



# THE CATHOLIC PARISH OF BUNDABERG

God is merciful and wishes all people to be saved.  
In facing and in dealing with the evils of this world  
we are called to practise both justice and mercy.

31<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Year C ~ Hours of Sunday, Te Deum ~ Psalter Week 3 ~ 30<sup>th</sup> October 2016

## CATHOLIC CHURCHES

**Holy Rosary Catholic Church**  
Corner Barolin & Woongarra Streets Bundaberg CBD

**St Patrick's Catholic Church**  
16 Powers Street Bundaberg West

**St Mary's Catholic Church**  
Corner Barolin & Boston Streets Bundaberg South

**St James' Catholic Church**  
38 See Street Bargara

## PARISH OFFICE

### € CHRISTIAN GIFT & BOOKSTORE

Rossolini Place  
Level 1 / 66 Woongarra Street  
PO Box 79  
Bundaberg Qld 4670

## Parish Office Hours

8:30am - 3:30pm Monday to Friday  
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**f** The Catholic Parish of Bundaberg  
**f** Bundaberg NET Team

## Pastoral Team

*Parish Priest* - Fr John Daly  
*Associate Pastor* - Fr Andrew Hogan  
*Liturgy, Sacramental & RCIA Co-ordinator* - Anne Sheehan  
*Stewardship & Adult Faith Co-ordinator* - Nadia Fregonese  
*Visitation & Bereavement Co-ordinator* - Denise Tuzes  
*Office Manager* - Diana Pippia  
*Receptionist* - Kaye Andersen

**Mass Times** (07) 4151 6666 (Afterhours)  
**Bundaberg NET Team** 0428 381 640  
**Centacare** 1300 523 985  
**Complaints Management (Melissa Davey)** 1800 830 113  
**St Vincent de Paul** (07) 4151 5455  
**Towards Healing Helpline** 1800 337 928

## CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

**St Joseph's Catholic Primary School** - (07) 4151 4771  
www.sjbgrok.catholic.edu.au  
*Principal* - Kaye Beston

**St Mary's Catholic Primary School** - (07) 4152 2167  
www.stmarysbundaberg.qld.edu.au  
*Principal* - Madonna Davitt

**St Patrick's Catholic Primary School** - (07) 4152 1380  
www.saintpatricks.qld.edu.au  
*Principal* - Mark Fox

**Shalom College** - (07) 4155 8111  
www.shalomcollege.com  
*Principal* - Dan McMahon

## FOCUS by Fr Andrew Hogan

On Tuesday we celebrate All Saints. We recognise the connection, the communion that we have with those who have gone before us. We also recognise the good work that God has done in and through those holy men and women.

On Wednesday, All Souls Day, we hold holy the memory of all the faithful who have been called to return to God. We remember their names before **God We pray that they would be received into God's presence and love**, and we rejoice because we are all part of the Communion of Saints, we are all destined for life in heaven, and we will be welcomed by Jesus and by our friends, for whom we have been praying all along. These are the realities that we celebrate during these days.

Saint Paul encouraged the people of Thessalonika as he wrote that although we might wish to cling to the earthly body, it is not that what makes us, us. Our true nature, that which glorifies God and exemplifies the wonder of our creation is that which is imperishable. When we hold the promise of Christ, the frail body of this earth is transformed into the glorious body of the resurrection.

Death comes to us all, but as we hear from St Paul, it is nothing to be feared: for Christ shows each and every one of us his promise. Through **Christ's death for us, through his overcoming of death in the triumph of the resurrection**, Jesus Christ has destroyed death and has given us true hope.

**Solemnity of All Saints**  
**Mass for Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> November**  
12:15pm Holy Rosary  
5:30pm Holy Rosary

**All Souls Day**  
**Mass for Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> November**  
6:00am Catholic Cemetery  
8:00am Shalom College  
5:30pm St Patrick's Church

## LITURGY SPOT

**NOVEMBER DEVOTION: THE HOLY SOULS IN PURGATORY:** Since the 16th century Catholic piety has assigned entire months to special devotions. As a reminder of our duty to pray for the souls in Purgatory, the Church has dedicated the month of November to the Holy Souls. It is our great privilege that we can shorten their time of separation from God by our prayers, good works, and, especially, the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass.

