

WELCOME TO THE PARISHES OF

TATURA

KYABRAM

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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, others and the environment.

**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.**



29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

19th October 2014

STEWARDSHIP 2014

GROWING THROUGH SERVICE WEEKEND

This is the second weekend in our Stewardship Program with emphasis on **Growing in Faith through Service**. At our Masses this weekend we have speakers who will talk about their involvement in our Parish, and challenge us to volunteer our **Time** and **Talents** for our Parish and community.

We warmly invite all Parishioners to attend the **Parish Stewardship Information Meeting on Tuesday 21st of October at 7.30pm in the Parish Hall in Tatura** and on Wednesday 22nd of October at 7.30pm in the Church Gathering Area in Kyabram. The meeting provides the opportunity to hear about the recent achievements in our Parish and our future plans as well as to ask questions and be informed. It is also a time to reconnect and meet fellow parishioners over a cuppa. Please put your name on one of the clipboards when they are passed around at Mass, to indicate you will be in attendance! **See you there!**

- Therese Proy, Fundraising Co-ordinator

THANK YOU

Thank you to all the wonderful parishioners who have been helping with putting the 450 Planned Giving brochures and letters together as well as sorting and delivering mail last Monday.

Your kind help is much appreciated!

- Fr Michael, Bryan, Paul and Judith

2014 World Mission Appeal

Instead of a second collection we will be having a **leaving collection** at this week's Masses for Catholic Missions. This is an important day in the Church so please put on your generous hat!



This year for the annual Catholic Mission World Mission Appeal, we are invited to reach out and support the crucial work of the Jamaican Catholic Church in helping people turn away from violence and crime to seek a new future through the power of education and the spirit of Jesus Christ.

A STUDENT'S PRAYER

'Loving God, be with me now, as I prepare for my exams. Thank you for the many talents and gifts you have given me and for the opportunity of education. Calm my nerves and anxiety, help me to remember all that I have studied, to express it clearly and to answer the questions the very best that I can. Holy Spirit, sit with me in my exam - and always. In Jesus' name. Amen.'

We ask all parishioners to pray for those students currently studying for and about to commence exams.



Those who have died recently	
Those whose Anniversary occurs	Bernard & Rene Guinan
Our sick and their carers	Peter Kerrins; Fiona O'Brien; Andrea Cocks; Chacko Luka (father of Father Joseph Parish Priest of Mooroopna); Father Donald Lourensz; Carolyn Cooper, Jim O'Donovan; Kerry Hogan; Lawrie Dwyer; Margaret Woodland; *** Glenn Spicer; Doug Fiske

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

MASS	COMMENTATOR	READER	GOSPEL PROCESSION	PRESENTATION OF GIFTS	SPECIAL MINISTERS	COUNTERS
Sun 26 th Oct 10.00am	Ann Margaret Carroll	Sue Nihill	Terry White	P Moroney D Corrigan	L McGrath P Baldwin C Serra	Bill Woods

MASSES FOR THE COMING WEEK: 20 th -26 th October			
DAY	DATE	TATURA	KYABRAM
Monday	20 th	No Mass	No Mass
Tuesday	21 st	9.15am Liturgy of the Word with Communion	No Mass
Wednesday	22 nd	9.15 am Mass	5.00pm (<i>Intention of Bernard & Rene Guinan</i>)
Thursday	23 rd	No Mass	1.30pm Anointing Mass
Friday	24 th	9.15am Mass	No Mass
Saturday	25 th	No Mass	6.30pm
Sunday	26 th	10.00am Mass	8.00am
ROSARY	15 mins before weekday Mass		
RECONCILIATION	25 th	11.30am	

OCTOBER/NOVEMBER DIARY DATES		
Mon	20 th	
Tues	21 st	Planned Giving – Parish Meeting 7.30pm
Wed	22 nd	
Thurs	23 rd	
Frid	24 th	Training Day – Judith
Sat	25 th	Planned Giving –Giving Weekend
Sun	26 th	Planned Giving –Giving Weekend
Mon	27 th	
Tues	28 th	Distribution meeting, Tatura
Wed	29 th	Distribution meeting, Kyabram
Thurs	30 th	
NOVEMBER		
Frid	31 st	
Sat	1 st	<i>All Saints Day</i>
Sun	2 nd	<i>All Souls Day</i> Motorcycle Mass 10.00am Kyabram
PASTORAL CARE		
- Trish Miller 5824 1841 - Anne Hutchison 5824 3460		

MASS CHANGES

MERRIGUM MASS – Please note that there will be NO MASS at Merrigum on Sunday 26th October due to the Planned Giving special speaker at Kyabram and Tatura that weekend.

TONGALA MASS - Please note that there will be NO MASS at Tongala on **Sunday 2nd November** due to the Motorcycle Mass at Kyabram.

