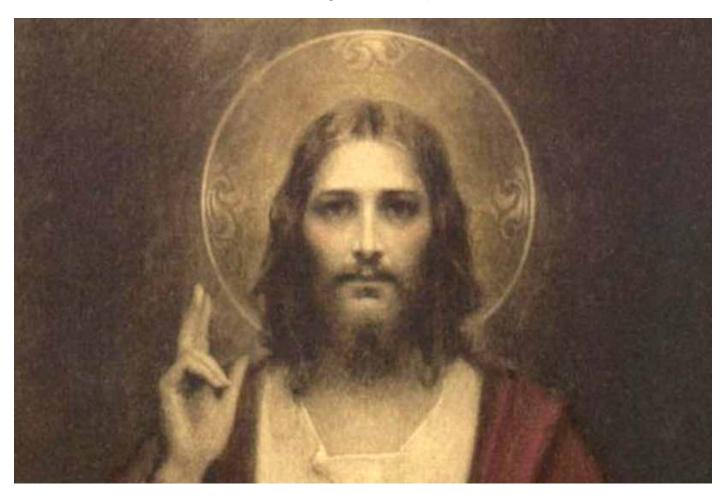
Welcome to

ST PETER'S EASTERN HILL

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



SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER (Sunday after The Ascension) 2ND JUNE 2019

Almighty God, whose blessed Son before his passion prayed for his disciples that they might be one, as you and he are one: grant that your Church, being bound together in love and obedience to you, may be united in one body by the one Spirit, that the world may believe in him whom you have sent, your Son Jesus Christ our Lord; who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen*

Vicar's Musings

My sincere thanks to clergy, staff and other parishioners for your prayers, kind words, and practical assistance since my father died a fortnight ago. Although I was unable to be with him at the time of his death, I am so glad that I could make a quick trip to New Zealand just the week before. Dad's Alzheimer's had advanced dramatically since my last visit; he had lost his swallow reflex and was looking very thin. One of my fondest memories from that week was watching my dear father gently conducting Mozart's "Serenade No. 13 in G Major" which happened to be playing on his CD player as we sat quietly together. I took a video of that precious moment on my phone. At Dad's funeral a week later, recalling this, I asked his Vicar to play some Mozart in the Hall afterwards, during refreshments. After everyone had gone, and the immediate family was saying thank you to him in the foyer, guess what came up on the priest's playlist: Serenade No. 13 in G Major! "I believe in the Communion of Saints"



RECONCILIATION WEEK

In the hall I have set up a small reminder that this week is all about reconciliation. Its theme is 'walk together with courage' whilst confirming the truth about aboriginal history in this country. We must not shy away from some of the challenging stories of our history. We cannot change the past but we can have a part to play in building a better future.

Fr David Peake

St Peter's PATRONAL FESTIVAL Sunday 30th June

(Transferred from 29th June)

10.00am Combined Parish High Mass followed by Informal Lunch in the Parish Hall

Guest Preacher: The Rev'd Rob Sutherland Chaplain to the Defence Force

Hot & Cold Finger Food served by With Respects Cost: Adults \$20, Students \$15 (younger Children are free) Book tickets by signing up on the list on the **Welcome Table (Pay by Sunday 23rd June)**

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8:00am Mass

Celebrant: Fr Hugh Kempster Preacher: Alae Taule'alo

9:30am Family Mass

Celebrant: Fr David Peake Preacher: Alae Taule'alo

Deacon/Lay Minister: Brenda Williams Children's Talk: Fr Hugh Kempster Reader: Carole Tedja Intercessor: Anne Scott Pendlebury

Hymns: Entrance: 128(ii) Offertory: 271 Post-Communion: 375

Communion Voluntary: Edward Elgar Nimrod from Enigma Variations

Postlude: Dietrich Buxtehude Praeludium in C (BuxWV 137)