## STEWARDSHIP

This week we send a huge thank you to Lyn, Phil, Bernice, John, Mary and Judith for their mammoth effort in preparing and presenting the venue, food, and hospitality at this week's Breakfast with the Bishop for those in business.

*We are called to be good stewards of our personal vocations. St Paul's prayer for the Thessalonians is therefore ours, too - "that our God may make us worthy of his calling and powerfully bring to fulfillment every good purpose and every effort of faith".*

## JUSTICE & SUSTAINABLY

**Living Justly.....Living Sustainably** ~ Human trafficking is the modern face of slavery and it is a growing global tragedy and crime. **"No one can claim to be indifferent in the face of new forms of slavery imposed by criminal organizations."** (Pope Francis)

Each of us can become more aware of forms of human trafficking in the world and in Australia. Visit [www.acrath.org.au](http://www.acrath.org.au)

## WORLD NEWS

Pope Francis' Daily Homily : [www.radiovaticana.va](http://www.radiovaticana.va)  
National Catholic Reporter : [www.ncronline.org](http://www.ncronline.org)  
National Jesuits News : [www.jesuit.org](http://www.jesuit.org)  
UCAN : [www.ucanews.com](http://www.ucanews.com)  
The Journey Catholic Radio Program : [www.jcr.org.au](http://www.jcr.org.au)  
Year of Mercy Daily Inspiration : [www.LiveMercy.org](http://www.LiveMercy.org)

## LITURGY TIMETABLE

(31<sup>st</sup> October - 6<sup>th</sup> November 2016)

### MONDAY, 31<sup>st</sup> OCTOBER 2016

Phil 2:14; Lk 14:12-14.  
9:00am St Patrick's (Mass).

### TUESDAY, 1<sup>st</sup> NOVEMBER 2016

All Saints Day  
Apoc 7:2-4, 9-14; 1 Jn 3:1-3; Mt 5:1-12.  
12:15pm Holy Rosary (Mass);  
5:30pm Holy Rosary (Mass).

### WEDNESDAY, 2<sup>nd</sup> NOVEMBER 2016

All Souls Day  
6:00am Catholic Cemetery (Mass);  
8:00am Shalom College (Mass);  
2:00pm Riverlea (Anointings);  
5:30pm St Patrick's (Mass).

### THURSDAY, 3<sup>rd</sup> NOVEMBER 2016

Phil 3:3-8; Lk 15:1-10.  
6:30am St Mary's (LWC).

### FRIDAY, 4<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER 2016

Phil 3:17 - 4:1; Lk 16:1-8.  
9:00am St Mary's School (Mass);  
12:15pm Holy Rosary (Mass).

### SATURDAY, 5<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER 2016

Phil 4:10-19; Lk 16:9-15.  
7:30am St Mary's (Mass);  
9:00am Holy Rosary (Reconciliation);  
6:00pm St Patrick's (Mass).

### SUNDAY, 6<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER 2016

32<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time

2 Macc 7:1-2, 9-14;  
2 Thess 2:16 - 3:5;  
Lk 20:27-38.  
7:00am St James' (Mass);  
8:00am Holy Rosary (Mass);  
9:00am St Mary's (Mass);  
12:00pm Baffle Creek - *Cancelled*;  
5:30pm Holy Rosary (Mass).

## ANOINTINGS

FAIRWAYS RETIREMENT VILLAGE  
~ Monday, 14<sup>th</sup> November 2016 at 2pm.

ANOINTING MASSES  
MILLBANK AGED CARE VILLAGE  
~ 09/11/2016 - *Cancelled*.

PIONEER LODGE & GARDENS SOUTH  
~ Friday, 11<sup>th</sup> November 2016 at 2:30pm.

ST MARY'S ANOINTING MASS  
~ Thursday, 17<sup>th</sup> November 2016 at 10am.

