

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

Marlee Deamer, Sr. 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

Anne Slacksmith, George Hurn, John Sweeney, Sr. Leonie Stortenbeker, Colleen Scurrah, Rosalie Williams, Barry Winning, +Bishop Kevin Manning.

Anniversaries

Kevin Ferguson, Brenda Jill Dennis, Patricia Eileen Howlett, Stephen Rafferty.

A Family Prays Together Together Stays Together

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:
 You are just, O Lord, and your judgement is right; treat your servant in accord with your merciful love.
COMMUNION ANTIPHON:
 Like the deer that yearns for running streams, so my soul is yearning for you, my God; my soul is thirsting for God, the living God.

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 - \$ 630.15 Planned Giving - \$ 682.00
 Loose - \$ 69.20 August EFT - \$ 1,372
 TAP (August)- \$ 756.98

MINISTRY ROSTER

07-08 September — 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year B

Saturday 5.30 pm	Reader A. Hatton	EMHC G. Smith	Piety J. Milne	
Sunday 9.00 am	School Mass	P. Long	R. Evans	Counters
Sunday 5.30 pm	M. McKenzie	S. Grace	C. Frost	J. MacRae & J. Milne

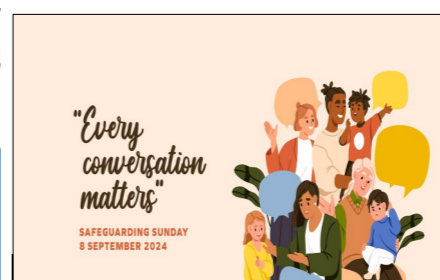
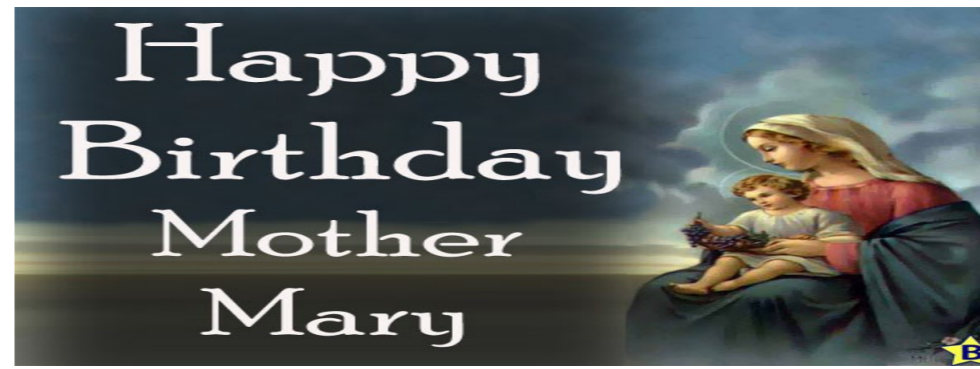
14-15 September — 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year B

Saturday 5.30 pm	Reader G. York	EMHC T. Tighe	Piety D. Sullivan	
Sunday 9.00 am	C. Kelly	Y. Benning	H. McCluand	Counters
Sunday 5.30 pm	P. Frost	D. Stevens	J. McKenzie	S. Cunneen & T. Hill

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.



Our Lady of Lasalette

Feast day
Concelebrated Mass
on September 19,
Thursday at 6:00 pm
Novena Prayer
5:30 pm

Our Parish and the Diocese of Armidale are committed to the care, wellbeing and protection of children, young people and people at risk in our community. Mindful of the theme for National Child Protection Week, may we work to create safe spaces where we can have meaningful conversations with children and adults at risk about their safety. You can find out more about the Church's work in this area at:
<https://www.catholic.au/s/article/Safeguarding-Sunday-2024>

NEWS / ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sacramental Preparation | Confirmation
Confirmation Lessons 4:30 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.

WELCOME TO THE CATHOLIC FAITH

Our Parish community warmly welcomes the family of **Shaira Gwen Bautista** who will be baptised in our parish this weekend.

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
 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!*

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.

Schedule of Masses & Sacraments

Holy Mass

Monday		08.00 am
Tuesday	School Mass	09.30 am
Wednesday		09.30 am
Thursday		09.30 am
Friday		09.30 am

Saturday	05.30 pm
Sunday	09.00 am 05.30 pm

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

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

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.