11:00am High Mass

Celebrant: Fr Hugh Kempster Preacher: Alae Taule'alo

Deacon: Fr Philip Gill

Hymns: Entrance: 130(ii) Gradual: 133 Offertory: 271 Post-Communion: 134

Mass Setting: Palestrina: Missa 'O Rex Gloriae'

Motet: Victoria Ascendens Christus in altum

Postlude: Dietrich Buxtehude Praeludium in C (BuxWV 137)

6:00pm Mass

Celebrant: Fr Hugh Kempster

Next Sunday 9th June: Pentecost

Mass Readings: Acts 2: 1-11, Romans 8.8-17 & Sequence: "Veni, Sancte Spiritus",

John 14.15-16,23b-26

Celebrants: Fr Hugh Kempster, Fr Philip Gill & Fr Greg Davies

ELECTION OF SYNOD LAY REPRESENTATIVES - SUN 16TH JUNE

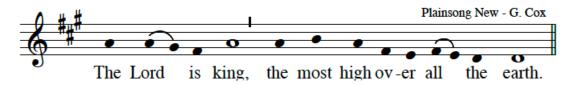
The Archbishop has called for an election of Lay Representatives for the Fifty-Third Synod of the Diocese of Melbourne. St Peter's will need to elect two Lay Representatives and an Alternate Lay Representative. An election has been set for Sunday 16th June, should it be required. Nomination forms are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

Mass Readings

First Reading: Acts 7.55-60

Standing before the high priest and the council, Stephen, filled with the Holy Spirit, gazed into heaven and saw the glory of God and Jesus standing at the right hand of God. "Look," he said, "I see the heavens opened and the Son of Man standing at the right hand of God!" But they covered their ears, and with a loud shout all rushed together against him. Then they dragged him out of the city and began to stone him; and the witnesses laid their coats at the feet of a young man named Saul. While they were stoning Stephen, he prayed, "Lord Jesus, receive my spirit." Then he knelt down and cried out in a loud voice, "Lord, do not hold this sin against them." When he had said this, he died.

Psalm: 97.1-2, 6-7ac, 9+12



The Lord is king! Let the earth rejoice;

let the many coastlands be glad!

Clouds and thick darkness are all around him;

righteousness and justice are the foundation of his throne. R.

The heavens proclaim his righteousness;

and all the peoples behold his glory.

All worshippers of images are put to shame;

all gods bow down before him. R.

For you, O Lord, are most high over all the earth;

you are exalted far above all gods.

Light dawns for the righteous,

and joy for the upright in heart. R.

Second Reading: Revelation 22.12-14, 16-17, 20

I, John, heard a voice saying to me: "See, I am coming soon; my reward is with me, to repay according to everyone's work. I am the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end. Blessed are those who wash their robes, so that they will have the right to the tree of life and may enter the city by the gates. It is I, Jesus, who sent my angel to you with this testimony for the churches. I am the root and the descendant of David, the bright morning star. The Spirit and the bride say, "Come."

And let everyone who hears say, "Come." And let everyone who is thirsty come. Let anyone who wishes take the water of life as a gift. The one who testifies to these things says, "Surely I am coming soon." Amen. Come, Lord Jesus!

Gospel: John 17.20-26

Jesus looked up to heaven and prayed: "Holy Father, I ask not only on behalf of these, but also on behalf of those who will believe in me through their word, that they may all be one. As you, Father, are in me and I am in you, may they also be in us, so that the world may believe that you have sent me. The glory that you have given me I have given them, so that they may be one, as we are one, I in them and you in me, that they may become completely one, so that the world may know that you have sent me and have loved them even as you have loved me. Father, I desire that those also, whom you have given me, may be with me where I am, to see my glory, which you have given me because you loved me before the foundation of the world. Righteous Father, the world does not know you, but I know you; and these know that you have sent me. I made your name known to them, and I will make it known, so that the love with which you have loved me may be in them, and I in them."

