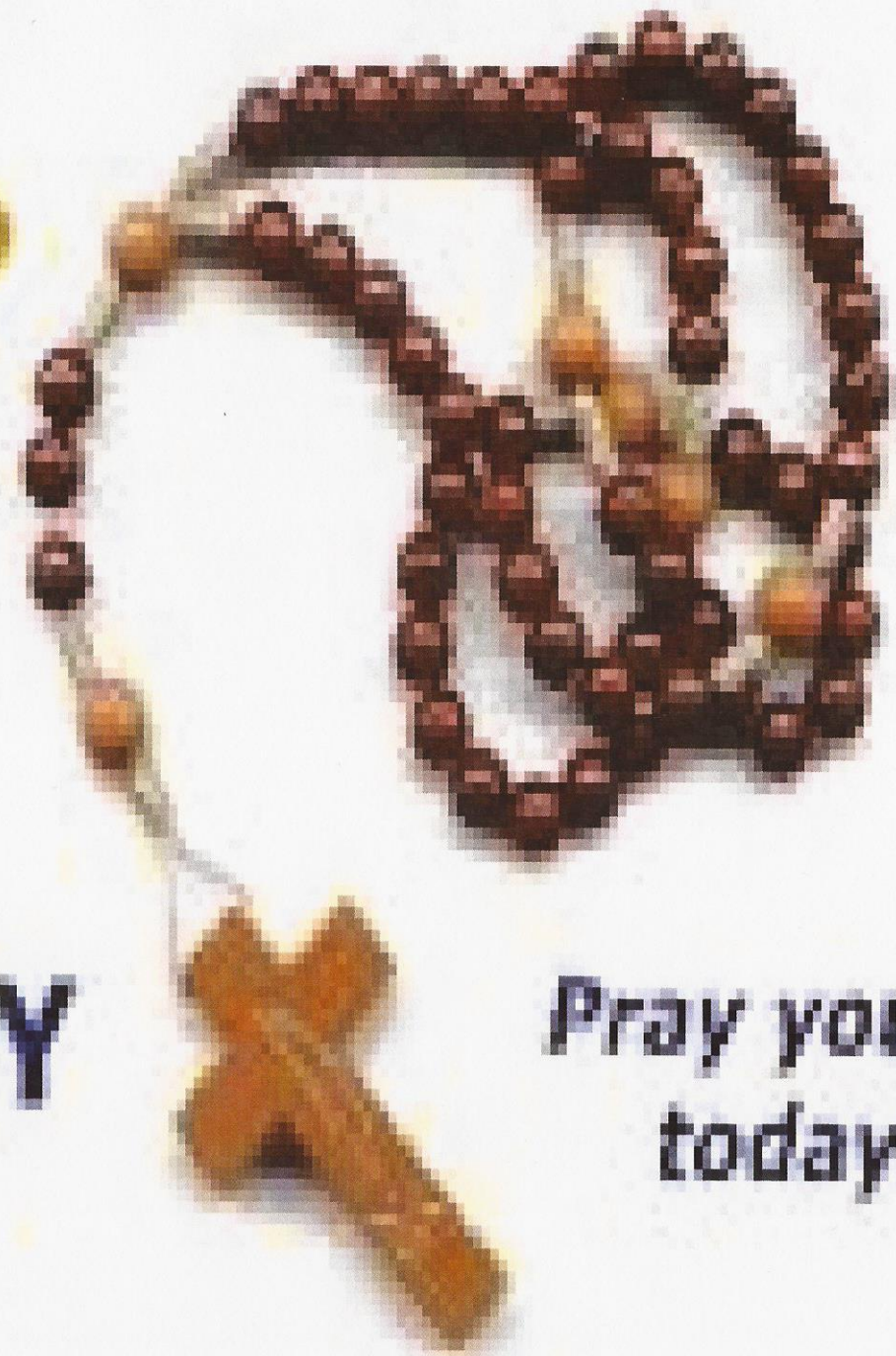


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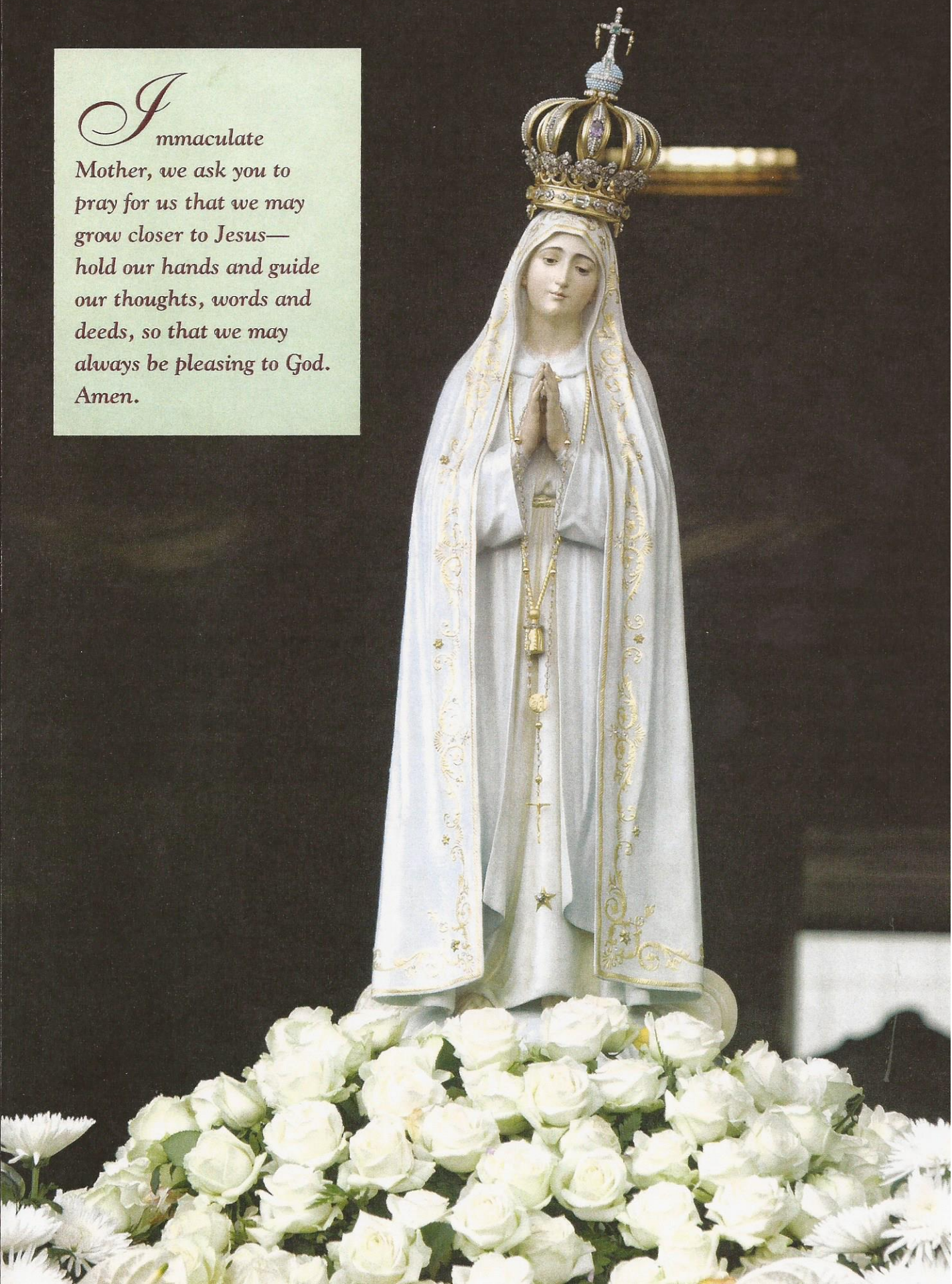
HOLY ROSARY



*Pray yours
today!*

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Mother, we ask you to
pray for us that we may
grow closer to Jesus—
hold our hands and guide
our thoughts, words and
deeds, so that we may
always be pleasing to God.
Amen.



