

# ST EDWARD'S CATHOLIC PARISH

[Mary Help of Christians Church]

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## Credo | The Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God,

begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made.

For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven,

At the words that follow, up to and including 'and became man', all bow.

and by the Holy Spirit
was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate,
he suffered death and was buried,
and rose again on the third day
in accordance with the Scriptures.
He ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

**Heart of Peace (HOPe)** is a social justice ministry of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Armidale.

Offering free and healthy meals for everyone. Every Wednesday from 12.30pm to 1.00pm MHOC Church Hall, 72 Hillvue Road, South Tamworth.

NEW VOLUNTEERS NEEDED to volunteer please email: hopekitchen2340@gmail.com

# In your charity, please pray for

#### <u>our sick</u>

Fr John Willis Barry Winning Sayde Baladia Narelle Albans Chris O'Sullivan Peachy Family Ginavis Naw Pha Dav Julien Rvan Patricia Jones Jo O'Sullivan Peter Fardy Anna Gawlik Pia Layson Patrick Lawler Catherine Robinson Barry Robinson Denise Robinson

## our deceased

+ Mary Meppam + Frank Koppman + Norma Ryan + Lloyd Allen + Lynette Brand + Ted Constant, anniv 23/09 + Stephen Rafferty + Vera Benning, anniv 24/09

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+ Sr Petra Ries, ŘSJ + Anne Jackson + Brenda Eyles + Kevin Gorman, *anniv.* 27/09 + Sr Gemma Burke, RSM + Joan Thompson

## **Mass Intentions**

25/09 for the soul of Sr Gemma Burke 26/09 for the soul of Maurice Halloran 27/09 for the soul of Kevin Gorman 28/09 for the soul of Ted Constant 29/09 for the soul of Vera Benning

## Roman Martyrology

25/09 St Herculanus

26/09 St Cosmas

27/09 St Vincent de Paul

28/09 St Lorenzo Ruiz de Manila

29/09 Sts Michael, Gabriel & Raphael, archangels

30/09 St Jerome

#### Omnes sancti mártyres, oráte pro nobis.

Eternal Father, I offer You the Most Precious Blood of Thy Divine Son, Jesus, in union with the Masses said throughout the world today, for all the holy souls in purgatory, for sinners everywhere, for sinners in the universal Church,

# **Act of Spiritual Communion**

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

# MINISTRY ROSTER

30 September - 01 October | 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year A

**EMHC** Counters this week: Reader Pietv J. McRae Saturday 5.30pm C. Nepomuceno G. Smith R. Fisher & K. Keating B. Simpson Sunday 9.00am A. Millman B. Bruccoleri Counters next week: J. Manalastas S. Cunneen J. McKenzie C. Norvill & H. Harvey Sunday 5.30pm

#### **NEWS / ANNOUNCEMENTS**

## PP's Diary (updated)

02-31 October - Fr Paul on leave

01-05 November - Fr Paul to celebrate All Souls Day & weekend Masses in

South Tamworth

03 November - Parish Dinner, 6pm Church Hall - all are invited 07 November - Fr Paul takes post in Armidale as Administrator of the

Cathedral Parish

\*Testimonial envelopes for gifts to Fr Paul are now available in the foyer.

#### Invitation | Public Rosary (MHOC Church-Hillvue Rd)

Saturday 14 October 4.45pm in front of Our Lady's bronze statue followed by procession to the Church and Holy Mass

The Public Rosary is an international campaign to pray the rosary together in commemoration of the last apparition of the Our Lady (October 13, 1917) at Fatima. The purpose of this Public Rosary is to make public act of reparation so that members of the public can witness this. As many blasphemies are taking place in public, so we must also make reparation in public. We are praying for God's merciful blessing to be poured out to our country for conversion of families to turn back to God.

# **Ignite Conference**

The next Ignite Conference will be held at the Broken Bay Cathedral Precinct from 28 Sep - 1 Oct. St Nicholas' Parish Tamworth and McCarthy Catholic College have already planned to take a group. Expressions of interest are invited from other parishioners around the Diocese to join them. Ignite is no longer simply a conference for youth; there are now streams available for every age group, so families, couples and singles are all welcome to join in. Please direct your enquires/expressions of interest to Chris Da Silva at chris@armidale.catholic.org.au, or visit https://igniteconference.com.au/sydney for more information.

#### **Catholic Mission**

In the month of October Catholic Mission will share an opportunity for you to partner with the Sr Carolina and the Salesian Sisters in Timor-Leste as they continue to provide an essential community project that addresses the gaps in care and well-being in rural communities like Venilale.

This work simply will not be possible without your support. We hope you will accept this invitation to make a real and lasting impact for those in need.

#### Palms Australia

Communities in Africa, Asia or the Pacific are seeking Australians from a variety of professions and trades to share their skills and knowledge with those who have few other chances for training. Build enduring global relationships while assisting sustainable, self-reliant, community development. On our website gives news including stories from those currently supported in Timor-Leste, Samoa, American Samoa and Thailand. Please enquire further about potential assignments for you or someone you contact: 02 9560 5333 or 0422 472 567 or visit palms.org.au

## TRIBUNAL OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH

Marriage breakdown is a distressing experience for all concerned. The Church reaches out support of those who are divorced, while upholding the permanence of a true Christian marriage. The Armidale Office of the Interdiocesan Tribunal of Sydney extends an invitation to any divorced person who would like to talk about the annulment process. You can be assured that your privacy will be respected. Should you choose to apply for an annulment you will be guided and supported through the process. For further information please phone the Armidale Office of the Interdiocesan Tribunal of Sydney on 67718705 or email tribunal@armidale.catholic.org.au

#### PARISH PRAYER

Loving God, Father of us all, gather and form us into a caring and welcoming parish family.

May your Holy Spirit touch our hearts for us to reach out with compassion to those in need.

We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ, the Good Shepherd. Amen.

# Schedule of Masses & Sacraments

#### **Holy Mass**

Monday	07.00am
Tuesday	09.30am
Wednesday	09.30am
Thursday	09.30am
Friday	09.30am
Saturday	05.30pm
Sunday	09.00am
	05.30pm

## Confessions

Saturday 04.45pm to 05.15pm Sunday 08.15am to 08.45am 04.45pm to 05.15pm

#### **Baptism**

by appointment Online booking:

https://stedwardsparish.org.au/sacraments/

# Wedding & Anointing of the Sick Funeral

by appointment

# Sick List

If you would like to add someone to our sick list please use the "sick list prayer request form" placed in the blue folder at the foyer.

# **Visitation**

If there is a parishioner whom you know would appreciate a visit from a priest or the SVdP, please contact the Parish Office.

## **Child Safe Parish**

Electronic copy of the Child Safe Parish Communities Policy is now available online on our Parish website: www.stedwardsparish.org.au/safeguarding/ It is a valuable resource to keep our parish a child safe environment. All are encouraged to read the booklet.

# **Last Week's Collection**

1st Collection - \$ 1,190.05 Planned Giving - \$ 700.00 Loose - \$ 86.85

## **On Church Giving**

To support the priests (active, sick and retired-1st collection): A/C Name: St Edwards Church Presbytery Savings Account

A/C Name: St Edwards Church Suspense Acct
BSB: 082 105 A/C No.: 001002950

To support the Church (Planned Giving Program - PGP):

**Reference:** Envelope Number + *last name*making a gift to support the important work of our paris

What return shall I make to the Lord, for all God has given me? Thank you for making a gift to support the important work of our parish. We sincerely appreciate your generosity!