GRACEHAVEN AGED CARE HOME  
~ Tuesday, 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2016 at 9:30am.

TRI-CARE AGED CARE FACILITY  
~ Wednesday, 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2016 at 10:30am.

CARINITY AGED CARE HOME  
Thursday, 24<sup>th</sup> November 2016 at 9:30am.

## MONTHLY MASSES

(Holy Rosary Church)

TONGAN COMMUNITY MASS  
~ Sunday, 6<sup>th</sup> November 2016 at 5:30pm.

YOUTH-LED MASS  
~ Sunday, 13<sup>th</sup> November 2016 at 5:30pm.

PILIPINO COMMUNITY MASS  
~ Sunday, 27<sup>th</sup> November 2016 at 8:00am.

(Aged Care Facilities)

CARINITY AGED CARE HOME  
~ Sunday, 13<sup>th</sup> November 2016 at 11:00am  
in the Community Centre at Carinity Aged  
Care Nursing Home.

## NOVEMBER MONTHLY NOTICES

### EXPOSITION & ADORATION

**Holy Rosary Church**  
Friday, 4<sup>th</sup> November 2016,  
following 12:15pm Mass;

**St James' Church**  
Every Tuesday following 9:00am  
Liturgy;

**St Mary's Church**  
Sunday, 6<sup>th</sup> November 2016 from  
2:00pm - 5:00pm & every  
Saturday following 7:30am Mass  
or Liturgy.

**St Patrick's Church**  
Friday, 11<sup>th</sup> November 2016 from  
9:00am - 12noon & Tuesday,  
22<sup>nd</sup> November 2016 from  
9:00am - 5:00pm.

### MEETINGS

**ADULT FAITH FORMATION** ~  
Tuesday, 15<sup>th</sup> November 2016 from  
4:00pm - 5:00pm.

**BUNDABERG CATHOLIC  
WOMENS LEAGUE (CWL)** ~  
The November meeting will be held  
on Tuesday, 8<sup>th</sup> November 2016  
from 12noon in the St Mary's  
Community Centre. Remember  
to BYO lunch. All are welcome.  
For more information contact  
Maureen 4152 1263.

**FINANCE COMMITTEE** ~  
Monday, 28<sup>th</sup> November 2016 at  
5:15pm in the Parish Office Dining  
Room.

**FRIENDS OF KEPNOCK GROVE**  
~ Friday, 11<sup>th</sup> November 2016 at  
1:30pm in the Carinity Aged Care  
Community Centre. For more  
information contact Beryl Plath on  
4152 2538.

**LITURGY TEAM** ~ Wednesday,  
3<sup>rd</sup> November 2016 at 4:15pm in  
the Parish Office Conference Room.

**PARISH STEWARDSHIP  
COUNCIL** ~ Thursday,  
24<sup>th</sup> November 2016 at 5:30pm in  
the Parish Office Conference Room.

**POST FUNERAL SUPPORT  
GROUP** ~ Friday, 25<sup>th</sup> November  
2016 at 11:30am in the Parish  
Office. For more information,  
contact Maureen on 4152 1263.

**ST MARY'S CONFERENCE OF  
ST VINCENT DE PAUL** ~  
Monday, 7<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup> November 2016  
from 4:30pm - 5:30pm in Room 2  
at the St Mary's Catholic  
Community Centre.

**VISITATION MINISTERS** ~  
Friday, 11<sup>th</sup> November 2016 at  
10:30am in the Parish Office  
Conference Room.

### PLANNED GIVING

Planned Giving Envelopes  
(October)

Total Pledges.....602

Amount Pledged.....\$31 640.64

Total Given.....\$30, 735.55

### PRACTICES

**MUSICIANS & SINGERS** ~  
Saturday, 5<sup>th</sup> November 2016 at  
10:30am in Holy Rosary Church.

### PRAYER GROUPS

#### CHRISTIAN MEDITATION

**Venue:** Parish Office Chapel  
**When:** Tuesday 10:00am -10:30am  
Friday 11:30am - 12noon  
**Contact:** Nadia Fregonese ~ Ph: 41516666  
Joe McCorley ~ Ph: 0418727845

**CHRISTIAN UNITY PRAYER  
GROUP** ~ Thursday, 24<sup>th</sup> November  
2016 at 10:00am in the North  
Transept of Holy Rosary Church.

