PRAYER INTENTIONS

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

Monique Beard; Maurie Cody; Moya Gardner; Neil Harmon; Winnifred Gallagher; Thelma Bailey-Irwin; Joan Hough; Geoff Dufty; Giovanni Antonio Pintus; Henry Francis Lewis; Christina Caroline Collins; Walter Donald Frater; Glenn Paul Dailey; Noel Irwin; Heather Merchant; Patricia McLeod; Leonard James Graves; Margaret Ann Leece; Francis John Kneipp; Daphne Marquardt; Bessie Alicia Martin; Eileen Mabel Donnelly; Philomena Mary Gillan; Ada May Wheeler; Ellen 'Nell' Hiscox; William Lachlan Hiscox; Peter Raymond Kenny; Laurence James Breen; Frances Daphne Quetcher; Dudley John Williams; John Joseph O'Neill; Leslie James Towns; William John Orchard; Josephine Margaret Marsh; Margaret (Marie) Robinson; Aallen Ross Moore; Desmond John O'Shannessy; Frances Mary Rogers; Hilton John Cush; Braydon Nicholas Wilmot; Lottie Alfreda Stephens; Theresa; Philomena Bower; Grace (Peachey) DeFraine; Norman George Griffey; Charles Gordon Purcell; James Charles O'Neill; Noel George Gentz; Helen Cunich; Antonio Raimonda Mameli; Hugh James Kelleher; Gregory Vincent Quinn; Ronald Patrick Fitzgerald; Thomas James (Dick) McCann; Peter Van Ballekom; Anne Maree Emily Spencer; Mary Jane Heffernan; Mary Catherine Collins; Susan Ann Michael; Peter Dominic Johnson; Lillian Maude Lowrey; Hilda May Kim Carney; Estelle Mary Kramer; Herbert Ouwendyk; Ruth Michael; Frances Daphne Quetcher; Kathleen Mary Schliebs; Cecil James Rourke; Margaret Helen Hutton; Brian John Morris; Cecil James (Jim) Martin; Eva May Jones; Mary Isobel Moore; George Charles Spalding; Cyril (Bonnie) Quetcher; Cecil Patrrick Kelly; John Asthur Ryan; Mary Hilda Irwin; James Maxwell Stewart; Roy John Alfred; Edward Raymond Bullen; Marie Patricia Ferguson; Henry Perrett; Edward James McMahon; Mary Veronica Timmins; Maurice Bernard Ellis; Edward Arthur Davis; Murleen Sue Boney; Cyril Leo Ticehurst; Kevin (Jockey) Burdekin; Albie James Sweeney; Harold Alfred; Gordon Ernest Moore; Launa May Croft; Daniel Riley; Michael Joseph McMahon; Edie Vera Bell; Frank Gordon Turner; Darcy Billsborough; John Joseph Cashen; Eileen Gertrude Solomon; Thomas William McNamara; Robert Lawrence Baldwin; Lynne Martina McCosker; Arnold Bertram Boyd; John Joseph Coulton.

-PRAYER REQUESTS [from the WEBSITE]:

Agapito Recuerdo; Luz Quartero; Park Hung; Paul Lao; Rosarito Pueblo; Proceso Lindo; Rose Esguerra; Din Kai Man; Salvador Retaso; Chan Cheung Lok; Estelita Franco; Tan Eng Pun; Rosito Ang; Estelito Bernas; Lolita delos Reyes.

for the SICK:

Patsy Perrett; Judy Harris; Agapito & Jesus de Leon; Miriam Ballam; Lisa Hopgood [cousin of Margaret Robinson]; Brian Kennedy [son-in-law of Don & Shirley Thom]; Robert Vanags [Mudgee; Grandfather of Simon & Meg Gaukroger]; Jim Cannons; Flo & Barry Emerson; David Croft; Leonie McFetridge; Eileen Boland; Sue Spackman; Marie Charlston [Glen Innes]; Pam Boulus; Baby Aimee Arun; Florence Irwin; Mary Porchedda; John McCormack; Tootie Rolfe; Joan Fleming; Jacinta Parnell-Major; Monica Turner; Anne Gleeson; Connie Gleeson [sister of Maureen Newbigin]; John Fleming; Angus James McCosker [of Clinton & Holly/in Caberra]; Anne Dale; Robert McCormack; Jevet Cox; Jean Byrnes; Anne Maree Short; Stella Spalding; Lesley Scholz; Frank Tome; Mary Turner; Ted O'Brien; 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:

Thomas [Greg] Lyons; The Fallen 44 [Philippines]; Judith Gardner; Annie Hollis; Joyce Rees; Alfonso Pua [Philippines]; Colin Rynne; Doreen Monckton; Stephen Beech McLane; Yvonne Boulous; Allen Francis Smith; Don Thom; Peel James Gainey; Bill Barry; Rebecca Aguadera.

