

WELCOME TO THE PARISHES OF

TATURA

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Readings - Year B

Year of the Consecrated Life

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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.**



ALL SAINTS MASS

1st NOVEMBER 2015

PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES FOR COMING 6 MONTHS

The first 12 months of our current Planned Giving (Stewardship) campaign has been exceptionally successful with 96% of our pledged amount being met. We continue to thank everyone for their involvement in the current program and for their generous financial support of our parish. We have 136 parishioners who now support our parish through their planned giving commitment.

The assurance of your commitment has allowed us to:

- Investigate methods of financing our parish for the future
- Complete the repair of the drainage at the rear of the Parish Hall which had badly affected the footings of the hall causing large cracks on the back wall of the hall
- Continue to investigate and repair drainage at the back of the Church and Presbytery
- Church roof has been pressure cleaned and guttering has been replaced.
- Employ additional office staff to undertake essential tasks

We can now continue to address issues in the parish and look to embarking on future programs.

New Planned Giving Envelopes are available this weekend. They are listed in alphabetical name order. Please note the commencement date for the new envelopes is 15th November 2015. Please ensure you collect your new envelopes or **letters for credit card and direct debit contributors** from the Narthex this weekend – this will save on unnecessary postage.

THERE IS A LETTER FOR EVERY GIVER

Pledge cards are in the Narthex also if you would like to complete one and join the planned giving program – cards may be handed in at the parish office or placed on the collection plate.

Parish Picnic

Sunday 22nd November 2015 11am after Mass

Where: Sacred Heart School Oval (near the play ground)

Mini Vinnies will be having a sausage sizzle on the day. Sausages \$2

There will be games: egg and spoon, sack race, three legged race and create a vegetable creature for the children.

****** The Parish will provide soft drinks and an icypole for the children on the day. Please let us know if you will be attending for catering purposes.

Marli 0457 772 869 or Judith 0488 333451

Please note: BYO Chair, sunscreen, water bottle and any other food that you would like.

Italian Rosary

il S. Rosario per I nostril Defunti,
sara recitato al Cimitero di Tatura ,
Lunedì ...2 Novembre alle ore...10 am
Please bring a chair

THANK YOU

Thank you to Father Morley and our school and parish community for making Maggie's Confirmation and first Eucharist celebration so special.

It was a very happy day. Thank you everyone.

Scott, Clare and Maggie



Those who have died recently	Tatura: Betty Bouchier, Santino (Santo) Calleri – one month Kyabram:
Those whose Anniversary occurs	Tatura: James Kerlin, Dermot Kerlin, Doreen Sorry, Grazia Rosella – two months Kyabram:
Our sick and their carers	Tatura: Anne Heathman, Denis Smith, Margaret Woodland; Naomi Moon, Lisa Clark (Sheila Gregg's niece) Kyabram: Bob Taylor, Jennifer Baker, Natasha Smith, Andrea Cocks, Dylan Cocks, Jim O'Donovan, Eileen O'Donovan

(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 8 th Nov 10am	CHILDREN'S MASS				L Kerrins P Kerrins L McGrath	S Cowan

MASSES FOR THE COMING WEEK:			
DAY	DATE	TATURA	KYABRAM
Monday	2 nd Nov	No Mass	No Mass
Tuesday	3 rd Nov	No LWWC	No Mass
Wednesday	4 th Nov	9.15am Mass	5pm Mass
Thursday	5 th Nov	No Mass	9.15am Mass
Friday	6 th Nov	9.15am Mass	No Mass
Saturday	7 th Nov	No Mass	6.30pm Mass
Sunday	8 th Nov	10am Mass	8am Mass
ROSARY	15 mins before weekday Mass		
RECONCILIATION		11.30am Sat	

