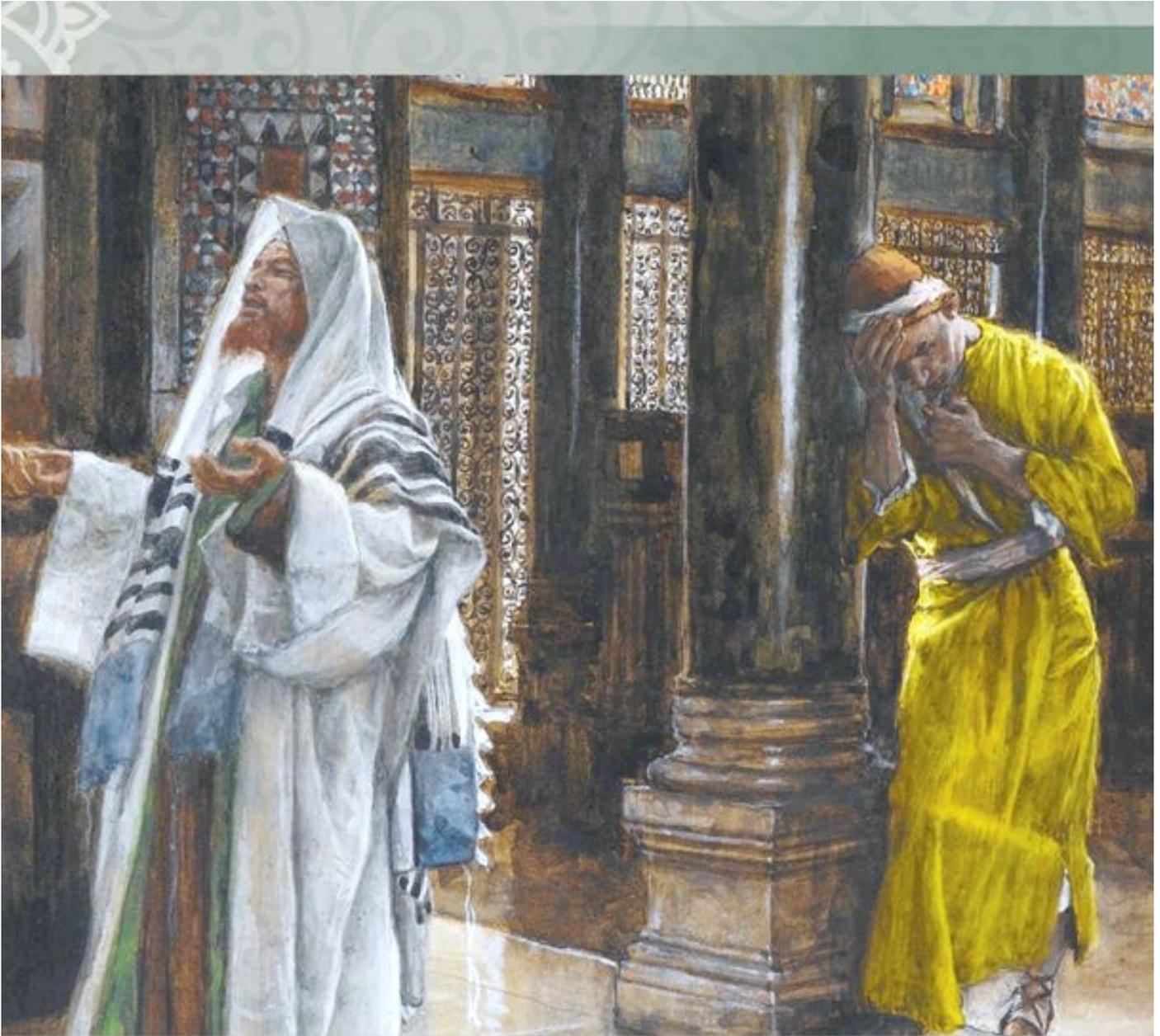


CAPRICORN COAST CATHOLIC PARISH

Sacred Heart & Mary Immaculate

To nurture the spiritual life and activities of the parish community



30th Sunday

I N O R D I N A R Y T I M E

"But the tax collector stood off at a distance and would not even raise his eyes to heaven but beat his breast and prayed, 'O God, be merciful to me a sinner.'" - Lk 18:13

The worshipping communities of Sacred Heart, Yeppoon and Mary Immaculate, Emu Park acknowledge the Darumbal People the traditional custodians of the land on which we gather and pay respect to their elders: past, present, and emerging. For we too are one in land, one in spirit, one in faith, united in God's love.

LITURGIES

24-30 October 2022

MONDAY

TUESDAY

5:00pm St Brendan's College

WEDNESDAY

9:00am Sacred Heart Mass

Adoration & Rosary

THURSDAY

8:00am St Ursula's College

FRIDAY

Saints Simon & Jude

9:00am Sacred Heart Mass

SATURDAY

5:15pm Mary Immaculate Mass

SUNDAY

31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:15am Sacred Heart Confession

9:00am Sacred Heart Mass

5:00pm Sacred Heart Mass



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Pray For...

the sick:

Dot Mulcahy, Roy Vanden Bergh, Bev Bartlem, Neil Barton, Adam Loch, Angela Brockhurst, Jess Oakley, Zoe Lavin, Kevin Nolan.

the recently deceased:

Margaret Grace (Melbourne), Fred Ahern, Dr Paul McCosker, Barry Whitman, Deb Van Numen, Rob Rohrig, Peggy Stoyles, Pay Schamburg, Dorothy Holman.

those whose anniversary occurs at this time:

Perry Molloy, Dulcie Fitzgerald, Lionel Bevis, Barry Gollan, Mary Fraser, Lawrence Dowling, Nev Ryan, Geoff Jefferies, Dorothy Conway.

