

TEMORA MISSION AREA

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

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St Therese Barellan

In our Prayers: Jack Wood, Barry Carroll, Neville Caldwell, Ray Fairman, Kashaya Kuemmel, Gillett Family,

For our Deceased: John, 'Jack' Smyth, Bill O'Dwyer, Garry Gillett, Joan Cox, Lloyd Trevaskis, Dorothy Allen, Iney Lynch, Penny Vince, Valma Cowell, Cecily Breust, Billy Dance, Norah Green, Joyce Baker (*anniversaries*)

June 11—12

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

Filled with the Spirit. The coming of Holy Spirit on the Apostles at Pentecost marks the beginning of the time of the Church. Filled with the Spirit, the Apostles preach in many languages symbolising the universal nature of the Church's Mission. All people, regardless of race or language are welcome in Christ's Church. Indeed, membership of the Church is not based on ethnic origin but on love, the greatest of the Spirit's gifts. Everyone moved by love is a son or daughter of God.



Drapes

Next week we return to gold banners as we celebrate the great feasts of Trinity and Corpus Christi the following two weeks. Thank you to those who can swap over the drapes after our Mass today.

On Care for Our Common Home -

Commencing 14 June from 7.30pm, nine fortnightly dialogue sessions will be conducted online by the Archdiocesan Caring for Creation Movement. Learn about these crucial teachings from Pope Francis' encyclical **Laudato Si'** on caring for God's creation – a task that he addressed to everyone on Earth. Information: Roger Paul Tel: 0421612572 or LaudatoSiACT@gmail.com. Please register with TryBooking: <https://www.trybooking.com/BZMCP>.

We pray:

Breathe into me, Spirit of God,
That I may think what is holy.
Drive me, Spirit of God,
That I may do what is holy.
Draw me, Spirit of God,
That I may love what is holy.
Strengthen me, Spirit of God,
That I may preserve what is holy.
Guide me, Spirit of God,
That I may never lose what is holy.
St. Augustine

Prayer

God of surprises,
Sometimes when I really stop to think about all of this-
Your revelation to Abraham and our ancestors,
Your desire to enter into Covenant with us-
Wild mistake-makers though we are-
Your decision to become human in Jesus,
Your generous and merciful love for every human being through Him,
Your humble acceptance even of death on a cross,
Your resurrection from a death we thought absolute,
Your appearances that encouraged even the hardest hearts,
Your return to the heavens and descent in the form of the Spirit,
Your guidance and inspiration in every age since-
When I really stop to think about all this,
I'm so awestruck I don't know what I feel or think or believe-
I'm stuck staring at the sky like the disciples.
But I do believe, O Lord, this is why I come to you in prayer,
But deepen my belief, give it a sense of awe and amazement,
An awe and amazement that doesn't paralyse me but sends me forth,
A loving witness to your love.
Amen. *Garrett Gundlach, SJ*

Breathing is made up of two stages: inhaling, the intake of air, and exhaling, the letting out of air. The spiritual life is fed, nourished, by prayer and is expressed outwardly through mission: inhaling and exhaling. When we inhale, by prayer, we receive the fresh air of the Holy Spirit.

Pope Francis



*Holy Spirit,
Divine Power,
in our deepest
being,
is always at
work within us*



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