

# WELCOME TO THE PARISHES OF

## TATURA

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## KYABRAM

St Patrick's Tongala and St Sebastian's Merrigum

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Readings - Year C

Year of Luke

Weekdays – Cycle 1

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**As we come to worship we remember the Bangerang & Yorta Yorta People, the original custodians of this land  
We commit ourselves to actively working alongside Aboriginal people for reconciliation and justice.**

## SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

## 5<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2013



But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything. Jn 14:26

### MOVIE NIGHT – 'LINCOLN'

Thank you to the organisers, cooks and people who came along to the 'Lincoln' movie night in Kyabram last Tuesday. It was a wonderful night attended by about 140 Ky and Tat parishioners. Thank you to everyone who attended to support the St Augustine's College Timor Leste Committee Immersion Group. Money raised will fund projects and useful items for the group to take with them for the people of the village in Timor in which they will be staying.

### Reminder – Project Compassion

**This is just a final reminder to please return your project compassion boxes or envelopes if you haven't already done so. We must forward the funds to Caritas this week.**

### MOVIE NIGHT

The Tatura PPC is organising a Movie Night on 18<sup>th</sup> May after the 6.00pm Mass. There will be a sausage sizzle directly after Mass followed by the movie "The Way" rated PG and suitable for the family. The cost will be \$5 per head or \$10 per family. Funds will be directed towards a projection screen for the Church. For further information or to book please contact:

Sheila Gregg – 5824 2781

Connie Serra 5824 2923

Geraldine Pollard – 0429418444



### PLANNED GIVING RECEIPTS FOR ALL GIVERS

- New envelopes AND giving receipts are available at the back of the church **FOR ALL GIVERS.**
- **All parishioners, including those giving by cash, direct debit and credit card will have a receipt to collect.**
- Please pick up to save postage and any others that you may be able to deliver
- **Commence using your new envelopes from Sunday 2nd June 2013.**

### PASTORAL LETTER FOR THE FEAST OF ST JOSEPH THE WORKER

Bishop Saunter, Chair of the Australian Catholic Social Justice Council, has issued a pastoral letter calling for an increase in the level of payments for hundreds and thousands seeking work who are forced to rely on income support allowances which drives individuals and families into poverty. "Time for a new start" focuses on the adequacy of Newstart. Copies of the letter are in the Narthex.



<b>Those who have died recently</b>	Bryan Dillon
<b>Those whose Anniversary occurs</b>	Eulalie Moroney; Kathleen Feehan; Joe & Doll Guinan; Carmel McCormick; Francis & Catherine Sleeth; Agnes Lynch; Pat Hehir
<b>Our sick and their carers</b>	Therese Mulcahy; Brendan Shingles; Fr Chris Reay; Colin Mason; Heather Carter; Lawrie Dwyer; Max Davies;*** Denis Bacon; Tessa Stokes; Glen Spicer; Carmel Rawlings; Tahlia Backman; Margaret Fox; Gerard Berry

MASSES FOR THE COMING WEEK: 6 – 12 MAY			
DAY	DATE	TATURA	KYABRAM
Monday	6	No Mass	No Mass
Tuesday	7	5.00pm (Int Kathleen Feehan)	No Mass
Wednesday	8	9.15am (Anointing Mass)	5.00pm
Thursday	9	No Mass	10.00am 5.30pm <i>Memorial Mass for Bryan Dillon, Anniv of Carmel McCormick, Francis &amp; Catherine Sleeth</i>
Friday	10	9.15am	No Mass
Saturday	11	No Mass	6.30pm
Sunday	12	10.00am	8.00am
ROSARY		Tues 4.45pm Wed 9:00am Fri 9:00am	
RECONCILIATION	11	11:30am	

**Please Collect:**

- Sandpiper
- Australian Catholics
- Planned Giving Letters & Receipts
- Campion Retreat Information (on Notice Board)
- Spirituality in the Pub brochures
- **PLANNED GIVING LETTERS FOR ALL FAMILIES**
- Pastoral Letter – Feast of Joseph the Worker

MASS	COMMENTATOR	READER	GOSPEL PROCESSION	PRESENTATION OF GIFTS	SPECIAL MINISTERS	COUNTERS
Sun 12/5 10.00am	John Harford	<b>CHILDREN'S MASS</b>			L Kerrins S Nihill G LoPiccolo	Simon Cowan

**BUILDING MAINTENANCE/CARE**

We have just replaced two front windows in the Parish Hall. Stones were thrown through the windows which damaged not only the windows but the curtains and curtain rods. Please keep your eye out for damage or maintenance issues which may require attention - some urgent. Vigilance and early attention may help to reduce the cost.

