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GALA NIGHT – 12th November 2022

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Take note on the top of our website in the banner of

In our Golden Jubilee Year 1972-2022

There is a ***click here*** button which will take you straight to the
Eventbrite page to buy your tickets.

Or you can scan the QR code to the right.

Ticket cost \$90 per head. This is a 3-course meal and includes
welcome beer, wine or soft drink on arrival & lucky door prizes.

Tea and coffee included as well. Attire: Semi-Formal.

HURRY – limited tickets available (10 seats per table).

***The Golden Jubilee GALA Night will be held at RSL Caloundra on
12th November 2022 from 6-11pm.***

This is also a fundraising event for the new Aura Mission.

We welcome donations in cash or in kind. This is going to be a big and enjoyable
night with lots of games, raffles, auctions and dancing.

Please support this event



Last Sunday the Archdiocese launched the ***Laudato si'*** action plan,
we will share more with you when it becomes available.

Opportunity to Walk with those who are Grieving

In our parish, we celebrate many funerals every year – both in our churches and in the
funeral homes around Caloundra.

To help support families who lose a loved one, we have a brand new process in place
for sending a condolence message to the next of kin(s) after a funeral is celebrated; we
also send them an anniversary message every year. There are, however, further
opportunities for us, as a parish, to offer grief support to families who celebrate funerals
in our parish. We are calling for expressions of interest for people who would like to be
part of developing a **Grief Support Ministry**. Please prayerfully
consider if you have the capacity to serve in this ministry and so offer yourself as the
hands and feet of Jesus. You can leave your name and contact details at the front desk
or via email: caloundra@bne.catholic.net.au

Kingdom Youth – OP SHOP PROM Our last youth night of the term is Friday
17 June from 6pm-8:30pm at Unity College. We are holding an OP SHOP PROM, so
get to your closest Vinnies, grab your outfit, and join us for a great night! Dinner,
snacks, slushies, and dessert provided. Get a photo snapped at our photo booth, join in
the group games, dance the night away. The band will be pulling out some classics! We
are so keen to just have fun with you to celebrate the end of term! Bring the most
friends along and win a prize! All students from Years 7 – 12 are welcome.



The next Ladies Lunch

will be at the Brightwater Hotel 15 Freshwater Street Mountain Creek on
Friday 17th June at 12 noon. If you would like to attend please contact
Deborah by Monday 13th of June on 0410531901

In Transition

As a parish family we welcome ***Darragh Neligan, Xavi Torres & Finn McHugh***
who will be baptised in our Parish this weekend.

We pray for ***Anna Bracco & Joyce O'Kearney*** who died last week and their funerals
will be at OLR this week.

We also remember ***Fr John Egan*** whose anniversary is the 13th June. May their souls
and all the souls of our deceased priests, religious and parishioners

Rest in Peace.

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY SUNDAY - YEAR C WEEKEND OF 11/12 JUNE 2022

Proper of the Mass

First Reading: Prov 8:22-31 **Second Reading:** Rom 5:1-5
Gospel: Jn 16:12-15

**The Evangelization & Pastoral Council meeting was held on Wednesday,
March 25th at the Parish Centre. The three main items of discussion were:**

The Future Shaping & Staffing of our Parish: A general discussion between members of the Council revolved around the state of the Parish and what was going well and identifying the gaps or ministries that could be improved. It was acknowledged that there were many different groups functioning and many of these were established and sustained by the initiative of parishioners. Other areas, such as the Kingdom Youth programme, RCIA, the Sacramental Programme are coordinated by the Parish with volunteers and staff involved. In between, there are many areas and ministries that are neglected, from visitation, social justice and refugees, outreach to the marginalised and house bound.

The conversation then turned to explore what our Parish could look like in the foreseeable future. The members of the Council were conscious that their considerations had to be based upon the reality of reduced numbers of clergy while at the same time acknowledging the reality of a population explosion with 3 new P to 12 Catholic schools (each with a student population of 1500 + students) being built at Aura, Palmwoods and Beerwah East.

With new faith communities being established in the emerging population centres, putting additional strain on current resources, the question arose about sustainability of all current faith communities. What is the criteria to assess whether a faith community is viable? What are the resources to ensure the sustainability and growth of a community? How do we prioritize the allocation of our resources?

