

# Our Lady Star of the Sea Parish 38 Herbert Street Gladstone Qld 4680

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ -11 June 2023

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#### **PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

Monday: 10:30am—4pm Tues, Thurs: Fri: 9am—4pm

Wed: 1pm—4pm

#### **PARISH TEAM**

**Parish Priest** 

Fr Andrew Chase

**Assistant Priest** 

Fr Ashwin Acharya

**Parish Secretary** 

Maree Roobottom

Finance /Admin Officer

Joanne Cannon

Faith Co-Ordinator

Hayley Lanzon

## OUR PARISH INCLUDES THE COMMUNITIES OF:

**Agnes Water** 

Calliope

Gladstone

Miriam Vale

Mt. Larcom

**Tannum Sands** 

Ubobo

#### PARISH SCHOOLS

St Francis (Tannum Sands)

4973 3600

St John Baptist (Gladstone)

4978 1799

Star of the Sea (Gladstone)

4972 1305

Chanel College (Gladstone)

4973 4700

#### LITURGIES THIS WEEK

#### **WEEKDAY MASSES:**

Tuesday 13 June: Star of the Sea, Gladstone—5:30pm Wednesday 14 June: Star of the Sea, Gladstone—7am Thursday 15 June: Chanel College, Gladstone—10:40am

Friday 16 June: Star of the Sea, Gladstone—9am

#### **WEEKEND MASSES:**

#### Saturday 17 June

St Peter Chanel, Tannum—6pm

#### **Sunday 18 June**

Star of the Sea, Gladstone—8am & 6pm

St Mary's, Ubobo-11am

St Agnes, Agnes Water—12pm Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion

#### SACRAMENT OF PENANCE (RECONCILIATION)

Saturday 17 June: Star of the Sea, Gladstone—8:30am to 9:20am Saturday 17 June: St Peter Chanel, Tannum—5:15pm to 5:45pm

#### **EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**

Saturday 17 June Star of the Sea, Gladstone—8:30 to 9:30am

#### PRAY FOR THE GIFT OF KNOWLEDGE

The fifth gift is Knowledge. We might wonder what the difference is between wisdom, understanding and knowledge? Perhaps there's something trinitarian here, where the gifts are somehow substantially the same and yet somehow distinct in their relation and action. This makes sense, given that the three gifts are linked to the theological virtues: *understanding* to *faith*, *knowledge* to *hope*, and *wisdom* to *love*.

Wisdom brings the desire to *value properly* what we believe, ordering things by our love for God. Understanding, at once speculative and practical and yet more than mere intellectual ascent, brings *certitude*; it is to *grasp the essence* of the truths we believe. Finally, the Gift of Knowledge (as distinct from "head knowledge") fulfills and "carries out" the former gifts. Both Wisdom and Knowledge are considered 'the perfection of faith', but where Wisdom is the *desire*, and Understanding is the *grasp*, Knowledge is *actually being able to do* what we desire and grasp in faith – as well as in hope, and love. Knowledge sees life through God's eyes. In short, it puts into action what Wisdom and Understanding have made visible and within our reach.

Come, Holy Spirit, pour on us your gift of knowledge. Having purified our faith with wisdom and understanding, help us, everywhere and always, to serve you faithfully, to put our faith into consistent, coherent, concrete action.

Amen.

- Fr Ashwin



#### SAFEGUARDING TRAINING

WHEN: Thursday 15 June

WHERE: St Peter Chanel Church, Tannum—11am

OR

Star of the Sea Parish Hall—5:30pm

Please note that the National Professional Standards office, which governs matters of safeguarding in our church, requires all clergy, religious, parish staff, and anyone who performs any type of ministry or volunteer work in the church to attend this training yearly.

If you have any questions please contact the parish office. Email sosgladstone@rok.catholic.net.au or phone 49721025.

# ST VINCENT PALLOTTI SCHOLARSHIP TRUST

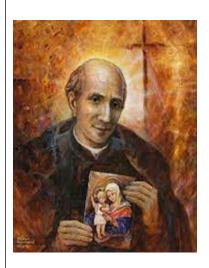
The St Vincent Pallotti Scholarship
Trust offers scholarships to enable lay
people to further their understanding
and skills in leadership/ministry or a
specialised activity, such as promoting
faith enhancement, social justice and
pastoral care.

