AUGUST NOTICES

ANOINTING MASSES

• RSL Aged Care Fairways: 2.00pm Monday, 13 August 2018; Gracehaven Aged Care Services: 9.30am Tuesday 28 August 2018; St Mary's Catholic Church: 10.00am Thursday, 23 August 2018.

EXPOSITION & ADORATION

Holy Rosary Catholic Church: after 12.15pm Mass, Friday 3 August 2018; St James' Catholic Church: Every Tuesday following 9.00am Liturgy; St Mary's Catholic Church: Every Saturday following 7.30am Mass or Liturgy; and from 2pm - 5pm, Sunday 5 August 2018; St Patrick's Catholic Church: 9am - 12noon, Friday 10 August 2018; and 9am - 5pm Tuesday 28 August 2018.

- Divine Mercy Hour: 3pm 4pm, Sunday 19 August 2018 at St Mary's Catholic Church; followed by Medjugorje Hour with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament from 4pm - 5pm.
- **Divine Mercy Chaplet:** Every Tuesday after 12:15pm Mass at Holy Rosary Catholic Church.

MEETINGS

- Liturgy Team Meeting: 4.15pm Thursday, 2 August 2018 in the Parish Conference Room.
- Cherish Life: Monday, 6 August 2018 from 1.30pm 3.00pm in the Novakoski Centre.
- Bundaberg Catholic Women's League: The August CWL Meeting which is being held at 12noon on Tuesday 7 August 2018 in the St Mary's Community Centre will be their *Annual Soup Day*. Please remember to bring your bowl & spoon. All welcome. For further information contact Maureen 4152 1263.
- **Parish Finance Committee Meeting:** Thursday 9 August 2018 at 5.15pm.
- Friends of Kepnock Grove Meeting: Friday 10 August 2018 at 1.30pm in the Carinity Aged Care Community Centre.
- Parish Stewardship Council Meeting: from 5.30pm Thursday, 16 August 2018 in the Parish Office Conference Room.

- St Mary's Conference of St Vincent de Paul: from 4.30pm - 5.30pm Monday, 6 & 20 July 2018 in the Conference Room at St Vincent de Paul Shop (18 McLean Street).
- **Post Funeral Support Group Meeting:** 11.30am Friday, 24 August 2018 in the Parish Office.

PARISH PLANNED GIVING

 PLANNED GIVING FOR JULY 2018

 (24 June 2018 - 22 July 2018)

 Total Pledges

 Amount Pledged

 \$26,701.68

 Total Given

 \$32,938.45

PRACTICES & REHEARSALS

Musicians & Singers: Saturday, 4 August 2018 in Holy Rosary Church at 10.30am.

PRAYER GROUPS

- Christian Meditation: from 10.00am to 10:30am every Tuesday & from 11.30am to 12noon every Friday in the Parish Office Chapel.
- Indian Community Prayer Group: from 6.30pm to 8.00pm, Friday 3 & 17 August 2018 in the Novakoski Centre.
- United Hearts Catholic Charismatic Prayer Group: 7.00pm Tuesday, 7 & 21 August 2018 in the Novakoski Centre.
- menALIVE Scripture Group ∼ every Thursday from 12noon 1.00pm in the Parish Office Dining Room.
- Mother's Prayer Group: Tuesday, 14 August 2018 from 11.00am to 12noon in the St Mary's Catholic Church.
- Ecumenical Order of St Francis: 10.30am Sunday, 19 August 2018 in Room 2 at the St Mary's Catholic Community Centre.
- El Shaddai Charismatic Renewal Fellowship Prayer Group: Saturday, 25 August 2018 from 1.00pm to 4.00pm. Venue TBA. For more information contact Lee Pendleton 0423 480 744 or Thelma Kemp - 4153 1608.

 Christian Unity Prayer Group ~ from 10am Thursday, 30 August 2018 in the North Transept of Holy Rosary Catholic Church followed by fellowship in the Novakoski Centre. All welcome.

