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27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Year C

5th October 2025

Pastor's Message

The Rosary had its origin in the liturgical mentality of former ages. Even at the present time it is called "Mary's Psalter." There still are Catholics who consider the 150 Hail Marys a substitute for the 150 psalms for those persons who neither have the time, the education, nor the opportunity to pray the Hours of the Divine Office. Thus "Mary's Psalter" is a shortened, simplified "breviary" — alongside the common Hour-prayer of the Church.

The Rosary is Christocentric setting forth the entire life of Jesus Christ, the passion, death, resurrection and glory. Of course, the Rosary honours and contemplates Mary too, and rightly so, for the same reason that the Liturgical Year does likewise: Because of the mission she received from God, her life is most closely linked with the mysteries of Jesus Christ, and there is no one who has followed in the footsteps of the Incarnate Word more closely and with more merit than she. Meditation on this cycle of Joyful, Sorrowful, Glorious and Luminous Mysteries makes the Rosary not only "a breviary or summary of the Gospel and of Christian life, but also a compendium of the Liturgical Year. Therewith the Rosary stands revealed as a dynamic teacher and nurturer of Christian faith, morality, and spiritual perfection, fostering in various ways faith, hope, charity, and the other virtues, and mediating special graces, all to the end that we may become more and more like unto Christ.

God Bless, Fr Mark Franklin

Praying the Rosary in October

Pope Leo XIV asked Catholics to pray the rosary each day in October for peace. The pope made his request at the end of his weekly general audience Sept. 24 and the day after he said he had spoken again with the pastor of Holy Family Church in Gaza City, the only Latin-rite Catholic parish in Gaza.

In Our Lady of the Rosary Parish, we have set aside certain times and places during the week during October, please see below:

- Monday and Tuesday in the Chapel at 6:30pm
- Wednesday, Thursday and Friday – straight after Mass in the Church
- Saturday and Sunday in the Chapel – straight after Mass – Saturday 5:50pm and Sunday 6:20pm

OLR Feast Day Mass

Feast Day Mass for Our Lady of the Rosary will be held on Tuesday 7th October at OLR Church Kenmore at 9:00am.

Parish Diary

Monday 6th October – King's Birthday Public Holiday

- 9:15am **NO Bridge Group**, St Catherine's Moggill
- 6:30pm Reciting the Rosary, OLR Chapel

Tuesday 7th October – Our Lady of the Rosary First Day of Term 4

- 9:00am Mass (School Attending), OLR Church Kenmore
- 6:30pm Reciting the Rosary, OLR Chapel

Wednesday 8th October

- 9:15am Mass, OLR Church Kenmore
- 9:15am Craft Group, St Catherine's Moggill
- 9:45am Reciting the Rosary, OLR Church Kenmore
- 7:00pm Bible Study, OLR Church Meeting Room

Thursday 9th October

- 9:15am Mass, St Catherine's Moggill
- 9:45am Reciting the Rosary, St Catherine's Moggill

Friday 10th October

- 9:15am Mass, OLR Church Kenmore
- 9:45am Reciting the Rosary, OLR Church Kenmore
- 6:30pm High School Youth Group (Magnify), CCC Hall, OLR School

Saturday 11th October

- 8:00am Youth Car Wash, OLR Church Carpark
- 4:30pm Confessions, OLR Church Kenmore
- 5:00pm Vigil Mass, OLR Church Kenmore
- 5:50pm Reciting the Rosary, OLR Chapel

Sunday 12th October – 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 8:00am Mass, St Catherine's Moggill (Morning Tea)
- 9:45am Mass, OLR Church Kenmore (Morning Tea)
- 5:30pm Mass, OLR Church Kenmore
- 6:20pm Reciting the Rosary, OLR Chapel
- 7:00pm Young Adult Adoration & Social, OLR Chapel Kenmore

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Email helpline.bne@svdppqld.org.au

Sunday Readings

1st Reading: **Amos 6:1, 4-7**

2nd Reading: **1 Tim 6:11-16**

Gospel: **Lk 16:19-31**

Readings at Home

Liturgy and Prayer resources for the 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time: <https://universalis.com/australia.brisbane/20251005/mass.htm>

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PARISH INFORMATION

Prayer Requests

If your relative or friend has been removed from this list and you wish them to remain on it, please call the Parish Office.

Recently Deceased: Please remember **Helene Nasser** and all those who have died recently.

Anniversaries: Please remember **Chinnamma Cyriac, Francis Camilleri** and all those whose anniversaries occur at this time; and for the **Repose of the Soul of Chalem Kanithasevi** and **Kaesorn Kanithasevi**.

