



# 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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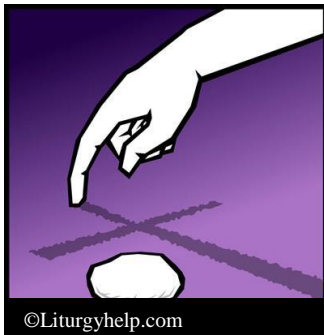
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## Star News 3 April 2022

Dear friends,

Consumers Report put out a little book entitled, *How to Clean Practically Anything*. The book tells you what solvent to use for nearly every kind of stain. Here are a few.

Glycerine will remove the stain from a ballpoint pen. Boiling water will remove berry stains. Vinegar will remove crayon stains. To remove a rust stain from your cotton work

clothes, moisten the spot with some full-strength vinegar and then rub in a bit of salt. Ammonia will remove bloodstains. Alcohol will remove grass stains. Hydrogen peroxide is good for magic marker stains. Mix a teaspoon of 3% hydrogen peroxide with a little cream of tartar or a dab of non-gel toothpaste. Rub the paste on the stain with a soft cloth. Rinse. The stain, whatever it was, should be gone. Try a little meat tenderizer to remove protein-based stains like milk, chocolate, and blood from clothes. Use bleach on mildew stains. Lemon juice works well on rust stains. — But you know what? The book lists absolutely nothing for the stain of sin. In addition, the reason it does not is that there is only One Person who can do that. Only Jesus Christ, the Incarnation of Divine Mercy, as described in today's Gospel, can forgive us our sins when we repent, confess our sins, and ask God's pardon and forgiveness.

Reminding us of God's readiness to forgive sin, give the sinner a second chance, bind up broken lives, and restore people to His friendship, today's readings challenge us to show the same mercy to the sinners around us and to live as forgiven people, actively seeking reconciliation with God and one another. The central theme of all three readings is a merciful God's steadfast love.

Explaining how a merciful God forgives the sins of His chosen people and leads them back from the Babylonian exile, the first reading reminds us that we too are forgiven, and we are saved from our own sinfulness. In the second reading, Paul presents himself as a forgiven sinner who has been completely transformed by his Faith in Christ Jesus. His life is an example of the Gospel exhortation, "*Sin no more.*" Paul loves Christ so much he wants to share in His sufferings and even in His death so that he may share Christ's Resurrection. The sinful woman's story of sin committed, and sin forgiven in today's Gospel, shows the inexhaustible mercy and compassion Jesus offers to repentant sinners. In addition, by making sinlessness the condition for throwing the first stone, Jesus forces the accusers to assess their own souls and to leave. Thus, He grants justice to the accusers and mercy to the sinful woman. In our own lives, we bear witness to the Justice of God by confessing our sinfulness and resolving to avoid sin, and we bear witness to God's Mercy by accepting the forgiveness of our sins and promising to forgive those who have offended us. The readings remind us that we should not be self-righteous and condemn the lives of others when God is calling them tenderly to conversion.

**Fr Rony Chacko - Parish Priest**

## 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent - Year C

**RESPONSE:** *The Lord has done great things for us; we are filled with joy.*

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:** *Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!*

With all your heart turn to me, for I am tender and compassionate.

**Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!**

## MASS TIMES

**SATURDAY**  
Reconciliation  
4.45pm - 5.15pm  
Mass 5.30pm

**SUNDAY**  
Mass 7.00am  
Mass 8.30am  
(Live-stream Mass  
available from our  
FACEBOOK PAGE:  
<https://fb.me/StaroftheSeaCleveland>  
And YouTube not live)

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

**TUESDAY**  
Redlands Hospital  
1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday  
Mass 9.00am

Mater Hospital  
2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday  
Mass 9.00am

**WEDNESDAY**  
Carmel College  
Mass 8.40am  
Cleveland Gardens  
1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday  
Mass 2.30pm

Moreton Shores  
2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday  
Mass 11.00am

**THURSDAY**  
Star of the Sea  
Mass 9.15am  
Redland Residential  
2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday  
Mass 10.30am

**FRIDAY**  
Star of the Sea  
Rosary 8.45am  
Mass 9.15am  
Aveo Cleveland  
1<sup>st</sup> Friday  
Mass 10.30am

## WORKING BEE

### to clean the Church windows

When: **Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> April at 8.00am** - Bring: cloths suitable for wiping windows

For more information, contact Mary Fehlberg 0407 111 825

### EVERYONE IS WELCOME!!

### STATIONS OF THE CROSS:



**After the 9.15am Mass**  
**Every Friday of Lent**  
in the Church.



### THE CATHOLIC LEADER:

APRIL issue is available at the doors  
price \$4.00.



### IMPORTANCE OF THE RECONCILIATION ACTION PLAN (RAP)

Why does the Archdiocese of Brisbane have a RAP. Reconciliation, one of the seven sacraments of our faith, provides a foundation to guide us in our journey of reconciliation with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples. Like the Sacrament of Reconciliation, it is about the call to repentance after a process of conversion of heart. We can do this by formally undertaking a number of actions (outlined in the RAP) to build on the works of the Church in her relationship with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples in our Archdiocese. As a Christian people, we are called to forge the path of healing between Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples and non-indigenous Australians.

Whos is this RAP for? This RAP is for the Archdiocese of Brisbane as a whole – for all of its agencies, parishes and communities. In our Parish we have already started implementing the Acknowledgement of Country signs on entry to all three Churches: Cleveland, Dunwich & Point Lookout it is also displayed on the screen prior to all Masses, it is on our Newsletter and Web Page. By doing this the Parish is acknowledging the Quandamooka People (Traditional Owners/Custodians) by paying respect to their Elders past and present.

