



Star of the Sea Catholic Parish

Cleveland, Ormiston, Raby Bay, Thornlands and Stradbroke Island.
We recognise the traditional owners of this land, The Quandamooka People.

Parish Mission:

The Star of the Sea is a welcoming community dedicated to sharing the light of Christ in the spirit of faith and love. We reach out to the service of others, thereby enriching our value of parish life.

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Today, we are celebrating the **Feast of the Body and Blood of Christ- Corpus Christi**. This special Feast is held in remembrance of Jesus who gave His life for our salvation and commanded us to celebrate the Sacrament of the Holy Eucharist in his memory. *Corpus Christi* reminds us of the abiding presence of our loving God as *Emmanuel* (God with us), which is celebrated yearly in order that we may give

collective thanks to our Lord for his living with us in the Eucharist.

Eucharist in the church can be understood as a communal sacrificial meal, offered by the community of believers along with the priest, to the heavenly Father together with Jesus for the remission of sins and as an offering of gratitude and thanksgiving. The Eucharist is essentially and of its very nature a community action in which every person present is expected to be an active participant and the priest presides over it. We are here, on the one hand, recalling what makes us Christians in the first place – our identification with the life, suffering, death and resurrection of Jesus. And that identification with Jesus is expressed not through a one-to-one relationship with him but in a community relationship with him present in all those who call themselves Christian.

In today's first reading Moses reminds the Israelites of Yahweh's providence with the special food- manna, God provided for them during their journey. The properties of the manna were intended to teach the people to trust in God. They had to trust that God would provide for them each day.

In the second reading St Paul tells his community that bread becomes the Body of Jesus and wine becomes his Blood. He advises them to make Eucharist as the centre of their lives, because of practical reasons, as the church at Corinth had problems with unity, mainly due to their economic status. When the church came together to celebrate the Eucharist they also had their meal together as a single community. Paul tells them that there is no division in Christ's Community as He shared one bread and one cup and formed a true community.

The Gospel message comes to us saying that we are to eat his flesh and drink his blood in the sense that we are to appropriate, to assimilate totally into our very being all that He teaches, his vision, his values, his understanding of the meaning and purpose of life. We are to be able to say, with Paul, I live, not I, but Christ lives in me. This is the basic and fundamental meaning of eating the body and blood of Christ, to have a total union with him in our way of thinking and living. Secondly, if we truly belong to Christ, then we become consciously and actively participating members of that Body, loving, serving and caring for each other and corporately giving witness to the vision that Jesus gave us to be shared with people all over the world. Thirdly, by partaking in the Eucharist we become the sacrament of the Body and Blood of Christ sharing our life with others. **Fr Rony Chacko – Parish Priest**

MASS TIMES

SATURDAY

Star of the Sea,
Reconciliation
4.45pm - 5.15pm
Mass 5.30pm

SUNDAY

Star of the Sea,
Mass 7.00am
Mass 8.30am

(Live-stream Mass from our
FACEBOOK PAGE:
[https://fb.me/StaroftheSea
Cleveland](https://fb.me/StaroftheSeaCleveland))

St Paul of the Cross,
Dunwich - Mass 11.00am
1st and 3rd Sun of month
(Liturgy of the Word with
Communion – every other
Sundays at 9am)

TUESDAY

Redlands Hospital
1st Tuesday - Mass 9am
Mater Hospital
2nd & 4th Tues - Mass 9am

WEDNESDAY

Carmel College
8.40 am
Cleveland Gardens
1st Wed - Mass 2.30pm
Moreton Shores
2nd Wed - Mass 11.00am
Arcare
3rd Wed - Mass 9.45am
Seaton McKenzie
4th Wed - Mass 10.45am
Star of the Sea
Christian Meditation – 4pm

THURSDAY

Star of the Sea
Rosary 8.45am
Mass 9.15am
Healing Mass
1st Thurs of the month
Holy Adoration and
Benediction
Every other Thursday
9.45 to 10.45am
Redland Residential
2nd Thurs – Liturgy of the
Word 11.00am

FRIDAY

Star of the Sea
Rosary 8.45am
Mass 9.15am
Aveo Cleveland
1st Friday - Mass 2.00pm

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ - YEAR A

RESPONSE: Praise the Lord, Jerusalem.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: *Alleluia, alleluia!*

I am the living bread from heaven, says the Lord; whoever eats this bread will live for ever.
Alleluia!



YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED: to my ordination to the priesthood at the **Cathedral of St Stephen, Brisbane. 7pm, Thursday 29 June 2023.** Seating is first in best dressed so please arrive early.

I will be ordained with my classmates **Minje Kim and Isaac Falzon.**

This is the link for the Ordination Live-Stream: archbne.org/bzw

A bus will be leaving from the Star of the Sea Carpark at 5pm. Spaces are limited so get in quick. Cost of transport \$10pp. Please book your place on the bus here: bit.ly/SOTSbus or by scanning the QR Code. If you have difficulty doing so, please see us at the entrance of the Church.



QR Code for
Transportation

My thanksgiving Mass will be celebrated here at Star of the Sea Cleveland on 2 July, 8:30am followed by a reception at the Parish Centre. All are welcome. Let us continue to pray for one another and thank you for your support during my time at the parish.

Following the Ordination, Thanksgiving Masses are as follows:

Saturday 1 July, 5:30pm - Thanksgiving Mass of Fr Isaac Falzon, Star of the Sea. He will be the main celebrant and Gerard will be a concelebrant. Refreshments to follow in the Parish Hall.

Sunday 2 July, 8:30am - Thanksgiving Mass of Fr Gerard Lai, Star of the Sea, refreshments to follow in the Parish Hall.

Sunday 23 July, 9am - Thanksgiving Mass of Fr Gerard Lai, St Paul of the Cross, Stradbroke Island.



VINNIES WINTER APPEAL: As the cooler weather continues, we are reminded of the less fortunate of our Community, that still struggle with life. The Saint Vincent de Paul Society Winter Appeal will help the less fortunate in our community to cope. **Envelopes are available at the Church entrances.** Your continuing support is always a blessing.

CONNECTED YOUTH MY SQUAD!

THURSDAY 22ND
OF JUNE 6PM - 8PM |
53 PASSAGE STREET
CLEVELAND, QLD,
IN THE PARISH HALL



FOR AGES 8-16 |
FRIENDS, FREE MEAL,
GAMES, FUN AND
GETTING CLOSER TO
JESUS!

DATE CHANGE: Please note the youth group date has been changed to Thursday the 22nd of June



RSVP to Sam:

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PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES FOR THE NEW FINANCIAL YEAR:

The new envelopes are ready for collection for Parishioners already registered in planned giving. Please collect yours from the table at the main entrance of the church.

There are also Planned Giving Forms at the entrance if you wish to change your amount of giving or register as a new giver.

PLEASE NOTE: WE WILL REMOVE THE NON COLLECTED BOXES NEXT WEEKEND.



©Our Lady of Victories

A big congratulation to all the Children who are welcomed to the table of the Lord for the first time on the feast of the Body and Blood of Christ. May the blessing of the Lord Jesus be poured on them from this day forward. Please keep these children and their families in your prayers. May Jesus be their company, guidance and strength always.

Star of the Sea Parish Sacramental Program 2023

For more information please contact the Parish Office on
Ph. 3821 4902 or email cleveland@bne.catholic.net.au

Confirmation: In Term 3 for students in Year 3 – enrolments now open.

