



# Our Lady Star of the Sea Parish

38 Herbert Street Gladstone Qld 4680

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B – 20 October 2024

## PARISH OFFICE AND CONTACTS

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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 Peter Doherty

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:

Monday 21 October: Gladstone Mission to Seafarers Chapel | 1:00pm

Tuesday 22 October: Star of the Sea | 5:30pm

Wednesday 23 October: Star of the Sea | 7:00am

Thursday 24 October: Chanel College | 10:40am

Friday 25 October: Star of the Sea | 9:00am

### SUNDAY MASSES

#### **Saturday 26 October**

St Patrick's, Calliope | 5:00pm

#### **Sunday 27 October**

Star of the Sea, Gladstone | 8:00am and 6:00pm

St Peter Chanel, Tannum | 8:00am *Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion*

St Agnes, Agnes Water | 11:00am

### SACRAMENT OF PENANCE (RECONCILIATION)

#### **Saturday 26 October**

Star of the Sea, Gladstone | 8:30am to 9:20am

St Patrick's, Calliope | 4:15pm to 4:45pm

### EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

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## *Did you know?*

The twelve "minor prophets" of the Old Testament are so named due to the brevity of their books, but their teachings are equally inspired. The New Vulgate (the official text of the Bible of the Catholic Church) orders them chronologically based on tradition, covering a period of around 500 years. Here's a brief overview of a few key prophets:

**Amos**, a shepherd turned prophet in the 8th century, condemned social injustice, exploitation of the poor, and insincere worship in the prosperous northern kingdom. He warned of exile but offered hope for a remnant of salvation.

**Hosea**, a contemporary of Amos, depicted Israel's infidelity to God through the metaphor of marriage, calling for repentance and a return to God's love.

**Micah** emphasized humility, justice, and charity over material offerings. He prophesied the Messiah's birth in Bethlehem and a future restoration.

Post-exile prophets like **Haggai** and **Zechariah** urged the rebuilding of the Temple, promising a messianic future. **Malachi** warned of lax devotion and foretold the coming of the Messiah and his precursor, John the Baptist.

These prophets collectively emphasize repentance, justice, and hope for salvation, culminating in messianic promises fulfilled in the New Testament.

*Fr Peter*

# STAR OF THE SEA CENTENARY MEMORABILIA

Commemorative items available to purchase:



Centenary  
Coffee Mug - \$15



Centenary  
Wine Glass - \$15



Centenary  
Chardonnay - \$15



Centenary  
Cabernet Merlot - \$15



Centenary Tote Bag - \$5



Centenary Handball - \$5

Please contact the parish office to purchase your keepsake of the centenary

## NOVEMBER MASS INTENTIONS

November is a special month of the year for prayers for those who have died. If you would like to have Masses offered for the souls of a loved one, please complete an envelope located at the church doors. Completed envelopes can be placed in the collection or dropped into the parish office. These envelopes will be placed on the altar throughout November to allow us to remember all our departed brothers and sisters.

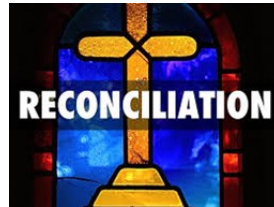
## CENTENARY MASS CHOIR



Would you like to be a part of our special choir for the Centenary Mass on 17<sup>th</sup> November?

Numbers are limited due to space, so please contact Irene Davison (Ph: 0438722098) to register your interest and for information about rehearsals.

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION



Please keep in your prayers the children who are preparing to receive the sacrament of Reconciliation next month.

## CATHOLIC MISSION APPEAL



We would like to thank you for your generosity supporting the Church in Mongolia and House of Mercy.

Thanks to your kindness, people like Chuluunbaatar will have access to the support they need to help them get back on their feet. Your gift will also

support a variety of Church programs around the world

To learn more about the impact your support is making, please visit [catholicmission.org.au/our-work](http://catholicmission.org.au/our-work). Here, you can also sign up to our regular newsletter to keep up to date with the latest news. If you have not yet had the opportunity to give, please do so at [catholicmission.org.au/mongolia](http://catholicmission.org.au/mongolia). Your action will make a profound change on people's lives.



