

# Our Lady of the Rosary Catholic Parish

**Embracing the faith communities of Beerwah, Caloundra, Currimundi, Kawana, Landsborough, Little Mountain, Maleny and Unity at Caloundra South.**

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**This week Catholic Mission will share the story of Churai\*.**

Abandoned by her partner when she learned she was pregnant, Churai was unsure as to how she would care for her baby as she had little money and nowhere to turn, until a friend connected her with the Good Shepherd Sisters. Now seven months pregnant, Churai\* is living at the Mother and Babies Home run by Sr Chalaad, and is receiving nutritious food, medical care and parental skills training. The Home is designed to lend a helping hand to mothers like Churai\*, to help them build a brighter future for themselves and their babies. **Your support today means that Sr Chalaad can continue to reach out to more vulnerable mothers and their babies, as the Home relies on the generosity of people like you.**

**Without this program, many vulnerable mothers like Churai\* will have nowhere to turn when they need love and care the most.**

In this World Mission Day message for 2021, Pope Francis has invited us to respond to what we have seen and heard – to carry those stories, like Churai's, in our hearts – calling us to each be missionary disciples by sharing and supporting vital work like this.

You can help support the essential work of the Good Shepherd Sisters in Thailand as they reach out to vulnerable mothers and their babies in their time of greatest need.

The Mother and Babies Home at the Good Shepherd Sisters Centre in the heart of Bangkok offers mothers like Churai\* the opportunity to prepare for their new babies in a safe environment. The women that come through the Home are welcomed with love and support not only from the Sisters, but from the community of mothers also living at the home. The Home gives these mothers a sense of belonging, practical support through parental skills training, pre- and post-natal medical care, and provides them with nutritious food and supplies.

**Notwithstanding this great work, Sr Chalaad needs your support today to continue providing this life-changing care for vulnerable mothers like Churai\*, and her baby.**

Please give generously today to help continue this life-giving program by using the appeal envelope, going online at [catholicmission.org.au/thailand](http://catholicmission.org.au/thailand) or by texting 'GIVE' to 0488 854 436. Your gift will also help many other similar Church-run mission programs around the world.

***Will you take action and make a difference today?***

Your tax-deductible gift, can help purchase nutritious meals, essential supplies and contributes toward the costs of medical care for mothers and babies at the Home, as well as similar mission projects around the world. Should you not require a tax-receipt, your gift can support all these programs, as well as programs supporting seminarians, novices and catechists.

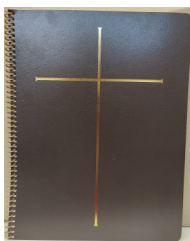
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**30TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR B  
WEEKEND OF 23RD/24TH OCTOBER 2021**

**Proper of the Mass**

**First Reading: Jer 31:7-9 Second Reading: Heb 5:1-6 Gospel: Mk 10:46-52**



## The start of November is only one week away.

The two great feasts of the church, All Saints and All Souls, fall on Monday, November 1st (All Saints) and November 2nd (All Souls). All our Parish churches have a

### **BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE**

and you are invited to take a moment to record the names of your loved ones who have gone before you marked by the sign of faith. November is traditionally the month that we remember and pray for the dead and our **BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE** will be placed in the sanctuary and will be the focus of our prayers during this month.

## Final Encounter Night for 2021

Encountering the Person of Jesus in an extraordinary way is a fundamental aspect of Christian faith that is sometimes missing from our Catholic focus. Indeed, this sense of 'Encounter' can be lost in the repetitional beauty of the most explicit form of Encounter in the Eucharist at Mass. This year we've celebrated two successful Encounter nights in the parish and so, before our NET Team and their beautiful music ministry, depart, we will be putting on another evening of hospitality, testimony, worship, Reconciliation, and prayer ministry.

**Encounter: 3 will commence at 5.30pm on Wednesday 10th Nov at OLR church,**  
and run for no longer than two hours. For catering purposes, please RSVP to Vicki or Eileen at the front desk by the end of business on Tuesday 10th Nov.

