

15 October, 28h Sunday, Year A

TEMORA MISSION AREA

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In our Prayers: Mark Doyle, Reckell Jones, Robyn Richards, Frances Vince, Barry Carroll, Neville Caldwell, Kashaya Kuemmel,

For our Deceased: Eileen Conlan, Joan Thompson, Mary Lucas, Isabel Dunn, 'Masso' Adams, (*Anniversaries*)

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October 21—22

Ariah Park 6.00 p.m. Mass

Mass

Temora 10.00 a.m.

Liturgy

Ardlethan 9.00 a.m. Barellan 10.00 a.m.
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Reflection

Come to the Banquet. Our God invites all people to the banquet of the kingdom, a banquet characterised by joy, integrity and true peace. Sometimes, however, we decline this invitation preferring the lesser banquets that we know. May God enlighten the eyes of our heart that we might see how great is the hope to which we are called.

HSC Prayer

We continue to pray for all students who are doing their HSC.
*God we ask that they especially feel your closeness during the HSC exams.
Give them calm hearts and quiet confidence
in the knowledge that you hold them in the palm of your hand.
Bless them with keen understanding and retentive memory.
Give them the ability to grasp things correctly,
be exact in their explanations
and an ability to express themselves clearly.
Point out the beginning, direct their progress
and help them in the completion of each of their responses.
Holy Spirit send them your gifts of wisdom and knowledge.
We ask this through Christ our Lord, Amen*



Liturgy of Remembering

On Sunday, 29 October at the 9.00 Liturgy the focus will be remembering those who have died in the last twelve months.

Synod

The Synod on Synodality is not geared to “*resolve particular problems*” in the Church, but to explore ways for the Church to discuss and address such issues, a cardinal said at the weekend. “*There are a lot of people who believe that this Synod will bring solutions to all problems,*” Cardinal Fridolin Ambongo of Kinshasa, Congo, said during a news conference at the Vatican on Saturday. “*But the Synod will define the new way of ‘doing’ Church, the new way of approaching problems, what the problem is but also how in the spirit of synodality we will approach that problem.*”

“*Synodality does not mean expressing personal opinions, but walking together,*” he added. The cardinal said he was confident the Synod will “*bear good fruits*” for the whole of the Church and said he was struck by the joy, trust, enthusiasm and hope present among the Synod participants.



Marian Procession

On Sunday 22 October the Marian Procession will be held at the newly restored and re-dedicated Sts Peter and Paul Cathedral in Goulburn. Morning Tea will be served at 10.00 a.m. followed by tour of the Cathedral. Mass will be celebrated at 12 noon.

Reflection

“*Jesus turns the tables on his opponents with his response ‘Give to Caesar what belongs to Caesar and to God what belongs to God’.* This pithy saying makes me wonder. *What belongs to God’ in my life? Does God truly get what rightfully belongs to God, or just the leftovers in my busy schedule? If only giving God what belongs to God was as simple as paying taxes. My God asks more of me than that.*” **Mary Coloe pbvm**

Mission Sunday Appeal, 21/22 October 2023

With Timor-Leste’s fragile infrastructure, reliance on local health practices, and limited access to medical care, many health conditions only worsen, and sadly can result in death. Next week Catholic Mission will offer you the opportunity to partner with Sr Carolina and the Salesian Sisters in Venilale, Timor-Leste, where your gift can help continue a life-saving program to help address this reality.

Acknowledgement of Country:

With respect I would like to acknowledge the country, the skies, waterways and spiritual systems of the Wiradjuri people on whose land we gather. I’d like to acknowledge the elders for the passing on of knowledge, language and spiritual connections to country.

Roster 22 October

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