

# WELCOME TO THE PARISHES OF

## TATURAKYABRAM

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### Parish Pastoral Council

Fr Michael, Alma Limbrick,, Oronzo Farina, Anthony Chalkley,  
 Marie Curtis (Chairperson), Joe Chant (Deputy Chair),  
 Nick Ciavarella,, Helen Delahenty, Joan Dickman,  
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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.**



## Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls Day) 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2014

### STEWARDSHIP 2014

Many thanks to all the Parishioners who completed a pledge card and signed on to financially support our Parish, on our Giving Weekend. We had a good response at the Masses on the weekend, and many more pledges have come in during the week.

Our hard working Follow-up Team is out and about in the Parish contacting those Parishioners who happened to be away last weekend. We trust they will be well received. **Please remember to return all your Follow-up Call cards to the Parish Office by Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> of November at the latest.**

Pledge cards are available at the back of the church if you were away or missed out last weekend. Completed pledge cards may be returned to the Parish Office. Time & Talent sheets are also available at the back of the church if you wish to volunteer for any of the ministries within our Parish. Your new Stewardship Envelopes will be available for you to collect the weekend after next.

**Anyone who has been involved or helped out in any way with Stewardship 2014 over the past few weeks is invited to come along to the Parish Hall on Tuesday the 11<sup>th</sup> of November at 7.30pm in Tatura for the Final/Social Night of the Program.**

### CWL ANNUAL MEETING

The Annual meeting of the Catholic Women's League will be held in St. Mary's Hall on Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup>. November at 2.00 p.m. All welcome. Set up and a short meeting will commence at 12.30 p.m.

### Sacred Heart Parish invites you to:

## A Pasta Night

### A fundraising event for the church

**When:** Friday, 7<sup>th</sup> November 2014

**Where:** Tatura Italian Social Club  
 45 Martin Street, Tatura

**Time:** 6.30pm

**Cost:** Adults \$20  
 High school students \$10  
 Primary school students \$5  
 Preschool Free

**RSVP:** 4<sup>th</sup> November 2014

Anna Civarella 5824 2246  
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### CEMETERY MASS

The annual Kyabram cemetery Mass to pray for our deceased members will be on Saturday, 8<sup>th</sup> 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



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| <b>Those who have died recently</b>   | Dermot Kerlin; Vincenzo Mandaradoni; Ida Talarico; Alfred Rugemer; Alfred Rugemer; Papias Rayna (Deacon Junray Rayna's father)                           |
| <b>Those whose Anniversary occurs</b> | James Kerlin; Beryl Moore; Doreen Storry                                                                                                                 |
| <b>Our sick and their carers</b>      | Peter Kerrins; Kathleen Sell; Fiona O'Brien; Andrea Cocks; Carolyn Cooper, Jim O'Donovan; Kerry Hogan; Lawrie Dwyer; Margaret Woodland; *** Glenn Spicer |

(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 Nov 9 <sup>th</sup><br>10am | <b>CHILDREN'S MASS</b> |        |                   |                       | L Kerrins<br>C Serra<br>P Kerrins | Gwen & Alex<br>Ranson |

| MASSES FOR THE COMING WEEK: 3 <sup>rd</sup> -9 <sup>th</sup> November |                             |                                           |                                                            |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------|
| DAY                                                                   | DATE                        | TATURA                                    | KYABRAM                                                    |
| Monday                                                                | 3                           | No Mass                                   | No Mass                                                    |
| Tuesday                                                               | 4                           | 9.15am Liturgy of the Word with Communion | No Mass                                                    |
| Wednesday                                                             | 5                           | 9.15 am Mass                              | 5.00pm Intention of Elizabeth Kilmartin and Michael Bowman |
| Thursday                                                              | 6                           | No Mass                                   | 9.15am                                                     |
| Friday                                                                | 7                           | 9.15am Mass                               | No Mass                                                    |
| Saturday                                                              | 8                           | No Mass                                   | 8.30am Cemetery Mass<br>6.30pm                             |
| Sunday                                                                | 9                           | 10.00am Mass                              | 8.00am                                                     |
| ROSARY                                                                | 15 mins before weekday Mass |                                           |                                                            |
| RECONCILIATION                                                        | 8                           | 11.30am                                   |                                                            |