We look forward to seeing your smiling faces.

**Fr Josh and the Encounter team.**

## Kawana Waters Catholic Women's League

The question is often asked "What do you do in Catholic Women's League?"

Catholic Women's League Queensland is organized at three levels, Parish, Diocese and State with 500 members in the Archdiocese of Brisbane, Rockhampton Diocese and Townsville Diocese. Catholic Women's League State of Queensland is a Member Organization of Catholic Women's League Australia which is affiliated with the World Union of Catholic Women's Organisations which unites together in prayer, service and friendship Catholic women from 100 countries around the world.

We are involved in Social Justice Issues and are dedicated to a culture of life from conception to death.

We are also involved in Advocacy of Human Rights, Advocacy of Women, Support of Parish Life, Charitable works and Overseas Aid. Our current State project is to support organizations which assist people with mental illness.

Our State motto is **"Living the Joy of the Gospel"**.

Here in our Kawana Waters branch we meet on the fourth Wednesday of each month, at the Kawana Good Shepherd Centre. Prayer is an integral part of our meeting.

Some of the charities we support are ACRATH (Australian Catholic Religious against Trafficking of Humans), Caritas and Jesuit Refugee Services. We rejoice that we could donate for the recent Ignite Conference, are able to give to the annual Siena College Year 12 Religion and Ethics Prize and that we can also give occasional help to our Kawana Good Shepherd Saint Vincent de Paul Conference, whose members do such wonderful work helping those in need in our community.

As we prepare for our 31<sup>st</sup> Thanksgiving Mass and Annual General Meeting we pray to our Patroness, Our Lady help of Christians, asking her to bless and help us as we continue to work together **"For the Honour and Glory of God."**

Enquiries to President Joy Arnold phone 0416 086 254



### The ladies enjoying last months lunch at Thai Lime Twist

If you are interested to come along to next months luncheon, the ladies are meeting on Friday the 19th November at Pelican Waters Tavern, 38 Pelican Waters Blvd.

If you would like to attend please contact Deborah by Monday 15th 0410531901 so she can confirm numbers.

## Thank You from the SVDP Good Shepherd Conference

Our recent fundraiser was a huge success with \$7190 taken over the three days. This amazing result is due to the support of so many people, those who kindly donated items, those who generously gave of their time to help set-up, work over the 3 days and pack-up and to the many who came and purchased books, plants etc. We sincerely thank each and every one of you. These funds will go a long way in allowing us to assist those in need of a hand up especially in the lead up to Christmas.

It has been another difficult year for so many families. Your ongoing support is always greatly appreciated.

**Thank you again and well done everyone.**

## In Transition

As a Parish family we welcome **Dawn, Isla & Eloise Clonan O'Shea, Celine Paras & Elise Robertson** who will be baptised at OLR this weekend.

We pray for **James Jamieson** from the Kawana community whose funeral will be at OLR church on Monday 25th October at 11am. We pray for **Paul Di Leo** who died last week and his funeral will be at Drysdale chapel, Nambour this Tuesday at 2pm. Also we pray for **Eileen McGrath & Marie McDougall** who died last week. May their souls and all the souls of our de-

