

WELCOME TO SACRED HEART PARISH TATURA

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We acknowledge the Yorta Yorta nation, the traditional custodians of the land on which we meet today, as they have occupied and cared for this country for many generations. We also celebrate their continuing contributions to the region.



**Sacred
Heart
Parish**
TATURA

Readings -
Year B
Mark
Weekday Year 2

*Parish Pastoral Council
In recess until further notice 2018*

As Christ's disciples our mission is:

- * to be inspired by Christ
- * to actively live out Christ's message and the Gospel values by respecting, celebrating and honouring our Catholic traditions
- * to provide welcome and sanctuary for all
- * to foster a sense of social justice and to protect, nurture and support our Catholic community and the wider community by respecting life, self, and the environment.

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8TH JULY 2018



NEW ARCHBISHOP FOR MELBOURNE

Last week His Holiness, Pope Francis appointed Bishop Peter Comensoli as the ninth Archbishop of Melbourne. He succeeds Archbishop Hart who for the last seventeen years has given, generous and exemplary leadership to the Church of Melbourne.

Archbishop-Designate Comensoli was ordained a priest in Wollongong in 1992 and was consecrated as an auxiliary bishop in Sydney on 8 June 2011, becoming Australia's youngest bishop.

The Solemn Mass of Reception for Archbishop-Designate Comensoli shall be held in St Patrick's Cathedral on 1 August.

The Sacred Heart Parish of Tatura, warmly welcome the appointment of Archbishop-Designate Comensoli and we pray for God's blessings for him as he takes his new pastoral responsibilities.

More information on Archbishop-Designate can be found in the Narthex.

Fr Michael



2018 Sacramental Candidates

First Eucharist: 12th August
Confirmation: 8th September

Father of love and power, it is your will to establish everything in Christ and to draw us into his all-embracing love. Guide these candidates as they begin their preparation for Confirmation. Strengthen them in their baptismal promises, build them into the kingdom of your Son, and seal them with the Spirit of your love. We ask this through Christ our Lord.
Amen

**CUPPA AFTER MASS THIS MORNING PLEASE
JOIN US IN THE MERCY CENTRE**



We pray for



Our recently deceased and those who are grieving	Clare Powles, Michael Kearney
For those whose anniversary occurs	Jack Mulcahy, Domenico Lia, Angelina Lia, Vincenzo Lia, Valda Lia, Michele Vigilante, Jeffrey Steele
Our sick and their carers	Sister Stephanie Christian RSM, Denise Woodman, Terry White, Ben Warnett, Lisa Wagner, John Harford, Brian O'Meara

(Our practice is to leave the names on the sick list for a month. To extend the time, please contact the parish office.)

Date	Commentator	Reader	Gospel Procession	Presentation of the Gifts	Special Ministers	Counters
Sat 14 th July 6pm	Rob Miller	Judith Steele	Margaret Corrigan	Joyce Caiafa Delphi Hamilton	Anne Hutchison Leo McGrath Carol Coulson	Trish Warnett
Sun 15 th July 9.30am	Simon Cowan	Kaye Gaffy	Ella Kerrins	Lou & Paul Kerrins	Steve DeLai Jasmine DeLai Lisa Cowan	

MASSES FOR THE COMING WEEK:

DAY	DATE	
Monday	9 July	No Mass
Tuesday	10 July	No Mass
Wednesday	11 July	9.15am Mass
Thursday	12 July	9.15am Mass
Friday	13 July	9.15am Mass
Saturday	14 July	Mass 6pm
Sunday	15 July	9.30am Mass
Saturday Reconciliation	14 July	11.30am Reconciliation
ROSARY	15 Minutes Before weekday Mass	