-Parish Schedules in advance-

February 23/Monday/5:30 pm & February 24/Tuesday/9:30 am: LENTEN Prayer

February 26/Thursday/8:00 am: 2015 Deb Ball TICKETS go on sale/Payless Shoes

February 27/Friday/5:30 pm: Stations of the Cross by: The Altar Society

February 27/Friday/6:00 pm: Saint Patrick's Day Team Meeting/3

February 28/Saturday/6:00 pm: MASS-Inverell with: Presentation of Debs & Partners

February 28/March 1: 2nd Sunday of LENT

Men's Breakfast: 14 March/Saturday/7:30 am at the Australian Café [Otho Street]. Names to Bernie Cook [67224387] by Wednesday Night/11 March. ALL WELCOME!

Parish Schedule of Masses & Liturgical Celebrations; and Activities

14 February/Saturday

6:00 pm : MASS-Inverell

[for the repose of the soul of Thomas Ramsay in gratitude for his bequest to the parish?

15 February/Sunday

: MASS-Tingha/make-up Mass for 22 February 7:00 am

[for the repose of the souls of Ian McMaster and Frank Steinschere]

9:00 am : MASS-Inverell

[Misa Pro Populo]

11:30 am : MASS-Ashford

[for the repose of the soul of Phil Harris]

16 February/Monday

: Easter Liturgies Meeting 8:30 am : Rosary & Angelus 11:30 am 12:00 Noon : MASS: Main Church

[for the deceased McCarthy; Casey; Kelly; Griffin;

Armstrong; Savoy; and Courville Families]: Catechetics: Gum Flat Public School 1:15 pm

3:00 pm : Hospital Visit

5:30 pm : Lenten Prayer Group Session

[8/20 Henderson Street]

: 2015 Deb Ball: Meeting of Debs & Parents [at the RSM Club]

: CONFIRMATION Information Session/1 6:00 pm

17 February/Tuesday

: Lenten Prayer Group Session 9:30 am

[Prayer MEETING Room]

: Catechetics: Ashford Public School 10:30 am 11:30 am : Rosary & Angelus

12:00 Noon : MASS: Main Church

[for the repose of the souls of Camonito; Eleanor; & Franklin Pliego; and Barry Aiton; John, Patrick, & Neil Harmon)

12:10 pm : Catechetics: Inverell Public School : Catechetics: Ross Hill Public School 2:10 pm

3:00 pm : McLean Visit

18 February/ASH Wednesday

[Day of FAST and ABSTINENCE]

: Catechetics: Tingha Public School 9:00 am

: HTS Ash Wednesday Liturgy 9:15 am [Holy Trinity School Hall]

11:30 am : Rosary & Angelus

12:00 Noon : ASH WEDNESDAY MASS: Main Church

[with Imposition of Ashes; for the repose of the Poor Souls in Purgatory; and Arthur McKinney]

1:00 pm : CONFIRMATION Information Session/2

4:30 pm : Tingha: Home Rosary

5:30 pm : ASH WEDNESDAY MASS: Main Church

[with Imposition of Ashes; for the repose of the souls of Teresita Rabino; and David Saint] : Home Rosary

7:00 pm

-Neville & Janet Cook/46 Prince Street]

19 February/Thursday

: Rosary & Angelus 11:30 am

: LW & HC: Main Church 12:00 Noon

7:30 pm : HTS Board Meeting

20 February/Friday

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

5:30 pm : Stations of the Cross

[Leading Group: Tingha Parishioners]

21 February/Saturday

: MASS-Inverell 6:00 pm

[Celebrant: Fr. Francis Afu; with CONFIRMATION Enrollment; for the repose of the soul of Patrick Thomas Mitchell Wade in gratitude for his bequest to the parish followed by: Parish Cuppa

22 February/Sunday

: MASS-Inverell 9:00 am

[Celebrant: Fr. Francis Afu; with CONFIRMATION Enrollment; Misa Pro Populo]

followed by: Parish Cuppa

: LW & HC-Ashford

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 13 March 2015.

NEWS and INFORMATION

Easter Liturgies [Mass of the Lord's Supper/Holy Thursday; Celebration of the Passion of Christ/Good Friday; Easter Vigil/Holy Saturday] Team Meetings will be held on the 16th of February/Monday/8:30 am at the Parish MEETING Room.

Please attend this meeting if you can help in setting up the sanctuary and organising the different parts of the celebrations. Help is needed all through out the Triduum.



ENVELOPS ARE NOW AVAILABLE!

From JOE ...

Some NOTES on LENT

LENT begins on Ash Wednesday/18 February. It is a Day of FAST and ABSTINENCE. The law of fasting binds those who have completed their 18th year, until the beginning of their 60th year; the law of abstinence binds those who have completed their 14th year.

LENT is a penitential season of prayer; self-denial; and helping others [Project Compassion]. In this way, the whole Church prepares for Easter with those who are to be baptised.

CATHOLICS are obliged to receive holy communion at least once a year; in Australia: between Ash Wednesday and Trinity Sunday.