ROSARY

• Holy Rosary Catholic Church: Tuesday & Thursday at 5.25pm; St Mary's Catholic Church: Thursday at 6.00am; St Patrick's Catholic Church: Wednesday at 5.00pm.

SOCIAL HOSPITALITY

- After Mass Cuppa: Sunday, 12 August 2018 in the Novakoski Centre after 8am Mass.
- Blanket Buddies: every Wednesday in the Novakoski Centre from 10.00am to 12noon. All welcome.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Fr Andrew's Farewell: a Mass of Thanksgiving will be celebrated in Holy Rosary Catholic Church on Friday, 03 August 2018 at 5.30pm followed by a BBQ in MacKillop Hall *(St Joseph's School Hall).* Meat & Bread provided. BYO Drinks. To assist with the catering, we ask that Parishioners from the Holy Rosary & St Patrick's Communities BYO a Salad to share and the Parishioners from the St James'& St Mary's Communities BYO a Dessert to share. This is an opportunity for us all to say *Thank You, Goodbye,* and wish Fr Andrew the best for the months of study ahead of him. For catering purposes, please RSVP to the Office by Monday, 30 July 2018.
- Afternoon Tea: hosted by the Bundaberg Passionist Mackillop Family Group is being held on **Sunday, 19 August 2018** from **2.30pm** at the Home of Glen & Theresa Miles (44 Lievesley Street East Bundaberg). Please BYO to share. For more information or to RSVP please contact Helen on 0490 361 406 Geraldine on 0413 671 641. All welcome.
- The 14th Annual eConference: Wednesday, 08 August 2018 from 10.00am to 2.00pm in the Parish Office Conference Room. This year's eConference will focus on engaging communities around Australia in a landmark discussion about the future vision & direction of the Catholic Church in our country. For registration and catering purposes, please contact the Parish Office by Monday, 06 August.

- Relay for Life 2018: is being held from 2.00pm Saturday, 11 August to 8.00am Sunday, 12 August 2018 at the Bundaberg Recreational Precinct. Registration costs \$30 and is payable at the time of registration. If you would like to register as member of the Catholic Parish of Bundaberg Relay for Life Team please visit the Cancer Council Office at 41 Woongarra Street, (diagonally across from the Parish Office) or for more information contact Denise Tuzes at the Parish Office on telephone no. 4151 6666.
- The 16th Annual Ecumenical Luncheon: will be held on Saturday, 25 August 2018 from 10.00am to 2.00pm at the Bundaberg Services Club (*RSL*, Quay Street). Guest Speaker: Chaplain Gary Stone (The Veterans Padre). Tickets: \$35/ person & are available from the Parish Office until Monday, 17 August 2018.
- Annual Ladies Dinner: hosted by the Bundaberg Passionist Family Group will be held on **Tuesday, 28 August 2018 from 6.00pm** in the Panache Restaurant, Shalom College. Tickets are \$26/person & are available from the Parish Office until Wednesday, 22 August 2018. Cash payment at time of booking appreciated.
- Retreat ~ The Hospitality of God: presented by Fr John Daly, 9.00am to 3.00pm on Thursday, 30 August 2018 at St James' Catholic Church, Bargara. Morning Tea & Lunch provided. For catering purposes, please RSVP to the Parish Office by Monday, 27 August 2018. For more information please contact Denise Tuzes at the Parish Office. All welcome. Attendance by Visitation Ministers would be appreciated.
- Ignite Youth Conference: will be held this year from Thursday, 27 September through to Sunday, 30 September 2018. Open to Ages from Grade 7 to Grade 12. For more information, please contact the Parish Office on 4151 6666.

WEEKDAY MASSES & LITURGIES

- Liturgies (LWC) ~ St James' Catholic Church: every Tuesday at 9.00am; St Mary's Catholic Church: every Saturday at 7.30am (excluding the first Saturday of the month).
- Syro-Malabar Mass (Holy Mass): 6.00pm Thursday 16 August 2018 in Holy Rosary Church.