



TEMORA SACRED HEART MISSION

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We acknowledge the traditional custodians of this land, the Wiradjuri peoples, Aboriginal peoples and Torres Strait Islander peoples. We pay our respects to the elders past, present and emerging, for they hold the memories, the traditions, the culture, and hopes of this land. We acknowledge that they have occupied and cared for this land over countless generations and we celebrate their continuing contribution to the life of our town and of this region. We also extend our respect to all Aboriginal peoples living in our community.

SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR C 23RD FEBRUARY 2025

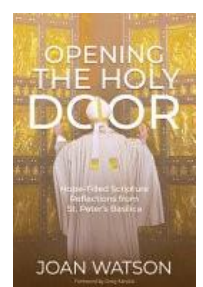
‘LOVE YOUR ENEMIES.’ THE WORDS OF JESUS WE HEAR IN TODAY’S GOSPEL ARE VERY CHALLENGING: ‘LOVE YOUR ENEMIES, DO GOOD TO THOSE WHO PERSECUTE YOU, FREELY PART WITH YOUR POSSESSIONS AND MONEY, DO NOT JUDGE, FORGIVE.’ IN BRIEF, WE ARE ASKED TO IMITATE THE UNCONDITIONAL COMPASSION AND LOVE OF GOD. THE CHALLENGE IS GREAT BUT SO IS THE REWARD. THE MORE WE GIVE TO OTHERS, THE MORE RICHLY WE ARE BLESSED.

Baptisms – We congratulate the families of Tori, Tex & Ari Heinjus and Indy, Tess & Gus Cartwright who were recently baptised.

Lenten Program - 2025 Lenten Program will be held at John and Nola Drums house at 128 Baker Street, Temora. Commencing on Thursday 13th March at 2pm. All welcome to come and participate.

World Day of Prayer – is being held at the Lutheran Church on Friday 7th March commencing at 10.00am. We would like to see a good representation from our church as next year we are the hosts. There is a flyer on the notice board.

2025 Jubilee Year of Hope - Online Book Group - Every 25 years, pilgrims from all over the world flock to Rome for a jubilee year to walk through a special door on the north side of St Peter's Basilica--the Holy Door. This bronze Holy Door uniquely depicts the salvation story, from the dawn of creation to the present, through sixteen panels that inspire the faithful to connect their lives to the timeless story of Jesus Christ. Join us as we embark on an armchair pilgrimage from home, reading Joan Watson's "Opening the Holy Door" with scriptural reflections that provide a meaningful way to commemorate the Year of Hope. Starting Thursday 6 March @ 8pm online. For more information contact Emily via innernorth@cg.org.au.



MASS TIMES

TUESDAY:	Mass	5.00pm
WEDNESDAY:	Mass	10.15am
THURSDAY:	Mass	10.00am
FRIDAY:	Mass	10.00am
SATURDAY:	Mass	10.00am
1 st March	Vigil Mass	6.00pm – TEMORA
SUNDAY		
2 nd March	Mass	8.00am - ARDLETHAN, 10.00am – BARELLAN, 5.00pm - TEMORA

EVENTS

10AM MASS SUNDAY 23RD FEBRUARY 2025

ACOLYTE:	P George	READER:	P Bleyer
PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL:	M Flakelar	ROSARY:	M Bremer
OFFERTORY PROCESSION:	J & J Tucker	MUSIC:	N Drum
ALTAR SERVERS:	J Nguyen & H Drumore		

6PM MASS SATURDAY 1ST MARCH 2025

ACOLYTE:	J Drumore	READER:	C Drumore
PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL:	K Irving	ROSARY:	P Connolly
OFFERTORY PROCESSION:	B & M Fritsch	MUSIC:	C Glasgow
ALTAR SERVERS:	J Cotton & J Collins		
PLANNED GIVING COUNTERS:	23 rd – J Morton & G Parsons	1 st – A & M Dehlsen	
CHURCH CLEANING:	1 st – J Morton's Team	15 th – D McKelvie's Team	

IF UNABLE TO ATTEND MASS PLEASE FIND OWN REPLACEMENT

First Collection for Sunday 16th February 2025 **\$479.65**. Second Collection for Sunday 16th February 2025 **\$711.10**

Church Cleaning – We are in urgent need of more church cleaning volunteers. If you can help out please contact Virginia at the parish office on 0448 780746 or email temora@cg.org.au.

Cursillo Retreat, Fri 4 – Sun 6 April, St Clement's, Galong



A Cursillo is a short course in Christian living. In a series of talks and meditations, we will explore and reflect on faith and its relevance in today's world. The three days grow into a personal experience, as we encounter faith in relation to self, Christ and others.

Contact Michael and Erica michaelderaadt@gmail.com. More information is available at <https://bit.ly/cursillo2025>.

First Eucharist – Important Dates – First Eucharist Enrolment at Mass Sunday 23rd February 10am & 5pm Mass, Saturday 1st March 6pm Mass, Sunday 2nd March 5pm Mass. First Eucharist Retreat Day Friday 28th March. Sacrament of First Eucharist Sunday 30th March.

Parish Safeguarding Commitment – Sacred Heart Parish Temora is committed to safeguarding and upholding the rights of all our children and vulnerable people. We seek to empower children, their families and carers, and vulnerable people, to have a say, to be listened to, and to be protected. Parishioners are encouraged to raise any concerns they may have by emailing Kim Irving at temora.safeguarding@cg.org.au. Parishioners are also welcome to contact Maria Hicks, Manager for the Archdiocesan Institute for Professional Standards & Safeguarding (IPSS) at ipss@cg.org.au or phoning 02-62399806.

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK:

Danny Pinney
Lyn Gilchrist
Trish Harmon
Greg Gaynor
Rosemary Blachut
Brian Hughes
David Rolfe
Joy Cronin
Chris Morton
Janelle Bland
Beryl Muir
Jim Clancy
Cliff Cook
Michael Brady
Mavis Murphy
Noel Rigney-Johnson

Could you please contact the presbytery if you are aware of any changes to our sick list.

MASSES OFFERED:

Ted Connolly
Anne Morton
Joan Preston

DECEASED:

Kevin O'Dwyer
Dr Kamath
Lyn Newton

ANNIVERSARIES:

Merv Holden
Arthur Derrick
Stephen Svetec
Ray McCormack
Kathleen Guthrie
John Michael
Bernie Gaynor
Len Henman
Annie Moller
Verna Lange
Patricia Golden
Doug Hayes
Gordon Lynch

