


# CAPRICORN COAST CATHOLIC PARISH

Sacred Heart & Mary Immaculate



**32<sup>nd</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

“Lord, Lord, open the door for us!’ But he said in reply,  
‘Amen, I say to you, I do not know you.’” - Mt 25:11-12

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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



Date	Time	Mass
Tues 14th Nov	5:00pm	St. Brendan's College Mass, SBC
Wed 15th Nov	9:00am	Sacred Heart Church, Mass & Adoration
Thurs 16th Nov	9:00am	St Benedict's School, Mass
Fri 17th Nov	9:00am	Sacred Heart Church, Mass
	2:00pm	Rosary
Sat 18th Nov	5:15pm	Mary Immaculate Church, Mass
Sun 19th Nov	8-8:30am	Sacred Heart Church, Reconciliation
	9:00am	Sacred Heart Church, Mass
	5:00pm	Sacred Heart Church, Mass

## The sick:

Ravi Ramswarup, Denis Malone, Fr. Peter Tonti, Mary Bevis, Amy Hennessy, Helen Capes (Perth), Adam Loch, Joan Lacey.

## The recently deceased:

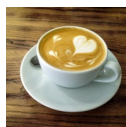
Catherine Marshall, Dave Madigan, Sr Patricia Heenan, Gloria Carige, Felipe Castro Cossid Phils, Mary Magdalene White, Rosemary Marlow.

## Those whose anniversary occurs at this time:

Carmel Gormley, Shane Hansby, Doug Read, Mary Nash, Benedito dela Cruz, Kian dela Cruz, Joan Withoos, Frank O'Regan.

### Presentation Associates Christmas Meeting

We will be holding our final gathering for 2023 on **Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> November** in the McGrath Room at St Ursula's College commencing at 10:30am, followed by a festive shared lunch. Meetings include prayer and formation in the charism of Presentation Sisters Foundress Nano Nagle. If you hold some association with the College or the Presentation Sisters would you consider joining us? We welcome visitors! For more information please call Erin on 0437 822 231.



### MEET IN THE MIDDLE: Mon 13th Nov

**10am, Waterline Café**

Parishioners from both sides of the Parish will meet for some wonderful fellowship and yummy food and coffee. We look forward to seeing you there and please bring a friend if you would like.

### MEMORIAL MASS

**5:30pm, Fri 24th Nov, Sacred Heart Church**

Anyone who has recently experienced the death of a family member or friend, is invited to our annual Memorial Mass.

All parishioners are most welcome to attend this Mass.

Light refreshments will follow.

For catering purposes, please phone:

Margaret on 0418 182 718 or Karen on 0417 604 263.

## WEEKEND ROSTER

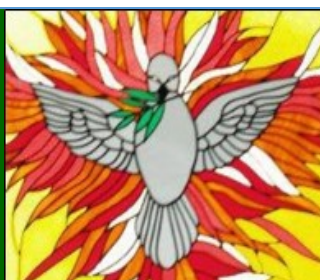
This weekend - 32nd Sunday in Ordinary time 11th & 12th Nov

	5.15pm Sat Mary Immac.	9am Sunday Sacred Heart	5pm Sunday Sacred Heart
Commentator	John McKenna	Gordon Gauld	St Brendan's College
First Reader	Laurie Griffin	Mark Boyd	St Brendan's College
Second Reader	Michelle Griffin	Tink Boyd	St Brendan's College

Next weekend - 33rd Sunday in Ordinary time 18th & 19th Nov

	Kathy Maloney	Barbara Pearson	Mark Kennedy
Commentator	Kathy Maloney	Barbara Pearson	Mark Kennedy
First Reader	John Hinton	John Quinn	Parishioner
Second Reader	Gail Goodman	Karen Quinn	Parishioner

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:** Lately I've been enjoying the deep meaning of Eastern icons. I love how they express a tapestry of meaning in a way that can surpass the written or spoken word. Today's parable of the ten virgins from Jesus is a good example. Try googling "wise and foolish virgins icon" and you'll see an image of how our Christ meets our heart's deepest needs if we attend to him with the proper attitude.

I'm serious. Take a moment to google and look at it. See how it depicts the risen Jesus behind a closed door with the five wise virgins with lighted lamps. He gazes with them toward the five foolish and lamp-less virgins, symbolizing the outward looking of divine love for the lost. Moreover, the wedding feast is no ordinary one. It takes place in a walled city and garden, indicating it's a new Jerusalem and a return to Eden. The table isn't typical, either. It's a Eucharistic feast. Now we see that the door in Jesus' parable is the way into the church, where Christ is the new light burning amidst the dark midnight of this world.

The richness continues. We notice, too, that the foolish virgins look exactly the same as the wise ones in their clothes, hair, and expressions. The only difference is they departed to buy oil and now they are sadly excluded. We often act like consumers in the marketplace to fulfill our need for love and mercy. We'll always end up disappointed if we shop around. Jesus sums up the moral of the story this way: "Watch therefore, for you know neither the day nor the hour." Watch, remain, don't spiritually shop. It is always better to quietly remain close to the Eucharistic community of the Church, even if we feel like our oil has run out. This week let's consider placing the icon of the wise and foolish virgins on our phone lock screen or computer desktop to help us remember to stay close to him, especially when life feels dark. —Father John Muir. ©LPI



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**Why preserve our piece of history?**  
Upkeep and preservation of St Joseph's Cathedral is a costly expense. From 1 September 2022 to 31 August 2023, the Diocese incurred costs of \$173,000. With insurance costs rising sharply and ongoing repairs and maintenance, annual costs are expected to exceed \$700,000 per annum.

