

Welcome to

ST PETER'S EASTERN HILL

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



ORDINARY SUNDAY 28

13TH OCTOBER 2019

O God, you have made heaven and earth and all that is good:
help us to delight in simple things and to rejoice always in the richness of your bounty;
through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you
in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen*

Please feel free to take this pew sheet home.

LAY MINISTER'S MUSINGS

By October, RMIT is already heading into reflective mode, taking stock of the preceding year and entering the planning phase for 2020. The chaplaincy team will be having its own planning session later this month. As we wind down 2019 it's time to review what the team has achieved this year, as we plan our programme for 2020.

This year we've catered to 150--200 students weekly at Friday prayer and hosted around 300 students a day during semester time at the multi-faith centre. We've launched the Welcome Dinner project, which aims to bring together recently arrived and established Australians at a potluck gathering. Two dinners have so far taken place and brought together students and staff from different campuses--in total about eighty students over both dinners—and our final dinner for the year is to happen in November. We've re-established the Catholic Club for our Roman Catholic students and staff and hosted three memorials for staff and six memorials for the tragedies that occurred in Sri Lanka and Christchurch.

Again, we were a presence at Pride Week with our popcorn and fairy floss food cart and chaplaincy was recently involved in a forum on exemptions for religious organisations and the new religious freedom laws. We launched our first-ever RMIT Iftar to celebrate inclusion during Ramadan and launched a series of multi-faith activities, most recently walking the Labyrinth for the International Day of Peace, which brought together a large contingent of Indian and Pakistani students. Feedback was that students no longer saw cultural or political differences—crucial in this time of political disruption in that region—but only their common humanity.

Chaplaincy now has an ongoing weekly involvement in the RMIT Staffline service, which provides support to staff seeking advice on student welfare matters, and this embeds chaplaincy at the coalface of staff and student support. We've also participated in and supported our Pakistani and Indian cultural groups and offered a visible presence at their respective independence events and cultural celebrations.

Chaplaincy's programme could not enjoy the same level of success without the high-level support we receive from the RMIT executive, and our relationship with Vice-Chancellor Martin Bean is one that we greatly value, as it signals RMIT's ongoing commitment to inclusion of our diverse faith communities.

We are privileged to meet with Martin quarterly and can confirm some exciting news from our final meeting for the year, which took place last week. In recognition of the significant shortcomings of our current multi-faith centre, the building of a brand

new multi-faith centre has been added to the 2020 master plan for RMIT works, pending final sign off in the coming months. This followed a feasibility process that considered various venues both on campus and off-campus and has ultimately fixed on a site not far from our current multi-faith centre.

Although we recognise that final approval for this project is pending, we are cautiously optimistic that this project will proceed, given executive-level support for it. The impact of a new multi-faith centre on our work will be significant. We will finally have a fully accessible, fit-for-purpose multi-faith spaces that can be used by every and any religious group on campus. We will also have prayer facilities for our Muslim students and staff that can better fulfill their requirements and keep pace with the growth of this cohort in our community.

The benefits of a new centre for people of faith at RMIT and beyond are numerous and will position RMIT—and our chaplaincy team—at the centre of sector-leading practice in Victoria.

Thus, we end 2019 at RMIT a little more tired than at the start of the year, but thankful for God’s unending generosity.



8:00am Mass

Celebrant: Fr Don Edgar

Preacher: Fr Don Edgar

9:30am Family Mass

Celebrant: Fr David Peake

Preacher: Fr David Peake

Deacon/Lay Minister: Fr Philip Gill

Children's Talk: Fr Philip Gill

Reader: Diane Clark

Intercessor: Stuart Hibberd

Hymns: Entrance : 339 Offertory : 271 Post-Communion : 413

Communion Voluntary: Purcell *Voluntary in G*

Postlude: Bach *Prelude in C (BWV 547)*

11:00am High Mass

Celebrant: Fr Philip Gill

Preacher: Fr David Peake

Deacon: Fr David Peake

Reader: Diane Clark

Intercessor : Ian Thornton

Hymns: Entrance : 339 Gradual : 114 Offertory : 271 Post-Communion : 413

Mass Setting: Eccard *Missa: 'Mon coeur*

Motet: Gibbons *Almighty and everlasting God*

Postlude: Bach *Prelude in C (BWV 547)*

6:00pm Mass

Celebrant & Preacher: Fr Don Edgar

Next Sunday 20th October: Ordinary Sunday 29

Mass Readings: Exodus 17: 8-13, 2 Timothy 3: 14 - 4: 2 & Luke 18: 1-8

Celebrant: Fr Hugh Kempster

BLESSING OF MEMORIAL CANDLESTICKS - DEE HODGETT'S

Next Sunday 20th October during High Mass there will be a blessing of two inscribed candlesticks, in memory of our beloved parishioner Dee Hodgetts who died on the 4th July 2018. We look forward to sharing this occasion with Dee's family.

