

PRAYER INTENTIONS

-for those who died in April [from 1970 to the present]:

Maurice Gardner; Julie Smith; Karim Michael; Lola Smith; Edward D'Arcy; Ronald Moran; Doss Kennedy; Patricia Hobday; Cedric Limberg; Lillian Doyle; Darrel Cook; Philip Considine; Antonio Putzolu; Philip McMahon; George James, Noreen May Martin, Cornelius Benedict McCosker, Ross Francis Smith, Marshall Perkins; Eileen Catherine 'Bub' Hardy; Mary Monica O'Brien; James Oswald Hottes; John Edmund Kelly; William Frederick Germany; Maxwell Charter Donnelly; Joan Ann Wells; Henry Thomas Sheehan; David Charles Tally; Pope John Paul II; Alan Michael Sheehan; Michael Charles Constable; Effie Mary McCrohon; Barry Anthony Cross; Kenneth Edward McDonald; Ethel May Beach; James Edward Higgins; Alice Kathleen Kauter; Colin Barry Campbell; Iris Esther Giblin; Lorna Margaret Ellen Moore; John Stuart Silke; Iris Graham; Lyle Thomas Dewberry; Catherine Cecelia Cole; Edith Bridget Hewat; Una May McArdle; Reece James Bell; Alexander Cameron; Catherine Regis 'Kay' Kauter; Zozislaw 'James' Bach; Nicole Maree Walker; Elias Phillip Davis; Alice Ethel O'Gorman; Margaret Elizabeth Portass; Mona Gladys Maclean; Dorothy Joan Bell; Douglas Stafford; William Thomas Garrett; Nigel Cyril; McCosker; Anthony James Gallagher; Margaret Elizabeth Hatju; April Faith Rodighiero; Robert Francis McCormick; Mona Kathleen Sweeney; Gladys Mary O'Brien; Edwin Ernest (Ted) Cox; Marie Phyllis Melba Griffey; Patrick Bryan Buckley; Antonni Kupaj; Fay Malina Chapman; Lyle May Kirk; Cecelia Margaret Farrell; Alice Barnes; Mary Margaret McCluskey; Francis McHugh; Reginald Claude Boggs; Arthur William Kennedy; Clifford John Thomas Mitchell; John Francis McCosker; Bernadette Florence Wilkins; Patricia Mary Clancy; Amy Cox; Cheryl Jean Partridge; Dr. Bruce Macpherson; Alma Emily Mallise; Asher Noel Coote; Mary Kathleen Smith; Donald James Kirk; Hadee Hilda O'Rourke; Euphrosine (Peggy) Bourke; Russell John Mooney; Ernest "Blue" Leo O'Brien; Kathleen Esther Webster; Alberto Aledo; Athol Alleyne Wormersly; Clude Albert Brissett; Sarah Isabel O'Brien; Reginald George Morris; Ivan Leonard Franks; Leo Joseph Cloonan; Lincoln John O'Grady; Robert Francis Briggs; Percival Laurence Irwin; Edith Mary Witherdin; Henry Hercules Byrnes; James Kenneth Burne; Selina Kelleher; John Francis West; Raffaele Fenu; Vera Cecelia Mary Buxton.

-PRAYER REQUESTS [from the WEBSITE]:

Din Kai Man; Salvador Retaso; Chan Cheung Lok; Estelita Franco; Tan Eng Pun; Rosito Ang; Estelito Bernas; Lolita delos Reyes; Osrane Dentarpa; Lai Lurlyn Plapla; Evelyn Rosario; Dan de Souza; Carmel Tan; Luisa Gil; Russell Savio Dsouza; Ofelia Oh; Henry Ryan; Margaret Cecelia Botell.

-for the SICK:

Anne Gleeson; Conie & Helen Gleeson [family of Maureen Newbigin]; John Fleming; Fr. Bernie Melville; Eleanor Pliego [in the Philippines; mother of Andy]; Angus James McCosker [of Clinton & Holly/in Caberra]; Yvonne Boulous; Anne Dale; Peel Gainey; Robert McCormack; Jebette Cox; Jean Byrnes; Anne Maree Short; Kevin Hobday; Stella Spalding; Lesley Scholz; Frank Tome; Edith Patrick; Mary Turner; Elizabeth Goldman; Ted O'Brien; Tony Stieger [brother of Anne Barry]; Ron & Ronnie Williams; Gwen Zemit [mother of Marie Chie]; Leanne Michael; Betty Brissett; Bill Burke; Sophia Schroder; Colleen Burke; Rebecca Morley; Paul Lavallee; Kath Hiscox; Garry Ballard [Margaret Allan's son-in-law]; Gordon Clay; Anne Jamieson; Win Newbigin [mother of Chris]; Jean Baldwin; Agnes Hannigan; Roz Hardy; Brett Romer; Duncan Henderson; Laural Arnott; Virginia Black; Mitch Fleming; Joseph Dickins; Brian McCormack; Cathy Douglass; Maude Harmon; Pat Croft; James Hogan [brother-in-law of Frank & Mary Jordan]; Barbara Lane; Margaret Pollock; Jim Croft; Margaret Spencer; Ruth Tome; Gloria Ting; Pat McCormack; Michael Castledine; John Lawn; Stan Jackson.