Your contribution can help continue the tradition of the Catholic community to preserve the Cathedral for future generations, as a major historical landmark of one of the great cities of central Queensland. It has a special association with our identity for the Catholic Community of Central Queensland as our cathedral.

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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.

## THIS WEEK'S READINGS

32ND SUNDAY IN  
ORDINARY TIME

### 1st Reading:

Wisdom 6:12-16

Wisdom is found by those who look  
for it.

### Psalm 62:

My soul is thirsting for you,  
O Lord my God.

### 2nd Reading:

1 Thess. 4:13-18

Those who died as Christians, God  
will bring to life with Jesus.

### Gospel:

Matthew 25:1-13

Look, the bridegroom comes. Go out  
to meet him.

## NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

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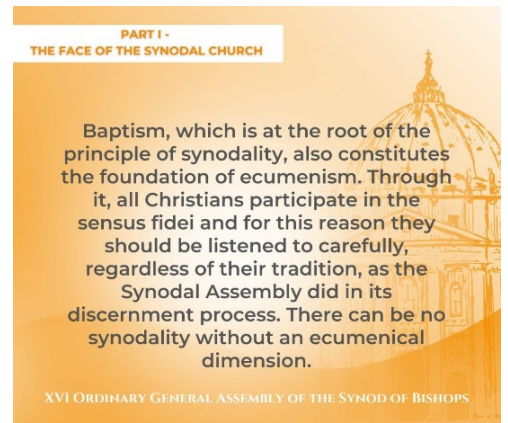
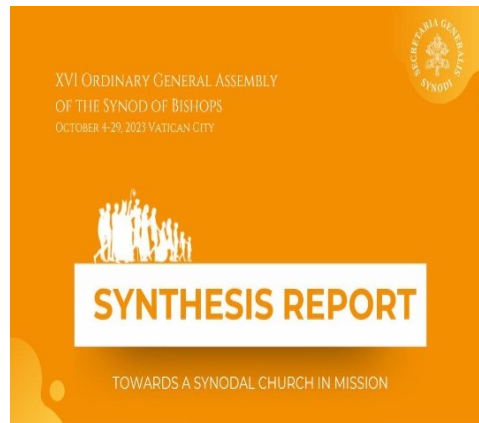
1st Reading: Proverbs 31:10-13,19-  
20,30-31

Psalm: 127

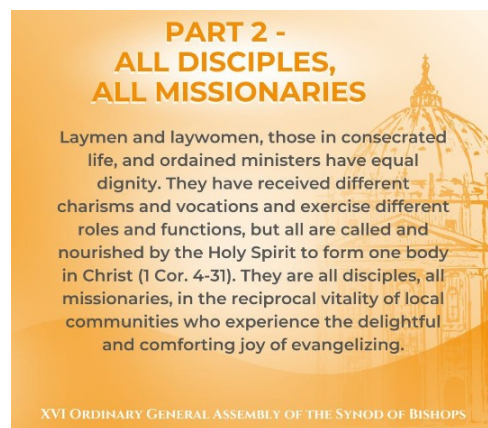
2nd Reading: 1 Thess. 5:1-6

Gospel: John 15:4,5

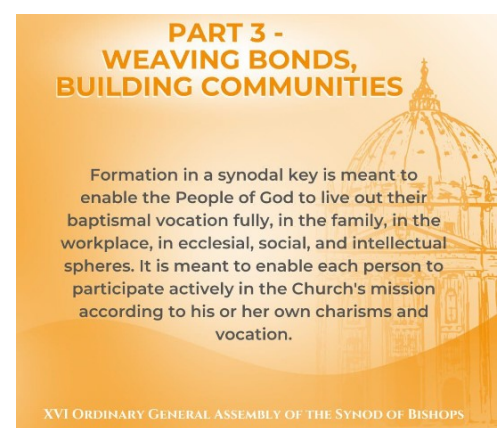
## XVI Ordinary General Assembly of the Synod of Bishops, Vatican City



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## Catechist Sunday

As Catholics, we belong to the oldest Apostolic Tradition, among the Christian Churches. Jesus gave His Apostles, our fore-runners in the Faith, a Great Commission, to make Disciples of all the nations: all the peoples of the world. Our Tradition didn't end with the Twelve Apostles, nor did Jesus' Commission. We, the Laity, have many opportunities to make disciples of Jesus. One such opportunity is to be Catechists, teachers of the Faith to children who would not hear of it otherwise. In our Parish we have a number of State Primary Schools, where some children up to the 6th grade have a Catholic identity but have no access to religious instruction.

Please consider setting aside 30 minutes per week during the school terms to do the work of an apostle, a catechist, in our parish. Thank you.

Please contact the parish office on 4933 6171 or Lorna Duggan on 0476309049.

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