ST PETER'S BOOKROOM

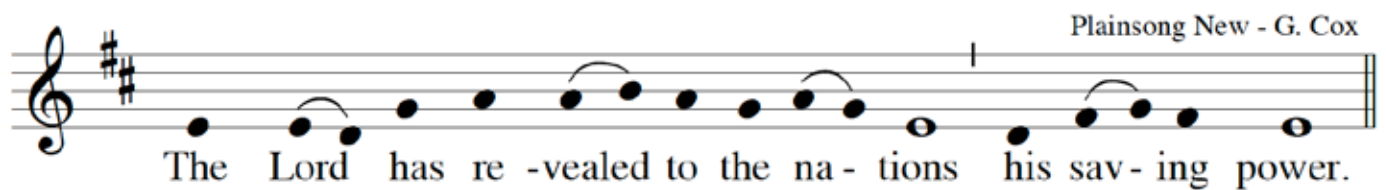
Do you have computer skills, in particular with website maintenance, and would like to practice by assisting us with ongoing work on the St Peter's Bookroom website? If you would like to volunteer in this way, please call Carol in the Bookroom.

MASS READINGS

First Reading: 2 Kings 5.14-17

Naaman, commander of the army of the king of Aram and a mighty warrior, obeyed Elisha: he went down and immersed himself seven times in the Jordan, according to the word of the man of God; his flesh was restored like the flesh of a young boy, and he was clean. Then he returned to the man of God, he and all his company; Naaman came and stood before Elisha and said, “Now I know that there is no God in all the earth except in Israel; please accept a present from your servant.” But Elisha said, “As the Lord lives, whom I serve, I will accept nothing!” Naaman urged Elisha to accept, but he refused. Then Naaman said, “If not, please let two mule-loads of earth be given to your servant; for your servant will no longer offer burnt offering or sacrifice to any god except the Lord.”

Psalm : 98.1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4



O sing to the Lord a new song,
for he has done marvellous things.
His right hand and his holy arm
have brought him victory. R.
The Lord has made known his victory;
he has revealed his vindication in the sight of the nations.
He has remembered his steadfast love
and faithfulness to the house of Israel. R.
All the ends of the earth have seen
the victory of our God.
Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth;
break forth into joyous song and sing praises. R.

Second Reading: 2 Timothy 2.8-13

Remember Jesus Christ, raised from the dead, a descendant of David - that is my gospel, for which I suffer hardship, even to the point of being chained like a criminal. But the word of God is not chained. Therefore I endure everything for the sake of the elect, so that they may also obtain the salvation that is in Christ Jesus, with eternal glory. The saying is sure: If we have died with him, we will also live with him; if we endure, we will also reign with him; if we deny him, he will also deny us; if we are faithless, he remains faithful - for he cannot deny himself.

Gospel: Luke 17.11-19

On the way to Jerusalem Jesus was going through the region between Samaria and Galilee. As he entered a village, ten lepers approached him. Keeping their distance, they called out, saying, "Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!" When Jesus saw them, he said to them, "Go and show yourselves to the priests." And as they went, they were made clean. Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice. He prostrated himself at Jesus' feet and thanked him. And he was a Samaritan. Then Jesus asked, "Were not ten made clean? But the other nine, where are they? Was none of them found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?" Then Jesus said to Samaritan, "Get up and go on your way; your faith has made you well."

MONTHLY MEETING OF THE CELL OF OUR LADY OF WALSINGHAM

The Cell meets for Mass on the third Saturday of the month at 9:00am, followed by devotions and breakfast. This Saturday 19th October we celebrate the feast of the Translation of the Image of Our Lady of Walsingham. It is a major feast of the Walsingham Shrine. On this day prayers will be offered for the souls of past members of the St Peter's Cell. To find out more about Our Lady of Walsingham, come on Saturday 19th! The last lines of the collect for the feast says: "Pour your blessings on all who devoutly behold her image here, that aided by her intercession with your Son we might walk the pilgrim way of faith and so come to our home in heaven."

