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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.

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT YEAR B 25TH FEBRUARY 2024

‘LISTEN TO HIM.’ JESUS REVEALED HIS ONENESS WITH SINFUL HUMANITY BY HIS BAPTISM IN THE RIVER JORDAN. ON THE MOUNT OF TRANSFIGURATION HE REVEALED HIS ONENESS WITH GOD WHO PROCLAIMS, ‘THIS IS MY SON, THE BELOVED. LISTEN TO HIM.’ IT TAKES FAITH TO LISTEN TO JESUS, WHO TEACHES THAT THE PATH OF LIFE LEADS ALONG THE WAY OF THE CROSS. BUT, AS ABRAHAM LEARNED, IF WE PUT OUR FAITH IN GOD OUR REWARD WILL BE GREAT.

2024 Lenten Program – Is being held during Lent at John and Nola Drum’s home at 128 Baker Street every Thursday at 2pm with a cuppa afterwards. If you have mobility issues, there is an entrance from the rear of the property to a ramp into the house. Everybody is welcome to join in. Please contact Nola on 0448436046 if you are coming.

Lenten Message – Copies of 2024 Lenten Message from Pope Francis are available on the table at the back of the church.

Farewell for Fr Alex – After Mass on Sunday 25th February, there will be a parish BBQ to farewell Fr Alex. Meat will be provided. Everyone is asked to bring a salad to share and their own drinks. All welcome.

Project Compassion –After the birth of her children, 22-year-old **Ronita** was at risk of having to leave school permanently. But, with the support of Caritas Australia’s partners in the Philippines, she resumed her studies and secured a job at a call centre to support her family. **Please donate to Project Compassion.** Together, we can help vulnerable communities face their challenges today and build a better tomorrow **for all future generations.** You can donate through Project Compassion donation boxes and envelopes available from your parish, by visiting caritas.org.au/project-compassion or by calling 1800 024 413.

**PROJECT
COMPASSION**

Canberra-Goulburn Cursillo Retreat – Will be held from 12th to 14th April 2024, St Clements Retreat Centre, Galong. A Cursillo retreat offers you the opportunity to deepen your faith life through a program of talks, meditations and prayer. Consider Christ's invitation to renew your relationship with Him and share friendship with others. Contact: irmandjoe@gmail.com. Info and registration <https://bit.ly/cursillo24>.

MASS TIMES

TUESDAY:	Mass	5.00pm
WEDNESDAY:	Mass	10.00am
THURSDAY:	Mass	10.00am
FRIDAY:	Mass	10.00am
SATURDAY:	Mass	10.00am Reconciliation 10.20am
2 nd March	Mass	6.00pm – TEMORA
SUNDAY:		
3 rd March	Mass	8.00am – ARDLETHAN , 10.00am - BARELLAN

MEETINGS

10.00AM MASS SUNDAY 25TH FEBRUARY 2024

ACOLYTE:	P Bleyer	READER: M Sleigh
PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL:	J McKelvie	ROSARY: M Bremer
ALTAR SERVERS:	B Krause & J Collins	MUSIC: Colin, Sharron, Renae
OFFERTORY PROCESSION:	B & M Fritsch	

6.00PM MASS SATURDAY 2ND MARCH 2024

ACOLYTE:	J Drumore	READER: C Tucker
PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL:	L Schulz	ROSARY: M Bremer
ALTAR SERVERS:	J Oliver & H Drumore	MUSIC: C Glasgow
OFFERTORY PROCESSION:	M & H Britton	
PLANNED GIVING COUNTERS:	25 th – R Coleman & J Goode	2 nd – J Morton & G Parsons
CHURCH CLEANING:	3 rd – J Drum's Team	17 th – G Gaynor's Team

IF UNABLE TO ATTEND MASS PLEASE FIND OWN REPLACEMENT

First Collection for Sunday 18th February 2024 **\$195.00**. Second Collection for Sunday 18th February 2024 **\$862.80**.

First Collection - The 'First Collection' is to support priests and retired priests. If you would like to contribute electronically to the 'First Collection' then you can deposit directly into the Central Presbytery Fund account, Catholic Archdiocese of Canberra & Goulburn. Please use your surname and Temora as the reference, eg Smith Temora. BSB: 062 786 No: 000029248 Central Presbytery Fund.

Second Collection - The 'Second Collection' (Parish Planned Giving) is for the maintenance and day to day running of our parish. If you would like to contribute electronically to the 'Second Collection' (Parish Planned Giving) then you can deposit directly into the Sacred Heart Parish Temora account, Catholic Archdiocese of Canberra & Goulburn. Remember to include your Name and Ref No: 140s11.1. BSB: 062 786 No: 000015031 Sacred Heart Parish Temora. We also have collection boxes (one for the First Collection and one for the Second Collection) where you can place money/envelopes.

New Smart Terminal – Our Tap and Go Machine has been replaced with a new Smart Terminal at the back of the church. Payments are made the same way as you do on the Tap and Go Machine except that now there are four payment options - \$5, \$10, \$20 or you can choose your own amount. Payments are distributed using the same process as the Tap and Go Machine – 30% of your payment will go to Clergy (1st collection) and 70% to our Parish (2nd collection). Thank you for your generous contributions.

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 Fr Sijo at the parish office at temora@cg.org.au or phoning the office on 02-69772104. 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:

Lorraine Davies
Brian Hughes
David Rolfe
Joy Cronin
Chris Morton
Janelle Bland
Beryl Muir
Jim Clancy
Cliff Cook
Allan Pinney
Pat Morton
Michael Brady
Carly Ison
Mavis Murphy
Rita Martin
Arch Francis Carroll
Noel Rigney-Johnson
Kathy Norman
Dillon Wells

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

MASSES OFFERED:

Lance Cariddi

DECEASED:

Brian Williamson

ANNIVERSARIES

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