Freecall: 1800 257 296  
[catholicmission.org.au/mongolia](http://catholicmission.org.au/mongolia)

## ALL SOULS DAY MASS—2 NOVEMBER



On Saturday 2 November, the feast of All Souls Day, we will be celebrating Mass at the following times.

**8:00am Port Curtis Lawn Cemetery, Gladstone**

**9:00am Boyne Tannum Memorial Parklands**

Please bring your own chair, and also insect repellent.

Please note there will be no Reconciliation or Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament in Star of the Sea Church that day.



WOW HOST

# Dinnertime Catechesis

WITH FR ANDREW

Conversations of faith  
and a  
Shared Meal  
6pm

Friday 25th October  
Parish Hall  
Herbert St, Gladstone  
BYO plate to share

## STAR OF THE SEA - YOUTH EVENTS

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### Barefoot Bowling

Friday, 4th October @ Gladstone Bowls Club  
6pm-8pm  
\$10 entry (dinner provided)



### Rock Climbing

Saturday, 19th October @ Tannum Sands Recreation Centre  
6:30pm-8pm (after 5pm mass)  
\$10 entry (climbing, mini golf, dinner, and a guest speaker)



### Beach Banquet

Friday, 1st November @ Tannum Sands Beach  
6pm-8pm  
Free entry (banquet, soccer, dinner, prayer, and formation)



### Centenary Weekend

Sat/Sun, 16th/17th November @ Star of the Sea Church  
6pm-8pm  
Be a part of parish activities across the weekend



### Soul Survivor Camp Weekend

Sat/Sun, 30th November & 1st December  
Camp Akuna Pikes Crossing  
Stretch your physical and spiritual muscles and  
experience our local landscape



### SOS Youth Events Christmas Breakup

Saturday, December 7th @ Star of the Sea Parish Hall  
6pm-8pm  
Play a fun game of Murder Mystery in your Christmas gear

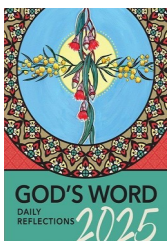


Contact Bernadette at 0417 513 515 for more  
information

## GOD'S WORD—DAILY REFLECTIONS 2025

### BREAK OPEN THE WORD

If you ordered a copy of the  
publications God's Word or  
Break Open the Word they  
are available for collection  
from the parish office.



DO YOU WANT TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE  
IN OUR COMMUNITY? YOU'RE INVITED TO

## Join the St Joseph's Online Conference

We are taking expressions of interest.  
Meetings are monthly, online via Microsoft Teams.  
Training will be provided.

### HOW YOUR PASSION AND SKILLS CAN HELP MAKE A DIFFERENCE

- Provide a **listening** ear to people in difficult situations, over the phone or internet especially during Christmas
- Arrange material **assistance** where needed
- **Refer** and **guide** people to other community sources of help
- **Enhance** and **share** your faith journey with other like-minded people in a virtual environment
- Use technology and input data
- **Make remote payments**
- **Help** people and more...

Express your interest by scanning the QR code  
or emailing: [membership.rocky@svdpqld.org.au](mailto:membership.rocky@svdpqld.org.au)  
National Police Check will be required.



St Vincent de Paul Society  
QUEENSLAND

good works

### NEW LIFE CHARISMATIC

Praise and Worship Prayer meetings will be held on  
the following dates.

**Oct 24, Nov 14 & 28 | Parish Centre | 7pm**

For information contact Maryanne 0409898895

### BIBLE STUDY AND MEDITATION

Bible study group meditation will be held on Tuesday  
at the Parish Centre.

**Bible Study: 11.00am - 12.00pm Meditation: 12:30pm**

We look forward to seeing you.

### READINGS NEXT WEEKEND

**30th Sunday Year B**

#### First Reading

♦ Jeremiah 31:7-9

#### Second Reading

♦ Hebrew 5:1-6

#### Gospel

♦ Mark 10:46-52

Readings for  
Mass today?



