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## WELCOME TO ST PAUL’S ANGLICAN PARISH OF IPSWICH



(Inc. St John’s - Basin Pocket)  
124 Brisbane Street, Ipswich  
PO Box 168, Ipswich 4305



### **The Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost 27th August, 2017**

#### **An Acknowledgement of Country**

As we gather in this Parish Church, we acknowledge the Yuggera people, the traditional custodians of this land, and their elders past and present. We honour the connection the traditional custodians have with this land.

#### **TODAY’S SERVICES**

**8.30 am**

**St Paul’s ~ Holy Communion**

Presiding ~ Revd. Steve McMahon

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**10.30 am**

**St Paul’s ~ Baptism Service**

**12.00 pm**

**St Paul’s ~ Sudanese Service**

*Hymns:*

457

The Church’s One Foundation

256

From Heaven You Came

599

Take My Life and Let It Be

242

Lord of the Dance

569

Guide Me, O Thou Great Redeemer

REFLECTION: Exodus 1.8 – 2.10; Psalm 124; Romans 12.1-8; Matthew 16.13-20

Living and working at Saint Peter’s Church means that we talk a lot about the life and continued witness of Saint Peter! Our parish magazine is called *Cross & Keys* and our families’ mass is called *Petrus* – all references to our great patron. Jesus says to Peter, ‘On this rock I will build my church, and the gates of Hades will not prevail against it.’ What a wonderful assurance from Christ! Jesus entrusts to Peter the keys of the kingdom of heaven. Now, through faith in Jesus Christ, we may all become members of that eternal kingdom. *Give thanks to God for his Church spread throughout the world today, and that the message she proclaims might be preached in the spirit of truth and love.*

*Give thanks for the Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia*

*(ABM Pew Reflections 2017)*

**Next Sunday: 3rd September ~ Martyrs of New Guinea**

8.30 am

St Paul’s ~ Holy Communion

12.00 pm

St Paul’s ~ Sudanese Service

**Readings:** Zephaniah 3:14-20; Psalm 126; Romans 8:33-39; John 12:20-32

Please stay for morning tea served on the verandah after the service.

## Services This Week

### Monday to Friday

9.00 am	Lady Chapel	Morning Prayer
3.00 pm	Lady Chapel	Evening Prayer

### Wednesday, 30th August

10.00 am	St Paul's	Holy Communion
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*Please uphold the following people in your prayers for healing:*



Sue Voogt	Barbara Donald	Madge McLennan
Barbara Dunton	Caroline Johnston	Lyn Johnston
Daniella Jansen	Henry Jansen	Karen McLucas
Dawn Pearce	Neil Gibson	Julia Hall
Audrey Steele	Carolyn Burt	Pat Krause
Jackie Retschlag	Gaile Rankine	Jim Schabe
Joan Ploetz	Iris Omeara	Lillian Weber
Eleanor Jones	Judy Hewitt	Douglas Cameron
Lenore Richards	Richard Alridge	Bella Johnson
Paula Boegheim	Lee Schabe	Fr Donald Stewart
Barry French	Trish Carthers	

### St Paul's Mothers' Union Prayer Circle

If anyone at any time would like a special prayer said for a family member or situation, please take advantage of your Mothers' Union intercessors and contact Juneau Limpus via the office with your prayer requests.

### Years Mind

Anthony Choc	Thelma Cuffe	Neville Shelton
Ella Wild	Thelma Foster	Percy Follett
	Hilda Carlton	

### Today's Baptisms

Xavier Robinson	Anastajia Robinson
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### Giving Envelopes

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### MISSION TO THOSE IN NEED

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## ***Weekly Activities***

**TODAY**                    **10:15 am** Choir Rehearsal in the Hall  
Contact ~ Helen Colledge

**Tuesday**                    **Study Groups**  
29th August                **1:30 pm** Support Centre  
Contact ~ Margaret Hertweck

**4:00 pm** St Paul's Conference Room  
In recess.

**Wednesday**                **Music Box**  
30th August                **9:30 - 11:00 am** St Paul's Hall  
Contact ~ Leanne Ferguson

**Bell Ringing Practice**  
**3:15 - 5:00pm** St Paul's  
Contact ~ June Suthers

**Friday**                        **Bible Study**  
1st September             **9:30am** Conference Room.  
Contact ~ Revd. Shelley Knight

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### **Pastoral Visiting**

Would you or someone you know like a pastoral visit from one of our clergy members. They are itching at the door to get out and have a chat with you. If so, contact Shireen or Joy at the office on 3812 0377 or call the clergy contact number, 0419 656 037, or have a chat with one of our clergy after the service.

### **ParishDirect via ANFIN - Offering by Direct Debit**

Forms are available at the entrance to the church for those who would like to make their offering by direct debit. For assistance with completing the form, please email [askus@anfin.com.au](mailto:askus@anfin.com.au) or phone 3838 7755. When completed and signed, the forms must be forwarded to ANFIN Reply Paid 421, Brisbane Qld 4001.

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Children's activity sheets and a bag of toys are available from the black drawers in the 'crèche' area of the Church.

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<u>Priest-in-Charge:</u>	The Rev Steve McMahon	<i>(Please direct all enquiries to Clergy through the Parish Office Phone: 3812 0377</i>
<u>Assistant Curate:</u>	The Rev Chris Bate	
<u>Deacons:</u>	The Rev Michele Knight The Rev Peter Mayen	(For a pastoral visit, phone (0419 656 037 (
<u>Parish Secretary:</u>	Mrs Shireen Kuhn (Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday)	Phone: 3812 0377
<u>Admin. Officer:</u>	Mrs Joy Sampson (Thursday, Friday)	Phone: 3812 0377
<u>Office Hours:</u>	Tuesday to Friday	9.00 am to 2.00 pm
<u>Email:</u>	admin@stpaulsips.org.au	Fax: 3281 6098
<u>Website:</u>	www.stpaulsips.org.au	
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