PARISH SUPPORT TEAM PROCESS UPDATE

Last month the Parish Council unanimously voted in support of Bp Genieve's recommended 'Support Teams Process for Parishes Experiencing Conflict'. The role of this team is to assist and support the leadership of the parish to deal well with conflict and to discern how to move forward constructively. While the team needs to understand the background, they do not take sides in a disagreement, make any decisions for the parish or arbitrate on a dispute. A flyer outlining more detail on this Diocesan process and role is available at the back of Church, and on Sundays at the Welcome Table in the Parish Hall. The Bishop's delegates supporting the process are: the Rev'd Wendy Wade and Dr Alan Grant. Over the past 4 weeks Wendy and Alan have held initial meetings with the Vicar, Wardens, Parish Council and some staff members. The Rev'd Mark McDonald has now been appointed to strengthen the team and enable work to continue during Alan's planned absence for the next month or so. Follow up meetings will be arranged with the parish leadership and the support team is also considering the timing of additional meetings with small groups of interested parishioners over the next several weeks. The parish contact person, should you require any further information about the process is:

Mr Craig Wilson (ph: 0400-799-034 or e-mail: ccw01@bigpond.net.au).

PRAYERS

FOR THE SICK:

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

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, Eleanor Newton, 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: Marjorie Flynn, Alan John Foster PRIEST, Joy Southall

FOR THOSE WHOSE YEAR'S MIND FALLS THIS WEEK:

Sun	2	Dorothy Viola Bignell, John Ross Kelly Lumsden, Charles Patten
Mon	3	Caroline Leopold, Stanley Mossop
Tue	4	Lance Bewley, Arthur Carlson, Jean Emma Churchman, Lex Frank
Wed	5	Albert Leggatt
Thu	6	Harriett Keartland, Hazel Sapsford, Lionel Stacey
Fri	7	Alan Fox, Mary Hollingworth, Robert Bentley Langsford PRIEST, Sr Patricia CSC
Sat	8	Marna Mosley, Raymond Charles Smith PRIEST, Alice Taylor-Baker, Christine Welch

Parish Diary

Wednesday 5th June	'Holy Hour' weekly eucharistic adoration at St Peter's, in the church at 6:00pm
Saturday 15th June	Cell of Our Lady of Walsingham Mass in Church at 9:00am, followed by breakfast in the Hall
Thursday 20th June	'Corpus Christi' from 6:15pm. Fr Rod Bower will preach. Presiding Bishop: Bp John Parkes. Refreshments in the Hall
Sunday 30th June (transferred from 29th June)	St Peter's Patronal Festival. Parish High Mass at 10:00am. Preacher: Defence Force Chaplain, the Rev'd Rob Sutherland.

