaret Sutherland, Sandy Todd, Shane Zieck, Peter and Liz Jowitt.

AS WELL AS:

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

FOR THE RECENTLY DEPARTED : John Kempster, Robert James Lee Hawke,
Jean Vanier

FOR THOSE WHOSE YEAR'S MIND FALLS THIS WEEK:

Sun 26 Leonard Croker PRIEST, Walter Wentzell

Mon 27 John Costello PRIEST, Dorothy Irene Taaff

Tue 28 Sister Philippa CHN, Norman Steele

Wed 29 Antonio Azzopardi, Sidney Ronald Barkley,
John Stephen Hart BISHOP, Mabel Paterson

Thu 30 -

Fri 31 Ann Boyle, Patricia Joan Denning, George Downton, PRIEST,
Irene Helmore, Kenneth Dalton Hosking, Mahala Howard,
Elizabeth Moodie, Bart Plunkett, Albert Edward Smith,
Alfred William (Bill) Young

Sat 1 Kenneth Grenfell Hoyle, Nella Murchen,
Charles Chambers Fowell Spry

PARISH DIARY

<i>Today</i>	Cooper Family Baptism at 9:30am Guild of St Benedict meeting (formerly Hospitality Committee), 1:15pm in the Guild Room
<i>Wednesday 29th May</i>	'Mystics Anonymous' prayer group in the Vicarage at 2:30pm.
<i>Thursday 30th May</i>	Ascension Day High Mass, 6:15pm, followed by a light meal. Cost is \$20 (\$15 concession)
<i>Thursday 20th June</i>	'Corpus Christi' at St Peter's from 6:15pm in the church. Fr Rod Bower will be preaching and Presiding Bishop will be Bp John Parkes.
<i>Sunday 30th June</i>	St Peter's Patronal Festival. Parish High Mass at 10:00am. The guest preacher will be Defence Force Chaplain, the Rev'd Rob Sutherland.

NOTICES

THE SOCIETY OF OUR LADY OF WALSINGHAM

The Society exists to give honour to Our Lady. It belongs to England's National Shrine of Our Lady of Walsingham. We desire to grow closer to Our Lord and his most Holy Mother. Every Saturday the 9.00am Eucharist is offered in St Peter's honouring Our Lady. Intercessions left in the Chapel of Our Lady are prayed. Members of the Cell meet on the 3rd Saturday of each month and may stay for breakfast after the Mass. On Saturday 20th July, Bishop Lindsay Urwin, who was Warden and Guardian of the Shrine of Our Lady of Walsingham, will admit new members and priest associates to the Society. Members decide to:

1. Honour Mary, Mother of God and deepen faith in the Incarnation
2. Promote devotion to Our Lady and pilgrimage to Walsingham
3. Further Our Lady's prayers for the conversion of the nations and the reunion of Christendom
4. Seek holiness of life through prayer, scriptures and sacraments
5. Say the *Angelus* each day.



JOIN OUR ANNUAL INTER-PARISH MASS & PROCESSION
WITH PREACHER FR ROD BOWER &
BISHOP JOHN PARKES AS PRESIDING BISHOP
IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THE AUSTRALIAN CHURCH UNION
& THE SOCIETY OF CATHOLIC PRIESTS

CORPUS CHRISTI

Thursday, 20 June 2019 6.15pm

St Peter's Eastern Hill

Cnr of Albert and Gisborne Sts East Melbourne

Find out more:

<https://tinyurl.com/corpus-christi-2019>

Register on Facebook: <https://tinyurl.com/fb-event-corporuschristi-2019>



WEEKLY EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Holy Hour

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ST PETER'S BOOKROOM & CHURCH SUPPLIES

This week St Peter's Bookroom popped up for two conferences. At each conference we connected with different authors whose books we sell and recommend:

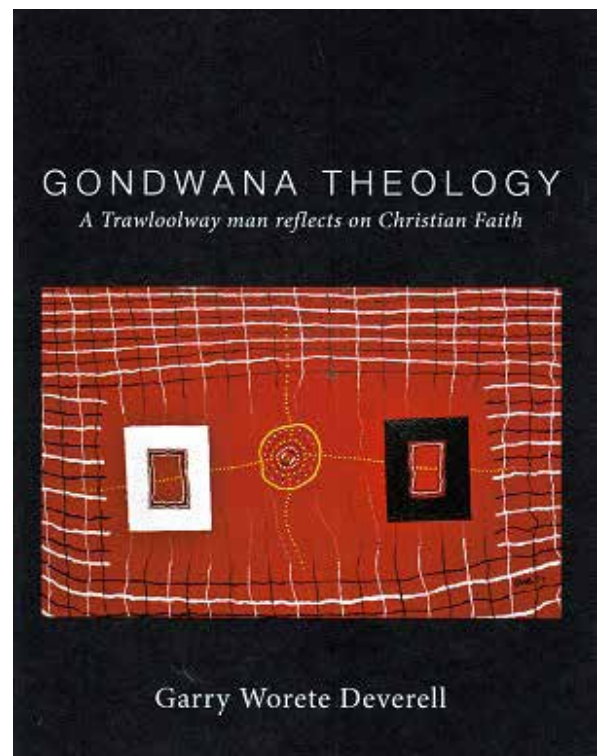


NEW RELEASE

Gondwana Theology: A Trawloolway man reflects on Christian Faith by Gary Deverell

In this compelling work, Garry Deverell offers a remarkable synthesis of autobiographical reflections, theological analysis and liturgical creativity. Putting aside theoretical jargon and conventional God-talk, we encounter here an Aboriginal voice that none of the churches in Australia can afford to ignore. This is a book that all Australian Christians need to read.

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Monday – Friday 9.30am to 4.30 pm Sunday - after 9.30am & 11am Mass

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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)

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Membership:

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

*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".*