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**CHURCHES**  
St Michael's Church & Hall  
22 Kennedy Street  
Kilcoy, Q 4515

St Mary's Church & Hall  
16 Peterson Road  
Woodford, Q 4514

**RECONCILIATION TIMES**  
**St Mary's Woodford**  
1st & 3rd weekend of the month:  
Saturday 5:00 -5:40pm  
Thursday 8:30 - 9:15 am

**St Michael's Kilcoy**  
2nd & 4th weekend of the month:  
Saturday 5:00 - 5:40pm  
OR by appointment with  
Fr Geoffrey on 0416 400 260

**ECUMENICAL:**  
**eCafe:** Last Friday of the month  
at St Mary's Hall Woodford at  
9:30 am

**VISITATIONS**  
**Woodford Correctional Centre**  
Each Friday am: Prison Ministry

**Embracia (Woodford)**  
Each Wednesday 11:15am:  
Communion Service except on the  
last Wednesday of the month,  
Mass is held.

**Aloaka (Kilcoy)**  
Communion by arrangement

**PARISH COUNCIL MEETING**  
3rd Monday of the month: 2pm at  
St Mary's Hall Woodford.

**PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL MEETING**  
2nd Mon each 2nd month at 2pm.  
St Mary's Presbytery

| 25-26 February 2017 |                 |
|---------------------|-----------------|
| Loose               | \$256.10        |
| Envelopes           | \$274.00        |
| <b>Total</b>        | <b>\$530.10</b> |

**Parish Happenings:**  
**Lent** continues: A time of reflection and preparation for the Easter season.  
  
Two programs using "Up from the Waters": (Books \$10 ea)  
  
Ecumenical session alternate weeks Sat Mary's Woodford and St Mary's Kilcoy (contact Della) and  
  
Wednesdays after 8 am Mass at Kilcoy lead by Fr Geoffrey.

- ◆ Archbishop's Lenten Message available Sat 4 & Sun 5 Mar
- ◆ 2016 Parish Finance Report on Sat 4 & Sun 5 Mar at Mass.
- ◆ Sunday 12 Mar 12:30 am—see invitations for details.



For 2017 Pilgrimages : see [www.tangney-tours.com](http://www.tangney-tours.com): contact Veronica Tedman on [veronica.tedman@gmail.com](mailto:veronica.tedman@gmail.com) or talk with Fr Geoffrey.

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**Safeguarding Children & Vulnerable Adults:** The Archdiocese of Brisbane has implemented standards of conduct for both paid and voluntary church workers to maintain a safe and health ministry environment. Our commitment to these standard requires that we conduct background referencing for all persons who intend to engage in paid & voluntary ministry having direct and regular involvement with children, young people and vulnerable adults.  
**Local Safeguarding Officers (LSO):**  
Kilcoy: Anne Barradeen  
Woodford: Derek Evans  
Phone the office number and leave your name and a number and the LSO will return your call.

| Woodford          | This week (4-5 Mar) | Next Week (11-12) |
|-------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| Hall Cleaner      | Lyn Holmes          | Lyn Holmes        |
| Church Cleaner    | Irene Christie      | Irene Christie    |
| Gardens           | Harvey Nicholson    | Harvey Nicholson  |
| Readers           | Sharon Haug         | Pam Cuskelly      |
|                   | Barry McKenna       | Mike Christie     |
| Special Ministers | Ross Stewart        | Vonnie Bischoff   |
|                   | John Burton         | John Burton       |
|                   | Jackie Lane         | Barry McKenna     |
| Embracia          | Jackie & Eileen     | Jackie & Eileen   |

| Kilcoy            | Next Week (4-5 Feb) | Next Week (11-12 Mar) |
|-------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| Hall Cleaner      | Arkley & Kay L      | Arkley & Kay L        |
| Church Cleaner    | Anne Barradeen      | Anne Barradeen        |
| Yard/Mower        | Jim S & David M     | Jim S & David M       |
| Readers           | Pam Cuskelly        | Mary Burt             |
|                   | Terry Pender        | Terry Gabbedy         |
| Special Ministers | Anne Barradeen      | Anne Barradeen        |
|                   | Joan Stanton        | Valerie Goosen        |

**Prayer Intentions**  
For the sick: **Laurie Bechley, John Benson, Loycito Dampil, Daphne Davis, Cheryl Evans, James Feekery, Charlie Fletcher, Jane Handsley, Judy Holman, Brian Howard, Mal Howitt, Des Maguire, Jasmine Neurendorf, Trevor Philips, Carmel Pitman, Beth Poulton, Joan Rosewarn, Brian Sadler, Adele Scott, Ivy Turner, Nikki Williams**  
For those who died recently: **Fr Bruce Little (Rockhampton/Brisbane), Frances (Francie) Nell, Rosa Just (Anton's sister), Mary-Anne Van der Weide, Fr Dan Moore (Rockhampton/Ireland),**  
For those with anniversaries occurring in March: **Christopher Agu (Fr Geoffrey's Uncle), Kay Ahern, Leo Baker, Pat Cuskelly, Pat Flynn, Fr. Emeka Onwubiko, Neville Frost, Doris Mitchell, Keith McKenzie, Mick McPhail, Debbie Owen, Warwick Parer, Ron Parker, Maurice Pugibet, Bishop Michael Putney, Jemi Welch, Reg Welch, Stanley Williams**  
*Please complete form to include you family and friends on 'Prayer Intentions'.*

**St Vincent de Paul Conference**  
Telephone number for assistance: **0488 727 345**  
in Woodford and Kilcoy areas  
Please leave a message & someone will return your call.

