# PRAYER INTENTIONS

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

Donna Flitcroft; Betty Lewis; Giovannina Mameli; Norma Hoyt; Gordon Allan Caskey; Jeronim Krizaj; Jarrod Berkhout; Robert Joseph O'Sullivan; Reginald James Pennington; Ronald James Pascoe; Thomas Edward McArdle; Peter Allan Ticehurst; Contance Gaukroger; Antonio Fenu; Phyllis Annie Higgins; Francis Martin Timmins; Patrick John Pischke; Francis Henry Slattery; Raymond John Walter Castle; Constance Claire Baldwin; Joyce Mary O'Shannessy; Francis Cyril Fenton; Jessie May McDonald; Maria Heligman; Florence Margaret Marquart; Henry William Stewart; Marcella Rose Stewart; Hazel Elsie Goldman; Lillian Regan; Leslie Ross Nichols; Magdalene 'Madge' Perrett; Elizabeth Gilchrist Steele; Cooper Vincent Bourke; Mark Anthony Edwards; Martin Carl Tome; Kathleen May Stedman; Colin Sidney McKenzie; Cornelius Rupert Hagan; Hazel Irene Collins; Kevin Gain Dickins; Edith Beryl Scott; Gwendoline Irwin; Roy Joseph (Mick) Witherdin; John Joseph Clancy; Kevin Francis Clancy; Una Judith Buxton; Jessie Vashti Kitching; Emma Anne O'Brien; Ernest Maurice John McCarthy; Annie Elizabeth Albrey; John Patrick Hughes; Francis Arthur (Mate) Adams; Alfred Charles Henry Shanley; Colin Frederick (Ned) Morton; George Augustine Paul; Fritz John (Pat) Schliebs; Irene Bertha Matthews; Margaret Catherine Johnson; Irene Reading; William John Moran; Thomas John Robinson; Winifred Pearl Norris; Donald William Campbell; Beatrice Ellen Shortt; Percy Moore; Ellen Emma O'Brien; Judith Ann Hilton; Katherine Mary Nichols; Kathleen Irene Mary Gaukroger; Graham Dennis Dowse; Patricia Anne Britton; Ian John Lennon; John (Jack) Joseph Harmon; Joyce Margaret Regan; Baby Sharpe; Hugh George (Jack) Anderson; Marianne Dailey; David John McCormack; Rita Mary Lockyer; Phillip John Daley; Darcy John Gardner; Daisy Victoria Lennon; Jocelyn (Jill) Kendray Allan; Geoffrey Gordon Reeves; Martin Gregory Phelan; John Edwin Giblin; Elsa Mary Krupp; Clarence Yeomans; Ethel May McLean; Mary Hanley; Arthur Robin Collins; Patrick John Durkin; Therese Joy Irwin; Gwenneth Ann Germany; Lorna Kent; Alma May Barr; Eric Charles Smallwood; Margaret Elaine Mather; Phillip Lee Carrett; Terence Joseph Harkins; John Henry Hall; Rose Billsborough; Arthur Edwatd Hardy; Ernest Wilfred Donnelly; Kathleen May Cloonan; Alfred Leslie Tome; Francis Christopher Hilton;

### -PRAYER REQUESTS [from the WEBSITE]:

Park Hung; Paul Lao; Rosarito Pueblo; Proceso Lindo; Rose Esquerra; Din Kai Man; Salvador Retaso; Chan Cheung Lok; Estelita Franco; Tan Eng Pun; Rosito Ang; Estelito Bernas; Lolita delos Reyes; Osrame Dentarpa.

#### -for the SICK:

Robert Vanags [Mudgee]; Jim Cannons; Flo & Barry Emerson; David Croft; Leonie McFetridge; Eileen Boland; Sue Spackman; Michael Perez; Marie Charlston [Glen Innes]; Pam Boulus; Doreen Monckton; Baby Aimee Arun; Barbara Aboud [sister-in-law of Rosie Michael]; Florence Irwin; Mary Porchedda; John McCormack; Tootie Rolfe; Joan Fleming; Don Thom; Jacinta Parnell-Major; Monica Turner; Anne Gleeson; Conie Helen Gleeson [sister of Maureen Newbigin]; John Fleming; Angus James McCosker [of Clinton & Holly/in Caberra]; Yvonne Boulous; Anne Dale; Peel Gainey; Robert McCormack; Jevet Cox; Jean Byrnes; Anne Maree Short; Stella Spalding; Lesley Scholz; Frank Tome; Mary Turner; Elizabeth Goldman; Ted O'Brien; Ronnie Williams; Gwen Zemit [mother of Marie Chie]; Leanne Michael; Betty Brissett; Bill Burke; Sophia Schroder; Colleen Burke; Rebecca Morley; Paul Lavallee; Kath Hiscox; Gordon Clay; Anne Jamieson; 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; Margaret Spencer; Ruth Tome; Pat McCormack; Michael Castledine; John Lawn.