**DIVINE MERCY HOUR WITH  
EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED  
SACRAMENT** ~ Sunday,  
20<sup>th</sup> November 2016 from 3:00pm -  
4:00pm in St Mary's Catholic Church.

**EL SHADDAI CHARISMATIC  
RENEWAL FELLOWSHIP  
PRAYER GROUP** ~ Saturday,  
26<sup>th</sup> November 2016 from 1:00pm -  
4:00pm in the Novakoski Centre. For  
more information contact Lee  
Pendleton - 0423 480 744; Thelma  
Kemp - 0413 237 994 or Melba Allen  
- 0432 540 348.

**INDIAN COMMUNITY PRAYER  
GROUP** ~ Friday 4<sup>th</sup> &  
18<sup>th</sup> November 2016 from 6:30pm -  
8:00pm in the Novakoski Centre.

**MEDJUGORJE HOUR WITH  
EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED  
SACRAMENT** ~ Sunday,  
20<sup>th</sup> November 2016 from 4:00pm -  
5:00pm in St Mary's Catholic Church.

**MOTHER'S PRAYER GROUP** ~  
Tuesday, 8<sup>th</sup> November 2016,  
11:00am - 12:00noon in St Mary's  
Catholic Church.

**THE ECUMENICAL ORDER OF  
SAINT FRANCIS** ~ Sunday,  
20<sup>th</sup> November 2016 at 10:30am in  
Room 2, at the St Mary's Catholic  
Community Centre.

### SOCIAL HOSPITALITY

**BLANKET BUDDIES** ~ Wednesday,  
2<sup>nd</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup> November 2016 in the  
Novakoski Centre, from 10:00am -  
12noon. For more information,  
contact Noreen Plath on 4155 1399.

**BOOK CLUB** ~ Tuesday, 8<sup>th</sup> &  
22<sup>nd</sup> November 2016 at 4:15pm.  
For more information, contact the  
Parish Office on 4151 6666.

The Bundaberg Passionist  
Family Group will be  
hosting Cuppa Sunday  
after Mass at St Mary's  
Catholic Church next Sunday,  
6<sup>th</sup> November 2016. All welcome.

## PLEASE PRAY FOR BAPTISMS

Through the Sacrament of Baptism, this weekend  
we welcomed **Aric Roll**.

### WEDDINGS

This weekend we congratulate **Clint Graham Joseph  
Jarvis** and **Emma Maree Gatt** who celebrated the  
sacrament of marriage this weekend.

## RECENTLY DECEASED

Judith Hind; Patrick Collingwood (Shepparton); Carmela  
Cavallaro; Gina Gonzales (Philippines); Catherine Roche  
(Rockhampton); Margaret Althaus (Brisbane); Barbara  
McNaught (Cooroy); Mary Kavanagh (Rosewood); Quinto  
"Serge" De Paoli; Frances Steemson; and Clem Healey.