Parents Meeting

Thursday 27th July

7pm (at the Parish Hall)

Commitment Mass

Weekend of 29th 30th July

(Masses are Sat 5.30pm, Sun 7am and 8.30am)

Session 1 (for children)

Sunday 13th August at 9.30am

Session 2 (for children)

Sunday 27th August at 9.30am

Rehearsal

Thursday 7th Sept at 4.30pm

Sacrament of Confirmation

Tuesday 12th September at 5.30pm

**OUR LADY
STAR OF THE SEA**

**50 YEARS OF
WORSHIP**



**YOUR OPINION MATTERS – BUILD OUR
FUTURE CHURCH - HAVE YOUR SAY:**

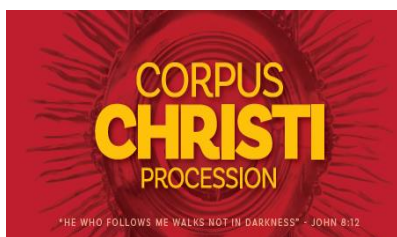
We will celebrate 50 years of worship on 17 Nov 2024. In view of this, a committee, chaired by Fr Rony Chacko has been formed to put together a Strategic Planning, gather your ideas, investigate, follow up. Last weekend, the committee invited the community during all masses to contribute with their ideas, concerns, risks, etc., planning for the next 50 years. Also to share your valuable skills! **Please take a survey and return your form to the box at the front door in the next 2 weeks.**

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF COMMUNION TO THE SICK AND ELDERLY:

STILL NEEDING A VOLUNTEER! We are experiencing an increase in the need of this service. Please help us to bring Jesus to our sick and elderly who cannot come to church. If you wish to join this important and beautiful Ministry, please contact **Lilia Barajas** 0402 435 602 or the Parish Office: 3821 4902. Training will be provided. *“The Archdiocese of Brisbane holds that children, young people and vulnerable adults are a gift from God with an intrinsic right to dignity of life, respect and security from physical and emotional harm. They are to be treasured, nurtured and safeguarded by all”.*

ROSIES WINTER APPEAL: With winter upon us and the nights getting colder, spare a thought for those in our Redland Bayside Deanery community who are most at risk. We wish to collect the following items to provide Rosies with some basic resources which they require to fulfil their mission: Cup-a-soup, Cup of noodles, Coffee, Cordial, Sugar, Milo, Long-life Milk, Biscuits, Muesli bars, Non-perishables such as: Tinned Meals and Vegetables (ring pull cans), Tinned spaghetti (ring pull cans), Tinned baked beans (ring pull cans), Tinned soup (ring pull cans), Tinned fruit, Cup of fruit in juice (125g), Weetbix, Cornflakes, Pasta, Rice, Pasta sauce, Rice meals, Pasta meals, Crackers/Snacks, Tea, Milo, Salt/Pepper, Sauces, Roll on deodorant (no glass please), Safety razors and shaving cream, Serviettes (packs of 100 please), Plastic spoons, Cleaning products, Washing up liquid.

THE APPEAL WILL RUN FORM THE 11th JUNE TO 18th of JUNE. Bring your items to Church and we will collect them and distribute. For more details, please contact **Tony Moore 0409025595.**



TRANSPORT TO CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION:

Please note the transportation arrangement to the city, for the parishioners who have put their names on the list (12 people) for Corpus Christi Procession: **Bus leaves from Our Lady of Graces Catholic Church, Carina** (100 Mayfield Rd, Carina QLD 4152) **at 1.00pm** and return from city at 4pm. Kindly **please be in the Carina Church by 12.45pm.**

PRAYERS

HEALING We pray for those who seek healing in their lives. Especially Sadie McNamara and Marie Louise Scott.

ANNIVERSARIES We pray for those whose anniversary occurs at this time.

DECEASED We commend the recently deceased to the loving embrace of God. Especially Suzan Warnes.

MINISTRY- 18 June 2023- 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Time	Coordinator	Readers	Communion Min- Host	Communion Min- Chalice
Sat 5.30pm	Tony Moore	John Mott Andrew Cooper	Lil Predl Judith Seery	Keith Fernandes Tony Moore
Sun 7.00am	Mary Fehlberg	Lyn Bartley David Smith	Mary Fehlberg	Dennis Kennedy
Sun 8.30am	Not filled	Carmel Stone Lucy Paneda	Gerard Lai Clarita Cleavelly	Annette Nicholls Caroline Santagiuliana
COUNTERS & CLEANERS		Counter	Team 5	
		Cleaners	Team 6	