

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

The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ — 22 June 2025

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Mon | 10:30am-4pm Tues, Thurs, Fri | 9am-4pm Wed | 9am-12pm

PARISH TEAM

Parish Priest

Fr Andrew Chase

Assistant Priest

Fr Peter Doherty

Parish Secretary

Emma May

Finance /Admin Officer

Joanne Cannon

Faith Co-Ordinator

Hayley Lanzon

OUR PARISH INCLUDES THE COMMUNITIES OF:

Agnes Water

Calliope

Gladstone

Miriam Vale

Mount Larcom

Tannum Sands

Ubobo

PARISH SCHOOLS

St Francis (Tannum Sands)

(07) 4973 3600

St John Baptist (Gladstone)

(07) 4978 1799

Star of the Sea (Gladstone)

(07) 4972 1305

Chanel College (Gladstone)

(07) 4973 4700

LITURGIES THIS WEEK

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Tuesday 24 June: Star of the Sea | 5:30pm

Wednesday 25 June: Star of the Sea | 7:00am Thursday 26 June: Chanel College | 10:40am

Friday 27 June: Star of the Sea | 9:00am

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday 28 June

St Peter Chanel, Tannum Sands | 5:00pm

Sunday 29 June

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

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE (RECONCILIATION)

Saturday 28 June

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

St Peter Chanel, Tannum Sands | 4:15pm to 4:45pm

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Saturday 28 June

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

Did you know? =

WHAT'S A "MASS SETTING," ANYWAY?

Ever wondered what musicians mean when they talk about a Mass setting? It's not about where the Mass takes place—it's about the music!

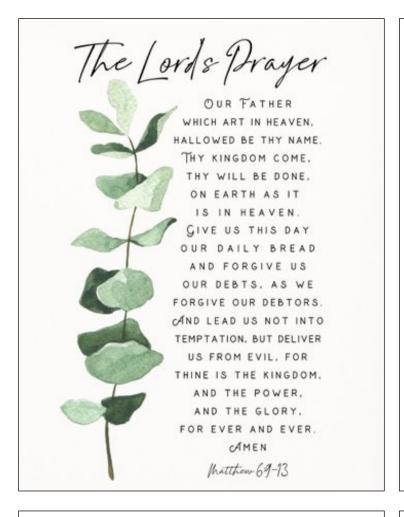
A Mass setting is a musical arrangement of the five main sung parts of the Mass:

- **Kyrie** "Lord, have mercy"
- Gloria "Glory to God in the highest"
- Credo Nicene Creed
- Sanctus "Holy, Holy, Holy"
- Agnus Dei "Lamb of God"

Composers through the ages—from monks in monasteries to modern musicians—have set these prayers to music. Some are simple and chant-like, others grand and choral. You've probably noticed different musical styles during different liturgical seasons. Different Mass settings are often selected to reflect the liturgical season.

The usual Mass Settings in our parish are: Mass of Shalom (Ordinary Time), Mass of Love (Ordinary Time), Mass of St Francis (Eastertide and Ordinary Time) and Gregorian Missal Chant (Lent and Advent)

Fr Peter



PARISH LIBRARY

This week's book |
There's Power in Your Tongue
by Maria Vadia

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This book gives practical, concrete ways to grow in the virtue of self-control by a very convicting presentation of biblical truths. Maria's personal life stories reinforce what we easily forget: that there is power in the spoken word—for good and for evil.

~ Sr. Bernadette Beamsley

Please contact the Parish Office in Gladstone for further details on how to borrow books from the Parish Library | 07 4972 1025



RETURN FROM ANNUAL LEAVE

Fr Andrew will be returning from annual leave and a much needed holiday on **Saturday 28 June.**

Please contact the Parish Office or Fr Peter if you require any assistance.



CLERGY SUPPORT FOUNDATION APPEAL

This year we celebrate the 25th anniversary of the establishment of the Clergy Support Foundation. This foundation provides the financial means to care for sick and retired priests, providing accommodation, health support and any other services they require that allow them dignity in retirement and poor health. Our priests are not employees; therefore, they do not accrue superannuation through their working life. This is where the foundation steps in.

With most of our priests working well into their seventies, providing spiritual guidance and welfare to their people, it is only fitting that this dedication and commitment is rewarded in their retirement. Your continued support is a testament to the love and respect we all hold for those who have devoted their lives to supporting us.

Thank you for your generosity at this time.



Donations can be made using the envelopes provided at Mass on the **29 June** or by scanning the QR Code.



MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION TRAINING

Formation for Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion will be held in July. Regular formation and commissioning is a requirement for this important ministry.

or would like to become one, please take note of the following training sessions and attend one of them.

This ministry is open to baptised and confirmed Catholics over the age of 16 who regularly attend Mass and who profess a genuinely Catholic belief in the Eucharist.

Please consider joining this ministry, either as a minister.

If you are an existing minister of Holy Communion,

Please consider joining this ministry, either as a minister at Mass or taking Holy Communion to the sick.