| NOVEMBER DIARY DATES                                                                                       |    |                                                                                               |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Mon                                                                                                        | 3  |                                                                                               |
| Tues                                                                                                       | 4  | Italian Rosary in the Church 2.00pm<br>Melbourne Cup Day                                      |
| Wed                                                                                                        | 5  | CWL Meeting Parish Hall 2.00pm                                                                |
| Thurs                                                                                                      | 6  |                                                                                               |
| Frid                                                                                                       | 7  |                                                                                               |
| Sat                                                                                                        | 8  | Cemetery Mass, Kyabram 8.30am                                                                 |
| Sun                                                                                                        | 9  | Baptism: Ella Rose Niglia<br>Diocesan Lit Committee 2.30pm Fr Michael                         |
| Mon                                                                                                        | 10 |                                                                                               |
| Tues                                                                                                       | 11 | Council of Priests, Shep 10.00am Fr Michael<br>Stewardship Final Night                        |
| Wed                                                                                                        | 12 | <i>Tonagala CWL Final; Mass and lunch</i>                                                     |
| Thurs                                                                                                      | 13 | SSEB – Holy Rosary, Heathcote Fr Michael<br>Bereavement Support Group Memorial Service 7.30pm |
| Frid                                                                                                       | 14 | Farewell to Phil Billington Mass and Dinner, Bgo.<br>Fr Michael                               |
| Sat                                                                                                        | 15 |                                                                                               |
| Sun                                                                                                        | 16 |                                                                                               |
| PASTORAL CARE                                                                                              |    |                                                                                               |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Trish Miller 5824 1841</li> <li>Anne Hutchison 5824 3460</li> </ul> |    |                                                                                               |

### NOVEMBER – ALL SOULS

In our Creed we say we believe in the Communion of Saints. This also means that being part of this communion we can intercede for each other. Let us remember our loved ones who have died.  
*"It is a holy and wholesome thought to pray for the dead."* 2 Machabees 12:46  
 Envelopes are available in the Narthex.

### We Pray For Them All

Today is All Souls Day and a Sunday. It seems particularly powerful to be gathering together as community for Sunday liturgy and to commemorate the faithful departed. We always appreciate praying for our loved ones who have died during the liturgy and All Souls Day today brings us closer to those we love and miss.

In John's Gospel Jesus shares what we must be reminded of so very often: *For this is the will of my Father that everyone who sees the Son and believes in him may have eternal life and I shall raise him on the last day.* Even with the consolation of the thought that our deceased loved ones are with the Lord, having to finish our own journey without them can feel heartbreaking. It is good to remind ourselves that just as the Lord is with us always, then so are our loved ones, who are with him. They do not leave us any more than the Lord does. This is indeed a comforting thought on this day, the day we remember in a special way those who have gone before us.

*The feasts of All Saints and All Souls are "days of hope". "The virtue of hope is like a bit of leaven that enlarges your soul. There are difficult moments in life, but with hope you go forward and keep your eyes on what awaits us. Today is a day of hope; our brothers and sisters are in the presence of God, and we, too, will be there in the Lord's arms if we follow the path of Jesus."* Pope Francis, Nov. 1, 2013

## PARISH LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

**'Train the Trainer' Day with Denise Braddon** (Former Director of Liturgy, Sandhurst Diocese). **Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2014 10.00 am – 4.00 pm**, Mons Peter Jeffrey Centre St Brendan's, Knight St, **SHEPPARTON**. A day for 'parishioners able to help other parishioners' prepare for ministries such as: **Proclaiming the Word of God ('Reader')**, **'Eucharistic Minister'**, **Leading Liturgy of the Word (Weekdays)**, **Writing Prayers of Intercession**. Speak to your parish priest about attendance on behalf of your parish. **Bookings:** E: [adultfaith@sandhurst.catholic.org.au](mailto:adultfaith@sandhurst.catholic.org.au). 'Ph: (03) 5441 2544. **Cost:** \$20 pp. **BYO** Lunch & USB storage (to save powerpoint files for parish use OR \$10 to purchase USB stick).

## CALL FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST!

**Graduate Certificate in Theology 2015-2016: Catholic Theological College (University of Divinity), Sandhurst Diocese.** For further information see notice board or email: [adultfaith@sandhurst.catholic.org.au](mailto:adultfaith@sandhurst.catholic.org.au).

## EXCERPT OF LETTER FROM FR MICHAEL TO FAMILIES

Dear Families

I write to inform you of the appointment of Mr Oronzo Farina to the Catholic Education Office, Diocese of Sale as the Education Consultant for Secondary Schools commencing in January 2015.

Oronzo has been an outstanding educator and leader in Catholic Education in the Sandhurst Diocese for thirty-four years. Here at St Augustine's College, he was three years as Deputy Principal and the last twelve years he has been our Principal. A particular strength of Oronzo is his witness and leadership of Catholic identity. His faithfulness to the charisms of St Augustine and the Brigidine Sisters has ensured St Augustine's College brings to life the vision and identity of a Catholic school in the Diocese of Sandhurst.

Ms Angela Killingsworth Education Consultant Secondary and Mrs Pauline Fisher Education Consultant GV Deanery will facilitate the process for the selection and appointment of the next Principal of St Augustine's College, Kyabram.

Father Michael Morley  
Canonical Administrator

## 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.*

## Columban Calendars and Christmas Cards

Calendars and Majellan Christmas Cards are available in the Narthex. SVDP Cards will be available shortly.