Notices

COMPLETION OF THE SOCIAL ENTERPRISE SUNDAY PILOT

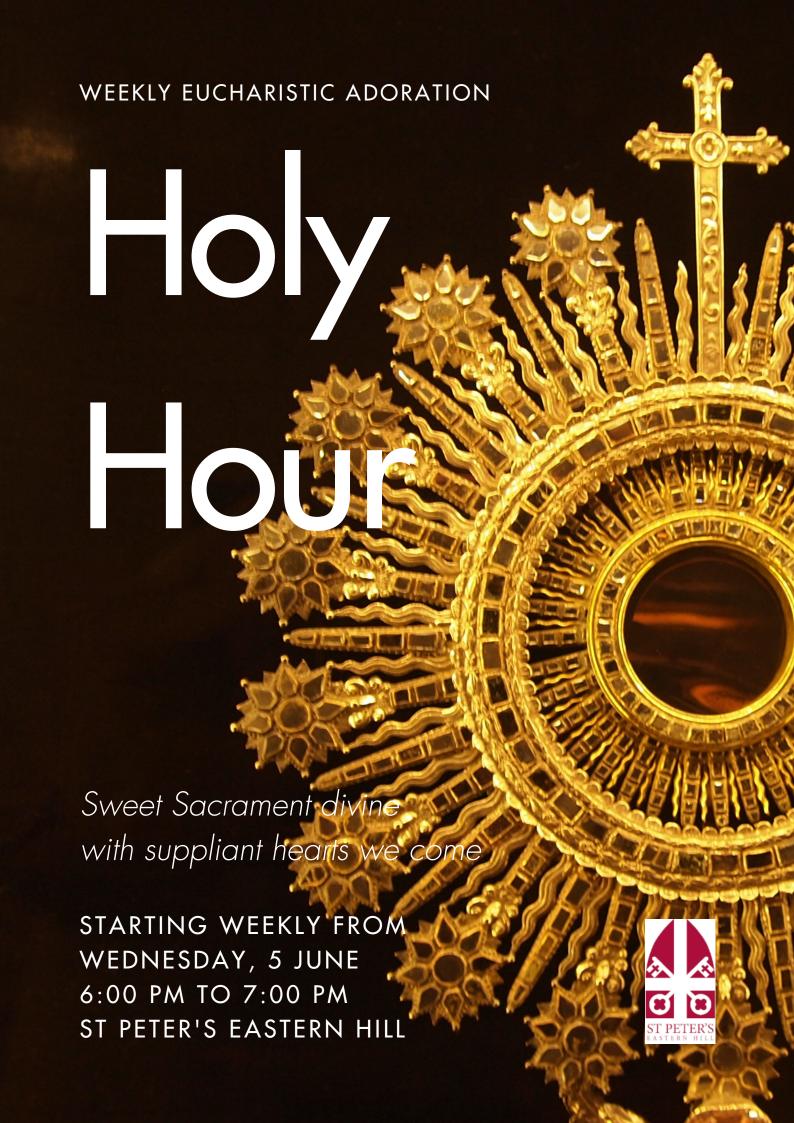
In 2015 we launched the Social Enterprise Coffee Cart pilot program, as part of the Parish Mission. Adolf Mora initially ran the pilot, and then trained Ree Boddé to take his place in January 2018, along with volunteers from the Lazarus Center. Now that the Corner Plaza is almost complete, and the Coffee Caravan is soon to be launched, the Social Enterprise management committee has decided to close the Sunday morning pilot so that Ree and her team can focus on the launch. Thank-you to everyone for your support of the pilot project over the years. We look forward soon to serving Melbourne commuters and passers-by coffee each day during the week, and offering ongoing training opportunities to Lazarus Center participants and others in necessitous circumstances.

