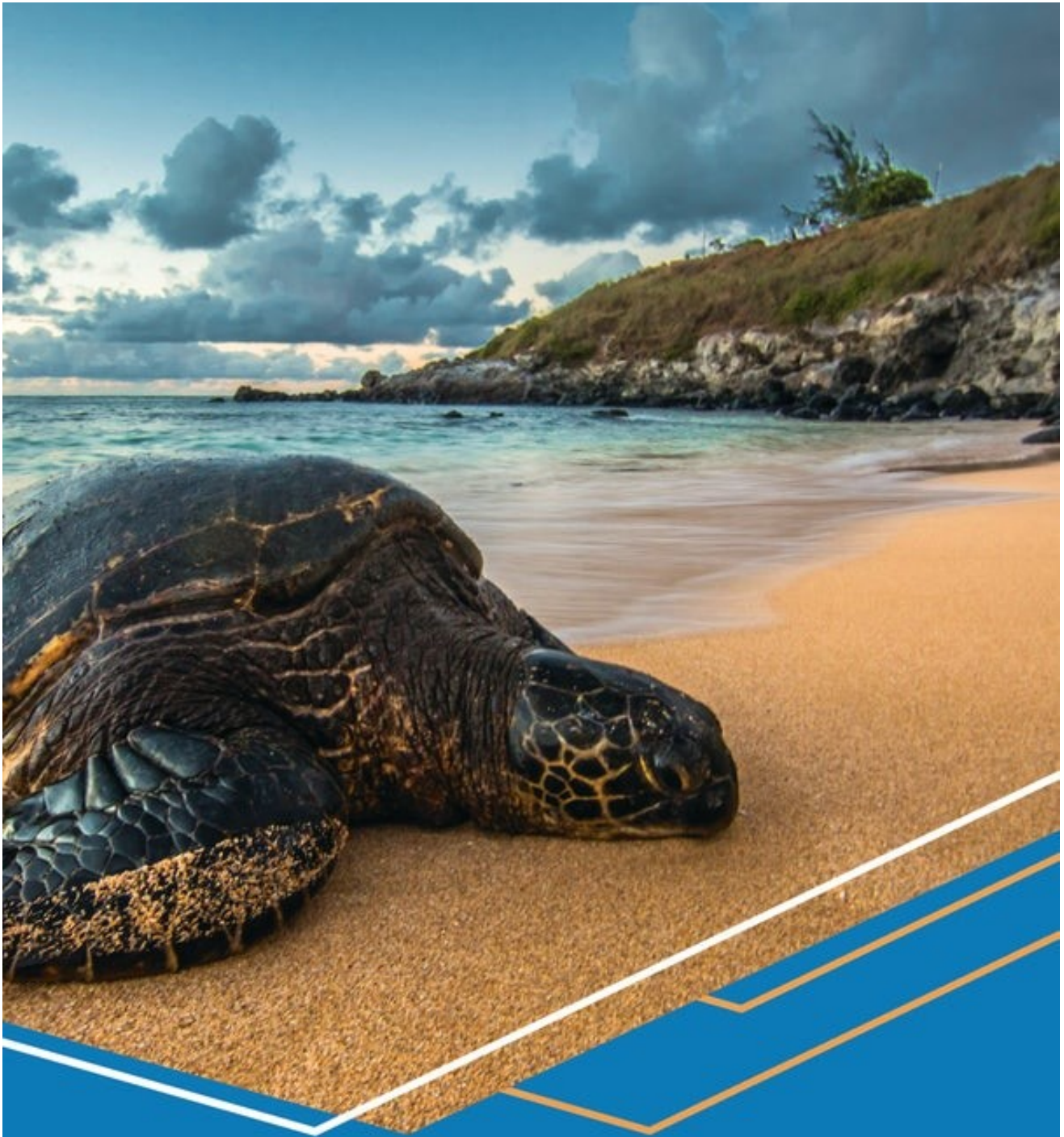


CAPRICORN COAST CATHOLIC PARISH

Sacred Heart & Mary Immaculate



25th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Are you envious because I am generous?
Thus, the last will be first, and the first
will be last.” - Mt 20:15-16

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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