The members of the Council reflected upon the need to think beyond present structures and imagine what structures and personnel our Parish will need to embrace the challenges of the future. It was envisioned that under the umbrella of Our Lady of the Rosary Parish, there would be several decentralised, reasonably large faith communities located in the major population centres. Outreach and ministry would radiate from these communities.

The smooth functioning of our Parish in the future would require professional administrative and accountancy support supplemented by the ministry of volunteers who would use their time, talent and skills to support the mission of the Parish. A parish manager would be required to ensure legislative compliance and the proper maintenance of all our Parish assets. A Parish Youth Worker and a Volunteer Coordinator – who would ensure our outreach and ministry to the marginalized and elderly parishioners were not neglected – would need to be on the Parish staff. Because of the size and diversity of Our Lady of the Rosary Parish, a new position would need to be created that would reflect the scale and challenges of our Parish Family. The new position could be called the Director of Mission and would be responsible for a strategic approach to the leadership and coordination of the parish. The Director of Mission would undertake a leadership role within our Parish Community coordinating, in-servicing, upskilling and empowering individuals and groups within the parish for mission. The Director of Mission would also ensure that our Parish Family embraced best practice and good governance while continuing to be proactive in the implementation of the Parish mission. The Director of Mission would be a key link connecting the schools, ministries and communities of Our Lady of the Rosary.

The members of the Council agreed that as a parish we need to be proactive and begin discussions with the Archdiocese to assist with the challenge of what the population explosion on the Sunshine Coast will mean for our Catholic Community. At the same time, as a Parish, we need to embrace the challenges of the future with a sense of positive excitement and creativity as we imagine what it means to be a member of Our Lady of the Rosary Catholic Parish in the years ahead.

A progress report on the plans for the **Golden Jubilee celebrations** was discussed. Fifty years ago this year Archbishop O'Donnell separated the sleepy little coastal township of Caloundra along with the country churches of Landsborough and Maleny from the Caboolture Parish and appointed Fr John Egan as the foundation parish Priest. To celebrate the adventure of the past 50 years everyone is invited to be part of the following three events.

On Sunday, October 2nd Archbishop Coleridge will celebrate the Jubilee Mass at Our Lady of the Rosary. A steering committee is currently coordinating the activities that will surround this Mass. At the conclusion of the Mass Archbishop Coleridge will bless the (hopefully completed) new gathering area and refurbished meeting rooms of the parish centre.

On Saturday evening, November 12th the Golden Jubilee Gala will be held at the Caloundra RSL. This is a celebration for the entire Parish and tickets are on sale now. It is also a chance to support the new outreach at Aura. Fr Josh will be the master of ceremonies on the night and there will be plenty of prizes and entertainment.

A Golden Jubilee booklet is slowly taking shape under the guidance of an editorial committee that hopefully captures some of the story of the past 50 years. Communities are currently being contacted to help with the content of the Jubilee Booklet. If you would like to be involved or contribute, please contact Fr Peter at the Parish Office caloundra@bne.catholic.net.au

Felicity Jones, the **Parish Youth Coordinator** gave a report to the members of the Council about her ministry and the work she has been undertaking since accepting her position at the beginning of this year. These are some of the activities currently taking place in our Parish.

Kingdom Youth

- Weekly on Fridays. - averaging 50 a night
- Wonderful ladies prayer group donating meals
- Topics: Who Is Jesus (Term 1), Seeking Jesus (Term 2), Knowing Jesus (Term 3)
- Youth Mass – once a month during the school terms, past two have been a successful celebration
- Ignite Launch – 10 kids to Dreamworld to promote Ignite Conference
- Student-led Youth Band showing great success – leading Year level gatherings and assembly

Kingdom Young Adults

- Weekly on Wednesday evenings
- Pattern of social, testimony, formation, adoration - steady numbers
- Sisterhood/brotherhood opportunities
- Majority attending are youth leaders assisting on a Friday night
- Adoration showing steady increase in numbers per month

The next Evangelization & Pastoral Council meeting is on Wednesday 24th August 2022

In our Golden Jubilee Year 1972-2022

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

Sunday 12 June: *The Most Holy Trinity*

- ♦ Children's liturgy at OLR & Maleny Masses.