**PARISH PRAYER**

God our Father, bless our two Parishes so that we may love you more.  
Help our parents to give good example to their children  
and our youth to grow in strength as good Christians.  
Encircle our families with your loving care.  
To the sick grant health, to the aged bring serenity and to those in sorrow, joy.  
May each parishioner grow stronger in faith and may our love for one another become deeper in our daily living.  
We make our prayer through Christ our Lord. Amen

**Cuppa after Mass**

Don't forget **NEXT** Sunday to linger after Mass for a tea or coffee and morning-tea. A great chance to catch up with your friends

**MAY DIARY DATES**

Mon	6	
Tues	7	Italian Rosary 2.00pm Church Finance C'tee Meeting 5.30pm Parish Hall
Wed	8	
Thurs	9	
Frid	10	
Sat	11	
Sun	12	<i>Mother's Day</i> <i>Baptisms: Bella Mullins and Summer Montgomery</i>
Mon	13	<i>SVDP Meeting 9.30 at the Centre</i>
Tues	14	9.30am Ministers Fellowship 10.00am Deanery meeting, Tatura
Wed	15	
Thurs	16	
Frid	17	
Sat	18	<i>Sausage Sizzle and Movie night after 6.00pm Mass</i>
Sun	19	

**SACRED HEART SCHOOL**

Enrolment enquires for 2014 are welcome. Please phone Debbie on 5824 1841 for an appointment.

**Sacred Heart key dates:**

**8 May:** Sacred Heart Open Day 9.15am Parent Information Session, School Tour and Morning Tea.

**20 May & 14 June:** Enrolment Interviews for new families

**17-28 June:** Enrolment Interviews for existing families.

**Notre Dame Annual Open Day on Friday 10<sup>th</sup> May.**

Further information ring 5822 8400

## COMMENTATOR GUIDELINES

### If you are The Commentator:

- Microphone should be adjusted to suit you before Mass
- Microphone should be between you and what you are reading
- You must speak louder than normal speaking voice, also clearer and slower. If it sounds strange then you are probably doing the right thing and reading well.
- Once you introduce the reading, sit nearby.
- Take your time to walk back to the microphone. (This gives the congregation time to absorb what they have heard).
- Hopefully the congregation will **wait** for you to ask them to stand for the Alleluia Verse.

### Congregation:

- Wait till the commentator has told you to stand for the Alleluia Verse. Take your time to be nourished by the Word of God.

## WANTED! YOUR OLD MOBILE PHONES

By simply recycling your unwanted mobile phones we can help raise funds for our Church projection screens. The school has joined this fundraiser with every phone collected worth **\$3**. Thank you to the very generous school parents and parishioners who have already donated individually towards this project. It is also possible to donate as a parish group and/or patronise our fundraising efforts. There is a **box in the Narthex** in which to put your old phones and more information on the Notice Board.

## SPIRITUALITY IN THE PUB

Spirituality in the Pub at the Terminus Hotel, Shepparton on (meals from 6pm optional) **'Staying Catholic in a time of crisis'** - a hope-filled conversation for all who've faced the question **'Why do you stay?'** while so many sad and shameful stories emerge.

Speakers, Sr Angela Ryan csb, from the Catholic Church Committee working to prepare the response to victims of clergy abuse, plus Paul White, St Brendan's parishioner, will begin the conversation, then all views welcome in an Open Forum. More info on fliers at back of church.

Enquiries: Kerrv 0408 579904. Frank 5821 4362.



## Real Peace.....

Today we are listening in to Jesus comforting, encouraging and blessing us, offering us a gift beyond anything we can imagine —his risen presence as the Holy Spirit dwelling within us. The gift of peace, **real** peace, **God's** peace, the peace that can carry us through any storm life throws at us. Each of us is moved in one way or another by love for Jesus who stands at the door and knocks, ready to **hand** us peace and to live right here among us and help **us live** that peace. We offer each other a sign off this peace each time we celebrate the Eucharist. We need to love one another as Jesus loves us and we need to let our love for him carry us out of ourselves, out of our homes, out of our church building and out into the world, just as the love of Jesus for us carried him out of his home, out of his religious community and out into the world of foreigners, outsiders, and those on the margins of society - the 'unclean.' Let our love for Jesus carry us into keeping his word, spending time in prayer, allowing his presence among us to come alive in us more and more every day. To let the peace of Jesus Christ that we have come to know so well carry us through the storms that must come. We can't get around the storms; they are all around us! The peace offered by the presence of Jesus gets in the boat with us and sails right into their midst.