PARKING IN THE PARISH ON SUNDAY 10TH NOVEMBER

On Sunday 10th November 2019 parking will not generally be available at St Peter's, due to logistical arrangements for the opening of the Corner Plaza. Limited parking for disabled parishioners, however, is available but only by prior arrangement with the Parish Administrator who can be contacted in the Parish Office on 9662 2391.

PRAYERS

FOR THE SICK:

Marja Barouh, Sr Gloria CHN, John Harvey, Jan Foster, Noelene Jones, Bill Loughnan, Gina Macpherson, Alice McCraith, Gia Nu Luu, Ray Ng, John Taaff, Evelina Thornton, and Peter.

AS WELL AS:

Carole Ainio, Jenny Allen, Chris Bennie, Michael Boyle priest, John Crocker, Gail Edwards, Cliff Gornall, Gwen Joyce, Bronwyn Large, Margaret Lea, Margaret Lugg, Sr Lyn chn, Stanton Nelson, Joyce Newton, Tim Peake, Liz Prideaux, Allan Rei, Helen Rowley, Bella Saadala, Barbara Ure-Smith, Annette Wood; Andrew, Chad, and Jan.

FOR THE RECENTLY DEPARTED:

FOR THOSE WHOSE YEAR'S MIND FALLS THIS WEEK:

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| Sun | 13 | Barbara Ann Brock, Mary Theresa Cooke, Alice Dixon, Amelia Etheridge, Dorothy Weeks |
| Mon | 14 | Norman Harper, Bessy Ipsen |
| Tue | 15 | Herbert O'Hara Drysdale, James Likeman, Norma Moorehouse, Donald Redding BISHOP |
| Wed | 16 | Terence (Terry) Virgo Allen |
| Thu | 17 | Colin Holden Snr, Katherine Watson-Horoi |
| Fri | 18 | George Alexander Crowley, Isobel Jenkins, Adam Robert Maclean, Shirley Mary Nam |
| Sat | 19 | Roger Armour, Florence Elden, Alice Caroline Garner, Peter John Holloway, Myra Minetta Rayment |

PARISH DIARY

<i>Saturday, 19th October</i>	Songs of Praise: Join us for a sing-along of your favourite hymns with help of St Peter's Choir - at 2.30pm. For further info email Helen at: aachurchcalendar@gmail.com .
<i>Sunday 20th October</i>	EFM study group after High Mass, in the Hughes Room
<i>Wednesday 23rd October</i>	EFM study group, 2:00pm in the Hughes Room
<i>Sunday 27th October</i>	EFM study group after High Mass, in the Hughes Room
<i>Wednesday 30th October</i>	EFM study group, 2:00pm in the Hughes Room
<i>Friday 1st November</i>	All Saints' Day High Mass at 6:15pm followed by refreshments in the Parish Hall.
<i>Saturday 2nd November</i>	All Souls' Day observed with a Mass in church at 9am.
<i>Sunday 10th November</i>	Combined High Mass at 10am; Grand Opening of the Corner Plaza, and rededication of the restored Wayside Cross at 12 noon; and then a luncheon in the Hall. All are welcome!
<i>Monday 11th November</i>	Remembrance Day laying of the Wreath, 11am at the Wayside Cross.
<i>Thursday 14th November</i>	Charitable Foundation Dinner, 6.30 for 7pm, at The Melbourne Club.
<i>Saturday 16th November</i>	Trinity College Theological School, "Year of Matthew Study Day", 10.00am-3.30pm, Old Warden's Lodge, Trinity College, Parkville \$40 \$30 concession. For bookings: www.trybooking.com/546413
<i>Sunday 24th November</i>	Combined High Mass at 10am, followed by a light lunch and the Annual Meeting of the Parish from 12.15pm.

Songs of Praise

Join us for a sing along of your favourite hymns with the help of the St Peter's Choir.

Proceeds go to support the Australian Anglican Church Calendar and the Choir of St Peter's.

