



Our Lady Star of the Sea Parish

38 Herbert Street Gladstone Qld 4680

21st Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B – 25 August 2024

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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:

Tuesday 27 August: Star of the Sea—5:30pm

Wednesday 28 August: Star of the Sea—7:00am

Thursday 29 August: Chanel College—10:40am

Friday 30 August: Star of the Sea —9:00am

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday 31 August

St Peter Chanel, Tannum— 5:00pm

Sunday 1 September

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

Our Lady of Mt Carmel, Mt Larcom—11:00am

St Agnes, Agnes Water—11:00am *Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion*

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE (RECONCILIATION)

Saturday 31 August

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

St Peter Chanel, Tannum—4:15pm to 4:45pm

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Saturday 31 August

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

Did you know...

ABOUT SOCIAL JUSTICE SUNDAY

In a tradition reaching back to 1940, the Australian Catholic Bishops release major social justice statements each year in time for Social Justice Sunday.

Through this tradition they contribute to the development of local Catholic Social Teaching.

The statements encourage the Catholic community to reflect and act on social, economic and ecological issues.

They remind us of the social dimension of the mission of the Church.

This year, the Social Justice Statement is titled “Truth & Peace: A Gospel Word in a Violent World”

You can access this statement and supporting resources via this QR code link:



Fr Peter

STAR OF THE SEA CENTENARY MEMORABILIA

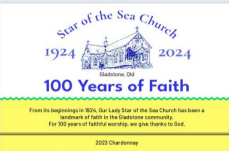
Commemorative items
available to purchase:



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:

P: 49721025 E: sosgladstone@rok.catholic.net.au

Star of the Sea
Church Centenary
Art Competition

Calling all Parish artists!!
You are invited to create
an A4-sized artwork featuring the
Our Lady Star of the Sea Church building
using any medium.*
Submit entries to the Parish office or your
Catholic school no later than
Friday 1st November, 2024.
Judging will take place in 3 categories –
Ages up to 7 years, 8-12 years and
13+ years.
There are **cash prizes** to be won and your
artwork may be featured at the
Centenary celebrations!
**Please see entry rules and terms and conditions.*

Get creative!

Our Lady Star of the Sea Church Art Competition
Draw or paint the Church building.



Entry rules:

The competition is open to parishioners of all ages and abilities.

Your artwork must measure A4 size (210 x 297cm) and showcase the Our Lady Star of the Sea Church, in honour of the Centenary. It can be submitted on paper, card or canvas. Any medium, such as pencil, texta, charcoal or paint can be used.

However, no digital content is allowed.

On the back of your entry, please include your full name, age and contact number. (Entrants under 18 years, please use parent/carer contact and include the name of your school).

Please submit all entries to the church office or any of our Catholic schools no later than Friday 1st November, 2024.

Entries will not be returned.

Judging will take place in 3 categories – Ages up to 7 years, 8-12 years and 13 years +. Winners will be notified before the Centenary celebrations.

Prizes, terms and conditions:

The Star of the Sea Church Centenary Art Competition offers some great prizes!

Original winning entries in each category will be sold at auction at the centenary dinner on Saturday 16th November, 2024. Winners will take home a cash prize of 50% of the final bid, with the remaining 50% going to support the Church fundraising efforts. Your artwork may also be featured at the Centenary morning tea on Sunday 17th November, 2024.



All parishioners are welcome to join the **Mercy Associates** on **Saturday 7th September** in the Parish Hall for their monthly gathering, beginning with a cuppa. Our Guest Speaker will be **Jakki Graham** wife, mother, Assistant Principal Administration St John's School, and nutritionist. Jakki will share her **faith journey** which started quite late in life and maybe, not via the traditional pathway. Please join us to hear about Jakki's **'better late than never'** journey. Hope you can join us for this interesting sharing.

RCIA PROGRAM

The RCIA meetings will commence on Thursday 5 September in the parish hall. For more information please contact Fr Peter.

ENROLMENTS OPEN FOR RECONCILIATION

Children who are in grade 3 or above and baptised Catholic are invited to join the parish's Sacramental Program. Enrolments to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation open on 2 September and are due by 4 October.

Please collect an information letter and enrolment form from the Parish Office or through your school's APRE.

STAR OF THE SEA YOUTH EVENTS – TERM 3



WAY OUT ESCAPE ROOM
Friday, 30th August
6:30pm - 9pm
Group Escape Room

Enjoy some problem-solving and team-building at the only Escape Room in Gladstone! - \$10.
Dinner will be provided!

- Call Bernadette at 0417 513 515 for more info -



ECUMENICAL CHRISTIAN MEN'S BREAKFAST

Who: Men, Fathers, Sons & Friends all Welcome

When: 7:30am, Saturday 07 September 2024

Where: 803 Glenlyon Road Glen Eden

Speaker: Jarrold Beezley

Cost: \$10 per person – this covers a big breakfast!

RSVP: N/A

NEW LIFE CHARISMATIC

New Life Charismatic Prayer Community presents **'The Big Picture'** Series bible study. Run over 6 sessions, 8th August in the Parish Hall 7pm All Welcome.

For more information contact Maryanne 0409 898 895

"There is no greater joy than discovering your place in God's big picture - this exciting new course will really help you do just that!"
Archbishop Mark Coleridge



BIBLE STUDY AND MEDITATION

Sr Noreen will be away and unable to be with the Bible study group and the meditation group from next week (Tuesday 26 August)

Bible study and meditation will resume on Tuesday 24 September.

Please keep her in your prayers during this time of retreat and congregational.



READINGS NEXT WEEKEND

22nd Sunday Year B

First Reading

Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-8

◆ Second Reading

St James 1:17-18, 21-22, 27

◆ Gospel

Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

Readings for Mass today?



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DIOCESAN MONTHLY NEWSLETTER To view:

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
1 SEPTEMBER 2024**

Readers:

8:00am: M. Chapman, N. Hamilton

6:00pm: J. Mullane, K. Bourke

Co-Ordinator:

8:00am: M. Duncan

6:00pm: C. Mullins

Minister of Holy Communion:

8:00am: **Body:** J. Graham **Choir:** A. Villanueva

Chalice: S. Smith, A. Borbon

6:00pm: **Body:** S. Nagy

Chalice: E. Nagy, I. Liddell

Data Projector:

8:00am R. Mathew 6:00pm: E. Lee

Altar Servers:

8:00am: Eva and Eli Fernandes

6:00pm S. Jinto

Church Cleaners: C. Aranda, L. Germosen, F. Rounds



PRAYER INTENTIONS

For our recently deceased Sisters and Brothers

Loretta Brackley, Alec Pusztay, Donna Frew,
Juanito Revolvera

For others who have died

Florencio Vivas, Felisa Borbon, Juan Borbon, Maximo
Borbon Sr, Edwin Diola, Noela Gunston, Vinh Nguyen,
Angela McKay, Jose Nacario

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 Philips, Dorothy
Thompson, John Walker, 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, Dithma Petite,
Henry Norman, Joanne Pond, Gerard Watts, Rosie
Baravilala, Glenda Romagnolo, Silvia Walker, Craig
Jenkinson, Diane Janas, Linda Benz, Valmai Macleod,
Dennis Swadling

**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 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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