

**May They Rest in Peace:** Marlene Elliott, Rodney White, Robert Sisson, Gerard Carlon,  
**Anniversaries:** Mary Malone, John Beath, Marlene Elliott, Winifred Elliott,  
**Sick / Pray for:**

**1 collection (green bag)-**

Central collection for the Clergy

**\*\*2 collection (red bag) – Taralga Parish account** to pay for insurance, electricity, hosts, bulletins, gas, heating, fuel for priests travel, etc etc.  
 This account is used to pay all the **parish expenses!**

**PLANNED GIVING:**

There are several ways you can support the ongoing expenses for the Taralga Parish.

- **Pg envelope**, weekly, f/n, monthly
- **Direct debit**-set up a payment automatically
- **Credit card**-set up automatic payment.
- **EFT**- we can give you bank details and you can transfer money into account.  
 (Electronically only/ not over the counter at the bank.) Taralga Parish Account  
 BSB 062 786  
 Account no. 000015023  
 Reference- Surname- pg

ROSTER:	6pm
<b>Acolytes</b>	
7/4	Geoffrey C
14/4	Pat K
<b>Readers</b>	
7/4	Mona Mcl
14/4	Lyn M
<b>Offertory</b>	
7/4	Fergine C
14/4	Prue & Elaine
<b>EMHC</b>	
7/4	Linda W
14/4	Leone W
<b>Cleaners &amp; Flowers</b>	Lyn, Kara
<b>P/Faithful April</b>	T McDonald C'well



**Taralga**  
**MASS TIMES:**  
 Saturday 6.00pm Sept-May  
 5.00pm (Winter June-Aug.)

Ss Peter & Paul's: Saturday (6.pm)  
**(5.00pm Winter June-Aug.)**  
 Our Lady of Fatima 7.00am Sunday  
 Ss Peter & Paul's 10.00am Sunday

Crookwell 9.00 am. SUNDAY  
 Binda 10.30 am Sunday (1,2,3 Sun. month)  
 Tuena 11.30am 5<sup>th</sup> Sun. of the month.

**BAPTISMS:** During the 6pm Mass  
**Bookings are made through the office.**

**WEDDINGS:** all weddings must be booked through the Mission office for all churches.

**Clergy:** Fr D McDermott,  
 Parish Administrator.  
 Fr L Gisa, Ass. Priest

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THE GOULBURN MISSION  
**Christ The King Parish**  
**Taralga 7.4.18**

[Parish Established 1929]

2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday Easter YrB

**Entrance Antiphon:** Like newborn infants, you must long for the pure, spiritual milk, that in him you may grow to salvation, alleluia.

**Responsorial Psalm:** 117:2-4. 15-18. 22-24. R. v.1  
 Give thanks to the Lord for he is good, his love is everlasting

**Left:** Let the sons of Israel say:  
 'His love has no end.'  
 Let the sons of Aaron say:  
 'His love has no end.'  
 Let those who fear the Lord say:  
 'His love has no end.'

**Right:** The Lord's right hand has triumphed;  
 his right hand raised me up.  
 I shall not die, I shall live  
 and recount his deeds.  
 I was punished, I was punished by the Lord,  
 but not doomed to die.

**Left:** The stone which the builders rejected  
 has become the corner stone.  
 This is the work of the Lord,  
 a marvel in our eyes.  
 This day was made by the Lord;  
 we rejoice and are glad.

**Gospel Acclamation:** Alleluia, alleluia!  
 You believe in me, Thomas, because you have seen me; happy are those who have not seen me, but still believe! Alleluia!

**Easter Sunday Readings: 1/Acts 4:32-35**  
**2/ 1 Jn 5:1-6 Gospel: Jn 20:19-31**

### **Communion Antiphon:**

Bring your hand and feel the place of the nails, and do not be unbelieving but believing, alleluia.

### **Vocation Prayer:**

Gracious and loving God  
We come before you humbly asking for your blessing.

Through Jesus, you invited us to ask for workers in your vineyard.