NOVEMBER DIARY DATES		
Mon	2 nd Nov	Italian Rosary 2pm Cemetery
Tues	3 rd Nov	Melbourne Cup
Wed	4 th Nov	CWL Annual General Meeting 2pm Parish Hall
Thurs	5 th Nov	First Reconciliation
Fri	6 th Nov	
Sat	7 th Nov	
Sun	8 th Nov	
Mon	9 th Nov	
Tues	10 th Nov	Italian Rosary at 2pm Church
Wed	11 th Nov	Anointing Mass 9.15am Church, St Vincent de Paul meeting at the Centre 7pm
Thurs	12 th Nov	Memorial Service St Augustines Kyabram 7.30pm
Fri	13 th Nov	
Sat	14 th Nov	Kyabram Cemetery Mass 8.30am
Sun	15 th Nov	

PASTORAL CARE

- Trish Miller 5824 1841; Marli Kelly 0457 772 869
- Anne Hutchison 5824 3460 Debbie Worm 5824 1841

STEWARDSHIP CORNER

"Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven." (Matthew 5:3)

"Poor in spirit" is confusing for many of us. It simply means to place your trust in God, putting His will first and being strong in faith. As we celebrate the lives of the saints on All Saints Day, remember, we, too are called to be saints. Dialing down our own pride and ego and turning up the humility will help us on our path to sainthood.

WEEKEND OF CONSECRATED LIFE

A reminder of the timetable for these events in the three parishes:

Saturday, 7th November

10.30am – St Augustine's, Ky – morning tea, tour of the parish and school, followed by light luncheon
3.00pm – St Mary's, Echuca – tour of new St Mary's school
4.00pm – St Joseph's College, Echuca – afternoon tea and tour of college
6.00pm – St Mary's, Echuca – Mass followed by Dinner in St Mary's Parish Centre

Sunday, 8th November

10.30am – St Joseph's, Rochester – Mass followed by luncheon in the Parish Centre, tour of school
2.30pm – Prayers at the Rochester Cemetery

Have you sent in your acceptance for any of these events? Contact the Parish Office in Kyabram on 5825 1026.

50th Anniversary Moyola Aged Care

14th Nov – 7pm at the Italian Social Club dinner. \$30 two course meal. Tickets available at Moyola Lodge. RSVP by 12th Nov 2015

15th Nov – Free Brunch at Moyola Gardens from 10am -12pm. 335 Dhurringile Road, Tatura. Units will be available for inspection.

More information: 5824 2274 or manager@moyola.com.au

Notices

First Reconciliation

Our year two children have been preparing for this very special time in their sacramental lives. This will take place this Thursday 5th November at 7pm. All parishioners are invited to support our children not only by attending but by giving witness and sharing in the Sacrament. Fr Joe Taylor and Fr Des Wellesden will be assisting. Fr Michael



BUNNINGS BBQ - VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Volunteers are needed for the fundraising BBQ at Bunnings on Saturday November 28th. Last year we raised \$1,485 which was a wonderful effort. Please speak to Anne Hutchison or phone her on 5824 3460.

Only required for shifts of 1-2 hours.

Please see Anne or phone her on 5824 3460

Italian Cultural Day – Friday 6th November 10:30am

It would be great to have genitori (parents), nonni (grandparents) and amici (friends) join us for this day.

Sacred Heart Students will participate

- Bocce
- Pinocchio activity
- Pasta making
- Italian songs and dance
- Roman Mosaics
- Pizza making
- Michaelangelo painting
- Carnevale masks



Parent helpers and any resources you may have are very much welcome. Please phone Debbie in the office on 5824 1841 if you would like to be involved. **All Parishioners welcome.**

FACEBOOK

We now have Facebook up and running. It will be easy to read all things updates about the Parish on your laptop and especially your phone.

We are getting with it!

But don't ask me.

- Fr Michael



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**Sacred Heart
Parish Tatura**

A PRAYER FOR JUSTICE FOR REFUGEES AND ASYLUM SEEKERS

God of mercy, help me to remember:
My ancestors came across the seas!
Help me keep in my mind,
Those who came long ago
And those who now come to our shores.

As I face you in prayer, God of Compassion,
I remember my country's words:
Send them back or Stop the boats.

