May They Rest in Peace: Gloria McAlister, Noreen

Rowe

**Anniversaries**:

31/3 \$ 198.00

Prayer List: Mary Mooney, Joyce O'Brien, Ena Webb

Diane Secomb (Craig),

### **PLANNED GIVING:**

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

- > **Pg envelope**, weekly, f/n, monthly
- > **Direct debit**-fill in form- set up a payment so it pays 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

Which bag covers what ???? Banking:

Clergy Acc. 1st Coll: GREEN- to Canberra

23/3 \$ 212.65 Parish Acc 2<sup>nd</sup> Coll: **RED to Taralga** 

23/3 \$ 278.10 31/3 \$ 195.00

Acolyte	6/4	Pat K
	13/4	Shaun F
Readers	6/4	Lyn M
	13/4	Sarah F
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Offertory	6/4	Cathy W
	13/4	Prue & Elaine
MHC	6/4	Linda W
	13/4	Leone W
Cleaning & flowers	April	Vicki, Cheryl, Trish
Prayers F	April	T McDonald C'well



MASS TIMES:

**Taralga** Saturday 6.00pm Sept-May

5.00pm (Winter June-Aug.)

Ss Peter & Paul's: Saturday (6.pm)

(5.00pm May-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) 11.30am 5th Sun, of the month. Tuena

Reconciliation: OLOF Church, Nth Goulburn 9.30am Saturday mornings

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

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

**Cleray:** Fr D McDermott,

Parish Administrator. Fr L Gisa, Ass. Priest Sr Carmel Piffero RSJ Retired Pastoral Associate:

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# THE GOULBURN MISSION Christ The King Parish Taralga [Parish Established 1929]

5 Sunday Lent Yr 6/4/19

Entrance Antiphon: Give me justice, O God, and plead my cause against a nation that is faithless.

From the deceitful and cunning rescue me, for you, O God, are my strength.

Responsorial Psalm: 125. R. v.3

**R** The Lord has done great things for us; we are filled with joy.

**Left:** When the Lord delivered Zion from bondage, it seemed like a dream. Then was our mouth filled with laughter, on our lips there were songs.

**Right:** The heathens themselves said: 'What marvels the Lord worked for them!' What marvels the Lord worked for us! Indeed we were glad.

**Left:** Deliver us, O Lord, from our bondage as streams in dry land. Those who are sowing in tears will sing when they reap.

**Right:** They go out, they go out, full of tears, carrying seed for the sowing: they come back, they come back, full of song, carrying their sheaves. ®

## Gospel Acclamation:

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory! With all your heart turn to me, for I am tender and compassionate. Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!

**Readings:** 1/ Is 43:16-21

**2**/ Phil 3:8-14 -21 **Gospel:** Jn 8:1-11

### **Communion Antiphon:**

(only said if NO MUSIC)

Everyone who lives and believes in me will not die for ever, says the Lord.

### **Prayer for Vocations:**

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:**

Take this holy sacrament to our sisters and brothers who are sick. Like the woman in the Gospel, may they hear Christ speak words of tenderness and love to their hearts.

**Concerned Catholics:** Governance for our Church – Out of hope, not fear

Exploring the lessons of the Royal Commission and beyond for the future governance, leadership and culture of the Catholic Church

7:15 for 7:30pm. Tuesday 16 April The Chapel. 55 Blackall Street, Barton Australian Centre for Christianity and Culture

### Please donate to Project Compassion

2019 and help young people with disabilities gain access to clean water in the Solomon



Islands, providing hope for a brighter future.

#### Parish News:

### An Ecumenical 'Stations of the Cross'

service will be held on Good Friday in Gray Park Taralga commencing at 1.30pm - All Welcome.

Prayer group meetings 3rd Wed. of each month

#### **MISSION NEWS:**

#### MISSION RECONCILIATION TIMES- EASTER:

Goulburn: Tues. 9 April- 6pm SPP
Taralga: Wed. 10 April -6pm CTK
Crookwell: Thurs. 11 April-6pm STM

## Invitation

## Opening up to sinfulness

Throughout Lent we have been bringing our boxed up sins to the altar.

### Wednesday, 10 April at 6.00pm

we have an opportunity to open up our sinfulness to forgiveness

This is a non-threating Communal Liturgy of Reconciliation and you will be given an examination of conscience to help you open up to God.

Readings next week: Palm Sunday

1/ Is 50:4-7 2/ Phil 2:6-11 **Gospel:** Lk 22:14 - 23:56

# POLIFEMY female vocal ensemble TENEBRAE

Palestrina: Lamentations of Jeremiah Arvo Pärt: Peace upon you, Jerusalem St Peter & Paul's, Sun. 14 April, 2:30 pm Tickets at door \$20; under-12 \$5

#### **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 5 Sunday Lent**

## **Exploring The Word**

This gospel combines the themes that have been emerging during Lent: the goodness and mercy of God and the need for repentance. It is an interesting exercise to



concentrate on the woman in this story. She is dragged in by the religious authorities to be used as a 'thing' to test Jesus. In this early phase of the encounter. Jesus does not look at the woman or acknowledge her presence but addresses his response to the crowd and to the scribes and Pharisees. It is only after they have left the scene in shame that he turns his attention to the woman and establishes personal contact with her, confirming that she is a human person and not a 'thing'. The intimacy of his address to her as 'Woman' echoes the term he uses in addressing his mother (John 2:4, John 19:26). Jesus neither condemns nor condones. He simply accepts the woman as she is and invites her to a new life. It is acceptance and love that allows repentance and change to occur in others.

Have you had the experience of being Unconditionally loved and accepted by another? Who are those people in your life who you love and accept unconditionally?

Have you ever been too hasty in your judgment and condemnation of others?

Have you ever been forgiven by someone for an offence you committed against them? How did you feel?

Have you ever experienced the condemnation of others? How did you feel?

Is there someone who is on the outer to whom you can offer support this week?

Being a Christian demands constant re-conversion. Often we fail to live up to the promise of our new life, so we need to undergo many experiences of conversion to orient ourselves again to God. (The Summit)