

20 June, 12th Sunday, Year B

## TEMORA MISSION AREA

### Our Lady Help of Christians Parish Ardlethan/Sacred Heart Aria Park

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### St Therese Barellan

In our Prayers: Linda Grinter, Robyn Richards, Neville Caldwell,

Ray Fairman, Kashaya Kuemmel,

For our Deceased: Helen Robinson (Sr Carmel Piffero's sister) Ian Bonny,

David Kerin, Norah Green, Joyce Baker, Marie Golden, Anne Trevaskis

### June 26-27

← - - - - - Aria Park 6.00 p.m. Sat Mass - - - - - →

Mass

Barmedman 8.00 a.m. Temora 10.00 a.m. Sunday

Liturgy

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

### Reflection

**Calming the Storm** When a storm blew up on the sea of Galilee, Jesus' disciples feared that their boat would be swamped by the waves. But Jesus, who was with them, calmed the sea. At times we can feel that we are being swamped by various troubles. But Jesus is with us to protect us. Like the apostle Paul we are overwhelmed not by storms and troubles, but by the love of God made visible in Christ Jesus.

### Plenary Council ~ Fan the Flame

Towards Plenary Assembly One October 2021

*'Why are you so frightened?*

*How is it that you have no faith?'*

**Mark 4:35-41**

As people of faith, we believe that, through the gift of his Church, the Lord has equipped us, and continues to equip us, to recognise the needs of our time and set ourselves to doing something about them.

**(Instrumentum Laboris #193)**

[www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au/fanthe flame/](http://www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au/fanthe flame/)

### World Refugee Sunday

Fr Andrew Hamilton writes sj, "We must foster hospitable hearts in order to foster hospitality to refugees. ... As we mark **World Refugee Day** on **20 June** this year, throughout the world preoccupied with coronavirus and the difficulties of overcoming it, people are tempted to be focused on their own lives, their own families, and their own nations. They may see people who are outside their own group or their own country sometimes as threats to their health to be expelled



and excluded, sometimes as a burden, and always as people to whom they have no responsibility. ... When the national mood changes from suspicion of outsiders to a more hospitable outlook, we must be ready to encourage it. Hospitality to refugees must begin in hospitable hearts which ultimately will outlive the walls that fear and prejudice erect against it."

[https://www.pray.com.au/the-encouragement-of-hospitality/?utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_campaign=Parish%20Life%20e-newsletter%2012th%20Sunday%20in%20Ordinary%20Time%20Year%20B%20%2020%20June%202021&utm\\_content=Parish%20Life%20e-newsletter%2012th%20Sunday%20in%20Ordinary%20Time%20Year%20B%20%2020%20June%202021+CID\\_b7367ad2ba07da0a26100a2062fd972c&utm\\_source=Jescom%20Newsletters&utm\\_term=World%20Refugee%20Day](https://www.pray.com.au/the-encouragement-of-hospitality/?utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=Parish%20Life%20e-newsletter%2012th%20Sunday%20in%20Ordinary%20Time%20Year%20B%20%2020%20June%202021&utm_content=Parish%20Life%20e-newsletter%2012th%20Sunday%20in%20Ordinary%20Time%20Year%20B%20%2020%20June%202021+CID_b7367ad2ba07da0a26100a2062fd972c&utm_source=Jescom%20Newsletters&utm_term=World%20Refugee%20Day)

### A Creed For Those who Have Suffered

I asked God for strength, that I might achieve.  
I was made weak, that I might learn humbly to obey ...  
I asked for health, that I might do great things.  
I was given infirmity, that I might do better things ...  
I asked for riches, that I might be happy.  
I was given poverty, that I might feel the need of God ...  
I asked for all things, that I might enjoy life.  
I was given life, that I might enjoy all thing ...  
I got nothing I asked for—but everything I had hoped for.  
Almost despite myself, my unspoken prayers were answered ...

**Roy Campanella**

*Thank you  
Bruce for  
pruning  
the roses.*

### Spirituality Day

A Spirituality Day for Women will be held on Saturday **28th August** from 9.00am to 3.30pm at Narrandera High School, Elizabeth Street, Narrandera. The theme is **'Who is My Neighbour? Let us Dream, Let us Weave a New Path.** Dr Michele Connolly, Marilyn Bellett and Andrea Dean will lead the day. Cost is a donation and morning tea and lunch are supplied. Register at <https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/spirituality-day-for-women-tickets-147212467453> or by contacting Anne Brown on 0499 425970.

### Reflections

*We have to weather all kinds of storms in our lives. There's illness, loss of loved ones, and actual storm damage. Things don't always go the way we would like them to, but Jesus is there with us, through the good and the bad, calming the winds and helping us through.*

**Tamora Whitney**

<https://onlineministries.creighton.edu/CollaborativeMinistry/062021.html>

*Jesus, revealed to us a God who is forever there for us, a God who does not run from our honesty, a God who walks with us through the storms of our lives, a God who repeatedly says to us: "Do not be afraid, it is I".* **Julian McDonald cfc**

### Roster 27 June

Leader: Suzanne

Reader: Ian

Minister: Bruce

Welcomer: Sr Maureen