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PARISH INFORMATION

Parish Priest: Fr Jeronimo Flamenco Castillo

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Facebook: St Peter the Apostle Catholic Church— Bedford/Inglewood

Weekday Mass Tuesday - Friday 9:00am Reconciliation Saturday 5:00pm - 5:30pm

Weekend Masses Saturday 6:00pm

> 9:00am, 5:00pm Sunday Spanish Mass Sunday 12pm (noon / midday)

Parish Office (Administration)

Secretary Fera Widodo

Office Hours Tues—Fri 9am—1pm

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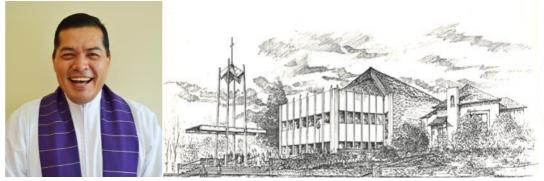
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4th Sunday ADVENT **Year C 2024**





Our Motto: Believe, Be Seen, Become

My Dear Parishioners.

Advent and Christmas times are periods of a call to an inner reflection as to where do I truly experience life and what do I do with these gifts that are a sign of God's life within me? Yes, each of us does reflect the "gifts of God's life". So how can I intensify this awareness in this season where Jesus is born again in our life? What do I have to surrender to make space for the gifts that the Infant, defenceless, baby Jesus offers to us? However, it is my responsibility to be open to receive them.

The three wise visitors from the east, The Magi, have some wisdom to offer us. They arrive at the crib of the infant Jesus holding their treasures of gold and frankincense and myrrh. They had carried their gifts from a long journey and so do we as life progresses. However, at times there comes a time of surrender for something better, something deeper that will take me further into life.

The Magi surrender their gifts, "they opened their treasures". There was a change of heart, an inner surrender to a deeper, a more trusting relationship that would free them to continue on the journey of life. As it says in Matthew's gospel, "they returned to their own country by a different way". This describes the outer journey. And what happened on their inner journey? They went home differently!

An encounter with the Sacred One frees me to walk new paths.

May you as an experience of this Season continue your journey differently.

Christmas blessing of joy and peace.

Fr Jeronimo



Your Collections

Thank you to all our Parishioners for your continued contribution and support to the Parish and Priests, your generosity is greatly appreciated. 1st Collection: Supports our Priests. 2nd Collection: Supports operations and maintenance of our Parish.

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Thank you so very much for your generous supports.. GOD BLESS YOU ALWAYS...

MERRY CHRISTMAS 2024

HAVE A SAFE BLESSED HOLIDAY SEASONS

Christmas Mass 2024

Tuesday 24 December Christmas Eve

Outdoor Mass 6pm at School Oval

Carols start 5.30pm

Vigil Mass 9pm at Church

Carols start 8.30pm

MIDNIGHT MASS
Carols start 11.30pm (24 Dec)

Wednesday 25 December Christmas Day

Morning ONLY 9am at Church

Carols start 8.30am

PARISH OFFICE - HOLIDAY CLOSURE

Our Office will resume at 9am on Tuesday 7th Jan 2025. Wishing you all a safe blessed holiday time.. God Bless..

St Vincent De Paul - Bedford Conference

Dearest Bedford Vinnies supporters,

Congratulations to you all for your exceptional effort this year! Our members have worked tirelessly by giving their time and heart to our neighbours in need.

It is time for a well earned rest 🗐

Bedford Vinnies will taking a break from 17/12/24 - 28/01/25

As such, we ask for a pause in the food donations during this time.

If there is anyone requiring urgent assistance, please reach out to us at Bedford.ER@svdpwa.org.au

God bless you for your good works!

Regards, Maggie



Thank you to all our lovely volunteers who has assiste d us with the mini fo ods sell last weekend. Fr Jeronimo would like to extend his BIG THANK YOU to the bakers for donating the fo ods and to all parishioners for purchasing them.. God Bless

Readings for Christmas Masses

Tuesday 24 December Christmas Eve

6pm Outdoor Mass & 9pm at Church:

Midnight Mass at Church:

 1st Reading
 Isaiah 9: 1 - 7

 2nd Reading
 Titus 2: 11 - 14

 Gospel
 Luke 2: 1 - 14

Wednesday 25 December Christmas Day

BAPTISM

Please Note: Our Baptism will resume back on Sunday 19th January 2025. If you wish to have your child baptised in our parish, please email our parish office: admin@stpetersbedford.au. Thank you and God Bless..

Our Parish is urgently seeking someone to co-ordinate the Health & Safety Ministry. Please register your interest by telephoning the Parish office on 94233010 or by email at admin@stpetersbedford.au. Thank you..

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Parish Upcoming Calendar!!!

Sunday 22 Dec - 10.30am 2 Baptisms

Tuesday 24 Dec - 6pm Christmas Outdoor Children Mass (School Oval)

Tuesday 24 Dec - 9pm Christmas Mass (in Church)

 $Wednesday\ 25\ Dec\ -\ 9 am\ Christmas\ Mass$

Sunday 29 Dec - Holy Family

PARISH OFFICE - HOLIDAY CLOSURE

Monday 23 Dec - Monday 6 Jan.

A Reading from the prophet Micah 5:1-4

The Lord says this: You, Bethlehem Ephrathah, the least of the clans of Judah, out of you will be born for me the one who is to rule over Israel; his origin goes back to the distant past, to the days of old. The Lord is therefore going to abandon them till the time when she who is to give birth gives birth. Then the remnant of his brothers will come back to the sons of Israel. He will stand and feed his flock with the power of the Lord, with the majesty of the name of his God. They will live secure, for from then on he will extend his power to the ends of the land. He himself will be peace.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.



Responsorial Psalm: Ps 79: 2-3, 15-16, 18-19 R. v.4

(R.) Lord, make us turn to you; let us see your face and we shall be saved

- 1. O Shepherd of Israel, hear us, shine forth from your cherubim throne. O Lord, rouse up your might, O Lord, come to our help. (R.)
- 2. God of hosts, turn again, we implore, look down from heaven and see. Visit this vine and protect it, the vine your right hand has planted. (R.)
- 3. May your hand be on the man you have chosen, the man you have given your strength.

 And we shall never forsake you again: give us life that we may call upon your name. (R.)

A Reading from the letter to the Hebrews 10:5-10

This is what Christ said, on coming into the world: You who wanted no sacrifice or oblation, prepared a body for me. You took no pleasure in holocausts or sacrifices for sin; then I said, just as I was commanded in the scroll of the book, 'God, here I am! I am coming to obey your will.' Notice that he says first: You did not want what the Law lays down as the things to be offered, that is: the sacrifices, the oblations, the holocausts and the sacrifices for sin, and you took no pleasure in them; and then he says: Here I am! I am coming to obey your will. He is abolishing the first sort to replace it with the second. And this will was for us to be made holy by the offering of his body made once and for all by Jesus Christ.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation

Luke 1:38

Alleluia, Alleluia! I am the servant of the Lord: may his will for me be done. Alleluia!

A Reading from the Holy Gospel according to Luke 1:39-45

Mary set out and went as quickly as she could to a town in the hill country of Judah. She went into Zechariah's house and greeted Elizabeth. Now as soon as Elizabeth heard Mary's greeting, the child leapt in her womb and Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit. She gave a loud cry and said, 'Of all women you are the most blessed, and blessed is the fruit of your womb. Why should I be honoured with a visit from the mother of my Lord? For the moment your greeting reached my ears, the child in my womb leapt for joy. Yes, blessed is she who believed that the promise made her by the Lord would be fulfilled.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ

