



Our Lady Star of the Sea Parish

38 Herbert Street Gladstone Qld 4680

Pentecost Sunday — 8 June 2025

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

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)

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 10 June: Star of the Sea | 5:30pm

Wednesday 11 June: Star of the Sea | 7:00am

Thursday 12 June: Chanel College | 10:40am

Friday 13 June: Star of the Sea | 9:00am

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday 14 June

St Peter Chanel, Tannum Sands | 5:00pm

Sunday 15 June

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

St Peter Chanel, Miriam Vale | 11:00am

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE (RECONCILIATION)

Saturday 14 June

Star of the Sea, Gladstone | 8:30am to 9:20am *Cancelled - see notice inside*

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

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Saturday 14 June

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

Did you know?

ABOUT HOLY SPIRIT SEMINARY

Holy Spirit Seminary is the place where future priests are prepared, trained and formed for ordained ministry for the five dioceses of Queensland: Brisbane, Rockhampton, Toowoomba, Townsville and Cairns.

Founded by the Queensland bishops in 1941 as Pius XII Seminary, the seminary now shares the original site with the Brisbane campus of Australian Catholic University (ACU), where the seminarians undertake some of their theology, philosophy, history, scripture and liturgy studies.

Seminarians live in one of six residential houses onsite in groups of between three and eight which prepares them for community living as future priests. Seminarians do their own cooking, cleaning, and household chores.

The daily schedule begins each day with Morning Prayer, silent meditation and then Mass. Seminarians plan the liturgies and participate in various liturgical ministries, including music, reader and altar server.

The seminary feast day is Pentecost which we celebrate this Sunday. The annual seminary magazine 'The Paraclete' is due to be released across Queensland this week. Our Diocese of Rockhampton has two seminarians, Grant (Pastoral Year) and Shane (second year); we need more. Perhaps you know someone? Perhaps you are that someone?



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<https://holyspiritseminary.au/>

Fr Peter

THE PARISH LIBRARY IS OPEN

The Library is now open in the Parish Centre Gladstone to borrow books | DVDs | CDs for up to four weeks with extensions available if needed.

If you can't visit the Library in Gladstone in person, there is a catalogue with a list of books and authors available which has been placed at the entrance in each Church.

Let the Parish Office know what you would like to borrow ~ your items will be ready for collection at the next Mass or for pickup weekdays at the Parish Office in Gladstone.



PARISH LIBRARY DONATIONS

Thank you to all the people who donated money for the new book additions in the Parish Library. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.



PARISH LIBRARY

This week's book review |
The Space Trilogy Series ~
Out of the Silent Planet | Perelandra |
That Hideous Strength
by C S Lewis

Bookcase 5 Bookshelf 3 in Library

"For C S Lewis readers 'The Space Trilogy' will represent a twist in the style of a Lewis adventure. His imaginative worlds and complex characters provide a thought-provoking exploration of theology and philosophy."
Paul Backholer



TWENTY YEARS OF ST AGNES | AGNES WATER

26 June 2025 marks 20 years since St Agnes Church, Agnes Water was dedicated by Bishop Brian Heenan on 26 June 2005 in the presence of Fr Seamus McMahon and many parishioners.

This anniversary will be celebrated at the usual St Agnes, Agnes Water Mass on the fourth Sunday of June | **22 June at 11am** followed by the usual shared lunch.

All parishioners from across the Gladstone region and beyond are very welcome to attend. Please bring a plate to share if possible.



CATHOLIC MISSION

WE ARE HIRING

Re-Advertised

Rockhampton Diocesan Director

(part-time, 2 days a week based in Rockhampton)

- Available to work remotely
- University students welcome to apply



For more information regarding the role, contact

Rev. Martin Lewis (Deacon)

Province Director-QLD/Diocesan Director (Brisbane/Toowoomba)



via email: mlewis@catholicmission.org.au
or mobile: 0438 583 873

Reach out. Give life.

THE PROMISE OF PILGRIMAGE ~ HOLY HOPE

Would you like to join a pilgrimage that is not a physical one, but a mental, emotional and spiritual journey?

It can be done in the comfort of your home or with a small group of your friends.

The late Pope Francis declared **2025** as a **Year of Jubilee** and called us to be **Pilgrims of Hope** in a world so devoid of hope. The Institute of Sisters of Mercy in Australia & Papua New Guinea are compiling a 'pilgrimage' commencing in June until December.

If you would like more information on how to receive the 'food for the journey', resource material and activities, please contact

Annette Platt | 0418 114 879

snaplatt1@bigpond.com

or

Annette Rowe | 0427 116 917

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FUNERALS THIS WEEK

Donald 'Don' Josph PHILPS

Funeral Liturgy in thanksgiving for the life of Don Philps
Wednesday 11 June 2025 | 10:30am |
Star of the Sea Church, Gladstone. Following the service there will be an interment at the Port Curtis Lawn Cemetery, Gladstone.



Ann Marie MILLS



Family and friends are invited to attend a celebration of Ann's life

Thursday 12 June 2025 | 11.00am |

Gregson & Weight Chapel ~

139-159 Wises Road, Buderim. Following the service Ann will then be laid to rest at the Mooloolah Cemetery | Steve Irwin Way, Glenview at 1.30pm. In lieu of flowers, please consider a donation to Alzheimer's research.

ROCKY DIOCESE YOUTH CAMP
WITH THE NET TEAM!

**FULLY
ALIVE**

11-13 | JULY
PCYC,
YEPPPOON

OPEN TO ALL YOUTH IN GRADES 7-12
LET'S GROW CLOSER TO JESUS TOGETHER
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 CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF ROCKHAMPTON
Youth Ministry
Alive in Christ


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SOS YOUTH EVENT
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SAT 21ST JUNE
6:30PM
(AFTER 5PM MASS)

CEDAR
GALLERIES 49544
Bruce Highway,
Calliope

DINNER AND
GAMES
INCLUDED

BRING HAT,
ENCLOSED
SHOES, AND \$15

WHAT ARE YOU AIMING FOR?

CONTACT BERNADETTE ARIENS 0417 513 515

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION UNAVAILABLE
ON SATURDAY MORNING | 14 JUNE 2025**

Please note that the Sacrament of Reconciliation will not be available on Saturday morning at Star of the Sea Church. Fr Peter will be attending an ordination in Brisbane on the evening of Friday 13 June 2025, and will be travelling back to Gladstone on Saturday morning in time for the weekend Masses.

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 9 June & 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

There will be no Bible Study or Luncheon Meditation this Tuesday as Sr Noreen is away.

◇ 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**

**The Most Holy Trinity
Year C**

First Reading

◆ Proverbs 8: 22-31

Second Reading

◆ Romans 5: 1-5

Gospel

◆ John 16: 12-15

**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

15 June 2025

Readers:

8:00am: O. Erohubie, E. Schumacher

6:00pm: J. Emerick, P. Smith

Co-Ordinator:

8:00am: M. Conway

6:00pm: C. Mullins

Minister of Holy Communion:

8:00am: **Body:** J. Graham, A. Platt

Blood: L. Padget, A. Borbon

6:00pm: **Body:** B. Emerick

Blood: I. Liddell, M. Reyes

Data Projector:

8:00am: B. Malig

6:00pm: E. Lee

Altar Servers:

8:00am: R. Malig, S. Villanueva

6:00pm: G. Falejo

Church Cleaners: P. Todd, J. Cannon, L. Keating



PRAYER INTENTIONS

For our recently deceased Sisters and Brothers

Frank McKeough, Michael Fraser, Donald Philps, Ann Mills

For others who have died

Cecil Wallace, Wendy Game, Joyce Bartlett, Candelario Damalerio, David Guevarra, Elvira Belonio, Leonor Barase, Elenita Uy, Claudia Carreon, Luis Carreon, Juan Borbon, Felisa Borbon, Maximo Borbon Sr, Praxedes Borbon Manatad, Edwin Diola, Lena Swadling

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 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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