

Peak Downs Catholic Cluster of Parishes Bulletin

part of the Western Deanery within the Diocese of Rockhampton Qld



23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C 8th September 2019

First Reading Wisdom 9:13-18

Who can comprehend the will of God?

Responsorial Psalm 89:3-6. 12-14. 17. R.
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In every age, O Lord, you have been our refuge.

Second Reading Philemon 9-10,12-17.

Receive him, not as a slave anymore, but as a very dear brother.

Gospel Acclamation

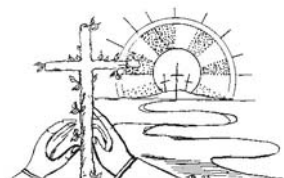
Alleluia, alleluia!

Let your face shine on your servant, and teach me your laws.

Alleluia!

Gospel Luke 14:25-33

All who do not renounce their possessions cannot be my disciples.



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Complaints Pastoral Care & Management

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St Joseph the Worker Moranbah, Holy Family Middlemount, St Thomas More Tieri

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MASS TIMES

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday 7th September

Moranbah 6pm—Mass
Capella 6pm—Liturgy of the Word with Communion

Sunday 8th September

Clermont 8am—Mass
Tieri 10am—Mass

Tuesday 10th September

Clermont 5pm—Mass

Wednesday 11th September

Clermont 9am—Mass

Thursday 12th September

Moranbah 5.30pm—Mass

Friday 13th September

Moranbah 9am—Mass

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday 14th September

Moranbah 6pm—Mass

Sunday 15th September

Clermont 8am—Mass
Capella 10am—Mass

Tuesday 17th September

Clermont 5.30pm—Mass

Wednesday 18th September

Clermont 9.30am—Mass at Mont Cler

Thursday 19th September

Moranbah 5.30pm—Mass

Friday 20th September

Moranbah 9am—Mass

Remember In Your Prayers



The Sick

And others in our communities who are incapacitated or recovering from sickness and in need of spiritual support.

Steven Bryant	Brendan Schos-	Anton Robinson
Beverley Paulsen	takowski	Jan Palmer
Barry Coleman	Mrs Croft	Rodney Mallon
Julie Rowan	Mrs Roth	Josie Kelly
Linda Fearn	June Tewson	Ian Williams
Dan Clancy	Andre Tiberoo	Stephen Winters
John Matthews	Carmel Dickinson	Jim Young
John Russell	Ronnie Baldock	Diana Kidd
Anne Lynam	Ron Jones	Peter Mahony
Todd Dennis	Popsie Flohr	Anna King
Carmel Smith	Grayson Little	Mary Walker

Recently Deceased

Sister Enid Ryall	Laura Burnett	Neil Peach
Patricia Byrne	Neil Johnson	
Father Raj's Mother	Mary Kodavatikanti	

Baptism

Anniversaries

Cluster Mission Statement

We will live out the commission of Jesus to witness to him; seeking to grow in our faith and participating in the life of our church and the broader community.

Bulletin by email

Cluster church bulletins can be sent to you by email. If interested please email the Cluster Administration Officer, Cathy Pearson at peakdowns_finance@hotmail.com

Cluster Notices

Cluster Communities' News

Clermont

Date Claimers

11th September Confirmation/Eucharist Meeting
3.15pm/6.30pm

15th September Children's Mass at 8am

18th September Mass—Mont Cler—9.30am
Confirmation/Eucharist Meeting
3.15pm/6.30pm at the Church

19th September RSJ Meeting—11am

24th September Mass at Marie & Bernard Cook's place

29th September Ecumenical Service St Mary's Church

13th October Sacraments of Confirmation/Eucharist

8th November Parish Fair

Roster for Sunday 8th September 2019

Leader: Father Matthias
Readers: Jenny Wilby, Clint Caldicott
Procession of Gifts: Catherine Pearson, Georgia Kowitz
Ministers of Communion: Joanne Dennis, Roland Kowitz
Children's Liturgy: Anna Thurecht + Other
Computer: Dominique Cacciola

Roster for Sunday 15th September 2019

Leader: Father Matthias
Readers: Children
Procession of Gifts: Children
Minister of Communion: Emma Martin, Carmel Smith
Computer: Hannah Charles

Weekday Mass Times

Tuesday 5pm
Wednesday 9am

Children's Mass Dates

15th September 17th November

Birthdays for September

Jasmine Brent, Sophia Fletcher

****PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS CHILDREN AND PARENTS PREPARING FOR THE SACRAMENTS OF CONFIRMATION AND EUCHARIST.**

Dysart

Mass Times

4th Sunday each month—Mass 10am

St Therese's Thrift Shop - open Tues & Thurs mornings.