SATURDAY 19 OCTOBER 2019
2.30PM | ST PETER'S EASTERN HILL



\$35 TICKET PRICE INCLUDES COPY OF THE 2020 CALENDAR AND AFTERNOON TEA IN THE PARISH HALL

**For more information contact Helen Drummond 0419 897 973
or aachurchcalendar@gmail.com**



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Melbourne - Charitable Foundation



Invitation

*You are warmly invited to the Opening of the new
St Peter's Eastern Hill Corner Plaza,
and Blessing of the restored Wayside Cross.*

DATE

Sunday 10th November 2019

TIME

12 Noon Grand Opening followed by a light informal lunch at 12:30pm
10:00am High Mass for those who wish to attend

VENUE

St Peter's Eastern Hill
Corner Gisborne Street & Albert Street, East Melbourne

REGISTRATION

This is a free event, but it is essential to register online
through Try Booking for catering reasons.

<https://www.trybooking.com/BFXUE>

If you only wish to attend the opening, no booking is needed.

Please call Kosta on (03) 9662 2391 for any queries. Kosta Soteriou · sphoffice@stpeters.org.au

ST PETER'S BOOKROOM & CHURCH SUPPLIES

Last Friday and Saturday, St Peter's Bookroom represented St Peter's and sold books at the Australian Collaborators in Feminist Theologies: Power, Authority, and Love conference at Pilgrim Theological College.

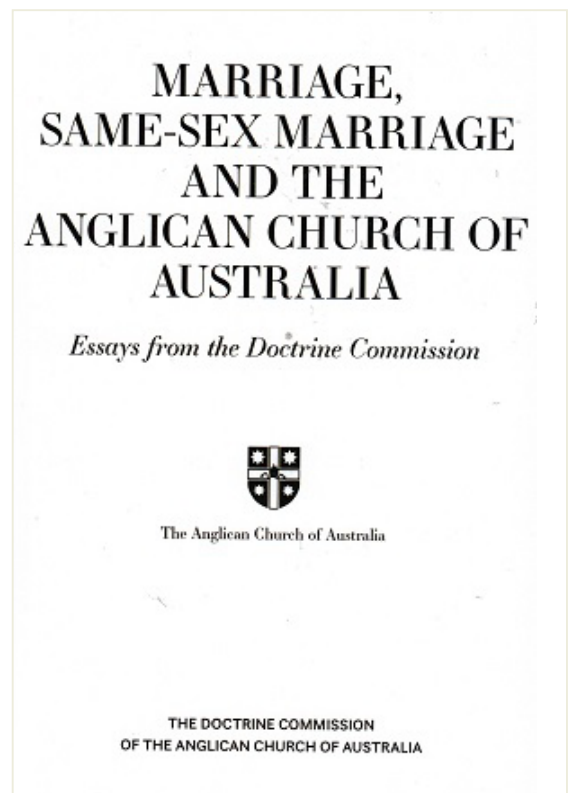
Our first range of new Christmas Cards have come in! Also, lots of beautiful new 2020 Calendars, including those which feature the art work of Margaret Olley, and Icons.

RECOMMENDED NEW BOOK:

Marriage, Same-Sex Marriage and the Anglican Church of Australia - Essays from the Doctrine Commission

Contributors include Dorothy Lee, Muriel Porter, Matthew Anstey, Meg Warner.....

\$34.95



Opening Hours

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

15 Gisborne St Melbourne 3002

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Office Hours. 9.30am – 2.00pm Monday-Thursday

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)

Clergy and Lay Ministers

Vicar:	Fr Hugh Kempster	0488 960 022
ASLM:	Alae Taule'alo	0409 802 892
Clergy:	Fr Greg Davies	0417 992 976
	Fr Don Edgar	0418 967 829
	Fr Philip Gill	0480 101 711
	Fr Ken Letts	03 9662 2391
	Fr David Peake	0412 299 839
Klingner Scholars:	Paul Daniels	03 9662 2391
	Brenda Williams	03 9662 2391

Other Parish Ministries

Acting Sacristan	Eugene Chin	03 9662 2391
Bookroom:	Carol O'Connor	03 9663 7487
Cell of O.L.O.W:	Liz Prideaux	03 9662 2391
Charitable Foundation:	John Taaff	0418 149 345
Children:	Katherine Barnett	03 9387 4089
Child Safety Officer:	Rachel Ellyard	03 9662 2391
Churchwardens:	Stephen Duckett (Vicar)	0447 837 741
	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
Guild of St Benedict	Daniel Ferguson	0419 572 033
Head Server:	Anthony Schepis	0400 578 952
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
Treasurer:	Peter Wild	0455 803 584

Parish Council

Membership:

Nicholas Browne (secretary)
Helen Drummond
Stephen Duckett (chair)
Rachel Ellyard
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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".*