Then I fear, not your anger
But the steady gaze of boundless love
and unlimited compassion
That impel me to hear Jesus' command:
Love one another, as I have loved you
Or Pope Francis' call to open our hearts
To a universal communion
Which excludes nothing and no one.

Daring to step into such relationship, I pray
For those forced to leave family,
home and all they hold dear;
May they find safe passage and helping hands.

I pray for an end to the wars and oppression
that forced them to leave;
I pray that those who welcome them
are blessed in abundance.

And with deep humility
and a heart hungry for justice,
I pray that we Australians, citizens and leaders,
Open our eyes, our minds and our hearts
That we may see, understand and welcome
our brothers and sisters.

May our change of heart penetrate to our
beginnings
As strangers in this land.
May we allow those we displaced
– the First People of this land – to welcome us.
Then knowing, in humility, what it is to be
welcomed,
We will know how to welcome
the strangers who come to our
shores.

This we ask in the name of
Jesus your Son,
In whom we are no longer
strangers.

Amen.

Reconciliation for Christmas

15th December at 7.30pm – Tatura

10th December at 7.30pm - Kyabram

Cemetery Mass

Saturday, 21st November at 8.30am at the
Cemetery. Please bring a chair.



Readings for
this week:

Apocalypse 7:2-4, 9-14
1 John 3:1-3
Matthew 5:1-12



Readings for
next Sunday

1 Kings 17:10-16
Hebrews 9:24-28
Mark 12:38-4



Liturgical Jottings

The Places for the Faithful

Places for the faithful should be arranged with appropriate care so that they are able to participate in the sacred celebrations, duly following them with their eyes and their attention. It is desirable that benches or seating usually should be provided for their use. GIRM 311

Pope Francis

“True love is both loving and letting oneself be loved. It is harder to let ourselves be loved than it is to love.” Speech 18 January 2015 Manila, Philippines.

Quote of the week

“Apart from the cross, there is no other ladder by which we may get to heaven.”
St Rose of Lima

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Looking at the Readings

There is great significance in the Scripture to those events that take place on a mountain. It is often the place of encounter with God. So it is in today's Gospel in which Jesus lays down his blueprint for salvation for his disciples.

What a crazy manifesto it would have appeared at that time and still remains so today. All the elements described as ‘blessed’ are far from the contemporary values associated with success and happiness.

The poor in spirit – those who are burdened or crushed by the trials and tribulations of this world; Those who mourn – what sacredness can be attached to grief and loss which we strive to avoid? Humility or meekness – often seen as the realm of the weak and timid rather than a position of freedom and strength. The merciful, the peacemakers and pure in heart don't attract many headlines in a world that focuses on how to outdo, out wit and out gun the other fellow.

And yet there have been some in recent years who have impacted the global community with their observance of these ‘blessed’ characteristics–Nelson Mandela, Mahatma Ghandi, Mother Theresa and Jean Paul II. There are many, many others who are not as well known but who now enjoy the rewards of their endeavours. These are the family and friends who have died and that we know strived during their lives to achieve these saintly characteristics. At many funerals we hear the stories of the person's struggles in life, their faithfulness to God, their simplicity and compassion for others. So many have gone before us and have now joined the Saints in heaven.

On this special day on which the Church community recalls and joins with the ‘eternal community’ in heaven, let us not forget the blueprint for discipleship which Jesus so clearly described on the mountain. The challenge is as real today as it was then. How will I demonstrate these qualities in my life consistently and courageously?

Prayer from the Psalms for the week:

Who shall climb the mountain of the Lord?
Who shall stand in his holy place?
The one with clean hands and pure heart,
Who desires not worthless things. (Ps 23)

On the Lighter Side

“Do you believe in life after death?” the boss asked his employee. “Oh yes sir!” answered the employee. “Well that's OK then” said the boss “because after you left to attend your grandmother's funeral yesterday, she called in to see you!!!”



Don't worry. God is never blind to your tears, never deaf to your prayers and never silent to your pain. He sees. He hears and He will deliver you.

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