CEMETERY MASS AT KYABRAM

The annual cemetery Mass to pray for our deceased members will be on Saturday, 8th November at 8.30am at the Kyabram Cemetery. Encourage others to share this opportunity in the tranquil setting of those who have gone before us. Remember to bring a chair. - Fr Michael

What Belongs to God?

The answer given by Jesus to those who questioned him in an attempt to entrap him sounds like a clever way out of a no-win situation. The famous “repay to Caesar what belongs to Caesar and to God what belongs to God” then appears as a convenient dodging of the question. When we apply the phrase to the present world, we see the Caesar part rather clearly: Taxes should be paid; governments have a legitimate role in Christian life, etc. But resting in the first part of the phrase may blind us to the question that lies hidden in the second part: What exactly “belongs to God”? What does it mean to “repay to God what belongs to God?”

Today's psalm supplies an answer: “Give the Lord glory and honour . . . the glory due his name.” What does it mean to give God glory and honour? It means acknowledging all that God has done through Jesus: the creation of all that is, ceaselessly pursuing us in Jesus so that we might be in union with him, opening our eyes to his healing power, promising us greater life here and eternal life hereafter.

To give God glory and honour is to acknowledge our poverty, our frailty, our “nothingness” before him. And to acknowledge that ALL is gift! “Caesars” inevitably come and go. Governments and political systems, as necessary as they may be, rise and fall. To give God glory and honour acknowledges that, though Caesar ought to receive his due, One greater than Caesar exists.



November 2nd, 2014

10 am Mass

**St. Augustine's Catholic Church
Church St Kyabram**

All riders are invited to celebrate
the joy of riding, love of the open road,
diversity in our communities,
receive a blessing for safe travel
and to give thanks for the lives of those lost
while riding.

In the parish grounds following the service,
riders are invited to share their love of bikes
and riding with
community members over a gold coin
BBQ lunch.



MISSING

We are missing a blue willow pattern plate
from Cuppa after Mass last week. If you
have any idea of its whereabouts please
contact the parish office on 5824 1049 or
the school on 5824 1841.

CALL FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST!

Graduate Certificate in Theology 2015-2016: Catholic
Theological College (University of Divinity), Sandhurst
Diocese

Would you like to learn more about your faith? Gain a
formal qualification for pastoral ministry, designed for
our Diocese and taught in Shepparton?

Study 4 units over 2 years. 2015 Units: Semester 1
Sacred Scripture (Foundational): Mar 7 & 8, May 9 &
10. Theology (Foundational): July 18 & 19, Aug 15 &
16.

FEE HELP is available. Applications are accompanied
by a parish priest's endorsement.

Recent 'Participants Comments' and 'Expression of
Interest' Forms from: your local parish OR Adult Faith
Education Sandhurst telephone (03) 5441 2544 or
email: adultfaith@sandhurst.catholic.org.au.

VICTORIAN ELECTION 2014

The November State elections are approaching and
each of us can evaluate and compare the policies
of the political parties and their candidates. This is
the time to think about the issues important to us.
What kind of a society do we want for ourselves
and our community? **Now is the time to tell our
candidates the actions we seek from them.**

A brochure from Catholic Social Services Victoria
outlining what you can do is available in the
Narthex together with postcards that can be sent to
MP's.

Catholic Theological College

Open Day Wednesday 5 November

- Study options, Building tour, Refreshments
- Two programs: 4.00pm–6.00pm or 6.00pm–8.00pm
- Bookings essential

RSVP to Jenny Delahunt by Friday 31 October 2014

Phone: 9412 3314 Email: jenny.delahunt@ctc.edu.au

278 Victoria Parade, East Melbourne VIC 3002

See flyer on Notice Board

NO CEMETERY MASS AT TATURA

As All Souls Day falls on Sunday 2nd November we will
be having a special Mass at 6.00pm Saturday 1st
November and 8.00am Sunday 2nd November in the
Church. This Mass will follow the same format as Mass
at the Cemetery. We will not be having Mass at the
Cemetery this year.

SPIRITUALITY IN THE PUB

GV Spirituality in the Pub invites you to **DINNER**
with **Bishop Vincent Long van Nguyen, OFM,**
auxiliary bishop of Melbourne who has travelled a
journey from boat person to bishop! Bishop Long will
speak on **Finding Hope In Troubled Times** at **The**
Vault Restaurant Shepparton at 7 pm on Thursday
20th November.

Pre-paid bookings necessary.

Further information on fliers at back of church.
Tickets: \$48 includes 3 course meal Contact: Julie
0418 101591 Kerry 0408 579904.

TONGALA CWL

Unfortunately due to ageing members and illness the
final Mass and Lunch of the League will be on
Wednesday 12th November. Mass will be at St
Patrick's Tongala at 11.00am followed by lunch,
meeting and liturgy prepared by Sr Rosemary.
Associate membership of the CWL cost is \$25.00 and
can be paid at the meeting. Thank you for your
support over the past years.