**CARITAS NEWS – The latest edition of Caritas News is available in the Narthex.**



We wish everyone attending the Blessing of the Bikes Mass in Kyabram today a happy and successful day. You are all invited to stay and join in the BBQ.

## FETE NEWS

CFA & SES Trucks are coming to the Fete. Bush Dance and Sausage Sizzle for the kids – early tea! If you can help with this on the night please contact Marli on 0457 772 869.

Tickets for a great Laura Star Iron will be available at Carols by Candlelight and drawn in February. All proceeds to the Fete. There will also be a jewellery stall at Carols-excellent for last minute Christmas gifts.

***We are looking for more help with children's activities at the fete so if any parishioner (young or old – special call to grandparents!) can help please call Marli on number above.***

**Remember this is school/parish event so all hands on deck – Let's make this the best fete ever.**

## Prayer for the State Election

Lord Jesus Christ, You told us to give Caesar what belongs to Caesar and to God What belongs to God. Enlighten the minds of our people here in Australia. May we choose political leaders and other Government officials according to Your Divine Will. Give our citizens the courage to choose leaders of our State who respect the sanctity of unborn human life, the sanctity of marriage, the sanctity of marital relations, the sanctity of the family and the sanctity of the infirm and the aging. Grant us wisdom to give You what belongs to You, our God. If we do this as a nation, we are confident You will give us an abundance of Your blessings through our elected leaders. Amen



Readings for  
this week:

Isaiah 25:6-9  
Romans 5:5-11  
Matthew 11:25-30



Readings for  
next Sunday:

Ezekiel 47:1-2,8-9,12  
1 Corinthians 3:9-11,16-17  
John 2:13-22



## Liturgical Jottings

All Saints, 1 November, is a Solemnity, ie a feast day of higher importance. All who have died and reached eternal life are called saints. Some of special local or universal note are officially declared saints with their own Feast Day.

All Souls Day is a commemoration. The church has three different Masses for the day chosen at the discretion of the celebrant and the planning team.

## From Today's Readings

Though I should walk in the darkness of the valley of death, I will not fear because you are with me. Your crook and your staff will guide me. Psalm 23

## Joy of the Gospel

Let us learn from the saints who have gone before us, who confronted the difficulties of their own day. May we rediscover some of the reasons that can help us to imitate them today.

Pope Francis, *Evangelii Gaudium* n263

## Looking at the Readings

"For this is the will of the one who sent me that I should not lose anything of what he gave me ...." (Jn 6: 39)

With these words today we acclaim the Gospel. They demonstrate that love does not simply convey emotion. It implies action! There is a scene from the wonderful musical *Fiddler on the Roof*, by Joseph Stein. Tevye and his wife Golda, partners in an arranged marriage, did not meet each other until their wedding day. Now they have watched as two of their daughters have married for love. This leads Tevye to ask his wife the question, "Do you love me?" She attempts to deflect the question as nonsense, but he insists, and finally she categorises all the things she has done for him over the years, all the hard work that goes hand in hand with daily living, and concludes, "If that's not love, what is?" Her point is clear — love is action, and actions speak louder than words. Love is the great tie that binds us together. And death does not bring that love to an end regardless of which side of the great divide we stand on — the divide between life and death.

All Souls Day challenges us to remember that it is our task — and our joy — as members of the communion of saints to recollect what the prayers of those who have gone before us have done for us in years past and to be part of that great circle of prayer. So let not one of those who belong to our Saviour be forgotten because we have failed to pray, to live, to love and to act! Together we are the body of Christ wonderfully having a part in this mission.

## Memorable Memorials for November

The Church prays for, and remembers, the faithful departed throughout the entire year. However, All Souls Day is the general day of commemoration when the Church prays and offers Masses for the faithful departed in the state of purification. Typically Christians will take this day to offer prayers on behalf of their departed relatives and friends.

## Quotable Quote

Death leaves a heartache no one can heal, love leaves a memory no one can steal. *From a headstone in an Irish churchyard.*

## On the Lighter Side

A priest's car broke down. He takes it to a parishioner to fix it. When he gets the repair quote, he blanches.

"Ah, c'mon, can't you give me a better price than that? I'm just a poor preacher!" "A poor preacher, do you say? Well, I've heard a lot of preachers in my time, and I agree with you, yes you're telling the truth there, Father."



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## 2014 WORLD MISSION APPEAL THANK YOU

Thank you for helping Jamaicans turn away from violence and crime through your kind gifts and prayers. Your generosity is making it possible for local priests and sisters, like Sister Teresia Tinanisolo, to continue to offer life-saving practical, spiritual and emotional support to the people of Jamaica. Please consider becoming a 'Friends in Faith' partner with a regular monthly gift to continue your support of our vital work.

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