JUNE / JULY DIARY DATES

Day	Date	Event
Mon	9 July	
Tues	10 July	2pm Italian Rosary in the Church 7pm St Vincent de Paul at the Centre
Wed	11 July	9.15am Anointing Mass 5.30pm Finance Committee Meeting Parish Hall
Thurs	12 July	
Fri	13 July	
Sat	14 July	6pm Mass
Sun	15 July	9.30am Mass
Mon	16 July	3 rd Term Commences 1:00pm Crazy Whist
Tues	17 July	
Wed	18 July	
Thurs	19 July	
Fri	20 July	
Sat	21 July	6pm Mass
Sun	22 July	9.30am Mass

PASTORAL CARE

- Pauline Hindson 5824 1841; Marli Kelly 0457 772 869
- Anne Hutchison 5824 3460 Debbie Worm 5824 1841

GRANDPARENT'S MASS 2018

Save the date for this special Mass.

When: Friday 3rd August

Time: 9.15am

CAN YOU HELP RAISE MONEY FOR THE A.E.D – AUTOMATIC EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATOR?

In a little over two weeks the School's Mini Vinnies Sport Ball Raffle has raised over \$1,400 for the AED. This is an amazing effort and I want to thank everyone involved in helping to raise this.

We have also received donations of approximately \$1,200 from the Lions Club of Tatura, St Vincent De Paul, Catholic Women's League and our parishioners.

There is still a little bit more to raise before can purchase the AED and storage box.

This will greatly benefit the community at this end of town as currently there is not a AED available 24/7 in this vicinity.

The machine would be mounted in a box at the front verandah of the presbytery. When required a person rings 000 and if the closest location is here they will be given a code to open the box. All very quick and easy which is so important.

I hope you can support this important fundraiser.

Fr Michael

**Kimberley Catholic Volunteer Service
WANTED:
VOLUNTEER WORKERS
FINANCE OFFICER AND PROPERTY MANAGER**

The Diocese of Broome, WA, requires volunteers to assist with the work of the local Church in the Kimberley. There are various important voluntary tasks: administration, building maintenance, gardening, shop staffing, cooking, cleaning etc. Placements are preferred for a period of 6 months. We are currently seeking volunteers for several parishes including Broome, Balgo, Kalumburu and Bidyadanga.

For further details on how to be a part of this unique experience, and an application form, please contact:

Volunteer Coordinator: Anneliese Rohr
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**THE JOURNEY CATHOLIC RADIO PROGRAM –
Airs 8 July 2018**

This week on the Journey Fr Richard Healey reflects on the Gospel of Mark, Sr Hilda shares her Wisdom from the Abbey talking about “The Broken Heart Syndrome”, our very own Pete Gilmore reminds us to “Live Big” and Marilyn Rodrigues, The Peaceful Parent, encourages us with her God spot on “Creating Memories”. Tune into LIFE 101.9 FM or 98.5 THE LIGHT Albury Wodonga Sunday 11am or go to www.jcr.org.au or www.itunes.jcr.org.au where you can listen anytime and subscribe to weekly shows by email.

**WHAT COULD THE CHURCH LOOK LIKE IF WE
LISTEN TO EACH OTHER?**

You are invited to join an eConference group to talk about it! ‘Synodality in Practice - Listening to the Spirit and Leading Change’ ACBC - BBI eConference 2018

Time: 10am - 2:30pm

When: Wednesday 8 August.

Speakers: Archbp Mark Coleridge, Mrs Lana Turvey-Collins, Prof Massimo Faggioli, Prof Richard Lennan, Dr Gemma Cruz. Cost: free. Join us or watch online: www.bbi.catholic.edu.au/short-courses/2018/eConference. *This year's

eConference is part of preparations for Plenary 2020 – 2021.

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**10 Signs of a Vibrant Parish
Point number nine of 10**

Communal life abounds

Vibrant parishes gather people for study, outreach, formation and fund. These moments are integral to enabling members to connect and respond to one another's needs. The time for care by a loving community happens every day' death, illness, family crises and life's difficulties come to all. Pastoral care helps parishioners respond because relationships have ben built and nurtured when the community has assembled. Members connected communally find opportunities to engage even beyond themselves into neighbourhood undertakings or ecumenical efforts.