25 Sept - 1st Oct 2023

MONDAY

TUESDAY

10:30am Funeral Dr Raymond Channells
Sacred Heart Church

WEDNESDAY

9am Mass Sacred Heart Church
Adoration

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

9am Mass Sacred Heart Church
2:00pm *Rosary*

SATURDAY

5:15pm Mass Mary Immaculate Church

SUNDAY

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am-8:30am *Reconciliation*
Sacred Heart Church

9am Mass Sacred Heart Church

5pm Mass Sacred Heart Church



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Pray For...

the sick:

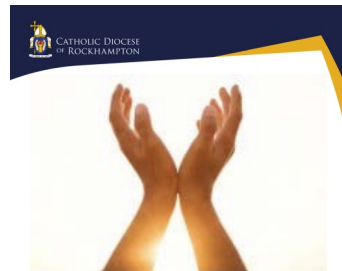
Adam Loch, Rosemary Stella Merlow, Vince Hannan, Joan Lacey, Catherine Marshall, Ray Channels, Angela White, Michael Jones, Giulia Jones.

the recently deceased:

Dr Raymond Channells, Vince Hannon, Leigh Driver, Barrie Mackintosh, Jean Haloran, Colleen Jones, Jenine Foster (Melbourne), Rita Edmestone.

those whose anniversary occurs at this time:

Edith (Mavis) Hansby, Robert (Bob) Rohrig, Elizabeth Wilczek (Brisbane), Barry Gollan, Mary Fraser, Lawrence Dowling, Robert Horton, Dulcie Fitzgerald.



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The Capricorn Coast Parish
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\$300.00
for the
Diocesan Ministry Appeal



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RI CATECHIST MEETING

10am Tuesday 10th October 2023

Sacred Heart Church Community Room

2024 Study Tour

Journey with Paul: Türkiye – Greece: 20 September – 6 October 2024

Tour Leader: Dr Rosemary Canavan

Online Information Sessions:

Saturday 16, 23 September, or 7 October 2023 at 2pm

Participants have the opportunity to undertake a study unit with CTC in conjunction with the tour for credit towards an award

RSVP & further information: rosemary.canavan@ctc.edu.au



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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

Once I gave my three-year-old niece a certain toy for Christmas. When she opened it, she was happy. Shortly thereafter her five-year old sister opened another present from me: the same toy, along with some play jewelry. The three-year-old cried out: "That's not fair! Why'd she get the jewelry, too?!"

Let's face it: there's something about God's grace in our religion which bugs us. We love to look at others' blessings and cry out: "That's not fair!" Catholicism is not fair in the sense that it is a religion founded on God's grace which is unmerited favor. God pours his mercy, love, and divine life upon us not because we're good but because He is infinitely good.

If you think the "not fair" quality of grace is easy to accept, consider how typically angry we get when we hear the parable of the workers who get paid way more than they deserve. The hyper-generous landowner says to the indignant hard workers, "Are you envious because I am generous?" Well, yes, they are, and so are we! Therefore, we have to reckon with this painful truth in order to move into the divine sphere of gifts, which is the world of Christ and his Church. Then we are able to move beyond a tit-for-tat world and into one where gifts are poured forth on those who don't deserve it — namely, upon us. Father John Muir ©LPi



SEASON OF CREATION



Let Justice and Peace Flow
Season of Creation 2023

A Mighty River
Amos 5: 24

"Future generations will never forgive us if we miss the opportunity to protect our common home. We have inherited a garden; we must not leave a desert for our children."

Joint statement from Pope Francis, the Ecumenical Patriarch Bartholomew and Archbishop Justin Welby of Canterbury.



Mary MacKillop Pilgrimage

The Sisters of Saint Joseph have prepared an Australian Pilgrimage, "In the Footsteps of Mary MacKillop" commencing in Melbourne 17 October, journeying through Victoria and South Australia, and ending at Mary MacKillop Place, North Sydney 28 October 2023. If interested, see the parish office.

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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

Isaiah 55:6-9

My thoughts are not your thoughts.

Psalm 144

The Lord is near to all who call him.

Second Reading

Phillipians 1:20-24, 27

For me to live is Christ.

Gospel

Matthew 20:1-16

Why are you jealous because I am generous.



Father's Day, Mary Immaculate



Father's Day, Sacred Heart Church



Father's Day, Sacred Heart Church



Christian Brother's Farewell Mass, St Brendan's College



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Blue Moon reflections



Farewell morning tea for Shane Pianta



Meet in the Middle



Farewelling Shane Pianta

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