-LENT & EASTER Schedules-

February 16/Monday/5:30 pm & February 17/Tuesday/9:30 am: LENTEN Prayer Sessions

February 18/Ash Wednesday/12:00 Noon & 5:30 pm: ASH WEDNESDAY Masses
February 18/Ash Wednesday/9:15 am: ASH WEDNESDAY Liturgy/Holy Trinity School
Hall

February 20/Friday/5:30 pm: Stations of the Cross by: The Tingha Parishioners February 21/22: 1st Sunday of LENT

February 23/Monday/5:30 pm & February 24/Tuesday/9:30 am: LENTEN Prayer Sessions

February 27/Friday/5:30 pm: Stations of the Cross by: The Altar Society February 28/March 1: 2nd Sunday of LENT

March 2/Monday/5:30 pm & March 3/Tuesday/9:30 am: LENTEN Prayer Sessions March 6/First Friday/5:30 pm: Stations of the Cross by: Saint Vincent de Paul March 8/Sunday/7:00 am: MASS-Tingha with: Communal Reconciliation & Sacrament of Anointing

March 9/Monday/5:30 pm & March 10/Tuesday/9:30 am: LENTEN Prayer Sessions March 13/Friday/5:30 pm: Stations of the Cross by: Parish Catechists

March 14/15: 4th Sunday of LENT

March 15/Sunday/11:30 am: MASS-Ashford with: Communal Reconciliation & Sacrament of Anointing

March 16/Monday/9:00 am & 2:00 pm: Anointing of the Home-Bound

March 16/Monday/5:30 pm & March 17/Tuesday/9:30 am: LENTEN Prayer Sessions

March 17/Tuesday/9:00 am & 2:00 pm: Anointing of the Home-Bound

March 20/Friday/5:30 pm: Stations of the Cross by: Parish FAMILY Groups

March 21/Saturday/6:00 pm: MASS-Inverell with Sacrament of Anointing

March 21/22: 5th Sunday of LENT

March 23/Monday/5:30 pm & March 24/Tuesday/9:30 am: LENTEN Prayer Sessions

March 23/Monday/[2:00 pm: Anointing of the Bed-Bound/McLean Hostel

March 24/Tuesday/2:00 pm: Anointing of the Bed-Bound/McLean Hostel

March 27/Friday/5:30 pm: Stations of the Cross by: Parish PASTORAL Council
March 28/Saturday/6:00 pm: YOUTH MASS-Inverell/organised by the Holy Trinity

School

March 28/29: PALM SUNDAY

March 29/Sunday/12:30 pm: MASS-Yetman with: Communal Reconciliation & Sacrament of Anointing

March 31/Holy Tuesday/11:00 am: CHRISM Mass in Armidale

March 31/Holy Tuesday/7:00 pm: Parish COMMUNAL Reconciliation

April 2/Holy Thursday/7:00 pm: Mass of the Lord's Supper

April 3/Good Friday/10:00 am: Parish Stations of the Cross

April 3/Good Friday/3:00 pm: Celebration of the Lord's Passion

April 4/Holy Saturday/6:00 pm: EASTER VIGIL

April 4/5: EASTER Sunday

-on FINANCIAL Matters-Plate Collections-

-Weekend Before Last:

1st Collection [Presbytery Account] : \$ 991.40

-2nd Collection [Church Account]

 -Planned-Giving Envelops
 : \$ 1,637.00

 -Loose Collection
 : 60.65

 -Direct Debit
 : 190.00

[Excess of: \$ 387.65 per budget]

- | ast Weekend:

1st Collection [Presbytery Account] : \$ 974.20

-2nd Collection [Church Account]

 -Planned-Giving Envelops
 : \$ 741.50

 -Loose Collection
 : 133.50

 -Direct Debit
 : 475.00

[Short of: \$ 150.00 per budget]

-CHRISTMAS Dues-

-Last Year: \$ 1,742.00

-This Year [running collection]: \$ 1,386.00

-CCD Collection-

-Collection Last Year: \$ 234.00 -Running Collection This Year: \$ -

-2015 CONFIRMATION Notice-

CONFIRMATION Information Sessions:

[attendance is compulsary]

-February 16/Monday/6:00 pm--February 18/Ash Wednesday/1:00 pm-

LENTEN Prayer Group Sessions

will start on the 16th of February/Monday/5:30 pm; and on the 17th of February/Tuesday/9:30 am.

-PLEASE SIGN-UP [front pew] IF INTENDING TO JOIN, THANKS-

ASH WEDNESDAY: 18 February

[Day of Fast & Abstinence]

-Schedule of Masses-12:00 Noon & 5:30 pm

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

[Fridays/5:30 pm]

20 February : Tingha Parishioners

27 February : Altar Society

6 March : Saint Vincent de Paul
13 March : Parish Catechists
20 April : Parish FAMILY Groups
27 April : Parish PASTORAL Council

Important: the Inverell Cycle 'n Tri Club will be holding its annual Cyclosportif event on 21 February/Saturday across the church [Victoria Park] from 1:00 pm to approximately 6:30 pm. Parking is encouraged behind the church [Shire Parking Area].

First Friday Mass

6 March/Friday/12:00 Noon