



Little Flower Church Kedron
Parish of St Thérèse and St Anthony
In the care of the Franciscan Friars

15th April 2015

All Staff, Volunteers, Parish Members, Visitors and Contractors

NO SMOKING POLICY

In accordance with Queensland Government regulations, the Parish Community of St Therese of Lisieux and St Anthony of Padua, has a total ban on smoking **on all Church precincts**. The ban affects all buildings including the Church, the Parish Hall, car parks and all Church and Hall grounds.

This ban applies to all persons entering the Kedron Parish Church and Hall premises including all employees, volunteers, parish members, visitors, contractors and employees of any other organisation.

The ban is in line with the Tobacco and Other Smoking Products Act 1998 and the Workplace Health and Safety Act 1995 by providing employees, parishioners and all those visiting the Kedron Parish premises with a healthier physical environment. This policy is also in line with changes to Government Legislations and regulations, and the Queensland Government Smoking Policy.

Smoking is NOT PERMITTED in the following places:

- ◆ On all Kedron Parish Church and Hall precincts
- ◆ Within four metres of an entrance to the Kedron Parish Church, Parish Office, Parish Hall and car parks
- ◆ Within 10 metres of any part of a student's recreational area (including a footpath if it falls within 10 metres of any part of the recreational area).

Designated smoking areas are not permitted on Church precincts.

Visitors and volunteers to the Church precincts who breach this policy will be kindly asked to extinguish and dispose of their cigarettes appropriately.

No Smoking signs have been placed at main entry points to the Kedron Church and Hall properties and throughout the buildings.

We thank you for your respect of this policy.

Fr Stephen Bliss ofm
Parish Priest

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