Monday 13 June:

- ♦ Craft Group every Monday in the Parish Centre 9-12noon.
Contact Helen McGlynn 0409050722 for more information.
- ♦ RCIA program 6pm in the Dobson Room.

Tuesday 14 June:

- ♦ Rosary & Prayers each week 9.30-10.30am in the OLR church following Mass.
- ♦ Maleny Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament from 8.30am, Mass 9.00am, Rosary 9.30am after Mass.
- ♦ The Tuesday Club hosts cards in the Caloundra Pastoral Centre weekly beginning at 9am - all welcome.
- ♦ Women's Prayer and Friendship Group meet every Tuesday in the Parish Centre from 9.30-10.45am, all welcome. Enquiries contact Vivienne 0409 897 673.
- ♦ OLR St Vincent de Paul meet every Tuesday at 3pm in the staff meeting room. We make daily visits to those in need. New members welcome. Phone Dawn 5430 9390 for further enquiries.
- ♦ Alpha 6-8pm both Parish Centre rooms for 10 weeks.

Wednesday 15 June:

- ♦ **Art class** is on with Jude each week in the Parish Centre 10-12noon.
- ♦ OLR Ladies church choir practice 1-2.30pm in the OLR Church.
- ♦ Kingdom Young Adults - 6-8.30pm in the Egan Room. Ph Kath Ball 0418187914.

Thursday 16 June:

- ♦ Rosary & Prayers each week 9.30-10.30am in the OLR church following Mass.
- ♦ Caloundra Catholic Community Social Justice Network (CCCSJN) in the Pastoral Care Boardroom 3.30-5.00pm. Visitors and enquiries welcome but it is essential to contact Bob before the meeting to receive papers. bngcullen@optusnet.com.au

Friday 17 June:

- ♦ Kingdom Youth group 6pm-8:30pm @ Unity College.

Saturday 18 June:

- ♦ Reconciliation at OLR 8.30am.
- ♦ Alpha retreat at Beerwah Church.

Sunday 19 June: *The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ*

- ♦ Children's liturgy at OLR & Maleny Masses.
- ♦ OLR 9.30am Mass we will be welcoming Kylie and Neil into our church.
- ♦ Youth Mass at Unity 5pm, all welcome.

Thank you those couples who expressed an interest in attending a **Marriage Encounter weekend experience**. Could you please book ASAP for the July 1st to 3rd at Siena College, Sippy Downs. Bookings through David and Maria 0481307821.

This Monday, June 13th is the **4th anniversary of the death of our foundation Parish Priest, Fr John Egan.**

Fr Egan began his ministry here at Our Lady of the Rosary Parish in 1972 before moving to St Columba's Parish, Wilston, in 1983. May Fr John's soul, and the souls of all our deceased priests, religious and foundation parishioners, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.



Expressions of Interest requested

Are you passionate about providing a safe environment for all? Our parish is calling for *Expressions of Interest* for the pivotal role of a **LSR (Local Safeguarding Representative, volunteer)**

Our Parish and the Archdiocese is committed to providing all necessary assistance to our appointed LSR and will provide proper induction, resources, and ongoing support and training.

Please contact the Parish Office caloundra@bne.catholic.net.au if you would like to express an interest in this valuable role, and to obtain more details of this role. *The safeguarding policy can be found at: <https://brisbanecatholic.org.au/support/>*



We acknowledge the traditional owners of the land on which we celebrate our Eucharist and live out our faith.

Parish Diary

Monday 13 June

St Anothy of Padua

Mass (OLR) 9am

Tuesday 14 June

Mass (OLR) 9am

Mass (Maleny) 9am

Wednesday 15 June

Mass (UNITY) 7.50am (new)
(OLR School liturgy) 9am

Thursday 16 June

Mass (OLR) 9am

Mass (Currimundi) 9.30am

Friday 17 June

Mass (OLR) 9am

Mass (Landsborough) 9am

Saturday 18 June

Mass (OLR) 9am

Vigil Mass

Mass (OLR) 5pm

Mass (Beerwah) 5pm

Sunday 19 June

The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ

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

Mass (Unity) 5pm

Reconciliation

Saturday Morning at OLR Church 8.30am

WATCH MASS LIVE

To watch live-stream Mass go to the Caloundra Catholic Parish Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/caloundracatholicparish/>

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