

# CAPRICORN COAST CATHOLIC PARISH



**Sacred Heart Church  
YEPPON**

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**Mary Immaculate Church  
EMU PARK**

## SUNDAY 6 DECEMBER 2020

### [Fr Matthew's Weekly Video Message](#)

Hello from my home to yours, peace be with you.

This weekend John the Baptist cries out in the wilderness: *Prepare the way of the Lord*. This time of Advent is a time of preparation, a time of getting ready for Christmas and reminding ourselves what and who is important, and what are the things we need to do with them, to prepare for Christmas.

Over the past few weeks many Grade 12's have finished school, I've been to graduations at St Ursula's and St Brendan's; and in these past few days students from St Benedict's and Sacred Heart School have finished the year and have given thanks at celebrations. I share with you a little story which I think epitomizes teachers in our communities and our schools and how caring they are. At one of the celebrations, a little prep student, was singing and being a little prep student, she didn't get it completely right. After, she went and sat back down with the group of students. A very sacred moment occurred. When she sat down beside the teacher, the teacher was almost in tears and she wrapped her arms around this little one, encouraged her, affirmed her, and said it was all ok. This teacher and all teachers have been preparing your children in many ways: for life, for education, for going out into the world, whether it's a primary school student going into secondary, or a secondary going into the wider world.

Thank you to all our teachers and staff as they celebrate and finish their year, this year over the next coming days.

For the work that you do its been extraordinary year, so much has happened, and you've shared so much of yourselves with those that you teach and care for. Thank you for that gift, on behalf of all our community thank you, especially to our principals Rob Corboy at St Brendan's, Max Martin at Sacred Heart, Julie McLaughlin at St Benedict's and a very special thank you to Catherine Dunbar, retiring Principal at St Ursula's. You've all been witnesses, leaders and sharing the mission and sharing the faith with our students preparing them for the way.

God bless, Merry Christmas to you all,  
From my home to yours, peace be with you.

**Fr Matthew**

## 2020 VIRTUAL LIGHTS OF CHRISTMAS

You're invited to step inside St Joseph's Cathedral for the 2020 **VIRTUAL** Lights of Christmas using your Smart phone or Tablet.

Experience a digital 3 dimensional light show, wherever you are across the Diocese and beyond, by clicking on the link and moving your device to see the characters of Christmas come to life within St Joseph's sandstone walls and marble floors.

Welcome the Holy Family, together with a chorus of heavenly of angels singing in joyful harmony and share this with your family and friends.

Visit the website on your device and click on the Youtube link from 17 December at 7.30pm  
[www.lightsofchristmasrockhampton.com.au](http://www.lightsofchristmasrockhampton.com.au)

The Cathedral Parish of St Joseph's prays the joy of Christmas fills your heart & homes this year.



St Benedicts Primary School  
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**WORD AMONG US SUBSCRIPTION** is now due for payment, the cost is \$35. Kindly return your money to the Parish office (Yeppoon) or Helen McIntyre (Emu Park). Please place in an envelope with name on front. Thank you.

## COFFEE & MEET IN THE MIDDLE

10am Monday 7 December at the Benedictine Monastery, Hannah Road.  
Any enquiries phone Helen McIntyre on 0409 051 495

## DRAKES

Thank you for your support of this fundraiser for St. Joseph's Cathedral. BEST WISHES for a HOLY, HAPPY and SAFE CHRISTMAS and a HEALTHY 2021. *Shirley Hopkins, Co-ordinator*

## MASS TIMES

TIME	DAY	MASS
5:00pm	Tuesday	Mary Immaculate Church
11:00am	Wednesday	Rosary & Adoration
12:00pm	Wednesday	Sacred Heart Church
	Thursday	Rockhampton
12:00pm	Friday	Sacred Heart Church
8:00am	Saturday	Mary Immaculate Church
	Sunday	Confessions (8:00am – 8:30am)
9:00am	Sunday	Sacred Heart Church

### SUNDAY MASS ONLINE

**BOOKINGS ARE REQUIRED**

[Sunday Mass Booking 9am](#)



Mass Numbers at Sacred Heart Church now **250**  
**Bookings close 12pm Friday**

**BISHOP'S MASS - YOUTUBE LINK** [Bishop's Mass You Tube Link](#)

### SATURDAY MASS

**8:00am**

Mary Immaculate Church

### SUNDAY MASS

**9:00am**

Sacred Heart Church

*We Pray for those who are:*

**SICK:**

Geoff Swain, Margaret Lambrick, Christopher Callard, Gautam Ramswarup, Sr Agatha Freeman, Brendan Williams, Donald Hall, John Hinton, Basil & Alma Glover, Dell Rowan, Ross Thomas

**DECEASED:**

Hans Bom, Mark Broadbent, Stephen Heyer, Sr Dolores Donnelly, Sue Walker, Doreen Boyle, Suellen Dillon, Kev 470Naske, Terri Naske, Maureen O'Donoghue, John Frank Broughton

**ANNIVERSARY:**

Jack Conway, Leo Hansby, Marie Mitchell, Frank O'Regan, Stanley & Lola Horton

**Come Holy Spirit,**  
fill the hearts of your faithful,  
enkindle in them the fire of your love.  
Send forth your Spirit  
and they shall be created.  
And you shall renew the face of the earth.



**Let us pray.**  
**O God, who instruct the hearts of the faithful**  
by the light of the Holy Spirit,  
grant us in the same Spirit to be truly wise,  
and ever to rejoice in your consolation.  
Through Christ, our Lord. Amen



Capricorn Coast Catholic Parish  
**CHRISTMAS MASS TIMES**

**Christmas Eve Vigil**

5:00pm Mary Immaculate Church

7:00pm Sacred Heart Church

**Christmas Day**

7:00am Sacred Heart Church

9:00am Sacred Heart Church

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**Online bookings essential for ALL CHRISTMAS MASSES:**  
<https://www.trybooking.com/BNJTQ>

*Sacred Heart Church 7 Tabor Drive Yeppoon (350 people)*

*Mary Immaculate Church 38 Archer Street Emu Park (100 people)*