A PRAYER FOR FAMILY

O JESUS, I HUMBLY IMPLORE YOU TO GRANT YOUR SPECIAL GRACES TO OUR FAMILY. MAY OUR HOME BE THE SHRINE OF PEACE, PURITY, LOVE, LABOUR AND FAITH. I BEG YOU, DEAR JESUS, TO PROTECT AND BLESS ALL OF US, ABSENT AND PRESENT, LIVING AND DEAD.

O MARY, LOVING MOTHER OF JESUS, AND OUR MOTHER, PRAY TO JESUS FOR OUR FAMILY, FOR ALL THE FAMILIES OF THE WORLD, TO GUARD THE CRADLE OF THE NEWBORN, THE SCHOOLS OF THE YOUNG AND THEIR VOCATIONS.

BLESSED SAINT JOSEPH, HOLY GUARDIAN OF JESUS AND MARY, ASSIST US BY YOUR PRAYERS IN ALL THE NECESSITIES OF LIFE.

ASK OF JESUS THAT SPECIAL GRACE WHICH HE GRANTED TO YOU, TO WATCH OVER OUR HOME AT THE PILLOW OF THE SICK AND THE DYING, SO THAT WITH MARY AND YOU, HEAVEN MAY FIND OUR FAMILY UNBROKEN IN THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS.

AMEN.



The 3 O'clock Prayer

**You died, JESUS, but the source of life gushed forth for souls
and the ocean of mercy opened up for the whole world.**

**O' Fountain of Life, unfathomable Divine Mercy,
cover the whole world and empty Yourself out upon us.**

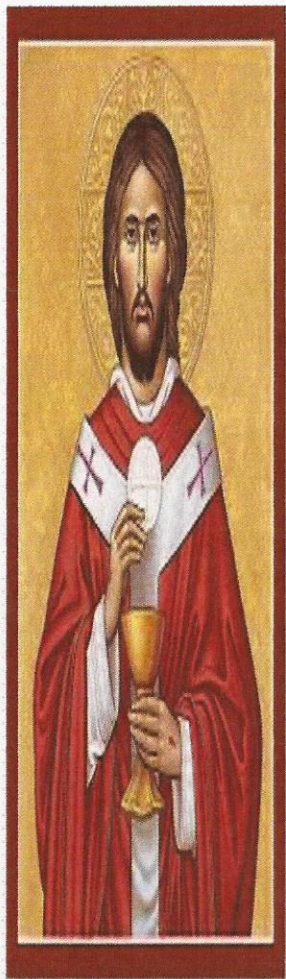
**O' Blood and Water which gushed forth
from the heart of JESUS as a Fountain of Mercy for us, I trust in You!**

**Holy God, Holy Mighty One, Holy Immortal One,
have mercy on us and the whole world.**

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have mercy on us and the whole world.**

Jesus, King of Mercy, we trust in You!



PRAYER FOR PRIESTLY VOCATIONS

GRANT, WE PRAY, ALMIGHTY FATHER, THAT YOUR CHURCH IN THE DIOCESE OF ARMIDALE, MAY RESPOND TO THE WORK OF YOUR SPIRIT.

TOUCH THE HEARTS AND MINDS OF OUR YOUNG MEN TO OPEN UP TO THE WORD. MAY THEY FIND IN YOUR SON, THE CHRIST, THE MEANING OF LIFE AND THE PURPOSE TO LIVE.

GRANT THAT FROM AMONG OUR FAMILIES, YOUNG MEN WILL HEAR THE CALL TO YOUR PRIESTHOOD. AND EMPOWER THEM WITH YOUR HOLY SPIRIT TO RESPOND WITH GENEROSITY AND LOVE.

MAY THEY BE GOOD MEN, AND HOLY PRIESTS. FILL THEM WITH LOVE FOR YOU, FOR YOUR CHURCH AND FOR YOUR CHILDREN. MAY THEIR MINISTRY BEAR THE FRUIT OF THE KINGDOM. AND MAY THEY FIND PEACE WITH YOU AT THE END OF THEIR LIVES HERE ON EARTH.

