



# TEMORA SACRED HEART MISSION

INCORPORATING THE PARISHES OF TEMORA/BARMEDMAN,  
ARDLETHAN/ARIAH PARK & BARELLAN/BINYA

PARISH PRIEST – Fr Sijo Jose

## SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT YEAR C 8<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2024

**PREPARE A WAY FOR THE LORD. THE SEASON OF ADVENT IS A TIME IN WHICH WE PREPARE FOR THE LORD'S COMING. WE PREPARE FOR THE FEAST OF CHRISTMAS WHICH COMMEMORATES HIS FIRST COMING AS A CHILD IN BETHLEHEM. AND WE PREPARE ALSO FOR HIS FINAL COMING IN GLORY. WE DO THIS BY HEEDING JOHN THE BAPTIST'S CALL TO REPENTANCE, AND BY STRIVING FOR 'PEACE THROUGH INTEGRITY, AND HONOUR THROUGH DEVOTEDNESS'.**

**Second Sunday of Advent – Bethlehem Candle** – Today is the Second Sunday of Advent when we light the first two purple candles, the second called the 'Bethlehem Candle', as a reminder of Mary and Joseph's journey to Bethlehem.



**November Mass Offerings** - Relatives, family & friends of O'Dea & Bannon Families, Sisters of St Joseph, Relatives & Friends of Mai Pham & Hoai Nguyen, Ian Reinhold, Jack & Dorothy Kelly, Nora Wardleworth, Arty & Mona Reinhold, Relatives & Friends of Fran & Jim Cahill, For people in most need, Relatives & Friends of Christine McDougall, Lorraine Davies, Amos Davies, Seral Davies, Mary Davies, Whitehouse Family, Davies Relatives, Parents & Friends of Noel Rigney-Johnson, Drum Family, Hogan Family, Boschetti Family, Relatives, family & friends of Margaret New, Ted Connolly, Thomas & Bridget Connolly, Geoff & Joyce Goldsworthy, Allan Harriott, Wes & Eileen Holland, Libby Gaynor, Bruce Smith, Carmel Carroll, Relatives & Friends of Greg & Jan Gaynor, Sr Teresa OCD, Sr Marcella OCD, Mother Aimee OCD, Dulcie Sykes, Ray Sykes, Sr Maureen Sykes RSM, Br Cornan Sykes FMS, Br Peter Tullis OFM, Lauren Langrell, Joyce Peace, Allan Pinney, Shane O'Reilly, Colleen Kielkowski, Aileen McMullen, Raymond Green, Jennifer Simmonds, Aunty Maureen, Aunty Joan, Aunty Margaret & Uncle Bill, John Sykes, James Redmond, Isobell Povall, Tania Redmond, Lennie Redmond, Michael Redmond

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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.

## MASS TIMES

TUESDAY:	<b>Mass</b>	5.00pm
WEDNESDAY:	<b>Mass</b>	10.00am
THURSDAY:	<b>Mass</b>	10.00am
FRIDAY:	<b>Mass</b>	10.30am St Anne's Yr 6 Celebration Mass
SATURDAY:	<b>Mass</b>	10.00am <b>Reconciliation</b> 10.20am
14 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>Vigil Mass</b>	6.00pm – TEMORA
SUNDAY		
15 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>Mass</b>	8.00am – ARDLETHAN, 10.00am - BARELLAN

**MEETINGS** Carols in the Park – Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> December - 6.30pm – Gloucester Park  
St Anne's School Presentation – Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> December – 12pm – Town Hall

### 10AM MASS SUNDAY 8<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2024

ACOLYTE:	G Parsons	READER: P George
PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL:	C Glasgow	ROSARY: P Connolly
OFFERTORY PROCESSION:	M & H Britton	MUSIC: N Drum
ALTAR SERVERS:	H Drumore & J Cotton	

### 6PM MASS SATURDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2024

ACOLYTE:	A Reid	READER: A Letson
PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL:	M Sleigh	ROSARY: M Flakelar
OFFERTORY PROCESSION:	Irving Family	MUSIC: C Glasgow
ALTAR SERVERS:	J Oliver & B Krause	
PLANNED GIVING COUNTERS:	8 <sup>th</sup> – J Morton & G Parsons	14 <sup>th</sup> – M & C Tucker
CHURCH CLEANING:	8 <sup>th</sup> – J Morton's Team	22 <sup>nd</sup> – D McKelvie's Team

IF UNABLE TO ATTEND MASS PLEASE FIND OWN REPLACEMENT

First Collection for Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> December 2024 **\$255.15**. Second Collection for Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> December 2024 **\$768.10**.

**Carols in the Park** – Will take place on Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> December at Gloucester Park. There will be a sausage sizzle at 6.30pm followed by carols and town items at 7.30pm. BYO seating and a torch. In the case of bad weather Carols will be held at the Town Hall.

**Christmas Eve Mass** – Any school aged children interested in being involved in The Christmas Eve Mass in Callaghan Park at 6.30pm should contact (or ask their parents/guardians to contact) Anne-Maree Sleigh on 0457 450269.

### *Temora Mission Christmas Masses & Liturgies*

**Christmas Eve Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> December**  
Ardlethan (Liturgy) - 7.00pm  
Temora (Mass in Callaghan Park) - 6.30pm  
Barellan (Liturgy) - 6.00pm

**Christmas Day Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> December**  
Temora (Mass) - 9.00am



**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](mailto: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](mailto:ipss@cg.org.au) or phoning 02-62399806.

#### PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK:

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:

Aileen McMullen  
Allan & Patricia Matthews

#### DECEASED:

Patricia Matthews  
Fay Lynch  
Brian Hewett  
Allan Pinney

#### ANNIVERSARIES:

Mary Moir  
Fred Wood  
Jim Field  
Michael Taylor  
Jim Hodge  
Ellen Williamson  
Adam McGregor  
Bill Wicks  
Matthew Turner  
Shaun Brady

