

## A PRAYER FOR THE PARISH

### Inspired by Psalm 37:3-5

Father, you know the desire of our heart which is to grow a vibrant Christian community where we can support a fulltime Spirit-filled Priest to shepherd your flock. Make us generous givers to support the Ministry. Guide us as we seek to complete the projects we have for the improvements of the grounds in the separate centres of our Parish and give us wisdom to bring the cost of them within our resources. Enable the Diocese to approve the PAFs as we seek to make our Church buildings more welcoming to the community. We commit our way to you Father and trust that all our outcomes will be based on our Parish goal which is reaching out to our local community with the good news of the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ. We ask this in and through His precious name. **Amen**

### Prayer Requests

We give thanks for prayers answered and ask for continued prayers for:

Norm & Colleen Reinke, Barry Myatt, Michael Mort, Jordan, Sandy, Peter Schulz, Gail, Kerri, Gail, Shirley & Graham Robinson, parishioners in the congregation of Saint Anne's.

#### ***Pray for those whose need is ongoing:***

David & Jo & family, Glen & Irene, Marj Desbrow, Liesel Cole, Jan Embrey, Enid and Susanne Mallon.

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*"Forget the former things; do not dwell on the past. See, I am doing a new thing! Now it springs up; do you not perceive it?"*  
*Isaiah 43.18—19*

**Giving:** Envelopes are available at each centre. To deposit offerings:  
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Diocese of Brisbane—Parish of Rosewood  
*Rosewood, Marburg, Lowood, Hidden Vale*

## 21 SEPTEMBER 2025 FIFTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



### Today's Services

#### **Saint Luke's Rosewood**

8:00am (Rev'd John Simons)

5:00pm Prayer, Praise & Proclamation (Rev'd John Simons)

#### **All Saints, Marburg**

10:30am Morning Prayer

#### **Saint Anne's, Hidden Vale**

10:30am (Rev'd John Simons)

### Next Week

#### **Saint Luke's Rosewood**

8:00am (Rev'd John Simons)

5:00pm Prayer, Praise & Proclamation (Rev'd John Simons)

#### **All Saints, Marburg**

10:30am (Rev'd John Simons)

### **Bible Readings**

Jeremiah 8.18—9.1  
Psalm 79.1—9  
1 Timothy 3.14—4.6  
Luke 16.1—13

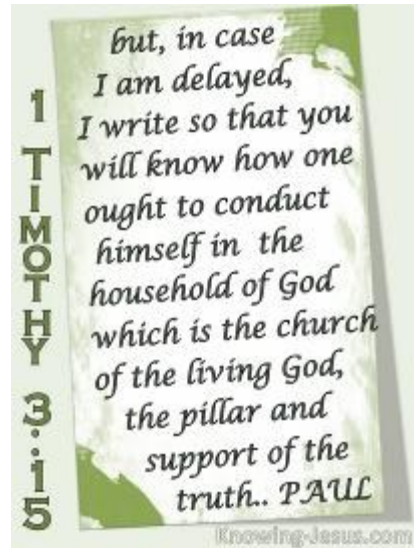
### ***Reflect on today's sentence***

*You know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, yet for your sake he became poor, so that by his poverty you might become rich.*  
*2 Corinthians 8.9*

**As we gather in the various churches of our parish, we acknowledge the traditional custodians of this land, the Jagera, Yuggera and Ugarapul peoples, and their elders past and present. We honour the connection the traditional custodians have with this land.**

### Prayer of the Day

O God,  
you are rich in love for your people:  
show us the treasure that endures  
and, when we are tempted by greed,  
call us back into your service  
and make us worthy to be entrusted with  
the wealth that never fails.  
We ask this through your Son, our Lord  
Jesus Christ,  
who lives and reigns with you in the unity  
of the Holy Spirit  
one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**



### **1Tim 3: 14-16; 4-1-6**

vs 14-15 'THE CHURCH, THE HOUSEHOLD OF GOD, THE PILLAR OF TRUTH, ROOTED IN THE GOSPEL OF JESUS CHRIST.'

\* A call on the church to enjoy God's steadfast love and presence and to reflect this in our speech and conduct.

'We have been created to Glorify God and enjoy Him forever' (Westminster Shorter Catechism)

\*Our role as a church: to unswervingly apply Biblical Truth and to live it out constantly.

\*v16. We Read of a 'Great and Marvellous wonder that God has given us:  
' THE MYSTERY OF A GODLINESS LIFE IN JESUS'

\*The central Truth of Christianity and is the core Christian life as exemplified in the Creeds.

His virgin Birth to His Resurrection and the Promised Holy Spirit.

\* We continue to discern God's will by praying: Jer 33:3 God says 'call to me'

\* 4:1-6. The Christians Defence and duty.

Resist all false teaching (Apostasy)

"All Scripture is God breathed and useful for teaching"

( 2 Tim 3:16-17)

\* We are God's Living household

\* We are the Pillar and Foundation of the Living Truth!

\*Our Mission is to know /live the Truth.

Amen

## ***Our Community***

**We strive to spread the Gospel through word and action within our local communities and so reflect the love of Christ**

### **Season of Creation**

From today's devotion for the Season of Creation;

*Affirmation by Hannah More Kohaus*

I am stronger than my fears  
I am wiser than my years  
I am gladder than my tears  
For I am God's image

I am better than my deeds  
I am holier than my creeds  
I am wealthier than my needs  
For I am God's image

God whose image thus I bear  
And whose likeness I shall share  
All God's glory will declare  
For I am God's image

### **Pray**

Creator God, you built the whole world and everything in it. When you created man and woman, you knew it was very good. When you created me, you made me in your own image. Be with me today so that everyone I come into contact with sees my attitude, actions, and character in such a way that reflects glory on you who created me.  
Amen

### **Christian RI Training**

"Story the Bible" workshop. Learn how to tell a Short, Accurate & Memorable Bible Story. Location Brassall

**Sat 13 & 20 Sept, 8:00am—8:00pm plus**

**Sun 14 & 21 Sept, 11:00am—6:30pm**



29 Sept—Men's group  
5 Oct—Parish Council  
2 Nov—Growing in Prayer sessions