Continued next week.



PLENARY COUNCIL 2020

Pentecost Sunday, being the birthday of the church, was an appropriate occasion to launch the Plenary Council.

We had a special candle to light and the Plenary prayer to pray for its launch as we prepare for 2020.

Some time has elapsed now and we need to consider what we can do in our parish. Our bishops are hoping that with the laity the church in Australia can reign in new hope for the future.

Listen to what the Spirit is saying.

Pope Francis has approved the Bishops' decision to hold a Plenary Council in Australia in 2020 and 2021. It is a significant moment for the Church in Australia to make decisions about the future.

To prepare the agenda for the Plenary Council, all of God's people are invited to reflect on the question: “What do you think God is asking of us in Australia at this time?” Find out more about the Plenary Council 2020 at the new website now online. www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au

Let's reflect and pray about this for a couple of weeks, talk amongst ourselves and then with a few interested people we can have a meeting and see where the Spirit is taking us, here at Sacred Heart Tatura.

Fr Michael

Fourteen Sunday of Ordinary Time Sunday 8 July 2018



Readings for
this Sunday

Ezekiel 2:2-5
2 Corinthians 12:7-10
Mark 6:1-6



Readings for
next week:

Amos 7:12-15
Ephesians 1:3-14
Mark 6:7-13



Liturgical Jottings

Baptism Signs and Symbols.

The Rite of infant Baptism comprise of prayers, readings and use of several signs and symbols to express the various aspects of Christian initiation. The symbols include the giving of the Christian name, then the sign of the cross on the forehead, the anointing of Baptismal (Catechuminate) Oil, the blessing of water, the immersion or pouring of water with the words, the Chrism oil, the white baptismal garment, the Baptism candle and the Ephpheta rite, that is. the touching of ears and mouth. Through symbols we use created and visible elements to convey spiritual and invisible realities of the mystery of the sacraments. In later issues, these various sign and symbols will be treated more fully.

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Focus on the Gospel

When a sportsman or sportswoman, an artist, a writer, an academic or scientist does well nationally and returns home he or she often receives a hero's welcome and feted with a public reception, congratulations and media coverage. The "Hero" may have left town pursuing further education, training and competitions or tours and then returns home some months or even years later.

Not so with Christ when only after some months absence he returns and goes to the synagogue on the Sabbath with everyone else in his home town. He gets confronted with astonishment, incredulity and rejection. A possible explanation for his negative reception maybe jealousy or familiarity or dismissal that he has been empowered by the Spirit.

He had grown up with children of his own age, worked with his father as a carpenter in the community, learnt scriptures and faith alongside his peers. He was no more educated or qualified than the next person. Now he starts teaching with extraordinary wisdom and performing remarkable deeds of healing. His townsfolk say he cannot have this wisdom, he shouldn't be healing: we can't, he shouldn't!

Like the prophet Ezekiel (first reading) Christ comes among his own people to bring the Word of God, "whether they listen or not" (Ezek 2:5), thus showing people's freedom to choose and to come to faith.

Saint of the Week: St Kateri Tekakwitha 14 July

Born 1656, a daughter of a Mohawk warrior and her Algonquin mother in what is now New York state, she was orphaned at the age of four, received some education from Jesuit missionaries when she was 11 and baptised when she was 20. She became a catechist for Native American Indian children in Canada but died at age of 24, Kateri was canonised in 2014. She is known as the "Lily of the Mohawks" and renown for her prayer and holiness.

Weblink for the week

www.ephpheta.org.au The Catholic Centre for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing People

Words of Pope Francis

Far from being timid, morose, acerbic or melancholy, or putting on a dreary face, the saints are joyful and full of good humour. Though completely realistic, they radiate a positive and hopeful spirit. *Pope Francis, Gaudete Et Exsultate (2018) para 122*

On the Lighter Side

Q. Who was the first female financier in the bible?

A. Pharaoh's daughter. She went down to the Nile Bank and took out a little prophet.