If you want to know more about the RAP in our Parish please don't hesitate to contact any of the Parish RAP Working Group contacts can be passed on through Alba at the Parish Office.

“We long for the day when we are fully the Church that Jesus wants us to be, a Church where Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples make their contribution to her life, and that contribution is joyfully received by others”. Pope John Paul II: address to Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander peoples, Alice Springs, 1986).

To hear further about the RAP please use this link

<https://brisbanecatholic.org.au/life/reconciliation-action-plan/>



Thank you to all the youth and parents who came to the Youth Launch Night on Saturday last week. The night was a big success and we had a great time getting to know some young people in our community, playing lots of games and learning about using our gifts in the community together. I would also like to thank our volunteers on the night Tony,

Pauline and Lil, your presence and service was greatly appreciated.

**Our next youth gathering will be on Thursday the 28th of April 6.30 to 8.30pm at the parish hall for young people aged 9 - 14.** A group for the older youth in the community will be determined soon. **For more information, contact Sam: 0499024309.**

**DIVINE MERCY NOVENA & DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY: will be held at St Rita's Church - 37 Benfer Rd Victoria Point. A Novena to Divine Mercy begins on Good Friday 15<sup>th</sup> April for 9 days:** Leaflets are on a table at the back of the church. **Divine Mercy Sunday will be Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> April:** 9am Mass followed by the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Divine Mercy Chaplet, Reconciliation and then Benediction at 11am.



**Fifth Sunday of Lent 2 & 3 April - Shaniella 23,** from the Solomon Islands was determined to forge a path out of poverty, moving away to vocational school. With your support, Shaniella was able to overcome further challenges of natural disasters, and gain the skills she needs to create a brighter future for herself. **Please donate to Project Compassion 2022 so this transformational program can continue to empower and strengthen vulnerable communities. For All Future Generations.**



### **EASTER MASSES 2022**

*(NO BOOKING NECESSARY - WE RECOMMEND THE USE OF THE MASK AS WE EXPECT BIGGER NUMBERS THAN USUAL - optional)*

#### **PALM SUNDAY – 10 April:**

Sat 5.30pm	Star of the Sea	- Cleveland
Sun 7.00am & 8.30am	Star of the Sea Parish	- Cleveland
Sun 9.00am	St Paul of the Cross	- Dunwich (Liturgy of the Word with communion)
Sun 6.00pm	Palm Sunday Ecumenical Service (at St Paul's Anglican Church – 4 Cross St, Cleveland)	

#### **RECONCILIATION MASS – Monday 11 April:**

7.00pm	Star of the Sea Parish	- Cleveland
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#### **HOLY THURSDAY – 14 April:**

7.30pm	Star of the Sea Parish	- Cleveland Mass + Adoration <b><u>till midnight</u></b>
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#### **GOOD FRIDAY – 15 April:**

10.00am Stations	Star of the Sea Parish	- Cleveland
3.00pm Lord's Passion	Star of the Sea Parish	- Cleveland

#### **EASTER VIGIL SATURDAY – 16 April:**

6.00pm	Star of the Sea	- Cleveland
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#### **EASTER SUNDAY – 17 April:**

7.00am & 8.30am	Star of the Sea Parish	- Cleveland
9.00am	St Peter Chanel	- Point Lookout

(Palm Sunday 8.30am and Easter Sunday 8.30am Masses will be livestreamed from our website

[www.staroftheseachurch.org](http://www.staroftheseachurch.org) )

### **PRAYERS**

**DECEASED** We commend the recently deceased to the loving embrace of God. Especially **Geoffrey Hegarty.**

**HEALING** We pray for those who seek healing in their lives, especially those affected by the spread of the coronavirus.

**ANNIVERSARY** We pray for those whose anniversary occurs at this time. Especially **Patrick Delaney.**

**Ministry – 10 April 2022 – Palm Sunday**

Time	Coordinator	Readers	Communion Min - Host
5.30pm	Ashley Viegas	Glenis Viegas - First Reading Jennifer Viegas - Second Reading Tony Moore - Passion Crowd John Mott - Passion Narrator	Theresa Thompson
7.00 am	Sid Steele	Lyn Bartley - First Reading Emil Hayes - Second Reading Tom Kirby - Passion Crowd David Smith - Passion Narrator	Dennis Kennedy
8.30 am	Annette Nicholls	Craig Acret - First Reading Carmel Stone - Second Reading Annette Nicholls - Passion Crowd Donna Smyth - Passion Narrator	Carmen Scandar

<b><u>NEXT WEEK'S COUNTERS &amp; CLEANERS</u></b> <b><u>(10 April)</u></b>	<b><u>Counters</u></b>	<b><u>Team 3</u></b>
	<b><u>Cleaners</u></b>	<b><u>Team 4</u></b>

**Ministry – Monday 11 April 2022 – Reconciliation Mass**

Time	Coordinator	Readers	Communion Min - Host
7.00pm	Tony Moore	Mary Fehlberg	Lil Predl

**Ministry – 14 April 2022 – Holy Thursday**

Time	Coordinator	Readers	Communion Min - Host
7.30pm	Tony Moore	Tony Moore Juliette Warnick-Hayne	Judith Seery

**Ministry – 15 April 2022 – Good Friday**

Time	Coordinator	Readers	Communion Min - Host
3.00pm	Annette Nicholls	Helen Hunter - First Reading Lucy Paneda - Second Reading Gemma Tapson - Passion Crowd John Mott - Passion Narrator	Peter Hunter



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