Look with favour on our parishes,

And bless us with men and women who

respond generously to your call

To priesthood, diaconate and religious life.

Bless us with generosity to encourage and support these people.

Help us all to be good and faithful witnesses to your love,

And especially bless those called to leadership in our Church.

We make this prayer in the name of Jesus, our priest, prophet and king. Amen

### **Prayer of Commissioning:**

By this holy sacrament, bring to our brothers and sisters the greatest of all gifts, the one who has given himself, Christ Jesus our Lord.

### **Banking:** Thank you for your continued support!

Clergy Acc. **1<sup>st</sup> Coll:** 31/3 \$111.50 23/3 \$229.40

Parish Acc **2<sup>nd</sup> Coll:** 31/3 \$205.00 23/3 \$182.90

Holy Lands (Archdiocesan Appeal) \$261.45

### **A Message of thanks!**

- to John Corby for setting up crosses at town entry and for Stations of the Cross at Gray Park.
- to Walter for trimming of the hedges.

*Thanks also to all who assisted with Easter celebrations.*

### **Taralga has its own website.**

[cg.org.au/taralga/Home.aspx](http://cg.org.au/taralga/Home.aspx)

Bulletins for, rosters, sacramental updates, parish news, Mass times. We are always looking for items to include from the Taralga parish, if you would like anything uploaded please email into Sharon.

## **Taralga Parish needs your support!**

### **Parish Pastoral Council:**

We have a vacant position on the Parish Council.

The Parish Council meets quarterly, a Saturday afternoon. They are an active pastoral group in the parish.

If interested please advise Fr Dermid Mission Office, Goulburn by the 28th April.

**MINISTRY Volunteers needed:** in assisting with Acolyte, reading, cleaning, or offertory - please contact Lyn Murphy. Training will be organised, Fr Lolisio has offered to help out.

### **Mission News:**

**Baptism enrolment** Wed. 18<sup>th</sup> April 7.30pm in SPP meeting Room, Verner St Goulburn. Ring the Mission office to book in.

- **A TRAY is left in the Sacristy** for anything you would like to be sent in for Father/s or the office.
- **MASS OFFERINGS:**  
If you would like to have a Mass offered for an intention, Anniversary, sick, or deceased, please write details (envelopes provided) and drop them into the collection bags, or they can be placed in the tray which is in the sacristy.

Children activity sheets relating to the Gospel are available each week at the entrance.

### **Anniversaries -April**

Blanche Mooney 26/4/71

Winifred Connor 10/4/72

John Fitzgibbon 29/4/88

Winifred Elliott 3/4/94

Josie Croker 22/4/98

Leo Chalker 15/4/05

Pat Blay 5/4/17

Bessie James 29/4/17

Clara Connor 2/4/80

Mick Webb 6/4/76

Emmet Corby 23/4/92

Babe Cummins 23/4/95

Kevin Quig 1/4/05

Kevin Mooney 9/4/07

Val Elliott 18/4/17

**Reflection:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday Easter.



This gospel is one of transformation. The fear of the disciples is transformed by the gift of peace and the doubt of Thomas is transformed by his encounter with the risen Jesus. With this transformation, however, comes responsibility. The disciples are not to simply bask in the joy of Christ risen but are sent to continue the mission of Jesus in the world: 'As the Father sent me, so I am sending you.'

When Thomas is told by his companions that they have seen Jesus, he places his own conditions on faith. He will not believe unless he sees. Jesus must fulfil the expectation that Thomas has. The following week, he is forced to confront this and is brought to realise the pointlessness of imposing conditions on God. Only then can he see that God's ways are often surprising. Only after accepting this truth does Thomas come to understand what faith really is.

### **DID YOU KNOW?**

The period from Easter Sunday to Pentecost is known as the Great Fifty Days and is an integral part of the Lent-Easter- Pentecost cycle.

There is an ancient tradition that Thomas preached the gospel as far east as India.

In Aramaic, the language spoken by Jesus, the name of Thomas means 'twin'.

(The Summit)