

MARY MOTHER OF THE CHURCH CATHOLIC PARISH IVANHOE

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4th May 2019

NOTICE OF ELECTION TO PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL & NOMINATION FORM

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Parishioners of Mary Mother of the Church Catholic Parish Ivanhoe are invited to nominate fellow parishioners to our new Parish Pastoral Council to be elected after each Mass **on the weekend of 22nd/23rd June**. Nine people are to be elected.

All parishioners who are on the Parish Census are eligible to propose a nominee and / or vote in the election. If you are unsure if you are on the Parish Census you should contact the Parish Office and / or complete a Parish Census form which is available in the foyer of each church.

ROLE DESCRIPTION

The Parish Pastoral Council (PPC) is at the heart of our Parish Leadership Team and is the principal source of advice to the Parish Priest on pastoral matters in the Parish. The PPC shares in the responsibility for the ongoing life, mission and development of the Parish community and through its goals and objectives works collaboratively with the Parish Priest, and with each other, in planning for the future of the Parish by setting and keeping under review pastoral planning for our faith community, advancing the Parish vision and the building up of the Kingdom of God.

A member of the Parish Pastoral Council will be

- ✚ Baptised and Confirmed and committed to regular attendance at Mass
- ✚ a Parishioner of Mary Mother of the Church Catholic Parish Ivanhoe
- ✚ actively involved in the life of the Parish and committed to its values of Inclusiveness, Hospitality, Service and Mission
- ✚ a participant in the Parish Stewardship / Thanksgiving Program
- ✚ able to listen to other parishioners and work collaboratively in a team
- ✚ committed to attending regular meetings (PPC meets 6 times a year)

Those duly elected will be required to have a current 'Working with Children Check' and must sign the Parish's 'Child Safety Code of Conduct'.

NOMINATION

Elected representatives will serve a two year term. No PPC member may serve more than three consecutive terms.

Nominations must be made in writing to the Parish Priest at least three weeks prior to the scheduled election. **Nominations will close on June 2nd** and be published on June 9th.

A digital Photo (Headshot / Passport style) of the Nominee must either be provided or arrangements made for a photo to be taken at the parish office. Please email or text digital photos to the Parish Priest at bill.edebohls@cam.org.au or [0427 879 733](tel:0427879733)

NOMINATION FORM (Please print clearly in BLOCK letters)

I _____ (the undersigned Proposer) do nominate

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

as a member of the Parish Pastoral Council.

Signature of Proposer _____

Signature of Nominee (person accepting nomination) _____

The person nominated is asked to write a brief personal biography and a description of their participation in the life of the Parish. (Approx. 150 words)

This nomination needs to be received by the Parish Office (together with a digital photo) by **June 2nd**.

Date received ___/___/_____