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are available on our website

## pallottine.org.au/svpscholarship

Closing Date 4 August 2023



Seek God and you will find God

Seek God in all things and you will find God in all things

Seek God always and you will find God always

ST VINCENT PALLOTTI



#### **WELCOME BISHOP MICHAEL**

This weekend we welcome Bishop Michael to our parish for his annual pastoral visit. He will be visiting our schools, celebrating the Sacrament of Confirmation, and celebrating our Sunday Eucharist with us.

#### **CONGRATULATIONS!**

Congratulations to the children confirmed on Saturday 10 June. We wish them every blessing in their life of faith and pray that the Gifts of the Holy Spirit they received will help them to live their faith to the full and draw closer to Jesus Christ.

As a parish community please pray for the children.

#### **WOMEN OF WORTH RETREAT**

Women are invited to a retreat "To Love and Be Loved" hosted by Women of Worth on Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> June 10am-4pm at St Francis Primary School.

Lunch and child-minding provided. Questions and RSVP to Hayley at <a href="mailto:hayley.lanzon@hotmail.com">hayley.lanzon@hotmail.com</a>.

#### **PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES**

The planned giving envelopes for 2023/2024 financial year are available for collection at the church door this weekend. Thank you for your support of our Parish.

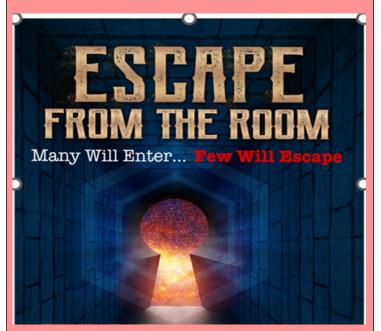
#### **ROSARY GROUP**

You are invited to come and pray the rosary for members of our parish who are sick or in need of prayer.

The group will meet in the parish chapel on Thursday

15 June at 9:45am, followed by a Shared BYO morning tea. All parishioners are warmly invited.

# SOS YOUTH EVENTS PRESENTS for high school aged young people:



THE WAY OUT ESCAPE ROOM
5/25 TANK ST. GLADSTONE
FRIDAY 16<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 5.30PM TILL 8.30PM

\$10 includes dinner

**BOOKINGS – BERNADETTE 0417513515** 

#### PLEASE NOTE

Please note that due to the recent break-in, Star of the Sea Church will remained closed outside of liturgy times until repairs are completed.

#### Save the Date

## June 23-25 – Growing Good Men. Father and Son weekend Experience, to be held in Redland Bay.

Growing Good Men is an experientially-based program which encourages and enables fathers and sons to strengthen their relationship and to explore important issues of growing into manhood. It is designed for fathers and their adolescent sons aged 12 to 16 years. Link to registration:

https://app.tickets.org.au/MA/GGM2023

July 14-16 - MAX2023 is a National Catholic Gathering of Men that will be held in Brisbane in July 2023. This year's theme is **BEHOLD!** This gathering is an awesome experience so save the date and **let's go to be inspired.** More info www.menalive.org.au

Note: carpooling is an option if we can get a good number from the parish. Phone Josh 0408 443 419

#### ROSTER AVAILABILITY



We are compiling the ministries roster for the months of July to October.

If you are not available anytime during this period, please contact the parish office as soon as possible.

Thank you for your support.

#### **BIBLE STUDY AND MEDITATION**



Bible study group and Luncheon Meditation will be held at the parish office each Tuesday at the following times.

Bible Study: 11:00am Meditation: 12:30pm

St. Francis of Assisi
"Where there is rest and meditation, there is neither anxiety nor restlessness."

#### **NEW LIFE CHARISMATIC**



The Praise and Worship Prayer meetings will recommence at the normal times.

Thursday 22nd June commencing at 7pm in the parish hall.
All welcome.

For more information contact Maryanne on mobile 0409 898 895

#### **READINGS NEXT WEEKEND**

#### **Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time Yr A**

1st Reading: Exodus 19:2-6 2nd Reading: Romans 5:6-11 Gospel: Matthew 9:36-10:8

Want the readings for Mass today? Scan this code with your smart phone:



#### **DIOCESAN MONTHLY NEWSLETTER**

To view the Diocesan Newsletter:

rok.catholic.net.au/news-events/bishops-newsletter

We acknowledge the Gooreng Gooreng, Bailai, Gurang, and Taribelang Bunda people, traditional custodians of what we now call Gladstone.

