

# PARISH OF ST JOHN'S WOOD / THE GAP



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**WELCOME**

## RECONCILIATION

Mater Dei  
Saturday 5.00-5.20

St. Peter Chanel  
Sunday 4.30-4.45

## BAPTISMS

Mater Dei  
3rd Sunday

St Peter Chanel  
4th Sunday

Baptism preparation  
details available on  
our website under  
Parish Activities

## PARISH SCHOOLS

Mater Dei  
Primary School  
Phone: 3514 4100

St Peter Chanel  
Primary School  
Phone: 3300 1202

## PARISH COUNCIL

Kylie Gaul  
(Chairperson)  
kylie.brian@bigpond.com

New Parishioners  
**WELCOME**

Please complete the form  
in the newsletter.

Thank you  
Father John and  
Father Fernando  
for celebrating the  
supply masses this  
weekend.

Website: [www.stjohnswoodthegap.net.au](http://www.stjohnswoodthegap.net.au)

Facebook page: [@St John's Wood / The Gap Parish](https://www.facebook.com/StJohnsWoodTheGapCatholicChurch)

Parish Office: PO Box 408, The Gap, Qld 4061

Office Hours: Tuesday-Friday 8.30 am—3.00 pm

Contact: Phone: 3300 6099

Fax: 3300 6255

Churches: Mater Dei : 16 Philomene Drive, Ashgrove

St Peter Chanel: 41 Chaprowe Road, The Gap

Parish Priest: Fr. Vu Dinh Tuong [mdei@bigpond.com](mailto:mdei@bigpond.com)

Parish Manager: Richard James [manager.thegap@bne.catholic.net.au](mailto:manager.thegap@bne.catholic.net.au)

Parish Secretary: Caryn Lee [thegap@bne.catholic.net.au](mailto:thegap@bne.catholic.net.au)

Sacramental Program enquiries only: [ps.thegap@bne.catholic.net.au](mailto:ps.thegap@bne.catholic.net.au)

*SUNDAY 27<sup>th</sup> August 2017 - Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time*

## Thank you



Thank you to all the volunteers and the Multicultural Committee (Kylie Gaul & Chelsea Clark - representing the PPC; Sherille Dolby - representing SPC School; and Lorelei Frawley - representing MD School) and their helpers and other committees for their huge efforts in putting on another great Multicultural Mass and lunch. These events don't happen without the generosity of a lot of people.

Thank you Rosemarie Brady and Jan Anderson for their time in organising the liturgy and the church for the mass. Thank you Peter Maher, Barry Sullivan and Campbell

Taylor for working on the BBQ.

Dorene and Jim Parsonage - thank you for your huge effort on the raffle this year

and thank you to all our parishioners who donated such amazing prizes.

Thank you to the school principals: SPC - Margo Carwardine and MD - Madonna

Sleba. Tim Cotter and Mark McCurdy for their support prior to and on the day.

Mike Hardy, once again your emcee skills were fantastic - thank you. Last but not

least, all the people who helped setup on the Saturday and worked on the Sunday.

It was great to see our 2 schools and parish community come together bringing

people of different backgrounds together for the delightful celebration. It was great

to see performances from both our parish schools with 25% of Mater Dei school

children in attendance.

Thank you to those who brought national dishes to share.

May this "reach out" together receive abundant God's blessing upon you and your families.



**MULTICULTURAL**

**Next Week's Readings:**  
**Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
*First Reading*  
*Jeremiah 20:7-9*  
*Second Reading*  
*Romans 12:1-2*  
*Gospel*  
*Matthew 16:21-27*

**Prayers for the Sick**  
 John Perks (Nellie's husband)  
 Marion Bowden  
 Stefan Golebiowski  
 Mary-Lou Hay  
 Carolyn Webster  
 Ray Garske  
 Zac Gillerat (Catherine Le Bon's son)

**Recently Deceased**  
 Peter Kuchler

**Anniversaries**  
 Martin Eastwood  
 Beverley McPhee  
 Bob Colley  
 Patricia Serico  
 Katherine Burnett  
 Veronica Homer  
 Mary Butler  
 Mary Heard  
 Delmo Cantamessa

**Please note:** we cannot add a name to the sick list or recently deceased list unless advised by a family member direct.

**Please let us know about the sick**

Every so often we learn of people confined to their home for quite a while or even transferred to permanent care in a hospice or nursing home.

We would like to bring the sacraments to them so please let the Parish Office know if family members are so confined.