-for the recently deceased:

Baby Adrielly Belchior; Bishop Michael Putney; Bert Lowrey; Julieta Villapando; Ron Smith; Joyce Green; Maria dela Pena [in the Philippines; mother of Josie McCormick]; Barbara Northey [Bundarra]; Moya Gardner; Shirley Carlon; Paul Johnson [brother of Beth Sutton]; Maurie Cody.

Men's Breakfast: 12 April/Saturday/7:30 am at the Australian Café [Otho Street]. Names to Bernie Cook [67224387] by Wednesday Night/9 April. ALL WELCOME!

Women's Breakfast: meets on the 2nd Friday of each month at the Bridge Coffee Lounge. We would love to have other ladies of the parish to join us. Please phone Ann Barry [67222858] or Marj Manuel [67224772]. Our next breakfast will be 11 April 2014.

WELCOME

to the

2014 DEBS and ESCORTS

Parish Schedule of Masses & Liturgical Celebrations; and Activities

5 April/Saturday

8:30 am : Parish LITURGY Group
9:30 am : Preparation of candles
11:00 am : Baptism: **Ryan James Donnelly** of Michael & Camilla
2:00 pm : Baptism Preparation Session

[by: **Jillie Rainger**]

6:00 pm : MASS-Inverell

[with Presentation of 2014 Debs and Escorts; for the repose of the soul of **Nora Woodhouse** in gratitude for her bequest to the parish]

6 April/Sunday

8:00 am : LW & HC-Tingha

9:00 am : MASS-Inverell

[Misa Pro Populo]

then: Youth Mass [on 12 April/Saturday] rehearsals

11:30 am : MASS-Ashford

[for the repose of the souls of **Patrick Putzolu; Nina; Galea; Victor; and Josephine Attard**]

then: Sun Haven Visit

3:00 pm : Baptism: Isla Helen McMahon of Luke & Carly

7 April/Monday

10:00 am : Lenten Prayer Session

[Parish MEETING Room; facilitated by **Sr. Coral Hedley**]

11:30 am : Rosary & Angelus

12:00 Noon : MASS-Main Church

[for the deceased **Hockey & Francis Families**]

Catechetics: Gum Flat Public School

1:15 am : Hospital Visit

3:00 pm : Hospital Visit

4:00 pm : Funeral Prayers: **Adrielly Belchior**

[Inverell Crematorium Chapel]

6:00 pm : Parish PASTORAL Council Meeting

: 2014 Deb Ball Rehearsal

8 April/Tuesday

9:00 am : Ashford: Catechetics Meeting

10:30 am : Catechetics: Ashford Public School

11:30 am : Rosary & Angelus

12:00 Noon : MASS-Main Church

[for the repose of the soul of **Karim Michael & Patrick Buckley**]

Catechetics: Inverell Public School

12:10 pm : Catechetics: Ross Hill Public School

1:45 pm : McLean Hostel Visit

3:00 pm : Lenten Prayer Session

[Sr. Coral's Unit; facilitated by **Sr. Coral Hedley**]

9 April/Wednesday

9:00 am : Catechetics: Tingha Public School

10:00 am : Hospital Visit

11:30 am : Rosary & Angelus

12:00 Noon : MASS-Main Church

[for the deceased relatives & friends of Doreen Monckton]

4:00 pm : CONFIRMATION Session/3

[by: **Joan Fleming**]

4:30 pm : Tingha: Home Rosary

[Graham Residence]

7:00 pm : Home Rosary

-Joyce Dickins/20 Vintage Close

10 April/Thursday

10:40 am : HTS Meeting

11:30 am : Rosary & Angelus

12:00 Noon : LW & HC-Main Church

: HTS Reconciliation and Class Visit [Year 10E]

3:00 pm : Home Visit

3:30 pm : Parish HISTORY Team

5:30 pm : ANZAC DAY Team Meeting/2

11 April/Friday

9:15 am : HTS Easter Para-Liturgy

11:00 am : MASS-McLean Retirement Village

[with Sacrament of Anointing; Thanksgiving Mass offered by Jennie Monie]

3:00 pm : Hospital Visit

5:30 pm : Stations of the Cross

[led by: **The Altar Society**]

12 April/Saturday

11:00 am : Baptism: **Hayden Michael Walls** of Michael & Cassandra

6:00 pm : Parish YOUTH Mass-Inverell

[with Blessing of Palms; for the repose of the soul of **Thomas Ramsay** in gratitude for his bequest to the parish]

13 April/Sunday: PALM SUNDAY

7:00 am : MASS-Tingha

[with Blessing of Palms; for the repose of the soul of **Annie Spalding**]

9:00 am : MASS-Inverell

[with Blessing of Palms; Misa Pro Populo]

: **LW & HC-Ashford**

NEWS & INFORMATION

1. The Bishop, upon the recommendation of the Armidale Diocesan Clerical Salary Fund, has approved a monthly \$ 30.00 salary increase of priests in the Diocese of Armidale. JOE now receives \$ 1,050.00 a month. The salary of priests is taken from the 1st Collection [PRESBYTERY Account] not from the 2nd Collection [CHURCH Account].