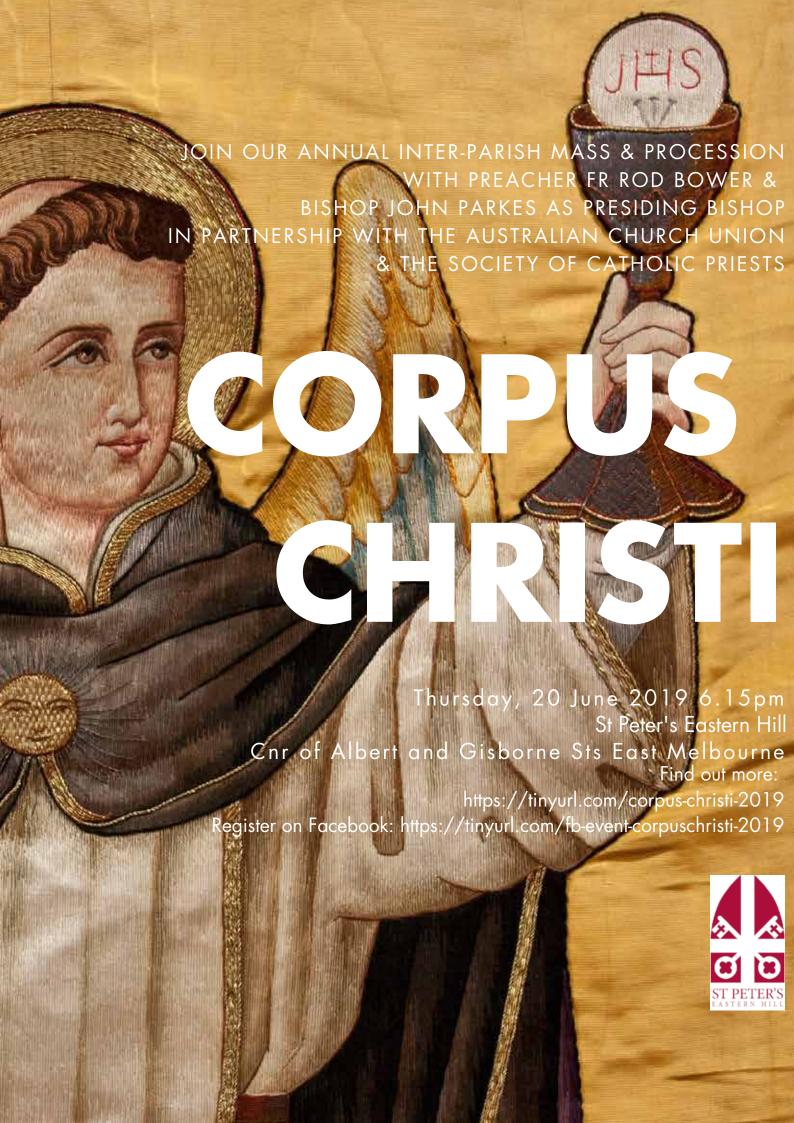
FLOWERS IN CHURCH

Flowers in church today have been donated by Elizabeth Pemberton, in loving memory of her sister, Mary Morson and Guy Churchman in loving memory of his mother Jean Emma Churchman.

MYSTICS ANONYMOUS - WINTER RECESS

The Wednesday afternoon contemplative prayer group, 'Mystics Anonymous', will be in recess over the winter. The group will be starting up again in Spring.





ST PETER'S BOOKROOM & CHURCH SUPPLIES

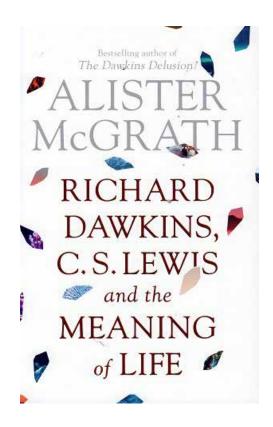
Next week, on Thursday and Friday, St Peter's Bookroom will pop up at the Oodthenong Clergy Conference in Queenscliff. This is always not only a great opportunity to sell books but to connect with Anglican clergy from many different places.

NEW RELEASE – well worth a fireside read and contemplation!

Richard Dawkins, C.S.Lewis and the Meaning of Life by Alister McGrath

Alister McGrath has written to great acclaim on the works of both Richard Dawkins and C.S.Lewis. Here, her brings these two intriguing and well-known writers into a conversation. They could hardly have more different perspectives! Engaging with their views McGrath is a brilliant at sharpening our own thinking about the meaning of life.

\$21.95



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 Mass11.00 am High Mass6.00 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

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Sat: Mass at 9.00am (Cell of our Lady of Walsingham, 3rd Saturday of the month)

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	Nick Lambarde-Scott (People)	0423 213 622
	Rwth Stuckey (People)	03 9662 2391
Director of Music:	Andrew Raiskums	0439 556 627
Flowers:	Helen Drummond	0419 897 973
Head Server:	Peter Bryce	03 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	03 9662 2391
Pastoral Care:	Di Clark	0407 354 987
RMIT Chaplaincy:	Alae Taule'alo	0409 802 892
SWH Committee	Daniel Ferguson	0419 572 033
Treasurer:	Peter Wild	0455 803 584

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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".