### -for the recently deceased:

Bien Santos [Philippines]; Sue Sharpe; Reg Manvell [Dungowan; father of Deacon Paul Manvell]; Les Kirk [Guyra; father of Julie Heagney/Personal Secretary of the Bishop]; Jim Croft; Marlene Walters [mother of Denise Taveira]; Tony Stieger [brother of Anne Barry]; Gay Casey [mother of Ann Casey-Ransom].

### -ALTAR SERVERS Program-

: 22 November/Saturday/2:00 pm

-Session 2

: 29 November/Saturday/2:00 pm

-Session 3 -Installation

- : 6 December/Saturday/2:00 pm
- : 6 December/Saturday/6:00 pm Mass

Children who have done 1st Eucharist are encouraged to be part of this Altar Ministry. If interested, please see JOE, thanks.

### PRAY the Holy Rosary... PRAY the Mass!

[do not rush through - responding ahead and louder than the rest; please pray sincerely and with devotion - mean what you pray]

### **Parish Schedule of Masses** & Liturgical Celebrations; and Activities

8 November/Saturday

8:30 am : Parish LITURGY Group Meeting 6:00 pm : MASS-Inverell

[for the repose of the souls of Ronald William & Marie Fergusson in gratitude for their bequest to the parish]

9 November/Sunday

7:00 am

: MASS-Tingha [for the repose of the souls of Tony Stieger and Encarnacion Bautista]

9:00 am : MASS-Inverell

[Misa Pro Populo]

: LW & HC-Ashford

9-14 November/Monday-Friday: CLERGY RETREAT

10 November/Monday: NO MASS

1:15 pm : Catechetics: Gum Flat Public School

11 November/Tuesday

10:30 am : Catechetics: Ashford Public School

11:30 am : Rosary & Angelus

12:00 Noon : LW & HC-Main Church

12:10 pm : Catechetics: Inverell Public School : Catechetics: Ross Hill Public School 1:45 pm

12 November/Wednesday: NO MASS

9:00 am : Catechetics: Tingha Public School

3:00 pm

4:30 pm : Tingha: Home Rosary

[Graham Residence]

13 November/Thursday

11:30 am : Rosary & Angelus

12:00 Noon : LW & HC-Main Church 3:30 pm : Parish HISTORY Team

14 November/Friday

11:00 am : LW & HC-McLean Retirement Village

15 November/Saturday

11:00 am : Baptism/s

-Scarlett Grace Shepherd of Keenan & Caitlin

-Harper Ann Swadling of Daniel & Michelle

6:00 pm : MASS-Inverell

[for the repose of the soul of Una Alfred in gratitude for her bequest to the parish]

16 November/Sunday

8:00 am : LW & HC-Tingha 9:00 am : MASS-Inverell

[Misa Pro Populo]

11:30 am : MASS-Ashford

[for the repose of the souls of Giovannina Mameli and Pascualino Tilocca]

### -Parish Schedules in advance-

November 18/Tuesday/5:30 pm: INVERELL/TINGHA/: Prayer Reflection Evening of Catechists [by: Rickie Withers]

November 19/Wednesday/9:00 am: CSO Meeting

November 22/Saturday/2:00 pm: Altar Servers Session/1

November 22/Saturday/6:00 pm: CHRIST THE KING MASS-Inverell with: Exposition

and Benediction

## Liturgical Year B // Weekday Cycle 1

1st Sunday of ADVENT/29-30 November

### **NEWS & INFORMATION**

1. Nominations for the 2015 Spirit of Catholic Education Awards are now open and close on 5 December/Friday.

Awards will be presented in these categories:

-Leadership/Lifelong Contribution Award;

-Outstanding Education Awards

[Early Career Teacher/up to 5 years' experience;

Experienced Teacher/6 or more years' experience];

-School Officer Award;

-Volunteer Supporter Award; and

-Innovative Program or Practice Award.

Parents are invited to consider nominating someone within Holy Trinity School who they feel meets the intent and the criteria associated with each award. Full details of the Awards and a Nomination Form is available on the CSO website www.arm.catholic.edu.au

The Awards are sponsored by the Australian Catholic Superannuation & Retirement Fund [Major Sponsor] and the Armidale Diocesan Investment Group and Centacare New England North West and the Catholic Church Insurances.

