



# ST EDWARD'S CATHOLIC PARISH

## [Mary Help of Christians Church]

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Rev. Fr Roel Llave | Mrs Hilda Raquepo, *parish secretary* | Rev. Paul Manvell, *deacon*

### Apostles' Creed

**I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.**

### In your charity, please pray for our sick

Claire Borchard, Fay Crocker, Trent Fisk, Jill Mifsud, Alijandra Villamil, Lorraine Guyer, Fr John Willis, Barry Winning, Sayde Baladia, Narelle Albans, Chris O'Sullivan, Julien Ryan, Patricia Jones, Ginavis Naw Pha Day, Jo O'Sullivan, Anna Gawlik, Pia Layson, Catherine Robinson, Ros Dewick, Kevin Frost, Joan Guyer.

### Our Deceased

Joyce May Birrell, Roger Deland, Christine King, Noeline Turner, Rodney Richards, Berenice Bannester, Chris Struck, Neville Smith, Helen and John Bolger, Christopher Peter Pastyn, Brian McGrath, Peter Newley, Jack Woolaston, Rosemary Ashmole, Margaret Barbara, Brigid Siely, Betty Gaffney.

### Anniversaries

Bertha Brady, Jill Manvell, John Gooley

**ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:** The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? The Lord is the stronghold of my life; whom should I dread? When those do evil draw near, they stumble and fall

**COMMUNION ANTIPHON:** The Lord is my rock, my fortress, and my deliverer; my God is my saving strength.

### WAYS TO GET INVOLVED

#### ROSARY GROUP

Meet in private homes at 10am on Wednesdays  
 For information contact Dulcie Johns Ph: 6762 1092

#### MOTHERS' PRAYERS

Meet in private homes at 1.30pm on Mondays to pray for our children and all children throughout the world.  
 For more information contact Trish Tighe Ph: 0427657259

#### ST VINCENT de PAUL

##### St Edward's Visiting Conference

Meet in the Church meeting room on Mondays at 4pm.  
 For more information contact Cathy Norvill Ph: 0421 591 046

#### PASSIONIST FAMILY GROUP - White Ants

For more information or to join the White Ants Family Group ring Sandra Ph: 0408 659 971 or Kerry Ph: 0427 367 628

#### MIGRANTS & REFUGEES

##### Free English Lessons

Members of our Parish offer free group lessons in the Church Hall on Sundays from 10am-12pm. For more information or to become a volunteer tutor (no experience needed) contact Lizzie on 0439493266 or Kerry on 0427367628.

#### ST EDWARD'S CHOIR & MUSIC MINISTRY

The St Edward's Parish Choir is always ready to welcome new members. For more information contact Liz Hearne Ph: 0403137810

#### ST EDWARD'S SCHOOL READING SUPPORT VOLUNTEERS

**When:** Any week day from 9-11am  
**Where:** Infants and Primary campus  
**What you need:** A volunteer Working With Children Check which can be obtained free of charge from Service NSW.  
 Ring Primary School on 67657847 or Infants on 67658569

### LAST WEEK'S COLLECTION

**1st Collection - \$ 1,137.15    Planned Giving - \$ 514.00**  
**Loose - \$ 9.40    May EFT - \$ 1,837**

### MINISTRY ROSTER

#### **08-09 June — 10th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year B**

<b>Reader</b>	<b>EMHC</b>	<b>Piety</b>	
Saturday 5.30 pm C. Nepomuceno	K. Pearson	J. McRae	
Sunday 9.00 am F. Gooley	B. Simpson	O. Robson	<b>Counters</b>
Sunday 5.30 pm Volunteer	R. Fisher	C. Frost	R. Gorman & G. Crocker

#### **15-16 June — 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year B**

<b>Reader</b>	<b>EMHC</b>	<b>Piety</b>	
Saturday 5.30 pm G. Smith	G. Smith	J. Milne	
Sunday 9.00 am C. Norville	P. Long	F. Moloney	<b>Counters</b>
Sunday 5.30 pm K. Ringland	S. Grace	J. McKenzie	J. Murrie & B. Burgess

