



# ST EDWARD'S CATHOLIC PARISH

## [Mary Help of Christians Church]

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**Rev. Fr Roel Llave | Mrs Hilda Raquero, 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

Sister Deirdre Browne IBVM, Paul Garnett, Frances Cartwright, Patrick Lawler, Judy Peachy, Denise Robinson, Gabriel Clarke, Ernesto Marcos Marcelino Sr, Peter Fardy, Claire Borchard, Fay Crocker, Jill Mifsud, Lorraine Guyer, Fr John Willis, Sayde Baladia, Narelle Albans, Chris O'Sullivan, Julien Ryan, Patricia Jones, Ginavis Naw Pha Day, Jo O'Sullivan, Anna Gawlik, Catherine Robinson, Kevin Frost, Joan Guyer.

### Our Deceased

Sr. Leonie Stortenbeker, Colleen Scurrah, Rosalie Williams, Barry Winning, +Bishop Kevin Manning, Reginald Alonso, Betty Tan, Ben Grice, Trent Fisk, Joe Burr, Janette Johnston, Joyce May Birrell, Roger Deland, Christine King, Alejandra Villamil

### Anniversaries

Kevin Ferguson, Gwen Press, Patricia Howlett, Lloyd Allen, Max Kokegei, Tarcela-Pedro-Marcelo-Jose and Susana Villamil.



### ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

Turn your ear, O Lord, and answer me; save the servant who trusts in you, my God. Have mercy on me, O Lord, for I cry to you all the day long.

**COMMUNION ANTIPHON:**  
 The earth is replete with the fruits of your work, O Lord; you bring forth bread from the earth and wine to cheer the heart.

### 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

#### 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 - \$ 935.35 Planned Giving - \$ 666.00**  
**Loose - \$ 70.30 July EFT - \$ 1,757**  
**TAP (July)- \$ 190.84**

### MINISTRY ROSTER

#### **24-25 August — 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year B**

<b>Reader</b>	<b>EMHC</b>	<b>Piety</b>
Saturday 5.30 pm G. Tighe	T. Tighe	R. Stortenbeker
Sunday 9.00 am A. Millman	A. McEvoy	F. Moloney
Sunday 5.30 pm K. Ringland	D. Stevens	J. McKenzie J. Murrie & B. Burgess

#### **31-01 September — 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year B**

<b>Reader</b>	<b>EMHC</b>	<b>Piety</b>
Saturday 5.30 pm J. Doyle	K. Pearson	J. McRae
Sunday 9.00 am D. Sullivan	B. Simpson	B. Bruccoleri
Sunday 5.30 pm A. Soehlakaw	R. Fisher	P. & C. Frost

### 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.



### Prayer for Confirmation Candidates

God our Father, We thank you for our young people who are preparing for the Sacrament Of Confirmation. You call each one of them by name and promise that whatever happens in their lives, you will be with them always. We pray that this journey to Confirmation will be an opportunity for them to deepen their faith and renew their hope in you so that your love may shine through them to the world. Send your Holy Spirit upon them to be their helper and guide. Give them the spirit of wisdom and understanding, the spirit of right judgement and courage, the spirit of knowledge and reverence. Fill them with the spirit of wonder and awe in your presence. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

### NEWS / ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### Sacramental Preparation | Confirmation

**Confirmation Lessons 4 pm (Church)**  
**Mondays 26/08, 02/09, 09/09, 16/09**

#### MIGRANTS & REFUGEES (Free English Lessons)

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

Parish and Stakeholders Providing Pastoral Care for Seasonal Workers Network Online Meeting & Updating for the year happening on **Thursday, 05 September 2024 at 2:00pm AEST via Zoom.**

[Click here to join the meeting](#)

Meeting ID: 839 0592 9757

Meeting Link: <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83905929757>



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**Heart of Peace (HOPE)** is a social justice ministry of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Armidale. Offering free and healthy meals for everyone. MHOC Church Hall, 72 Hillvue Road, South Tamworth every Wednesday.

**NEW VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:** please email: [hopekitchen2340@gmail.com](mailto:hopekitchen2340@gmail.com)  
 Follow us on Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/hopekitchen>

**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!**

### Social Justice Prayer

O God, Trinity of love, from the profound communion of your divine life, pour out upon us a torrent of sisterly and brotherly love. Grant us the love reflected in the actions of Jesus, in his family of Nazareth, and in the early Christian community.

Grant that we Christians may live the Gospel, Discovering Christ in each human being, Recognising him crucified in the sufferings of the abandoned and forgotten of our world, and risen in each sister or brother who makes a new start.

Come, Holy Spirit, show us your beauty, reflected in all the peoples of the earth, so that we may discover anew that all are important and all are necessary, different faces of the one humanity that God so loves. AMEN.

### Schedule of Masses & Sacraments

#### Holy Mass

Monday (June, July, August)	08.00 am
<b>Tuesday School Mass</b>	<b>09.30 am</b>
Wednesday	09.30 am
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>NO MASS</b>
Friday	09.30 pm

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>05.30 pm</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>09.00 am</b>
	<b>05.30 pm</b>

<b>1st Friday Adoration</b>	<b>08.15 am</b>
<b>1st Saturday Mass</b>	<b>09.30 am</b>

<b>2nd/4th Sunday Mass</b>	
<b>Tamworth Age Care</b>	<b>11.00 am</b>

#### Confessions

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

#### 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.