DIOCESAN MONTHLY NEWSLETTER To view:

[rok.catholic.net.au/news-events/bishops-newsletter](http://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  
27 OCTOBER 2024**

**Readers:**

8:00am: J. Barry, D. Jordan

6:00pm: A. Babijis, J. Pepito

**Co-Ordinator:**

8:00am: M. Duncan

6:00pm: A. Rowe

**Minister of Holy Communion:**

8:00am: **Body:** H. Vale **Choir:** A. Platt

**Chalice:** M. Hodge, E. Hughes

6:00pm: **Body:** M. Reyes

**Chalice:** M. Shaw, S. Manhertz

**Data Projector:**

8:00am: R. Mathew

6:00pm: R. Babijis

**Altar Servers:**

8:00am: John Paul and Michael Erohubie

6:00pm M. Mitchell

**Church Cleaners:** Clare Aranda, Lenin Germosen



**PRAYER INTENTIONS**

**For our recently deceased Sisters and Brothers**

John Mullane, Rhonda Smith, Dithma Petitt, John Condon, Paul Smith

**For other Sisters and Brothers**

Patricia Pereira, Ameurfina Vivas, Aaron Duane Liddell, Felisa Borbon, Juan Borbon, Maximo Borbon Sr, Edwin Diola, Peter Singh, George Michael Singh, Anne Goyen, Dick Baynton, Ken & Ursula Farlow, Brigid O'Hagan, Susan Freeman

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

Barbara Filer, Tony Gibb, Eli Colin Vale, Ron O'Brien, Noon Family, John & Joy Massingham, Brian Booxson, Evie Trenamen, Patricia Lynch, Nicole Knox, Julian Watkins, Christopher Marra, Vincent Bellet, Colin and Dolly O'Sing, Jacque Rive, Cedric Philps, John Walker, Dorothy Thompson, John Judge, Timothy Howard, Justin Nelson, Frank Blain, Amanda Ward, Stan Mobbs, Paul Van der List, Stacey Eccles, Rosemary Ross, Lewis Tickner, Gizella Laurance, Gizella Andrews, Henry Seal, Steve Laurance, George Nagy, Salude Marshman, Matthew Mohorovic, Sally Donovan, Henry Norman, Joanne Pond, Gerard Watts, Rosie Baravilala, Glenda Romagnolo, Silvia Walker, Craig Jenkinson, Diane Janas, Linda Benz, Valmai Macleod, Dennis Swadling, Julieanne Jarram

**MANAGING COMPLAINTS**

**IN THE DIOCESE OF ROCKHAMPTON**

The Catholic Diocese of Rockhampton abides by the principles of the *National Catholic Safeguarding Standards (2022)*, and is committed to Safeguarding Children and Adults at Risk. For further information or support, or to voice a concern, please contact the *Diocesan Professional Standards and Safeguarding Office:*

Response Line: 1800 830 113 (free call) or

Email: [pssoadmin@rok.catholic.net.au](mailto:pssoadmin@rok.catholic.net.au)

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

**St Peter Chanel Tannum Sands**

◆ 5:00pm 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**

◆ 5:00pm 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**

◆ 11:00am Mass 4th Sunday of the month

◆ Liturgy of the Word with Communion on the 1st & 3rd Sundays at 11:00am

**RECONCILIATION**

**Star of the Sea**

◆ 8:30am-9:20am Saturday

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

◆ 4:15pm—4:45pm (*before Vigil Mass*)

**BAPTISMS**

**Star of the Sea Church:** 1st & 2nd Saturday 9:45am

**Other Mass Communities** ~ Available on request

Bookings are essential. Parents are to take part in a baptism preparation class held on the 1st Sunday of the month in the Parish Hall at 9:15am, 38 Herbert St Gladstone.

**ROSARY**

**Star of the Sea Church**

◆ Saturdays 9:30am

**St Peter Chanel Church**

◆ Each Wednesday 10:00am

**Parish Centre Chapel**

◆ 3rd Thursday of the month 9:45am

**MEDITATION**

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

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