### 'ST MARK – A CRUCIFIED AND RISEN MESSIAH'

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> May 2013 - Fr Frank Moloney SDB & Sr Michelle Connolly RSJ: Join an **eConference** gathering at a Sandhurst Diocese venue (Cuppa from 10.00 am). Conf 10.30 am – 2.30 pm: Gold coin donation.

- **WANGARATTA:** St Brigid's Centre, St Patrick's Parish/CEO, Bookings: 5722 1970  
Email: wangaratta@sandhurst.catholic.org.au
- **SHEPPARTON: Transferred to Mercy Centre, Tatura Bookings: 5821 2633**  
Email: shepparton@sandhurst.catholic.org.au
- **ECHUCA:** St Joseph's College,  
Bookings: 5482 1127  
Email: echuca@sandhurst.catholic.org.au
- **BENDIGO:** St Liborius Parish Centre, Eaglehawk.  
Bookings: 5441 2544  
Email: adultfaith@sandhurst.catholic.org.au

OR access online during and following 16<sup>th</sup> May 2013 at: <http://mark.vivlive.com>.

## A SPACE FOR GRACE

*Peace I leave you, my peace I give you, a peace the world cannot give. John 14:27.*

To feel the peace that comes from recognising Jesus and following his teachings – is, indeed, a great gift that only God can give.

**Today, Lord, let me recognise your face in all those I meet.**

**Help me to follow closely in your footsteps, so that at the end of this day, I will know the peace that is God's gift to me.**



**Humour:** 'My real name is Wilson, but everyone at the factory where I work calls me Chuck.

A woman from the front office came by with a form to fill out. But when she asked for my name, I wasn't sure which one to give.

Waiting patiently for me to make up my mind, she said, "I don't have any easier questions."



Readings for  
this week:

Acts 15:1-2,22-29  
Apocalypse 21:10-14,22-23  
John 14:23-29



Readings for  
next Sunday

Acts 1:1-11  
Hebrews 9:24-28,10:19-23  
Luke 24:46-53



### Liturgical Jottings

Within the yearly cycle the Church unfolds the whole mystery of Christ, from his incarnation and birth until his ascension, the day of Pentecost and the expectation of the blessed hope of the Lord's return. In celebrating this annual cycle of Christ's mysteries, the Church honours with special love, Mary, the Mother of God, who is joined by an inseparable bond to the saving work of her Son.



### Prayer for the week

God of all hope: You gave us your Son to teach us and inspire us; you gave us your Spirit to sustain us. Continue to lend us your strength and your love as we keep your word and share it with those who haven't heard it yet. Amen.

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### Looking at the Readings

*The Holy Spirit will teach you everything and remind you of all I have said to you.*

God the Father attested that Jesus was filled with the Holy Spirit at the time of his Baptism. Therefore, Jesus, in turn, hands on to his disciples the gift of the Holy Spirit: "The Father will send the Paraclete who will teach you everything". The Paraclete, dwelling within the disciples, will mediate a continuing presence of Jesus in the time-gap before the final coming of Jesus.

Peace is his final gift to them, a peace the world cannot give. The Hebrew word for peace, *shalom*, conveys more than our word peace. In general it conveys a sense of universal completeness where nothing is lacking, a state of well-being belonging to God. When one possesses peace, one is in perfect communion with God.

The Christian has a vocation to peace. True peace is based on righteousness and justice.

### Memorial of the week: Julian of Norwich

Little is known of her except for her writings (Revelations of Divine Love) and that she lived from 1342-1430 as a recluse in turbulent years both for the Church, torn by the papal schism and for the life of the people who were suffering a long war between the England and France and also from the great plague. Never canonised she is greatly honoured for her mystical writings. Pope Benedict XVI wrote of her: "God, however, even in periods of tribulation, does not cease to inspire figures such as Julian of Norwich, to recall people to peace, love and joy." She is remembered on the 8th or 13th May.

### Quotable Quote

From the time of the apostles onwards the Church has never failed to come together to celebrate the paschal mystery: reading scripture, celebrating the Eucharist, in which the victory and triumph of his Christ's death are again made present and at the same time giving thanks to God

*Vatican II on the Liturgy n6*

### On the Lighter Side

Recent survey of favourite hymns among various professionals came this amusing result: Dentists - *Crown Him with Many Crowns*, Optometrists - *Open My Eyes, O Lord*, Golfers - *There's a Green Hill Far Away*, Tailors - *Holy, Holy, Holy*, and Building contractors - *The Church's One Foundation*.



### QUOTE:

'Ministry is the spiritual act of seeing and helping others see the face of a loving God even where nothing but darkness seems to be present.'

- Henri Nouwen, Dutch Catholic priest,  
author of 40 books (1932-1996)

DEAR God

Sprinkle me  
with wrinkles  
of happiness

Amen