Dinia says: "My life is much better now. It is much easier. As much as possible I will try to help [my neighbours] so that we are on the same level. I have a feeling of contentment, being able to help others."

**A VOCATION VIEW - First Sunday of Lent A:**  
Lent is a season of renewal, of spiritual growth. These forty penitential days invite us to strive for our true calling.  
To talk to someone about your vocation, contact the Vocation Centre: 07) 3324 3351. [vocation@bne.catholic.net.au](mailto:vocation@bne.catholic.net.au) [www.catholicpriesthood.com](http://www.catholicpriesthood.com)

| MASS TIMES         |               |   |                    |                    |                         |                                      |
|--------------------|---------------|---|--------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Monday             | Tuesday       | Wednesday   | Thursday           | Friday             | Saturday                | Sunday                               |
| <b>March</b>       |               |   |                    |                    | 4th: 6pm Woodford       | 5th: 8am Kilcoy                      |
| 6th: 8am Woodford  | 7th: NO MASS  | 8th: 8am Kilcoy   | 9th: 8am Woodford  | 10th: 8am Woodford | 11th: 6pm Kilcoy        | 12th: 8am Woodford                   |
| 13th: 8am Woodford | 14th: NO MASS | 15th: 8am Kilcoy  | 16th: 8am Woodford | 17th: 8am Woodford | 18th: 6pm Woodford      | 19th: 8am Kilcoy<br>19th: 4pm Mt Mee |
| 20th: 8am Woodford | 21st: NO MASS | 22nd: 8am Kilcoy<br>22nd: First Rite of Penance, Kilcoy | 23rd: 8am Woodford | 24th: 8am Woodford | 25th: 6pm Kilcoy        | 26th: 8am Woodford                   |
| 27th: 8am Woodford | 28th: NO MASS | 29th: 8am Kilcoy  | 30th: 8am Woodford | 31st: 8am Woodford | 1st: April 6pm Woodford | 2nd: 8am Kilcoy                      |



MARCH: Sunday 12 at 12:30 pm 20th Anniversary of Ecumenism in Stanley River at Woodford—see invitations in churches  
MARCH: NOTE: CHANGE OF DATE for First Rite of Penance  
APRIL: Late in the month: First Rite of Penance initial meeting  
MAY: Late in the month: First Rite of Penance Sacrament  
JUNE: Saturday 3 at 11 am Woodford: Covenant celebration  
JULY: Saturday 1 at 10:30 am Woodford Community Hall: High Tea & Fashion Parade  
AUGUST: Parish Fest at Kilcoy: date to be finalised  
OCTOBER: Sunday 29 at 8 am Kilcoy: Confirmation  
DECEMBER: Friday 1 at 4:30 pm Woodford: Christmas Bazaar



**EASTER ACTIVITY TIMES:**  
Stations of the Cross: Fridays during Lent at Woodford in the Garden of Tranquillity after 8 am Mass  
Passion Sunday: Sat 8 Apr: 6 pm Kilcoy  
Sun 9 Apr: 8am Woodford  
Holy Thursday: Thu 13 Apr: 6pm Woodford  
Good Friday: Fri 14 Apr: 10am Stations of the Cross  
Woodford  
3pm Veneration of the Cross  
Kilcoy  
Easter Vigil: Sat 15 Apr: 6 pm Woodford  
Easter Sunday: Sun 16 Apr: 8 am Kilcoy

Lenten Message from the Archbishop: is available on an A4 printout at the front of the churches.

The Parish Financial Report is available at the front of the churches.

**Dinia's story - the Philippines: Love Your Neighbour**  
With the help of a program supported by Caritas Australia, Dinia gained the skills to earn a better income for her children and help neighbours in her vulnerable community. Dinia's story is a story of healing, through her own skill and perseverance, and through support from a Caritas-Australia funded program. Living in the Philippines, she struggled daily with poverty in a country with many vulnerable communities.  
People living in rural and coastal areas have very little access to basic services. They face extreme weather events, environmental degradation and the effects of internal conflict and have little hope of a sustainable income. For Dinia, the untimely death of her husband meant an end to his small income and a greater struggle to feed and educate her children.  
She struggled alone, facing a future without hope, until her community encouraged her to participate in the Socio Pastoral Action Center Foundation Inc. (SPACFI) program supported by Caritas Australia. The program foregrounds the need to work together for the common good, awakening Dinia's innate generosity and leadership qualities. She was able to learn about organic farming, managing livestock, and starting a small business.

Working hand in hand with communities around the world

**Love YOUR NEIGHBOUR**

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