ceased priests, religious and parishioners **Rest in Peace.**

## Parish Diary

### Monday 25 Oct

Mass (OLR) 9am

### Tuesday 26 Oct

Mass (OLR) 9am

Mass (Maleny) 9am

### Wednesday 27 Oct

School Liturgy 9am

Mass (Lt Mt) 9.30am

### Thursday 28 Oct

*Sts Simon and Jude, apostles*

Mass (OLR) 9am

Mass (Unity) 8.30am

Mass (Currimundi) 9.30am

### Friday 29 Oct

Mass (OLR) 9am

Mass (Landsborough) 9am

### Saturday 30 Oct

Confession (OLR) 8.30am

Mass (OLR) 9am

Vigil Mass

Mass (OLR) 5pm

Mass (Beerwah) 5pm

### Sunday 31 Oct

*31st Sunday in Ordinary time*

Mass (OLR) 6.30am

Mass (Landsborough) 7am

Mass (Unity) 8am

Mass (Kawana) 8am

Mass (Maleny) 9am

Mass (Currimundi) 9.15am

Mass (OLR) 9.30am

Mass (Lt Mt) 10.30am

Family Mass (Unity) 5pm

## NET UPDATE

This past week we have been working particularly with our Young Adults. One of the main things that we did was go to Brisbane for a Masterclass about youth ministry. At this event, we gathered with youth leaders from different parishes around Brisbane and Sunshine Coast. They had a guest speaker who spoke about the importance of community. This reminded me of how important the work is that we do as a team. When running events we are creating a community for these young adults and students. We want everyone to feel loved when they come to our events.

**God bless and have a great week, the NET team.**

## The Annuals are in!

If you ordered a Break Open the Word, Daily Mass Book or an Ordo they are in the Office to be collected.

If you specified your community they have gone out in the box.

## THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

**Sunday 24 Oct:** *30th Sunday in Ordinary time*

♦ Kid's Club at OLR 9.30am Mass.

♦ Illuminate Youth Group at Unity for grades 9-12 - 6-8pm.

**Monday 25 Oct:**

♦ Adoration after the OLR Mass each Monday - All welcome.

♦ The Prayer for Priests prayer group meets after the 9am morning Mass—all welcome.

**Tuesday 26 Oct:**

♦ Women's Prayer and Friendship Group every Tuesday in the Parish Centre. from 9.30-10.45am, all welcome. Enquiries contact Vivienne 0409 897 673.

♦ The Tuesday Club hosts cards in the Caloundra Pastoral Centre weekly beginning at 8:30am, all welcome.

♦ Maleny Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament from 8.30am, Mass 9.00am, Rosary 9.30am after Mass.

♦ OLR St Vincent de Paul meet every Tuesday at 3pm in the Parish Centre. We make daily visits to those in need. New members welcome. Phone Dawn 5430 9390 for further enquiries.

♦ Bible Study Group is held every Tuesday night at Caroline Kettle's place from 7-8.30pm. If you are interested and want details, please call Caroline on 0435 828 092.

**Wednesday 27 Oct:**

♦ Bible Study Group is held every Wednesday morning at Caroline Kettle's place from 9-10.30am. If you are interested and want details, please call Caroline on 0435 828 092.

♦ Kawana Waters Catholic Women's League Annual Thanksgiving Mass at 11am followed by the AGM at the Good Shepherd Centre, Kawana.

♦ OLR Men's Sharing Group 10am-11:30am in the Parish Centre meeting rooms. 2nd & 4th Wed each month. Please call John 0416154144 for details.

**Thursday 28 Oct:**

♦ Kawana Men's group today (every 1st & 4th Thursday of the month) from 10-11.30am in the Good Shepherd Centre, call John 0416154144 for details.

♦ Members of Caloundra's, Our Lady of Good Counsel Conference of the St. Vincent de Paul Society meet at the Parish Centre at 9:30am each fortnight. New members welcome. Further enquiries contact Peter 54924402

♦ Men's Choir practice in the OLR Church at 1pm – new members always welcome

**Friday 29 Oct:**

♦ Landsborough Mass at 9am followed by adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. Confession available while adoration is on.

♦ Lighthouse Youth Group for grades 6-8 in the Parish Centre - 5:15-7:15pm.

**Saturday 30 Oct:**

♦ Individual Reconciliation 8.30am in the OLR Church.

**Sunday 31 Oct:** *31st Sunday in Ordinary time*

♦ Kid's Club at OLR 9.30am Mass.

♦ Illuminate Youth Group at Unity for grades 9-12 - 6-8pm.



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We are based in Australia, however participants can join in wherever you can access your emails. We email you daily for 46 days with prompts such as what the virtue is to read that day, who the 'stars' are for the day or to give you the link to the weekly video and reflection questions. **For more details call Rosemary: 0418 738 551 or go to <https://www.throughourlady.org/>**



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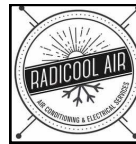
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