WE MAKE THIS PRAYER IN THE NAME OF CHRIST JESUS, THE GOOD SHEPHERD. AMEN.

OUR LADY QUEEN OF APOSTLES,	PRAY FOR US
ST. JOSEPH,	PRAY FOR US
ST. JOHN VIANNEY,	PRAY FOR US
ST. MARY OF THE CROSS,	PRAY FOR US
ST. JOHN PAUL II,	PRAY FOR US

A simple checklist

As an employee or volunteer in a child related activity

- Have you completed a Working With Children Check?
- Have you been given a copy of the Diocesan Child Safe Parish Communities guidelines?
- Do you understand acceptable and unacceptable behaviours?

Within your parish

- Do altar servers have an area separate from that of the priest vesting area to prepare for Mass?
- Is there at least one adult (parent) present to supervise the altar servers before and after Mass?
- Do you use the two adult supervision best practice model?
- Are parents asked to supervise their children at Mass and parish events?
- Have parents been asked to accompany children to the parish toilets and not allow them to go unsupervised?
- Do adults know not to be alone in a room with children?
- Have adults been advised not to give children gifts, cards or to make special friendships that could be seen as grooming the child?
- Are you aware of abuse prevention strategies?
- Are you making a commitment to ensure that our church is a safe community for all?

Diocese of Armidale

Child Safe Parish Communities

a simple guide

for

Parishioners, Employees & Volunteers



Based on the Diocese of Armidale *Child Safe Parish Communities* booklet



Our focus is on protection

The opportunity to work with children, young people and vulnerable adults is a privilege. This guide will assist to clarify appropriate conduct to ensure that children and vulnerable adults are protected from harm.

Some examples of child related activity in a parish

- Children's liturgy
- Youth groups
- Altar servers supervision
- Special Religious Education (Catechetics)
- Youth choirs or music groups
- Junior Vinnies



What is acceptable behaviour

- Treating people with respect
- Providing a welcome, inclusive, safe environment
- Respecting differences
- Reporting concerns
- Being transparent in your actions

What is unacceptable behaviour

- Shaming, humiliating, belittling or degrading children
- Using inappropriate, offensive or discriminatory language
- Doing things for a child that they are able to do for themselves such as assistance with toileting or changing clothes
- Taking a child to your home or sleeping in the same room or bed as a child
- Taking a child in your motor vehicle
- Smacking, hitting or physically assaulting a child
- Seeking to make special friends with a child
- Giving children secret gifts or cards without parental permission
- Being alone in a room with a child
- Touching a child in a sexual manner or asking them to touch you
- Photographing children without parental permission
- Showing pornographic material in any format
- Making friends with children on social media, contacting them by phone messages or emails
- Allowing unsupervised access to your phone or computer



Sacred Heart Parish Church

Roman Catholic Diocese of Armidale

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PRIESTS: REV. FR. ROEL J. LLAVE
REV. FR. THADDEUS IKE

PARISH MASS TIMES

Sacred Heart Church Inverell
SATURDAY 6:00 pm
SUNDAY 9:00 am

Monday, Tuesday and 1st Saturday 9:30 am
Wednesday, Thursday and (1st Friday Anointing Mass) 12:00 noon
1st Friday Adoration and Benediction 12:30 pm

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
SATURDAY 4:30 to 5:30 pm
SUNDAY 8:00 to 8:30 am

McLean Retirement Village FRIDAY (except 1st Friday) 11:00 am

TINGHA St. Francis' Church Saturday 5:00 pm
ASHFORD St. Patrick's Church Sunday 10:30 am

BUNDARRA St. Mary of the Angels' Church 2nd & 4th Sunday 8:00 am
YETMAN St. Joseph the Worker's Church 5th Sunday 10:00 am

Nota bene: You may contact the Parish Priest on 041271516

PARISH SCHEDULES THIS WEEK...

