

3 October, 27th Sunday, Year B

## TEMORA MISSION AREA

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

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### St Therese Barellan

**In our Prayers:** Barry Carroll, Linda Grinter, Neville Caldwell, Ray Fairman, Kashaya Kuemmel,

**For our Deceased:** Wally Leaf, Coronavirus Victims, Jenny Shannon, Nikki O'Brien, Iney Lynch (*anniversaries*)

### October 9–10

Ariaiah 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.

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### Reflection

**One Body.** As we hear Jesus proclaim the basic oneness of husband and wife in marriage, a oneness with which no human agency, not even the law of Moses, can interfere, we rejoice in the many couples who have grown closer together through the ups and downs of their married life. We also have compassion for those who have experienced the trauma and distress of a marriage break up. May all find support and guidance within the Church community.

### Plenary Council

The Opening Mass of the Plenary Council is 2.00 p.m. AEST today and can be viewed online: Visit <https://plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au/assembly-1/>



During the first General Assembly of the Fifth Plenary Council of Australia, key moments will be live-streamed between **October 3 and 10**, including;

- Daily Masses,
- Morning prayer for Plenary Council members, and
- Sharing the fruits of discernment.

Visit the [Plenary Council website](http://Plenary Council website) for a calendar of live streams during the Assembly. We ask all to prayerfully support the members as we “*open the windows to let the Holy Spirit move in our Church.*” You may wish to participate in the [Archdiocesan Plenary Novena](#)

In addition, each day during the Assembly, the national team will post content including media releases, the daily homily, a summary of the group sharing during the opening plenary session, and a podcast featuring interviews with Council members.

May we unite with those praying for the wisdom of Holy Spirit to guide delegates as they gather for the First Assembly of the Plenary Council:

*Come, Holy Spirit of Pentecost.*

*Come, Holy Spirit of the great South Land.*

*O God, bless and unite all your people in Australia and guide us on the pilgrim way of the Plenary Council.*

*Give us the grace to see your face in one another and to recognise Jesus, our companion on the road.*

*Give us the courage to tell our stories and to speak boldly of your truth.*

*Give us ears to listen humbly to each other and a discerning heart to hear what you are saying.*

*Lead your Church into a hope-filled future, that we may live the joy of the Gospel.*

*Through Jesus Christ our Lord,*

*bread for the journey from age to age. Amen.*

*Our Lady Help of Christians, pray for us.*

*St Mary MacKillop, pray for us.*

### Season of Creation

As we celebrate the feast of **St Francis of Assisi** on Monday, 4 October we bring the Season of Creation to its conclusion. May we continue to live out the hope of the theme of the 2021 Season of Creation with making room for all in our hearts and homes.

### Reflection

*“Every creature is a unique word of God”* **Richard Rohr**

This world of ours, with its variety of animals, carries the imprint of the Divine One, and is sacred. Creation is called ‘the first Scripture’ because it teaches us so much about the love and generosity of the Creator... Mary MacKillop shares how her heart was touched by the devotion and comradeship of her little dog, ‘*A warm welcome awaited me; even dear little Bennie remembered me and almost went wild in his joyful welcome.*’ (1895). As Meister Eckhart writes: *Anyone who truly knows creatures may be excused from listening to sermons, for every creature is full of God, and is a book.*

*Ask the animals and they will teach you .* **Job 12: 7**

Sue and Leo Kane, **A Daily Cuppa with Mary and Julian**, 18 September.

### Christmas Shoe Box

This year the Shoe Box can be returned to The Open Book Shop in Temora or to the church. Boxes will be collected on 7 November.

### Phone Number – Sr Maureen

At the beginning of October the landline to Sr Maureen will be disconnected. To contact her, phone the mobile, 0448 257 077.

*May we pray for  
Chloe, Georgia,  
Maya and Theo who  
will celebrate their  
Confirmation on  
Friday, 8 October.*



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| <b>Roster 10 October</b> | Leader: Suzanne | Reader: Ian          |
|                          | Minister: Bruce | Welcomer: Sr Maureen |