#### STAR OF THE SEA LITURGY ROSTER 18 June 2023

#### Readers:

8:00am: A. Borbon, V. Norman 6:00pm: J. Emerick, Jun Pepito

#### Co-Ordinator:

8:00am: M. Conway 6:00pm: D. Gurrung-Diaz

### Minister of Holy Communion:

8:00am: M. Duncan 6:00pm: B. Emerick

#### **Data Projector:**

8:00am: M. Fernandes 6:00pm: G. Emerick

#### **Altar Servers:**

8:00am: Eva & Eli Fernandes

6:00pm: Serafina Jinto, Oneli & Nethuli Peiris

#### **PRAYER INTENTIONS**

#### For our recently deceased Sisters and Brothers

Thomas Little, Norma McLeod, Denis Mulcair, Noela Tansey, Luke Bennett, Margaret Warner, Robbie Huddleston,

#### For others who have died

Bevan James Hall, George Hanson, Rolly Andrew Hanson, Juan Borbon, Felisa Borbon, Maximo Borbon sr, Edwin Dola, Vjekoslav Kurtin, Fr Joseph Carroll, Kevin Geaney, Grace Brown, Makita Devantier, Audrey Ahern, Ernest Brown

#### For those we love who are ill and frail

Lincoln Rose, Barbara Filer, Paul Sundstrom, Tony Gibb, Eli Colin Vale, Ben Rose, Ron O'Brien, Noon Family, John & Joy Massingham, Brian Booxson, Evie Trenamen, Benjamin Gibson, Carlene Oates, Patricia Lynch, Nicole Knox, Dorothy Maudsley, Remy Scholl, Julian Watkins, Christopher Marra, Vincent Bellet, Colin and Dolly O'Sing, Jacque Rive, Cedric Philps, Dorothy Thompson, John Walker, John Judge, Terry Farrelly, Timothy Howard, Justin Nelson, Frank Blain, Amanda Ward, Stan Mobbs, Paul Van der List, Colin Tait, Stacey Eccles, Rosemary Ross, Nancy Peagam, Pat Field Lewis Tickner, Gizella Laurance, Gizella Andrews, Henry Seal Steve Laurance, George Nagy, Ron and Marsed Field,

## MANAGING COMPLAINTS IN THE DIOCESE OF ROCKHAMPTON

The Catholic Diocese of Rockhampton abides by the principles of the *National Catholic Safeguarding Standards* (2013), and is committed to safeguarding, with a specific focus on protecting children and vulnerable adults.

For further information or support, or to voice a concern, please contact the Diocesan *Professional Standards and Safequarding Office:* 

Response Line: 1800 830 113 (free call) or Email: <a href="mailto:pssoadmin@rok.catholic.net.au">pssoadmin@rok.catholic.net.au</a>

## WEEKLY LITURGY SCHEDULE OTHER THAN STAR OF THE SEA CHURCH

#### St Peter Chanel Tannum Sands

- ◆ 6:00pm Saturday Vigil Mass 1st, 3rd, and 5th Sunday of the month
- ♦ 8:00am Liturgy of the Word with Communion 2nd & 4th Sunday

#### St. Patrick's Calliope

♦ 6:00pm Saturday Vigil Mass 2nd & 4th Sunday of the month

#### Our Lady of Mt Carmel, Mt. Larcom

◆ 11:00am Mass 1st Sunday of the month

#### St Peter Chanel Miriam Vale

• 11:00am Mass 2nd Sunday of the month

### St Mary's Ubobo

◆ 11:00am Mass 3rd Sunday of the month

#### St Agnes, Agnes Water

- ◆ 12:00pm Mass 4th Sunday of the month
- Liturgy of the Word with Communion on the other Sundays at 12:00pm

#### **RECONCILIATION**

#### Star of the Sea

♦ 8:30am-9:20am Saturday

#### St Peter Chanel (Tannum Sands) & St Patrick's (Calliope)

◆ 5:15pm—5:45pm (before Vigil Mass)

#### **BAPTISMS**

Star of the Sea Church: 1st & 2nd Saturday 9:45am Other Mass Centre's: Available on request Bookings are essential. Parents are to take part in a baptism preparation class held on the 4th Sunday of the month in the Parish Hall 38 Herbert St. Gladstone.

#### **ROSARY**

#### Star of the Sea

- ◆ 1st Saturday of the month after the 8:30am Mass
- 3rd Thursday of the month Parish Chapel 9:45am

#### St Peter Chanel, Tannum Sands

♦ Each Wednesday 10:00am

#### **MEDITATION**

Star of the Sea—Tuesday, Parish Chapel 12:30pm

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