Mary Immaculate Rosary

Please join us 4:45pm Saturday, 29 October 2022 at Mary Immaculate Emu Park. This Rosary will be dedicated to the people of the Ukraine so they may get peace & justice.

Safeguarding Training

Wednesday 26th October 2022

Due to unforeseen circumstances

Safeguarding Training has been cancelled.

THE RANGE CONVENT SCHOOL CLASS OF 1961

The RANGE CONVENT SCHOOL, Rockhampton, Junior Class of 1961 is issuing an open invitation to all Past Range Convent Ladies who at any time studied at the school to the Annual Reunion to be held 11:30am Saturday, 12 November 2022 at the Frenchville Sports Club, North Rockhampton.

This event will be a self-costing lunch but we need to know numbers for seating arrangements.

\$5 per person at the door to cover rental costs & raffles.

If you know of any Past Students who would like to come along please let them know.

Contact Rhonda Cahill (Gorman) 0438 827 288

rhonda.cahill@bigpond.com or Helen Pearson (Magee)
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Melbourne Cup High Tea

12pm Tuesday 1 November

Sacred Heart Church Community Room Tickets \$25pp

Deadline for purchasing of Tickets is Wednesday 26 October 2022

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

GOSPEL MEDITATION

There is a thing called “false piety.” It is when we wear a religious disguise of devotion, attend to our obligations, and outwardly abide by rules while being inwardly unkind, uncharitable, and exclusive. Wearing the right clothes, saying the proper prayers, being in sacred places, and reading devotional books, those exhibiting false piety craftily try to control others using the pretense of love. The Pharisees, consistently criticized by Jesus, are prime examples. Thinking they are superior to others, they foolishly believe they are better positioned with God and more worthy of God’s attention. Forming an exclusive “club,” they divide things between “mine” and “yours” and “us” and “them.” They quickly criticize and point out flaws and errors in rituals and thinking. Conformity becomes the first commandment and control is the game’s name.

The requirements for “club membership” are clear: do what we do, think what we think, and believe what we believe. Attempting to control others using the lure of “status” or “salvation,” they seduce others into thinking that conformity is the only way to holiness. Clinging to “my beliefs,” “my parish,” “my way of thinking,” they fail to see the more significant relationship with God that is veiled in all of these superficial rules and practices. Shallow, hollow, and empty vessels, they gloss over the more important virtues of justice, mercy, faithfulness, and forgiveness. Sparkling clean on the outside, but dirty on the inside. Spiritual arrogance is a grave sin. It alienates and hurts the little ones, those considered “least” in the kingdom.

God knows no favorites. Everyone belongs regardless of whether you are an official, bona fide member. Sometimes membership may be a detriment to actually living the Gospel if you’re joining the team for the wrong reasons. The genuinely humble ones may not appear to be overly “pious.” They may not know all of the proper prayers or abide by all of the correct rituals, but they know that they are broken and need mercy. There is no shame in being broken. In fact, many things need to be broken in order to be what they truly are! There is a reason Jesus told us to pray in private. It’s only between you and God. It is nobody else’s business.

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Hail Holy Queen, Mother of Mercy,
Our life our sweetness and our hope.
To thee do we cry, poor banished children of Eve;
To thee do we send up our sighs,
mourning and weeping in the valley of tears.
Turn then most gracious advocate,



Thine eyes of mercy towards us
and after this our exile, show unto us the
blessed fruit of thy womb Jesus.
O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary!
Pray for us, O Holy Mother of God.
That we may be made worthy of
the promises of Christ.



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NEXT WEEK'S READINGS



First Reading

Wisdom 11:22-12:2

You have mercy on all things because you love everything that exists.

Psalm 144

I will praise your name for ever,
my king and my God.

Second Reading

2 Thessalonians 1:11-2:2

The name of our Lord Jesus Christ will be glorified in you and you in him.

Gospel

Luke 19:1-10

The Son of Man came to seek and to find that which was lost.



BRING HOPE TO NEELA AND HER FAMILY

This week Catholic Mission offers us the opportunity to be part of a life-changing program which aims to help prevent malnutrition, especially in babies and young children, and help disadvantaged families provide food for their loved ones.

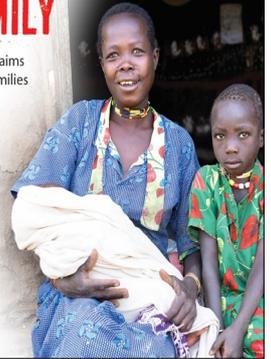
The Deberety Goat Rearing Centre is a dream of the local Church and community in Emdibir. When established, the Centre aims to provide nutritious goats milk for families in need, like Neela's*, so that babies like Ajani* can be healthy and strong.

Please give generously today to help kickstart this life-giving program by using the appeal envelope provided, going online at catholicmission.org.au/ethiopia, or scanning the QR code. Your gift will also help many other similar Church-run mission programs around the world.

*Name altered to protect identity



Freecall: 1800 257 296
catholicmission.org.au/ethiopia



All Saints Day

Tuesday 1st November

9.00am Sacred Heart Church

5.00pm St Brendan's College

All Souls Day

Wednesday 2nd November

5.00am Sacred Heart Church Columbarium

9.00am Mary Immaculate Church

5.00pm Sacred Heart Church

THE CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF ROCKHAMPTON PRESENTS

Flourish

VOCATIONS RETREAT FOR WOMEN
Led by the Sisters of Mary Morning Star from Brisbane

An opportunity for discernment and reflection on vocation and the call to holiness.

The retreat is open to all single Catholic women wanting to explore God's call in their life, not just those considering religious life.

NOVEMBER 18 - 20
THE HAVEN (EMU PARK)

For more information or to register, go to:

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