

STAR OF THE SEA



CHRIST OUR LIGHT

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.

**Star News 2 July 2017
13th Sunday in Ord Time
Year A**

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GOSPEL
Mt 10:37-42

Anyone who does not accept his cross is not worthy of me. Anyone who welcomes you welcomes me.

Jesus instructed the Twelve as follows: 'Anyone who prefers father or mother to me is not worthy of me. Anyone who prefers son or daughter to me is not worthy of me. Anyone who does not take his cross and follow in my footsteps is not worthy of me. Anyone who finds his life will lose it; anyone who loses his life for my sake will find it. 'Anyone who welcomes you welcomes me; and those who welcome me welcome the one who sent me.
'Anyone who welcomes a prophet because he is a prophet will have a prophet's reward; and anyone who welcomes a holy man because he is a holy man will have a holy man's reward.
'If anyone gives so much as a cup of cold water to one of these little ones because he is a disciple, then I tell you solemnly, he will most certainly not lose his reward.'

WEEK DAY MASSES

MONDAY 9am
Redlands Hospital
1st Mon of month
(Liturgy of the Word with Communion – every other Monday)

Mater Hospital
2nd & 4th Tuesday of month

No mass on Public Holidays.

WEDNESDAY 8.40am
Carmel College

THURSDAY 9.15am
Star of the Sea

NO MASS
FRIDAY 7 & 14 July
Star of the Sea

SUN 9am
St Paul of the Cross
Dunwich

HOLY HOUR:
every **Tuesday**,
beginning at 2.50pm
in the Parish Church.
All welcome to join us in prayer.



Dear friends,

Last Thursday, 29th June, was the Feast of Saints Peter and Paul, two of the greatest and most influential saints. It's a little mysterious why they share a Feast Day while other saints of much less importance and influence in the life and growth of the church celebrate their feast day alone. From the earliest times this has been the case. History tells us that from 258 the memory of Sts Peter and Paul was celebrated on 29 June in via Appia at St Sebastian's catacombs in Rome because it was on that date that the remains of the two apostles were brought and placed there. Later, the remains of St Peter were restored to the Basilica in the Vatican, and those of St Paul to the Basilica of St Paul outside the walls on via Ostiense. A church was built at the catacombs early in the 4th century and consecrated on 29 June to the martyrdom of the two great apostles of Rome.

We have abundant reasons to rejoice on the feast of these great apostles, and to thank God for giving them to us as teachers, guides and models. Through their different gifts, both of them built up the one church of Christ: Peter as the first confessor of faith and the founder of the first Christian Community, and Paul as the one who lights up the deep mystery of Christ as the preacher of salvation to the gentiles.

Of this shared feast St Augustine said "one day is assigned to the celebration of the martyrdom of the two apostles. But these two were one. Although their martyrdom occurred on different days, they were one. Peter went first, Paul followed. We celebrate the feast day which is made sacred for us by the blood of these apostles. Let us love their faith, their life, their trials, their passion, their profession and their teaching".

For many years this great feast was the ordination day for priesthood for those who studied at Banyo Seminary and it remains the day on which priesthood Jubilees are celebrated in the Archdiocese. Last Thursday, this year's jubilarians gathered with the Archbishop, Bishops, Priests and many friends and parishioners to celebrate their own particular milestones. **Fr Frank O'Dea** together with Fr Pat Cassidy celebrated 50 years, Fr Kevin Caldwell 60 yrs, Fr Denis Scanlon 40 yrs, and Frs Paul Chan, John Fitzherbert, Mark Franklin and Bishop Tim Harris 25 years.

Fr Frank will return to Star of the Sea on Sunday 23rd July to celebrate 8.30am Mass which will be a great opportunity for us to rejoice with him on his wonderful service to the Church of Brisbane over 50 years – about ¼ of it here at Cleveland.

Work on the replacement of the church roof will begin on Monday 3rd July and the estimated time for the work is 2 weeks – depending on good weather. It's good that a lot of the work will be completed while the children are on holidays.

Mass on the weekends will be as normal but the church won't be available during the weekdays. **Mass will be held in the Mckinlay Centre on Thursdays 6th and 13th July and there will not be Mass on Fridays 7th and 14th July.** Keep the workmen in your thoughts and prayers that the work will be carried out safely.

THE NOLAN FAMILY – we have been blessed to have had the Nolan Family from the USA as very active parishioners over the last 5 years or so. Mum, Stephanie, has been very active in her support and involvement in the SOTS School and also in Sunday Children's Liturgy. The children, Luke, Aidan and Catherine have been most reliable and devout altar servers. Clare, the second eldest had a go at reading and Owen, their youngest is always involved in Children's Liturgy and reading his prayer in a beautiful American accent. Francis, the father, has been a hard working doctor at the Redlands Emergency – so I hope you haven't had to meet him professionally.

The family have been wonderful parishioners and in thanking them for their wholehearted and faithful involvement, we wish them every blessing as they return home to USA.

God bless,

Fr Ashley Warbrooke - Parish Priest

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PARISH NEWS

ENVELOPES FOR 2016/17: PLEASE REMEMBER TO COLLECT YOUR ENVELOPES. NEW GIVERS' ENVELOPES ARE ALSO READY AT THE BACK OF THE CHURCH.

If you wish to change the weekly amount donated, would you please complete a blue form (also available at the back of the church) and place the form on one of the collection plates or the box at the entrance.

If you have not enrolled in planned giving and wish to do so, please fill in one of these blue forms. Thank you for your assistance and generosity over the last 12 months.



