

# NOVEMBER NOTICES

## ANOINTING MASSES

- **Gracehaven Aged Care Services:** 9.30am Tuesday, 28 November 2017 at 9.30am; **St Mary's Catholic Church:** Thursday, 23 November 2017 at 10am; **Pioneer Lodge & Gardens:** Cancelled

## EXPOSITION & ADORATION

- **Holy Rosary Catholic Church:** after 12.15pm Mass, Friday 3 November 2017; **St James' Catholic Church:** Every Tuesday following 9.00am Liturgy; **St Mary's Catholic Church:** Every Saturday following 7.30am Mass or Liturgy & from 2.00pm - 5.00pm, Sunday 5 November 2017; **St Patrick's Catholic Church:** from 9am - 12noon, Friday 10 November 2017 & Tuesday, 28 November 2017 from 9am - 5pm.
- **Divine Mercy Hour:** from 3pm - 4pm, Sunday 19 November 2017 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.

## MASSES

- **All Souls Day Mass:** will be celebrated at 6.00am on Wednesday, 1 November 2017 in the Catholic Cemetery (Fitzgerald Street). BYO Chairs. In the event of wet weather, Mass will be held at 6.30am St Mary's Catholic Church.
- **Family Mass:** Sunday Mass with readings, music & prayers suitable for children will be celebrated **6pm, Saturday, 4 November 2017** at St Patrick's Catholic Church. Children from St Patrick's Catholic Primary School will be involved in some Ministries.
- **Carinity Mass:** Sunday, 12 November 2017 at 11.00am

## MEMORIAL SERVICE

- Family & friends of our recently dearly departed are invited to a **Memorial Service** which will be held at 7pm on Wednesday, 15 November 2017 in Holy Rosary Church. Please RSVP to the Parish Office if attending. All welcome.

## MEETINGS

- **Bundaberg CWLA Meeting:** 12noon Tuesday, 14 November 2017 in the St Mary's Community Centre. BYO lunch. For more information contact Maureen on 4152 1263. All welcome.
- **Finance Committee Meeting:** 5.15pm Thursday, 9 November 2017 in the Parish Office.

- **St Mary's Conference of St Vincent de Paul:** Monday, 13 & 27 November 2017 from 4.30pm - 5.30pm in the Conference Room at St Vincent de Paul Shop (18 McLean Street).
- **Liturgy Team Meeting:** 4.15pm Thursday, 2 November 2017 in the Parish Office.
- **Friends of Kepnock Grove Meeting:** Friday, 10 November 2017 at 1.30pm in the Carinity Aged Care Community Centre.
- **Post Funeral Support Group Meeting:** Friday, 24 November 2017 at 11.30am in the Parish Office.
- **Visitation Ministry Meeting:** Coffee & cake meeting on Friday, 17 November 2017 at 10:30am. Last meeting for 2017.

## PARISH PLANNED GIVING

### PLANNED GIVING FOR OCTOBER 2017

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| Total Pledges .....  | 602          |
| Amount Pledged ..... | \$31, 655.64 |
| Total Given .....    | \$33, 555.80 |

## PRACTICES & REHEARSALS

- **Musicians & Singers:** Saturday, 4 November 2017 at 10:30am in Holy Rosary Catholic Church.

## PRAYER GROUPS

- **Sunday Scripture Group:** every Monday at 7pm in the Novakoski Centre.
- **Christian Meditation:** every Tuesday from 10.00am - 10:30am & every Friday from 11.30am - 12noon in the Parish Office Chapel.
- **Christian Unity Prayer Group:** Thursday, 30 November 2017 at 10.00am in the North Transept of Holy Rosary Catholic Church followed by fellowship afterwards in the Novakoski Centre.
- **Ecumenical Order of St Francis:** Sunday, 19 November 2017 at 10.30am in Room 2 at the St Mary's Catholic Community Centre.
- **El Shaddai Charismatic Renewal Fellowship Prayer Group:** Saturday, 25 November 2017 from 1pm - 4pm in the Novakoski Centre.
- **Indian Community Prayer Group:** from 6.30pm - 8pm, Friday, 3 November 2017 in the Novakoski Centre.
- **menALIVE Scripture Group:** every Thursday from 2pm in the Parish Office Dining Room.