Sick: Please pray for **Mary Kent, Bronwyn Tingley**, Joyce Gough, Rick Dela Cruz, Margaret Lynch, Margaret Kerwick, Bruce Leggat, Veda Francoise Cateaux, Magda Blessing, Kay Shannon, Sandia Ryan, Edwing Ling, Olivia Pinwill, Robert Burton, Camilla Cowley, Eric Olsen, Chantal-Maree Deveraux, Mary McGuinness, Deanna McNamara, Doris Fern, Ian Turner, Sandra Dickson, Sian Fitzpatrick, Olivia Williams, Kitty Foxon, Pat Dryden, Joan Halvorson, Stewart Behan, Alicea Longford, Pat Nelson, Eli Bartlett, Krystyna Kazimierczuk, Stephen Jones, Elizabeth Shand, Hayley Shatkovsky, Mario Garza, Amy Deans, Juliet Quiterio, James McGrath, Graham Jackson, Leonard Cox, Prida Dibbayawan, Clint Quinlivan, Rosemary Foxon, Judy Kocho, Pat Clohessy, Matthew Gilroy, Maria Langenberg, Nina Smart, Evelyn Gardner, John Green, Cherry Austin, Denise Reeves, Chris Morris, and all those who are sick.

Baptism

This weekend we celebrate the Baptism of **Matilda Jean Anzolin-Curson**. Let us pray for her and may she be guided in faith with the help of her parents, godparents, and this parish community.

Australian Catholic Youth Festival Parish Fundraising Appeal

Thank you for your prayerful and financial support of our 19 parish youth, young adults and supervisors attending the Australian Catholic Youth Festival at the end of November this year. After the first two weekends we have received \$2,565 of our target of \$15,000. If you are yet to support our ACYF Appeal, please make use of the donation envelopes on the paper stands at our churches. Online donations are also welcome by electronic transfer to the parish bank account at:

BSB: 064 786 Account: 100001192 Reference: ACYF

Thank you for your generous support of our Parish Youth.

Youth Ministry

The Primary School (Launch Pad) Youth Group has moved to Sundays from 4:00pm – 5:00pm at the OSHC Hall, OLR School. This change is on a trial basis for Term 4. We have decided to make this change to increase the opportunity for students and families that have other commitments during the week, that have prevented their attendance in previous years. We are very excited to have our primary school youth group starting back up for Term 4, see you on Sunday 19th October! The High School (Magnify) Youth Group resumes in Term 4 on Friday 10th October from 6:30pm – 8:30pm at the CCC Hall, OLR School.

Car Wash Fundraiser – Youth Ministry

A Car Wash Fundraiser for our Parish Youth attending ACYF 2025 will be held on Saturday 11th October at the OLR Church Carpark from 8:00am – 12:00pm. **\$15.00 per car.**

Please support our Parish Youth Ministry as we raise funds to send a group of 19 youth, young adults and supervisors to the Australian Catholic Youth Festival in Melbourne at the end of November.

- Exterior Car Wash \$15.00
- Sausage Sizzle \$3
- Cool Drink \$2
- Pay by Cash or Eftpos

This year's car wash, as in previous years, is a wonderful opportunity to come together actively as a community for a good cause and get your car washed in the process. Tell your friends and neighbours, encourage as many people as you can to come along and have their car washed by our parish youth and young adults.

If you would like to volunteer, we have a variety of areas in which you can help, be it directing traffic, selling drinks, cooking sausages and of course washing cars! Please contact the parish office at kenmore@bne.catholic.net.au to register your interest.

Stouthearted Retreat

Where: St Catherine's Worship Centre Moggill (3356 Moggill Rd, Moggill QLD 4070) **When:** 24th to 26th October – Friday Night 7:00pm – 9:00pm – Saturday 9:00am – 9:00pm – Sunday 9:30am – 3:00pm *Please note it is not an overnight retreat. **Cost:** \$50 for the weekend (this includes food for the whole weekend). Optional Workbooks can be purchased upon arrival. **Registration:** stouthearted.com/brisbane

Facilitators: Parishioners – Matthew Arendse & Steven Bird
For more information, please contact: Matt (0431 093 777) or Steven (0421 884 786)

Sacrament of Baptism

Baptisms arranged by appointment. One Baptism per family on Saturdays at 11:00am or 11:45am at OLR Church Kenmore. Contact the Parish office via email or phone to enquire.

Your Parish Offering

For information or to review your level or method of giving please feel free to contact the Parish Manager at finchm@bne.catholic.net.au

For electronic funds transfer, our bank details are:

Our Lady of the Rosary Parish Reserve Account
BSB Number: 064 786 Account Number: 100001192

(Please include your name, planned giving number if applicable, or purpose, such as "Parish Giving")

Parish Update – Electronic Newsletter

To subscribe to our full electronic newsletter, please go to: <https://OLRKM.flocknote.com/ParishUpdates>

Our Lady of the Rosary Education Ministry

Our Lady of the Rosary Parish has a number of education services, please contact these for further information.

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