(Pat Primmer President)

Names for luncheon to be given to Sec. by
Wednesday 5th November Tel. 5853 1344.

Cost for lunch is \$20.00.

SERVICE TO HELP WITH GRIEVING

St Augustine's Parish Bereavement Support Group
together with the Kyabram District Nursing Service,
invite all those in our community who are grieving to
attend the -

MEMORIAL SERVICE

St Augustine's Church Kyabram

Thursday, 13th November 2014 at 7.30pm

CAR BOOT SALE - St Brendan's Parish 8th
November 8.00am to 1.00pm.

See Flyer on Notice Board



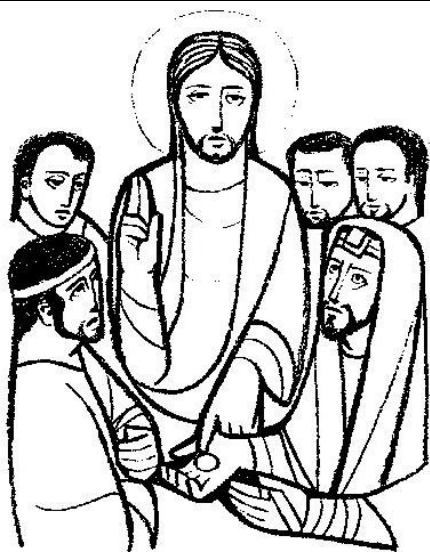
Readings for
this week:

Isaiah 45:1,4-6
1 Thessalonians 1:1-5
Matthew 22:15-21



Readings for
next Sunday:

Exodus 22:20-26
1 Thessalonians 1:5-10
Matthew 22:34-40



Liturgical Jottings

The Church earnestly desires that all the faithful be led to that full, conscious, and active participation in the liturgical celebrations called for by the very nature of the liturgy. Such participation by the Christian people as "A chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God's own people" (1Pt 2:9) is their right and duty by reason of their baptism.

Constitution on the Sacred Liturgy 14

Joy of the Gospel

It is vital that government leaders and financial leaders take heed and broaden their horizons, working to ensure that all citizens have dignified work, education and health-care. Why not turn to God and ask him to inspire their plans?

Pope Francis, *Evangelii Gaudium* n205

From Today's Readings

Jesus said "Give back to Caesar what belongs to Caesar and to God what belongs to God. *Matt 22:21*

Looking at the Readings

Today's readings speak of a call to us to serve the community and care for each other with hope and faith. Our world needs great examples of both faith and hope, not to mention peace and justice.

This week is the anniversary of the Bali bombings in 2002. Bali represents a loss of innocence in our sleepy part of the world. While previous wars and police actions have brought the destruction of life to our doorstep, now the arena of war is borderless and the victims not conscripted.

Today our mourning is not just for the dead and our weeping, not just for the injured and maimed. Our grieving is also for a world so changed that it is all but unrecognisable. Our sorrow is for the passing of a time where terror was unimaginable and not our nightly news.

It may now, therefore, be time to pause before reality overtakes us, to remember and be thankful for what we do have, to acknowledge those parts of our life that give us hope and a reason to believe things can be more than the sum of the terror that some elements of society would have subjected us. Perhaps it is time to know that there are many things beyond our understanding, things that have no reason, and questions that cannot be answered in this lifetime. Perhaps it is time to mourn much, respect more, and love the things that are good.

Perhaps it is just time to do the things that have been postponed. Say the words of love and appreciation left unsaid, and be the person God dreamed for us to be. Perhaps, just perhaps ...

Quotable Quote

Faith is the substance of things hoped for, evidence of things not seen. *Hebrews 11:1.*

Memorable Memorial of the Week John of Capistrano

Thursday 23 October: Born in Italy in 1385, he studied law and was made mayor of Perugia. He then joined the Franciscans becoming a preacher and theologian. At the age of 70 he was commissioned by the Pope to lead a large army in a crusade. He was victorious but then succumbed to Bubonic Plague dying in 1568. He is the patron saint of Lawyers and Jurors.

On the Lighter Side

Why does \$10 banknote looks so small at the grocery store, bigger at the lolly shop and extremely large at church?



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STRONGER RETREAT

The speakers for this year's Stronger Retreat to be held in Harrierville in December have been officially announced. Paul Nannes and Kym Keady will join Stronger Chaplain, Fr Rob Galea, at this year's Retreat to be held from **December 5-7** for young people aged 16-26. The speakers will continue to unpack this year's theme for Stronger, 'The Truth Will Set You Free' (Jn 8:32). More on the Notice Board

Don't forget the Parish Pastoral Council elections. You may nominate yourself or another (with their acceptance). We need 4 more nominations.

We are very short on men in PPC!