### 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.

### NEWS / ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### PLANNED GIVING PROGRAM ENVELOPES

Our Planned Giving Envelopes for the year 24-25 are now at the foyer, you may now collect yours. Please check your name as your number may change this fiscal year. If you would like to change from Envelopes to Direct Debit, please contact the office on 67659543 or southtamworthparish@armidale.catholic.org.au

#### NEW LITURGY ROSTER

We will be sending out the new liturgy roster for July-December 2024 soon. If you would like to change or be removed from the Roster please contact the office at 67659543. Volunteers are welcome.

#### ST PATRICK'S WEST TAMWORTH PARISH REFLECTION DAY:

15 June by Sister Maureen. Through the Desert God Leads us to Freedom. In Lent this year Pope Francis invited us to journey with God. During the day there will be the opportunity to reflect on the various deserts of our life and how we have experienced God leading us through them. *Pope Francis encourages us, "Lent is the season of grace in which the desert can become once more - in the words of the prophet Hosea, "the place of our first love". (cf. Hos 2:16-17). May this reflection day gift us with what God wants to give us;" a journey in freedom; a journey in intimacy and relationship."* (Fr. Andy Alexander, SJ)  
 Morning Tea will be provided. Please email [westtamworthparish@armidale.catholic.org.au](mailto:westtamworthparish@armidale.catholic.org.au) or phone 6765 8211 to register for this day if you would like to join.

#### ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY—WINTER APPEAL

The St Vincent de Paul Society would like to express gratitude to very generous parishioners who donated to our recent Winter Appeal. **\$940.00** was raised. Your donations will go directly to members of our community who are struggling to make ends meet. Please continue to pray for those we assist.

#### WELCOME TO THE CATHOLIC FAITH

Our Parish community warmly welcomes the family of **Vallie Pearl Hillsdon** who will be baptised in our parish this weekend

### **JOIN OUR TEAM! EXCITING TEACHING OPPORTUNITIES**

We are seeking a dedicated and passionate Middle/Senior School Teacher (English, Maths, PDHPE, HSIE) and a Junior School Teacher.  
 Subsidised accommodation available for the right candidate.



Contact (02) 6543 1114 Visit [pacificbrook.nsw.edu.au/about/employment](http://pacificbrook.nsw.edu.au/about/employment)



Please ensure that your children are accompanied when leaving the Church during the Mass to go to the toilet or for any other reason.

#### On Church Giving

**To support the priests (active, sick, and retired) 1st Collection**  
**A/C Name:** St. Edwards Church Presbytery Savings Account  
**BSB:** 082 105 **A/C No.:** 001023592  
**Reference:** First + Last Name

**To support the Church (Planned Giving Program—PGP):**  
**A/C Name:** St. Edwards Church Suspense Account  
**BSB:** 082 105 **A/C No.:** 001002950  
**Reference:** Envelope Number + Last Name

*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!*



### Schedule of Masses & Sacraments

#### Holy Mass

Monday (June, July, August) 08.00am  
**Tuesday School Mass 09.30am**  
 Wednesday 09.30am  
 Thursday 09.30am  
 Friday 09.30pm

**Saturday 05.30pm**  
**Sunday 09.00am**  
**05.30pm**

**1st Friday Adoration 08.15am**  
**1st Saturday Mass 09.30am**

**2nd/4th Sunday Mass**  
**Tamworth Age Care 11.00am**

#### 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

**Heart of Peace (HOPE)** is a social justice ministry of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Armidale. Offering free and healthy meals for everyone. Our Hope Kitchen is back on 7th February. MHOC Church Hall, 72 Hillvue Road, South Tamworth.

**NEW VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:** to volunteer please email: [hopekitchen2340@gmail.com](mailto:hopekitchen2340@gmail.com)

Follow us on Facebook:  
<https://www.facebook.com/hopekitchen>

#### 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.