**Please contact the parish office: 3300 6099 or Vi Hall: Mob: 0477 894 904**

**Rosary**

Rosary will be held at 7:30pm on Monday 28<sup>th</sup> August 2017 at Donna & Brendan Lynn's house, Ashgrove



**Rosary**

If you would like to pray the Rosary in your home please contact **Bruce Bonney**  
**Phone: 3300 2959**

**First Reading: Isaiah 22:19-23**  
 I place the key of the House of David upon his shoulder.  
**Responsorial Psalm:**  
 Lord, your love is eternal; do not forsake the work of your hands.  
**Second Reading: Romans 11:33-36**  
 From him, through him, and in him are all things.  
**Gospel Acclamation:**  
 Alleluia, alleluia!  
 You are Peter, the rock on which I will build my Church; the gates of hell will not hold out against it.  
 Alleluia!  
**Gospel Reading: Matthew 16:13-20**  
 You are Peter; to you I will give the keys of the kingdom of heaven.



**NEW MINISTRIES ROSTER FOR MATER DEI**

A new Ministries roster for weekend masses is to be prepared for the next 6 months: October 2017–March 2018. If you wish to join the roster for any of the Ministries or do not wish to continue on a roster please phone or email - For Coordinators, Readers and Ministers of Communion Saturday 5.30pm Mass - Helen Mahoney Ph 3300 2207

**TUESDAY MORNING PLAYGROUP**



Please come and enjoy a cup of coffee and cake with other parents from The Gap Community. It's an informal gathering to chat and meet other parents while our children play and get messy with craft.  
**When:** Tuesday mornings at 9am (after school drop off).  
**Where:** SPC Parish Hall.  
**What to bring:** A gold coin donation (in order to keep the coffee pot full and the kids entertained).

**ADORATION GROUP**

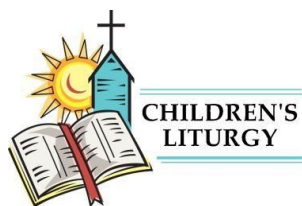
Meets on the 1st Friday of each month (1<sup>st</sup> September) 2pm to 3pm at SPC Church.

**ALL WELCOME**



**2017 ANNUAL CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN**  
 Our Church • Our Mission • Our Responsibility

**9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> September 2017**



**CHILDREN'S LITURGY**

The Mater Dei Children's Liturgy program is in need of new leaders and assistants to join our team. We have tonnes of experience between us, so you don't need to have any - all training and guidance is provided at a pace that suits you. To juggle the roster around everyone's busy family schedules and life events, we just need more people to be able to confidently cover all of the dates within the school year. We presently each cover just 2-3 Sundays per term, but you can do as little as one Sunday if required. Please contact Donna Lynn 0418931203, or [lynn@lynnfamily.org](mailto:lynn@lynnfamily.org)

**Children's Masses**

Next Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> September, the children are serving the morning masses. SPC's prep, year 5 & 6 students are serving 8:00am SPC mass.



If you park within the school grounds at Mater Dei for Saturday night or Sunday morning mass, can you please shut the school gate if you are the last to leave.

Unfortunately, we often get unwanted guests who drive into the school.

Thank you for your support.



Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament  
Mater Dei Church  
Monday 7pm-8pm  
Friday 6pm-10pm

**BEQUEST OR WILLS**

All parishioners are asked to consider including our parish St John's Wood/The Gap in your will.

One of the greatest contributions you can make to our parish is to ensure a legacy of faith for the young and to provide proper care for the old.



**NEW PARISHIONER CONTACT FORM**

Family Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other Names: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Marital Status: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Spouse Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Spouse's DOB: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Children & DOB's: \_\_\_\_\_  
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 Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mobile: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Tick to commence Parish  
Planned Giving

Please place this completed form in the collection plate or email your details to the Parish Office at: [thegap@bne.catholic.net.au](mailto:thegap@bne.catholic.net.au) or contact the Parish Office on 3300 6099.



Rosalie Lewis with the winning tickets to 'Mamma Mia The Musical' kindly donated by the Garski Family.