MONDAY: Rosary 9:00 AM
Mass at the Church 9:30 AM
HOSPITAL VISIT 3:00 PM

TUESDAY: Rosary 9:00 AM
Mass at the Church 9:30 AM

WEDNESDAY: Rosary & Angelus 11:30 AM
Mass at the Church 12:00 PM
FUNERAL LITURGY 2:00 PM
(for the late Jim Sweeney)

HOME ROSARY 3:00 PM
Shirley Hardy (Unit 38/34 Henderson street)
Tingha Home Rosary 4:30 PM
Bernie & Colleen Graham (11 Diamond Street)

THURSDAY: Rosary & Angelus 11:30 AM
Mass at the Church 12:00 PM

FRIDAY: Rosary & Angelus 11:30 AM
1st Friday Anointing Mass 12:00 PM
EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION AND BENEDICTION

SATURDAY: Rosary 9:00 AM
1st SATURDAY MASS 9:30 AM

We as a PARISH, try to live out our

VISION: To continually form a Christ-centred community based on the Gospel Values expressed through SERVICE in peace, justice and love.

MISSION: To know Christ more, His life and His teachings. To imitate Christ's message of love and service. To try to share generously what graces and blessings we have and to be instruments of the Gospel message.

26TH SUNDAY OF THE ORDINARY TIME

We Pray for the Sick

Bob Sullivan, Colin Boulus, Rodney Parry, Miriam Ballam, Mary Jordan, Agnes Hannigan, Len Fidler, Bill Baar, Rebecca King, Veronica Ticehurst, Michael Hoggood, Tricia Byrne, Linda Leader, Baby Rose Kennedy, Pat Schuman, Dolores (Tootie) Rolfe, Margaret Polock, Brett Romer, Anthony Simpson, David Sanders, Irene Dasey, Gwen Zemit, Brian Barker, Harold Castledine, Mary Schembri, Anne Di Costanzo, Tony Seitz, Edwin Valencia (brother of Vickie Talampas), Wilfreda Gascon (mother of Rowel Gascon) and all the sick members of our parish whose names are not listed here.

We Pray for the Recently Deceased

Jim Sweeney, Bryan Gould, Cecil Hills (Husband of Denise) Tom Meehan (brother of Di Noble), Jacqueline Ann Cummings (daughter of Bernie Cook) Darrell Charles Dewberry, Kath Hiscox, Jason McCarthy (nephew of Colleen Graham)

Anniversaries: Bill Hynes, Geoffrey & Peg McCosker

May their souls and the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace.

Mass Intentions for the Week

For the repose of the souls of:

Bill Hynes, Geoffrey McCosker, Peg McCosker, Cecil Hills, Paul McCosker, Mary Perrin, Dot McCosker, Dianne Harris

For the personal intentions of

Sr. Coral: for all the Mercy Sisters on the occasion of the Feast of our Lady of Mercy

Joy Mason: for Cardinal George Pell, for the Armidale Clergies, for the protection and preservation of life, and personal prayers.

"The span of our life is seventy years, or if we are strong, eighty..." (Psalm 90:10)

Old age is a blessing from God. We should never be afraid of ageing. Christians have a responsibility to show kindness, respect, love, and to take care of the elderly. We appreciate the efforts of everyone especially the elderly who regularly come to church. God bless you.



1. Baptized you in the name of the Father and the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

Baptism
We welcome into the Church
Alexandra Crampton McMahon
and
Jack Anthony McMahon

As they receive the Sacrament of Baptism this week. We pray for their parents, godparents and families that they may be blessed and continually grow in the faith and the love of God.

PRAYER FOR RAIN

Heavenly Father, maker of all things and protector of all Your people;

look upon us in Your love and give us Your help.

Open the heavens for us and give us the rain we need.

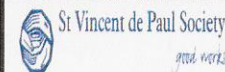
Teach us to live for You and to share Your gifts with others.

Ease our burdens, Father, and give us Your strength.

Hear us in our need for we come

to You through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Thank you for your GENEROSITY
WE COLLECTED \$ 1,407.00
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We invite and encourage
NEW VOLUNTEERS
at
St. Vincent de Paul Centre (Oliver St.)

