

## Religious services

There are chapels across all three Mater campuses.

Chapels are located on:

- level 2, Mater Hospital Brisbane
- level 5, Mater Mothers' Hospitals
- level 6, Mater Private Hospital Brisbane
- level 3, Salmon Building
- ground floor, Mater Private Hospital Redland
- level 2, Mater Private Hospital Springfield.

Catholic Mass and services are held in each location. Please check the notice boards outside the chapels for service times.

These sacred spaces are available for you to visit for your own individual time outside the scheduled service times.

If you require a multifaith space, speak to a member of staff.

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### Redland campus

P 07 3163 7436

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### Springfield campus

P 07 3163 3920

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### South Brisbane campus

P 07 3163 6729

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# Pastoral Care

## Care for the whole person



# Pastoral Care at Mater

## What is Pastoral care?

Pastoral Care is concerned for you holistically, which includes your physical, emotional, social and spiritual wellbeing.

Pastoral Care at Mater supports the entire clinical team in providing holistic care to patients, carers and their families.

A Pastoral Care Practitioner will seek to visit you during your stay in hospital. You may also request a visit by asking a member of your healthcare team.

Pastoral Care is offered with sensitivity to the needs and wishes of patients and their families.

## Pastoral Care Practitioners

- listen to your story and concerns
- support you in times of grief and loss
- be with you in times of both joy and sadness
- offer emotional and spiritual support
- provide prayerful and sacramental support when requested
- contact other faith group representatives on your behalf.

## Mater's Mission

In the spirit of the Sisters of Mercy, Mater offers compassionate service to the sick and needy, promotes an holistic approach to healthcare in response to changing community needs and fosters high standards in health-related education and research. Following the example of Christ the Healer, we commit ourselves to offering these services without discrimination.

## Mater's Values

- Mercy
- Dignity
- Care
- Commitment
- Quality