12 Sunday Ord. Time A

Entrance Antiphon:

The Lord is the strength of his people, a saving refuge for the one he has anointed.

Save your people, Lord, and bless your heritage, and govern them for ever.

Communion Antiphon:

The eyes of all look to you, Lord, and you give them their food in due season.

Dear Parishioners,

This week I have a beautiful poem titled *Be thankful* by Terence B. Lester for our reflection.

Be Thankful

Be thankful that you don't already have everything you desire. If you did, what would there be to look forward to?

Be thankful when you don't know something, for it gives you the opportunity to learn.

Be thankful for the difficult times. During those times you grow.

Be thankful for your limitations, because they give you opportunities for improvement.

Be thankful for each new challenge, because it will build your strength and character.

Be thankful for your mistakes. They will teach you valuable lessons.

Be thankful when you're tired and weary, because it means you've made a difference.

It's easy to be thankful for the good things. A life of rich fulfillment comes to those who are also thankful for the setbacks. Gratitude can turn a negative into a positive. Find a way to be thankful for your troubles, and they can become your blessings.

May God bless you. Fr Joshy

Notices:

Student Welfare Officer: Ss Peter and Paul's Primary School, Goulburn have received funding under the National Chaplaincy programme for a suitably qualified person to be employed as a Student Welfare officer. The position will be 10 hrs per week for Term 3 & 4 2020 school year. The role could be extended for a further 2 years. Applications close 25th June. For more information and a role description email: office.sppg@catholic.edu.au or Phone 48213304

St Vincent de Paul Update.

We thank all who have assisted our Conference in the last 12 months. Most are aware that St Vincent de Paul Society is a lay Catholic organisation that seeks to live the Gospel message by serving Christ in the poor with love, respect, and Justice and by working to shape a more just and compassionate society.

We continue to offer assistance in the form of food, warm winter clothing and help with the payment of gas and electricity bills for those facing financial hardship. Our current hours are 1.00 to 3.00 on Monday, Thursday and Friday and 9.30 to 12 .00 on Wednesday. Appointments please ph 48285971.

MISSION MASS TIMES- UPDATED

Weekday Masses Goulburn. Commencing Tue.23.6.20

Tuesday 5pm (OLOF)

Wednesday & Thursday – 8am (OLOF)

Friday – 12noon (Cathedral) Saturday – 9am (OLOF)

MISSION Weekend Masses: Commencing 4/5 July

Saturday - 5pm (Cathedral), 5pm (Taralga) Sunday - 7am (OLOF), 10 am (Cathedral),

9am (Crookwell)

Binda –10.30am (1st Sunday)Marulan –8am (2nd Sunday)Tarago –8am (3rd Sunday)

CONFESSIONS: Saturday 9.30am OLOF

COLLECTIONS: the bags cannot be passed around. We have boxes in the centre for you to drop your offerings into.

GREEN- 1st/central clergy fund RED-2nd/ support the parish.

ONLINE MASS: 7am Sunday

PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES ALL PARISHES: Planned giving envelopes will be order this Thursday. At \$10 cost per box-I encourage you to embrace the electronic giving, which would make our administration a lot more efficient and less expensive. I thank you sincerely for your generosity to our Parish, especially the new people who joined the planned giving. Together we make a difference and do great things. May the Lord bless you and protect you.

Taralga: Parish 2nd collection acc details BSB 062 786 ACC 000015023 Reference: pg+ (env no or Surname)

over the counter at a bank branch.

BSB 062-902 Account Number: 00903419 Reference: 80145 + pg no + (surname)

If you decide to EFT or set up DD- please let Sharon know and a reference number will be given, and Env. Box Cancelled.

PARISH BULLETIN

If you know of anyone who would like to receive the Parish Bulletin by email please ask them to contact Parish Office on 02 6239 9863 or email: goulburn@cg.org.au

Recently Deceased:

Janet Blake, Thelma Kennedy, Sybil Evans, Patricia O'Rourke, Glenn Greenwood, Craig Kooyman, Sr Stephanie Duck rsm, Graham Doust, Francis Dunlea, Robert Welch, Sr Rita Corbett rsj, Marjorie Beaver, Kenneth Mosbey, Susan Spackman, Kevin Todkill, Ian Clune, Colleen Cotter,

Anniversaries:

Delia Hanrahan, Don Campbell, Barbara Lannan,

Prayer List:

Pauline Taylor, Dawn Cummins, Robyn Smart, Terry Druett, Marianne Barling, Dorothy Kennedy, Gypsy Eldridge, Joselyn Raunjak, Dr S Krishnan