- **Mother's Prayer Group:** from 11am - 12noon Tuesday, 14 November 2017, Room 2 at the St Mary's Catholic Community Centre.
- **United Hearts Catholic Charismatic Prayer Group:** Tuesday, 7 & 21 November 2017 at 7pm in the Novakoski Centre.

### ROSARY

- **Holy Rosary Catholic Church:** Tuesday & Thursday at 5.25pm; **St Mary's Catholic Church:** 6am Thursday; **St Patrick's Catholic Church:** Wednesday at 5pm.

### SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMME

- **Parent/Child Session 1:** 10.30am Sunday, 29 October 2017 OR 7.00pm Wednesday, 1 November 2017 in the Parish Office.
- **Parent Session Only - Eucharist:** 10.30am Sunday, 12 November 2017 OR Wednesday, 15 November 2017 at 7pm in the Parish Office.

### SOCIAL HOSPITALITY

- **Blanket Buddies:** from 10am - 12noon every Wednesday in the Novakoski Centre.
- **After Mass Cuppa at Holy Rosary:** Sunday, 12 November 2017 in the Novakoski Centre after 8am Mass.

### UPCOMING EVENTS

- **Are you a Past Pupil of St Mary's School?:** St Mary's Catholic Primary School is looking for Volunteers who are willing to talk with small groups of Students & answer their questions about what School was like '*way back when*' at their **Year 2 History Morning** on Wednesday, 8 November 2017 from 9am in the School Library. Photos, Report Cards, Slates or other bits & pieces to bring along would be appreciated. If you or someone you know may be able to help, contact Liz O'Sullivan on 4152 2167 or via email [elizabeth\\_osullivan@rok.catholic.edu.au](mailto:elizabeth_osullivan@rok.catholic.edu.au). All support no matter how small is appreciated.
- **Parish Office Business Hours:** The Parish Office will be closed Monday, 20 November 2017 and re-open 8.30am Tuesday, 21 November 2017.
- **Bundaberg Catholic Women League's Christmas Dinner:** will be held on **Tuesday, 21 November 2017** in the **Leprechaun Room, Brothers Club**. Time: 6.00pm (for 6.30pm start). Cost: \$25 & payable at the Parish Office or at the November CWLA Meeting. Tickets available from Monday, 6 November 2017 to 12noon, Friday 17 November 2017. Remember a Gift for Secret Santa (*something that you'd like to receive*). Everyone welcome. For more information contact Maureen - 4152 1263.

- **Pageant of Lights ~ Thursday, 7 December 2017:** The Catholic Parish of Bundaberg will be again entering a float in the Christmas Parade. If you have a child who would like to participate in the parade, or if you, yourself would like to walk as part of the Parish Community, please contact the Parish Office.
- **Australian Catholic Youth Festival ACYF:** is being held from 7 – 9 December 2017 in Sydney and will kick off the Year of Youth in Australia. The event is an initiative of the Australian Catholic Bishops and is for Youth from Grade 9 up to 30 years of age. Many of our Catholic High Schools are already arranging School Groups to attend. If you would like to be part of the Diocesan Group please email [youth@rok.catholic.net.au](mailto:youth@rok.catholic.net.au) or visit [www.youthfestival.catholic.org.au](http://www.youthfestival.catholic.org.au) for more information.
- **Christmas Carols at St James':** from 4:30pm Sunday, 17 November 2017 at St James' Catholic Church, Bargara followed by a Cuppa & some Christmas Goodies. Everyone welcome.
- **Bethlehem Live ~ 19 - 22 December 2017** from 5.30pm to 8.30pm. Please contact Carmen at the Parish Office to register your interest.