ABORIGINAL & TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER SUNDAY - 2nd July 2017

As we celebrate Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Sunday, we join them in prayer:



Prayer of the Aboriginal People

prepared by Aboriginal people for Pope John Paul II's visit to Alice Springs 1986

Father of all, you gave us the Dreaming. You have spoken to us through our beliefs.

You then made your love clear to us in the person of Jesus.

We thank you for your care. You own us, you are our hope.

Make us grow strong as we face the problems of change.

We ask you to help the people of Australia to listen to us and respect our culture.

Make the knowledge of you grow strong in all people, so that you can be at home in us and we can make a home for everyone in our land. Amen.

CHRISTIAN MEDITATION WINTER TIME: Will be **Wednesday 4pm**. Please note we will gather at the **McKinlay Centre on Wednesday 5 and 12 July, due to the church roof works**. For more information ring **Norma 32863532**.

MESSIAH: A beautiful choral treat to get you into the Christmas spirit. Proudly presented by Redland City Choir, this great oratorio will be led by esteemed international conductor, Dr David Keith, and will feature an exceptional cast of soloists. The performance is at RPAC Concert Hall on Saturday 9 December at 7.00pm.

We have a group booking (10 tickets) for this performance. Tickets are \$25.00.

If you are interested, please contact the Parish Office or Mary (38216253).

THURSDAY SOCIAL GROUP: On Thursday 6th July, we are going to Red Rock Café on Coochie Mudlo for lunch. We will have morning tea after 9.15am Healing Mass and then car pool to Victoria Point.

For more details or bookings, contact Mary (38216253)

CHRISTMAS IN JULY FOR PROSTATE CANCER: **Wednesday 12th July** from 9.30am to 12pm. Wellington Point Hall, Birkdale Rd, Wellington Point. Tickets: \$20 per person. Prepaid bookings essential: **Heather 32861803 or Tish 0407587096**. All proceeds to Cancer Council Qld.



SNAP The Musical

Redlands Performing Arts Centre

WEDNESDAY 9th AUGUST 1pm and 6pm

Tickets ON SALE NOW: Adults \$20 - Pensioners/Students/Children \$15

In Person: Redland Performing Arts Centre. 2-16 Middle Street, Cleveland.

Monday – Friday: 12noon – 4pm; Saturday: 10am – 1pm

By Phone: RPAC Box Office: 3829 8131. Monday - Friday: 12noon - 4pm ; Saturday: 10am -1pm

*a \$4.10 booking fee per transaction applies to telephone purchases

Online: www.rpac.com.au *a \$3.00 booking fee per ticket applies to online purchases.

CHURCH ROOF BEING REPLACED: From Mon 3 July till Fri 14 July, the much needed roof replacement will be taking place. Please note **THURSDAY MASS on the 6th and 13th of July will be celebrated in the McKinlay Centre.** There will be **NO Mass on Friday 7th and 14th July.**

Weekend Masses will be in the church, as it will be temporarily habilitated to celebrate weekend Masses.

SEA SUNDAY APPEAL 2017 - SUNDAY 9 JULY 2017:

This year's theme is **'In the midst of the storm'**. Your donation will provide pastoral support to seafaring men, women and their families through the works of Stella Maris centres across Australia. Thank you for your prayers and support.

SCHOOL NEWS:

Enrolment in Prep: Children will need to be five by 30th June in the year they start in the preparatory year class.

Please refer to the table below to determine in which year your child will be eligible to start in Prep.

You are welcome and encouraged to complete an enrolment form for 2019 and beyond!!!	
Birthdate	ELIGIBLE for PREP in:
1 July 2012 - 30 June 2013	2018
1 July 2013 - 30 June 2014	2019
1 July 2014 - 30 June 2015	2020
1 July 2015 - 30 June 2016	2021

RESPONSE FOR THIS SUNDAY 2 July 2017

Resp. Psalm :

(R.) Forever I will sing the goodness of the Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

You are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy people. Praise God who called you out of darkness and into his marvellous light.

Alleluia!

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

- 9 July 2017

First Reading: **Zec 9:9-10**

Responsorial Psalm: **Ps 144:1-2. 8-11. 13-14. R. v.1**

Second Reading: **Rom 8:9.11-13**

Gospel: **Mt 11:25-30**

PRAYERS

HEALING We pray for those who seek healing in their lives. Especially for Judi-Ann Zacka and Mercy Seery.

ANNIVERSARIES We pray for those whose anniversary occurs at this time. Especially for Ray Arraiol and Joe Arraiol.

DECEASED We commend the recently deceased to the loving embrace of God. Eddie Newell and Joan Helm.

MINISTRY – 8 / 9 July 2017

Time	Coordinator	Readers	Communion Min - Host	Communion Min – Chalice
5.30 pm	Ashley Viegas	Glenis Viegas Jacqueline Viegas	Jill O'Dell Carmel Denaro Aurora Stronach	Victoria Quinlan Jo-Anne Lavery John Lavery Tony Moore
7.00 am	Mary Felhberg	Lyn Bartley Majella Eva	Denis Ryan Bert Latham Dennis Kennedy	Di Macnaughtan Maria Paukofe Olga Johnstone Margaret Bina
8.30 am	Ally Vieps	Helen Hunter Judi-Ann Zacka	Annette Nicholls Teresa Gerada Lee Brand	Judith Barker Jo Rossi Shane Rossi Trish Aumuller

NEXT WEEK'S COUNTERS & CLEANERS	Counters	Team 3
	Cleaners	Team 4