2. The Parish PASTORAL Council and the Parish FINANCE Committee approved the proposal of JOE that, again this year, there will be no Christmas Gatherings hosted by the parish.

As we have done last year, the parish, instead of hosting the usual Christmas Gatherings, donated \$ 500.00 to the fund campaign for the Typhoon Haiyan Victims [Philippines]. This year, the money will be made available to help farmers in need from our district.

## From JOF

This weekend, the church celebrates the Feast of the Dedication of the LATERAN BASILICA. Hereunder is an article from www.sacredspace.ie

Most people probably think that St Peter's is the pope's main church in Rome. But actually it is the Church of St John Lateran which is the cathedral and hence the Pope's church as Bishop of the Diocese of Rome. On the facade of the basilica there is an inscription in Latin which reads, "the mother and mistress of all churches of Rome and the world". The Pope is primarily a Bishop, a first among equals, and that this church has a special and symbolic importance for the whole Church.

The first church building on this site was built in the 4th century when the Emperor Constantine gave land he had received from the wealthy Lateran family. That church and others which replaced it suffered over the centuries from fire, earthquakes and war but it remained the church where popes were consecrated until they returned from exile in Avignon, in the south of France.

When the Avignon papacy formally ended and the Pope could return to Rome, the Lateran Palace and the basilica were in a serious state of disrepair. The popes took up residency at the Basilica of St Mary in Trastevere and later at the Basilica of Saint Mary Major. Eventually, the Palace of the Vatican was constructed and has been the pope's residence until now.

The present Lateran basilica was erected in 1646. It ranks first among the four major basilicas in Rome [with St Peter's, St Mary Major's and St Paul's Outside the Walls] as the Ecumenical Mother Church. On top of its facade are 15 large statues representing Christ, John the Baptist, John the Evangelist and 12 Doctors of the Church. Underneath its high altar are the remains of a small wooden table on which tradition claims St Peter celebrated the Fucharist.

St. John Baptist and St. John the Evangelist are regarded as co-patrons of the cathedral, the chief patron being Christ the Saviour himself, as the inscription at the entrance of the Basilica indicates, and as is the tradition in the patriarchal cathedrals. The Basilica remains dedicated to the Saviour, and its titular feast is the Transfiguration. Its full title then is Archbasilica of the Most Holy Saviour and of Sts. John Baptist and John Evangelist in the Lateran.

Celebrating the dedication of the Pope's cathedral today is a way of expressing the unity of the whole Church with the Pope, the Bishop of Rome. And the union of each local church with this church is an expression of the unity of all churches both with Rome and with each other.

## -on FINANCIAL Matters-

### -Plate Collections-

-Weekend Before Last:

-1<sup>st</sup> Collection [Presbytery Account] 802.45

-2<sup>nd</sup> Collection [Church Account]

1,485.00 -Planned-Giving Envelops -Loose Collection 135.55 -Direct Debit 220.00 [Excess of: \$ 340.55 per budget]

-l ast Weekend:

-1st Collection [Presbytery Account] 762.90

-2<sup>nd</sup> Collection [Church Account]

845.50 -Planned-Giving Envelops 100.25 -Loose Collection 470.00 -Direct Debit [Short of: \$ 84.25 per budget]

## +NOVEMBER MASS ENVELOPS+

-now available from the paper table-

## **ADVENT Prayer Sessions**

-starts 24 November/Monday:

-9:30 am at the Parish Meeting Room -5:30 pm at 8/20 Henderson Street

Please sign-up, thanks!

## "How Mission is Transforming Me"

-a workshop presented by: Sr. Coral Hedley-

-25 November/Tuesday/5:30-8:00 pm--Parish MEETING Room-

[explore how we connect with people in mission and how that transforms/changes us... to be Christ-like and so be moved with pity to show mercy.]

-If you would like to join, please sign up as soon as possible to see if there is enough interest in this presentation-

#### RAFFLE DRAW for:

### Women's Leadership Program

[project of Mercy Works] in Papua New Guinea

Prize: WEDDER BBQ [Q2200 Gas Grill] Cost: \$ 2/ticket // \$5 for 3 tickets

Draw Date: 14 December/Sunday/after the 9:00 am Mass

even while JOE is away from the parish, he can be contacted:

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### LAST CALL re: 2015 ROSTER

The 2015 ROSTER is being drawn; please inform JOE if you no longer wish to be rostered. Unless he hears from you, you remain on roster. THANK YOU VERY MUCH for your involvement and participation in the life of the parish.

If you wish to be rostered, please let JOE know, thanks!

### Rite One [1] RECONCILIATION

is available 30 minutes before every Mass -on weekdays or weekends-