Please choose **one** of the following sessions to attend:

- Tuesday 15 July 10:30am | Star of the Sea
 Church, Gladstone
- Wednesday 16 July 11:00am | St Peter Chanel
 Church, Tannum Sands
 - ♦ Thursday 17 July 5:30pm | Star of the Sea Church, Gladstone
- Saturday 19 July 11:00am | St Patrick's Church, Calliope
- Sunday 20 July 9:30am | Star of the Sea Church,
 Gladstone
 - Monday 21 July 5:30pm | Star of the Sea Church, Gladstone



MERCY ASSOCIATES GATHERING

All Parishioners are welcome to join the Mercy Associates on Saturday 5 July 2025 at 9:30am in the Parish Hall.

Our **Guest Speaker** is **Emma May** who will share about her amazing three year trip around Australia with her husband Asher who continued with his 'fly in' 'fly out' work and their three young girls. As Emma has said "It was very rewarding while also being a 'struggle' and demanding at times".

Her family's faith and resilience helped them during this incredible time.

Please join us to hear of their adventures.



PROCESSIONAL CROSS RESTORATION

The processional cross used at Our Lady Star of the Sea was in need of maintenance and restoration to its former glory, so it has been at a specialist liturgical craftsman in Brisbane these past few weeks.

Fr Andrew will be bringing the processional cross back upon his own return from annual leave, and it will be used at the 8am and 6pm Mass in its restored state on Sunday 29 June 2025.

If any generous parishioners wish to make a donation towards the cost of the restoration, of any amount, please do so at the parish office, or by placing your contribution in an envelope during the collection during Mass clearly marked "Donation for Processional Cross Restoration".

CENACLE PRAYER GROUP GATHERING

The Cenacle of the Marian Movement of Priests Prayer Meeting | Rosary, Prayers for the Popes Intentions, Priests, Act of Consecration to the Immaculate Heart of Mary.

♦ All Welcome | Every Wednesday 9am
 Margaret Swadling's Home | 35 Heritage Drive, Telina
 If you have any enquiries please contact
 Kim Swadling | 0412 626 619

NEW LIFE PRAYER COMMUNITY

The next Prayer & Praise Meeting will be held on Monday 23 June at 6:30pm in the Parish Hall | Herbert Street

Everyone is Welcome to come and join us
 If you have any enquiries please contact
 Maryanne Shaw | 0409 898 895
 Kim Swadling | 0412 626 619

BIBLE STUDY AND MEDITATION

Bible study and Luncheon Meditation will be held on Tuesday at the Parish Centre.

- ♦ We meet from 11:00am 12:00pm on Tuesdays at the Parish Office ♦
- ♦ Meditation will also be held each week at 12:30pm in the Parish Chapel ♦

We look forward to seeing you



READINGS NEXT WEEKEND Saints Peter & Paul

Saints Peter & Pau Apostles| Year C

First Reading

♦ Acts 12: 1-11

Second Reading

2 Timothy 4: 6-8, 17-18

Gospel

Matthew 16: 13-19

Readings for Mass today?



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

DIOCESAN MONTHLY NEWSLETTER To view:

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

STAR OF THE SEA LITURGY ROSTER 29 June 2025

Readers:

8:00am: G. Guevarra, D. Travers 6:00pm: C. Manhertz, S Manhertz

Co-Ordinator:

8:00am: A. Borbon 6:00pm: A. Rowe

Minister of Holy Communion:

8:00am: **Body:** E. Schumacher, L. Balisnomo

Blood: D. Jordan, H. Vale

6:00pm: **Body:** A. Babijis

Blood: L. O'Brien, I. Liddell

Data Projector:

8:00am: A. Guevarra 6:00pm: R. Babijis

Altar Servers:

8:00am: Erohubie Brothers

6:00pm G. Falejo

Church Cleaners: E. Hughes, A. Goman, V. Owbridge,

L. Maravillas, A. Borbon



For our recently deceased Sisters and Brothers

Donald Philps, Ann Mills, Inocenciaa Estioko, Theresa Tobin

For others who have died

Edwin Diola, Lena Swadling, V. Kurtin, Estrella Lozada Gaviola, Nonoy & Lourdes Lozada, Lydia & Wilfredo Octava, Flor Candelaria, Nestor Lortez, Nestor Canete, Lolo Reynoldo Villanueva, Lolo Felix, Berting Panigbatan, Domeng Magadia, Raul Martinez, Aaron Liddell, Angela McKay

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 & Dolly O'Sing, Jacque Rive, Cedric Philps, John Walker, Dorothy Thompson, John Judge, Timothy Howard, Justin Nelson, Amanda Ward, Stan Mobbs, Paul Van der List, Stacey Eccles, Rosemary Ross, Gizella Laurance, Gizella Andrews, Henry Seal, George Nagy, Salude Marshman, Matthew Mohorovic, Sally Donovan, Henry Norman, Joanne Pond, Gerard Watts, Rosie Baravilala, Glenda Romagnolo, Silvia Walker, Craig Jenkinson, Linda Benz, Valmai Macleod, Dennis Swadling, Julieanne Jarram, Anita Tanna, Peter Vale, Henry Kramer, Robyn Cavellerie, Marianne O'Reilly

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

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 Mount Carmel, Mount 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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♦ Thank you for your support ♦