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As the Marriage Law Postal Survey moves into full swing, you are encouraged to speak with your family, friends and neighbours about what is at stake if the Yes vote succeeds. Please pray for a respectful and civil debate to be held on the issue of marriage. For more information on the consequences of 'same-sex marriage' go to www.coalitionformarriage.com.au

October

month of the HOLY ROSARY



Pray yours today!

OCTOBER Month of Prayer and Fasting for Marriage and Families



This week we pray for the flourishing of marriages and families in Australia.

Heavenly Father, grant that our families may be places of communion and prayer, authentic schools of the Gospel and small domestic Churches. Make us ever more mindful of the sacredness and beauty of the family in God's plan. Amen.

ALTAR SOCIETY

We are still missing a number of purificators (purifiers) and stocks are running low. If you have taken them home to wash and not brought them back yet, would you please return them as soon as possible? Thank you.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL
MEETING ON MONDAY 9th OCTOBER
5:00 PM at the Meeting Room.

LITURGY AND MUSIC COMMITTEE
MEETING ON SATURDAY 14th OCTOBER
8:30 AM at the Meeting Room.

Men's Breakfast 14th October, Saturday 7:30 am
at the New Australian Café Corner Otho & Evans St.
Names to Bernie Cook at 67224387 by Wednesday Night 11th October. **ALL ARE WELCOME!**

Women's Breakfast 13th Oct. Friday 8:00 am

2nd Friday of the month at the Bridge Coffee Lounge. We would love to have other ladies of the parish to join us. Please phone Ann Barry on 67222858 or Marj Manuel on 67224772. **Everyone welcome.**

Collections Last Weekend

1st Collection : \$ 849.30
2nd Collection : \$ 976.00
Loose Collections : \$ 58.60
Direct Debit : \$ 345.00

Altar Society ROSTERS

OCTOBER
Yvonne Hawkins
Ann Tubb
Marie Chie
Mary Middleton

NOVEMBER
VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The Sacred Heart Parish acknowledges the Kamilaroi people, the traditional owners and custodian of the land on which we stand. We pay our respects to them and for their care of the land. May we walk gently and respectfully upon this land. And we pray that peace and harmony prevail. GOD BLESS AUSTRALIA.

ROSTERS

Greeters
Projector OP.
Readers
Commentator / P of F.
Bread & Wine
Communion Ministers

Altar Servers

Music Ministry
Cantor
Collection Offeror
Sunday Morning tea
Counters

30 SEPTEMBER/ Sat. 6 pm
VOLUNTEERS
S SMITH
N MCCOSKER, D DASEY
SR CORAL
CASEY-RANSOM FAMILY
M SCHOFIELD, P PEVY,
R & T TRAVES
VOLUNTEERS

D GIBSON GROUP
G GIBSON
G FLEMING JR

1 OCTOBER / Sun. 9 am
P CONSTABLE
DIZON KIDS
D HANNIGAN, G JOHNSON
J SAINT
GASCON FAMILY
N COOK, D McMAHON,
A WRATTEN, R MCGREGOR
C & L BRYANT

A TUBB GROUP
A TUBB
N COOK

TALAMPAS & LANSANG FAMILIES
TEAM : N TURNER, M NEWBIGIN, P COLEMAN

7 OCTOBER/ Sat. 6 pm
VOLUNTEERS
J KELLY
A CASEY-RANSOM, SR CORAL
S SMITH
M AITON, C COTTELL
M & M WARD,
VOLUNTEERS
J & M NEWTON, R DALTON

A TUBB GROUP
A TUBB
A TALAMPAS

VOLUNTEERS WHEN NEEDED

8 OCTOBER / Sun. 9 am
P CONSTABLE / VOLUNTEERS
R MCGREGOR
R LONG, M ROBINSON
M WALES
J HARRIS, M JORDAN
J SAINT, M WALES,
R & T BENARES
C & L BRYANT

C MCCOSKER GROUP
S TURNER
B DEMPSEY

HOLLIS FAMILY
TEAM : B PISCHKE, G & R JOHNSON

CHILDREN'S LITURGY VOLUNTEERS WHEN NEEDED