**MULTICULTURAL DAY**



Thanks to everyone for coming and supporting the Multicultural Mass and lunch last Sunday. We hope everyone enjoyed the day. A big thanks in particular to the following people who made this event possible:

- Multicultural Mass committee Sherille Dolby, Peter Maher, Lorelei Frawley
- Parish council members Chelsea Clarke, Dorene Parsonage, Jenny Ray, Vincent Dubois and Chris Jackson
- Mater Dei & SPC schools in particular Margo Carwardine, Madonna Sleba, Tim Cotter and Mark McCurdy.
- Multicultural Mass liturgy committee – Rosemarie Brady and Jan Anderson.
- Mike Hardy for again being a great MC.
- Caryn Lee for all her help and support.
- Father and Richard for supporting the event.
- Kitchen helpers, people who came to help with set up Saturday afternoon and pack up on Sunday afternoon.
- Brian Gaul for preparing the trivia.

**Kylie Gaul, PPC President**

**menCONNECT**

**Date Claimer**

**Our NEXT Gathering**

Our presenter will be Fr John Chalmers. A priest well known throughout the Diocese. Fr John will speak of the lay vocation through the eyes of Hugh of St Victor and Pope Francis. His presentation will help us imagine how we might live life faithfully.

**Date - 8<sup>th</sup> September 2017 Cost: \$10.00 (dinner included)**

**Time - 6.00 pm**

**Venue- The Parish Hall at St Peter Chanel  
Chaprowe Road  
The Gap 4061**

**RSVP - by Friday, 1<sup>st</sup> September by email [justmichael@bigpond.com](mailto:justmichael@bigpond.com)  
or Ph: 0459 992 228**

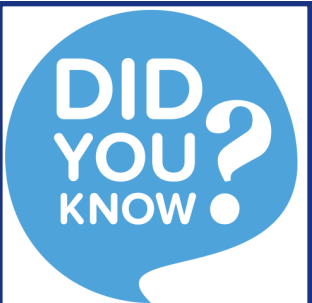


**Share the Dignity**

No women should suffer the indignity of choosing between eating or buying sanitary items. Our parish is again helping this cause throughout August.

Please contribute to this worthy cause by leaving sanitary items in the box at the back of the Church. Your help is appreciated.





All Queenslanders over 65 can apply for the Electricity Rebate Scheme and get \$340.85 per year off their electricity bill. With copy of recent bill and Qld seniors card, ring your electricity retailer.

(Conditions: must be account holder; on principal residence; only applies to one residence; dependant on who else resides ok if live alone or with spouse).

They are also eligible for Spectacles every 2 years under Medical Aids Subsidy Scheme and Free Dental Services at Queensland Oral Health services.

**Prayers for the sick:**

When there is a request to pray for a sick person their names will be in the Prayers of the Faithful for 2 weeks and in the Bulletin for 2 weeks. If you wish to continue after that, please contact the parish office.

Names of recently deceased will be on the prayer list for 2 weeks

The Editor retains the right to edit any items that are submitted to the bulletin.

The cut off for the Parish Bulletin is Wednesday 3pm.

If you have any queries please contact the Parish Office on: 33006099

MASS TIMES	MATER DEI	ST PETER CHANEL	FEAST DAYS/NOTES
Monday 28/08			Saint Augustine
Tuesday 29/08	9:00am Communion Service		The Passion of Saint John the Baptist
Wednesday 30/08		9:00am Communion Service (No morning tea)	
Thursday 31/08		9:00am Communion Service	
Friday 01/09	9:00am Communion Service		
Saturday 02/09	5:30pm mass		
Sunday 03/09	9:30am Mass	8:00am Mass 5:00pm Mass	

**MUSIC IN THE MOONLIGHT**  
Presents  
**DINNER UNDER THE STARS**

*A Hollywood Glamour inspired long-table dinner, with live music, drinks and dancing. Please join our Mater Dei community fundraising event of the year!*

**Dorrington Park - Saturday 7 October - 5pm til late**

*Live Entertainment*  
**Stitched Up Jazz - The Tatty Tenors - The Demon Drink**

*Dress*  
**Hollywood Cocktail**

Early bird tickets \$85 Save \$10 : Tickets available at [trybooking.com/303754](http://trybooking.com/303754)  
Available until the 15<sup>TH</sup> September : or by emailing [mim@materdeipandf.org.au](mailto:mim@materdeipandf.org.au)  
Individual and group bookings available. : \*Please note that Trybooking charges a \$0.30 booking fee.

TICKET INCLUDES SPARKLING WINE & CANAPES ON ARRIVAL FOLLOWED BY 3 COURSE SIT-DOWN MEAL

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@MusicInTheMoonlight ALL FUNDS RAISED BY THIS EVENT GO TO THE P&F OF MATER DEI PRIMARY SCHOOL.

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