

TEMORA MISSION AREA

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

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In our Prayers: Bill Dunn, Neville Caldwell, Ray Fairman, Kashaya Kuemmel, Marian Devitt

For our Deceased: Our deceased family members, parishioners, those who have died from war, violence, bushfires and the coronavirus



<u>5—6 Dec</u>	Aria Park	6.00 p.m.	Liturgy	
Mass	Temora	6.00 p.m.		
Mass	Ardlethan	8.00 a.m.	Barellan	10.00 a.m.



Reflection

Welcome into the Kingdom Prepared for you. Neither baptism nor profession of faith in Christ guarantees our entry into Christ’s kingdom. What is most important is the way we treat the least of Christ’s brothers and sisters. What we do for them we do for Christ. By our care for them, we reveal that our profession of faith at Mass is more than just words.

Donation

Marian Devitt, a cousin of Iney, has gifted the parish with a generous donation which we will use as a contribution to a new data projector. The remainder of the cost of the projector will come from a donation from CRA (*Catholic Religious Australia, money donated by various religious communities*). May we keep Marian and our benefactors in our prayers.



Most of the donation from CRA has been used to support families by offering them a reduction in their family season pass for the swimming pool in Ardlethan or Aria Park.

Advent Drapes

With Advent beginning next Sunday it would be appreciated if the drapes were changed to purple after our liturgy.

Prayer for Harvest

The season of harvest has started; may we commend it to the care of our God:

God of the heavens and earth we thank you for the richness of harvest time and for food. May the fruitfulness of this time make us thankful for your constant love and care for us. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Happy Birthday Andrina,

As your birthday approaches, Andrina, we would like to assure you of our prayers, good wishes and congratulations as you celebrate this entry into a new decade for you. We rejoice with you as you reflect on your life over these seventy years and thank you that you have shared some of those years with us in our community. Thank you for the many ways you gift yourself not only to our parish but also to our local community. May you feel the loving arms of God surrounding you in care.

Congratulations

What an exciting day it was for Jack, Shirley and family as they welcomed their first great granddaughter into their family. Lily Katerina is the precious bundle of joy who is bringing delight to her parents, Taylia and Jack, and of course the extended family. May Lily and the family continue to be enriched by the love of God.

5th Sunday Liturgy

You are invited to liturgy at the **Anglican Church** next Sunday at **11.00 a.m.** It won’t be the usual ‘combined’ service liturgy, rather the regular service for the community. **NO Liturgy here.**

The Feast of Christ the King

was established by Pope Pius XI in 1925 as an antidote to secularism, a way of life which leaves God out of people's thinking and living and organizes their life as if God did not exist. The feast is intended to proclaim in a striking and effective manner Christ's royalty over individuals, families, society, governments, and nations.

<https://www.catholicculture.org/culture/liturgicalyear/calendar/day.cfm?date=2013-11-24>

“And that is the “kingdom of Christ,” the heart of Jesus’ “reign”: a community of real people who gather together, in all their brokenness and struggles, to follow Jesus. We give our time and talent to pick up one another when we stumble; with humility and gratitude, we reach out for one another’s hand. Before God, we stand as brothers and sisters; before God, the distinctions of class and culture that separate us disappear; before God, we are all loved without condition or limit. Jesus’ parable of the sheep and the goats challenges us to see the world in the light of God’s compassion: as a community that is centred in the holiness of God that dwells within every man, woman and child; a community that sees deeper than the externals of race, nationality, culture and language in order to behold the love of God animating the lives of all who draw breath; a community that reflects the compassion and mercy of God in our care for one another.”
Adapted from *Connections*

50 cent Sunday

Thank you for your ongoing generosity in support of the La Salette Ministry in India.

Roster 6 December

Reader: Tracey

Welcomer: Sr Maureen