Moranbah

Date Claimers

12th October Sacraments of Confirmation/Eucharist
29th November Christmas Fair 5.30pm

Mass Times

1st, 2nd and 3rd Saturday each month—Mass 6pm
4th Saturday each month—Liturgy of the Word with Communion led by Lay—6pm
5th Saturday each month—Mass 6pm

Weekday Mass Times

Thursday 5.30pm
Friday 9am

Rosary every Saturday at 5.10pm

We wish to advise that Rosary will be said each Saturday before mass at 5.10pm. All welcome to attend.

CHRISTMAS FAIR

We are looking for the following volunteers:

- We need a Co-ordinator for the Barbeque
- Assistance with planning and running Children's Activities.
- People to sell tickets for Major Raffle.

Please note we need more people to step up to assist on the night and in the lead up to the Christmas Fair. This is the only Fundraiser that we ask our Parishioners to participate in each year. Contact Veronica Johnstone or Judy Naumann for more information. Thank you.

PLANNED GIVING

The number of Parishioners using Planned Giving Envelopes or weekly Direct Debits has dropped off. We would appreciate it if Parishioners would consider using Direct Debit (or Envelopes if you prefer). Direct Debit enables you to contribute to the Parish on a regular basis even if you aren't at Mass or don't have cash on you. To set up a Direct Debit please email peak-downs_finance@hotmail.com or moranbahcc@hotmail.com for the forms. Thank you.



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Middlemount

Mass Times

4th Saturday each month—Mass 6pm

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Mass Times

2nd Sunday each month – Mass 10am

Capella

Mass Times

1st and 3rd Sunday each month – Mass 10am
2nd and 4th Saturday each month - Liturgy of the Word
with Communion 6pm
5th Saturday each month—Liturgy of the Word with
Communion 6pm



YOU ARE INVITED TO AN 'OLD TIME DANCE'

WHERE: Church of England Hall, Clermont

WHEN: Saturday 14th September 2019

TIME: 8.00PM—Midnight

ADMISSION: \$10.00

All Proceeds go to the CWA



The Conventual Sisters of St Dominic are happy to announce that *Sister Mary Catherine Reeves OP* and *Sister Mary Dominica Ramsey OP* will make their Vows of Perpetual Profession on 7th October 2019 (the Feast of the Most Holy Rosary).

The Solemn Mass of Religious Profession, always a public ecclesial event, will be celebrated by Bishop Columba Macbeth-Green OSPPE (Bishop of Wilcannia Forbes) in St Brendan's Church, Ganmain at 11.00am.

We understand that many of our dear relatives and friends live at great distances and for this and other reasons may not be able to be present for this occasion, but we ask all to pray for these young sisters that they may be worthy and true, life-long, to their vocation as spouses of Christ.

A Prayer for Stronger Communities, Safer Children

Gracious God, you said "Let the children come to me". The hurt felt by those wounded by abuse weighs heavily upon us. Trust has been eroded when institutions failed to appropriately respond to their needs. Lord, we as your Church stand in need of your healing and help.

We ask you, God, to strengthen and guide all in our Catholic communities. Grant us wisdom in our time to make decisions that protect children and the vulnerable. May our families and communities, through love, generosity, commitment and patience, build stronger communities safe for children.

Let your grace and love fall gently upon our children giving them the inner strength, peace and resilience they will need for their life's journey. We ask you, God, to help our Catholic communities to be resolute in building a community where our children flourish and are safe.
Amen



CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF ROCKHAMPTON

Bishop Michael invites all those in the Diocese who are celebrating significant anniversaries of their marriage (eg. 10, 20, 25 years) and other special anniversaries that hold significance for you to join him in celebration. You are invited to Mass at St Joseph's Cathedral at 9.30am Sunday 10th November.

This will be an opportunity for a prayerful event to affirm your commitment and receive blessings on your marriage and families.

Bishop Michael McCarthy invites the Diocesan family of the Diocese of Rockhampton to gather in the presence of the

Apostolic Nuncio His Excellency Adolfo Tito Yllana to mark the occasion of

World Mission Sunday at St Joseph's Cathedral William St Rockhampton
for the 9.30am Mass 20 October.

Mass will be followed by a Filipino Festival of food and song generously hosted by the Filipino Community
from 10.30am – 12.30pm.

Regards