## ANNIVERSARIES (NOVEMBER)

Sam Grima; Joseph Grima; Lawrence Formosa; Josephine  
Formosa; Lorry Formosa; Salvina Cauchi; Chris Caruana;  
Doris Caruana; Sonta Camilleri; Christopher Lennon;  
Derek Foster; Frank Vinklerek; Julia McConville; Eileen  
Healey; Joan Healey; Elsito Bajuyo; Sam Camilleri; Clare  
Delaney; Marguerite Fagg; Winifred 'Winnie' Allen; Stan  
Melcer; Antonio Rizzo; Vicenza Bonaventura; Carmen  
Grima; Giuseppe De Florian; David Habermann; Merv  
Steindl; Margaret Cagney; Brendan Emerick; Giovanna  
Moro; Romano Moro; Silvana Marcon; Hiram James;  
William Connolly; Maddalena Felesina; Leonardo  
Quagliata; Renzo Crappa; Giovanni Felesina [Italy];  
Giuseppe de Floren; Clair St Valentine Ephraims; Kathleen  
Ireland; Anne Thorne; Ivy Nielson; Charles Taylor;  
Raimondo Feltrin; Max Stevenson; Francis Schleicht;  
Winifred O'Keefe; Jessica Ewing; Felice Felesina [Ayr];  
Roy Ewan (Adelaide); Joe Bonaventura; Aquelino Casab-  
Ajan; Margaret Evelyn (Mardi) Callaghan; James  
Rasmussen; Reginald Connolly; Bessie Mooney; Bill Della  
Vedova; Francesca Troiani; Sante Simonetti; Gloria Black;  
John Avington; Enid Hand; Louisa Sheehan; Kevin Bates;  
Cesarina Della Vedova; James Nelson; Sid Arundell; Gino  
De Papi; Denis Gleeson; Irene Killer; Pat Aspinall; Jovita  
Porcadilla.

## SACRAMENTAL

### SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM



A Mass with Commentary will be held on Monday,  
31<sup>st</sup> October 2016 at 5:30pm in the Parish Office for  
Parents.

For more information, contact Anne Sheehan at the  
Parish Office.

## PARISH NEWS

Lord, make me an instrument of  
your peace



Thank you for supporting the  
Catholic Mission World Mission  
Appeal - for reaching out to those in  
need in Papua New Guinea and  
around the world through your kind  
gifts and prayers. Your generosity  
makes it possible for local  
community leaders like Steven  
Dude to help their people heal the  
wounds caused by broken  
relationships and find peace  
through mercy. We invite you to  
consider partnering with us through  
a regular monthly gift and continue  
your support of this and other life-  
giving work of mission and mercy.

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mission  
Reach out. Give life.

Freecall: 1800 257 296  
catholicmission.org.au/PNG

## NOVEMBER MASSES

The *Books of Remembrance* are in all  
Churches this weekend for you to record  
the name/s of your loved one/s who have  
died. These and all the departed will be  
remembered in our Masses during  
November.



**Atrium**  
of the  
*Good Shepherd*  
70 Woongarra Street  
4151 6666

## Number 5 Characteristic of the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (from the International Council 1996)

"The themes presented in the  
atrium are those to which the  
children have responded with  
depth and joy. These themes are  
taken from the Bible and the  
liturgy (prayers and sacraments)  
as the fundamental sources for  
creating and sustaining Christian  
life at every developmental stage  
and, in particular, for illuminating  
and nourishing the child in his/her  
most vital religious needs."

The November Edition of the *Word Among  
Us* is now available for collection from the  
Parish Office.

## RENEWAL NOTICE

Please contact the Parish Office by Friday,  
4<sup>th</sup> November 2016 to either confirm or subscribe  
to the 2017 *Word Among Us Daily  
Meditations*. Thank you.



## WANTED !!!

### Unused Clarinets & Wind Instruments

Back in 2011, Fr John Ryan formed a Concert Band  
with the Youth of Goroka in the Highlands of PNG  
with the brass musical instruments donated by  
Parishioners & and the Bundaberg Musical  
Fraternity.

Now stationed in Madang PNG, Fr Ryan would like  
to improve the life of the young people of Madang  
by involving them in music & so is again asking  
the people of Bundaberg to donate any unused  
*Clarinets & Wind Instruments* to the young people  
of Madang.

Donations of musical instruments can be left at the  
Parish Office for delivery to Fr Ryan. Thank you.



## ACRATH CALENDAR

The 2017 ACRATH Calendar is  
now available from the Parish  
Office & all Church entrances.  
Cost \$10.

## WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

### Silver Wedding Anniversary

Congratulations to Barry & Kim Kirby who celebrate  
their 25<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary this on Wednesday.  
May the love & happiness you have shared for over  
half a century continue forevermore. Blessings to  
you both.