2. At the **Mass of the Lord's Supper on Holy Thursday at 7:00 pm**: the congregation will be encouraged to present to the altar their **Project Compassion Boxes and/or Envelops** at the Offertory Procession. A basket will be positioned at the sanctuary for this purpose.

3. **"Discovery Youth Camp"** is a way of encouraging and supporting the youth in the development of their Christian faith; hosted by the Good Shepherd Fellowship. It will be held on the 21st to the 25th of April at Lake Keepit; open to both high school age youth and young adults. If interested to join, please see JOE, thanks.

4. We are all invited to join the **Easter Celebration in Music** on the **16th of April/Wednesday/7:00 pm** at the **Inverell Town Hall**.

We thank **Sarah Turner** for representing the Catholic Church in this undertaking by the Christian Churches of Inverell. It will likewise be participated in by the public primary school children enrolled in SRE Classes. Supper will be provided; entry by donation.

5. **Hon. Adam Marshall**, Member for Northern Tablelands, wrote to say that the PETITION we submitted to the Legislative Assembly of NSW requesting the abolition of school fees for the children of 457 Visa Holders in NSW state schools has now been tabled and accepted by the said Assembly. We are awaiting the response to the PETITION; we will be informed of the outcome when it is available.

From JOE...

ROMA FENWICK [whom I fondly call: "mother"] is moving to an aged-care centre in Boronia Height, Queensland anytime this month or in May to be closer to her family.

Because of this, she has resigned as the Secretary/Treasurer of the Sacred Heart Altar Society; as one of the 49 hosts of the Parish Home Rosary; and as a member of the Parish Prayer Circle.

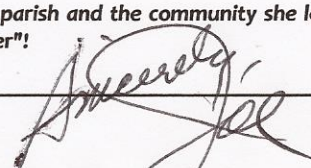
The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul, of which she was a very active officer and member, has already acknowledged her in their recent diocesan meeting in Inverell.

For our part, the Parish PASTORAL Council is organising a Farewell Luncheon for her on the 6th of May/Tuesday [11:30 am for 12:00 noon] at the RSM. Details will be published shortly.

Her participation in the many and varied activities in the parish is greatly and sincerely acknowledged and appreciated. She is the sole recipient in Inverell, up to this time, of the Bene Merenti Medal from the Pope.

[The Bene Merenti Medal was instituted by Pope Gregory XVI in 1832, and is conferred on those who have exhibited long and exceptional service to the Catholic Church, their families and community. The word Bene Merenti means: "to a well deserving person".]

We wish her well as she leaves the parish and the community she loves. May GOD bless her... my dear "mother"!



-on FINANCIAL Matters-

-Plate Collections-

-Weekend Before Last:

-1 st Collection [Presbytery Account]	:	\$	885.75
-2 nd Collection [Church Account]	:	\$	1,107.00
-Planned-Giving Envelops	:		103.10
-Loose Collection	:		295.00
-Direct Debit	:		
[Short of: \$ 294.90 per budget]			

-Last Weekend:

-1 st Collection [Presbytery Account]	:	\$	812.35
-2 nd Collection [Church Account]	:	\$	1,060.00
-Planned-Giving Envelops	:		134.24
-Loose Collection	:		360.00
-Direct Debit	:		
[Short of: \$ 245.75 per budget]			

PROJECT COMPASSION

-Last Year	:	\$	3,089.05
-Running Collection This Year	:	\$	813.20

EASTER DUES

-Last Year	:	\$	1,512.50
-Running Collection This Year	:	\$	100.00

LENTEN PRAYER Sessions

-7 April/Mondays/10:00 am/Parish Meeting Room-
-8 April/Tuesdays/5:30 pm/Residence of Sr. Coral-

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

11 April/Friday/5:30 pm: The Altar Society

THANKS to:

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for sponsoring this weekend's Parish Bulletin

EASTER Schedules

12 April/Saturday/6:00 pm	:	Palm Sunday Youth Mass
13 April/Sunday/7:00 am	:	Tingha: Palm Sunday Mass
9:00 am	:	Inverell: Palm Sunday Mass
15 April/Holy Tuesday/11:00 am	:	Armidale: Chrism Mass
7:00 pm	:	Communal Reconciliation
17 April/Holy Thursday/8:00 am	:	preparation of the Sanctuary
7:00 pm	:	Mass of the Lord's Supper
18 April/Good Friday/8:00 am	:	preparation of the Sanctuary
10:00 am	:	Stations of the Cross
3:00 pm	:	Celebration of the Lord's Passion
19 April/Holy Saturday/8:00 am	:	preparation of the Sanctuary
6:00 pm	:	Easter Vigil
20 April/Easter Sunday/9:00 am	:	Easter Mass
11:30 am	:	Ashford: Easter Mass