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FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR A 9TH JULY 2023

'MY YOKE IS EASY.' DURING THE VIETNAM WAR A SOLDIER ONCE SAW A BOY CARRYING A CHILD ON HIS BACK. 'HE MUST BE HEAVY,' THE SOLDIER REMARKED. 'HE'S NOT HEAVY,' THE BOY REPLIED, 'HE'S MY BROTHER.' HOPEFULLY, WE EXPERIENCE THE YOKE OF JESUS AS LIGHT AND EASY. SERVING OTHERS AND LIVING THE GOSPEL CAN BE BURDENSOME AT TIMES BUT IT ALSO BRINGS FREEDOM AND JOY TO OUR HEARTS AND REST FOR OUR SOULS.

First Collection for Sunday 2nd July 2023 **\$305.60.** Second Collection for Sunday 2nd July 2023 **\$881.70.**

Aid to the Church in Need - One of the major works of Aid to the Church in Need is providing transport to priests, sisters, and catechists to reach the faithful, who are often at great distances and must go through difficult terrain. In 2022, ACN provided 1,253 pastoral vehicles. This included 564 cars, 406 bicycles, 252 motorcycles, 16 boats, 11 buses, and 4 trucks for the pastoral work of the Church – particularly in Latin America and Africa. Can you help us supply transport to priests and religious again in 2023? Visit www.aidtochurch.org/transport.

Archdiocesan Marriage Preparation Program – For engaged couples will be held on Wednesday 12th July from 5:00pm – 9:00pm. Includes FOCCUS questionnaire, dinner, evening formation program and a private, follow-up couple discussion with a CatholicCare counsellor. The cost for the whole package is \$300 per couple. Information and registration - www.marriagefamily.org.au. Enquiries: Helena Zobec marriage.preparation@cg.org.au or 0405 440 463.

Planned Giving Envelopes – Are ready for collection at the back of the church.

Catholic Mission - Produces a six monthly magazine — Mission Today — which explores the work of Catholic Mission and highlights the inspiring stories of lay and religious missionaries around the world. Copies of the magazine are available on the table at the back of the church. Please take one.

The Year of the Holy Spirit – A Pastoral Letter from Archbishop Prowse announcing the Year of the Holy Spirit is available on the table at the back of the church.

MASS TIMES

TUESDAY: No Mass

WEDNESDAY Mass 10.00am
THURSDAY Mass 10.00am
FRIDAY: Mass 10.00am

SATURDAY: Mass 10.00am, Reconciliation - 10.20am

15th July Mass 6.00pm – TEMORA

SUNDAY:

16th July Mass 8.00am – ARDLETHAN, 10.00am - BARELLAN

MEETINGS Christian Men's Breakfast – Saturday 15th July – 7.15am – Anglican Church Hall

10.00AM MASS SUNDAY 9TH JULY 2023

ACOLYTE: J Morton READER: R Sheridan PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL: J McKelvie ROSARY: M Flakelar ALTAR SERVERS: B Krause & J Collins MUSIC: C Glasgow

OFFERTORY PROCESSION: C & A McCrone

6.00PM MASS SATURDAY 15TH JULY 2023

ACOLYTE: P George READER: M Sleigh
PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL: L Schulz ROSARY: M Bremer
ALTAR SERVERS: J Oliver & H Drumore MUSIC: C Drumore

OFFERTORY PROCESSION: Tadeje Family

PLANNED GIVING COUNTERS: $9^{th} - M \& C$ Tucker $15^{th} - M \& J$ O'Callaghan **CHURCH CLEANING:** $9^{th} - J$ Morton's Team $23^{rd} - D$ McKelvie's Team

IF UNABLE TO ATTEND MASS PLEASE FIND OWN REPLACEMENT



Sr Colleen Howe, Sr Noelene Quinane, Fr Sijo Jose PP, Sr Mary O'Dea, Rick Firman OAM (Mayor) and plaque donors: Marie & Stephen Cooke.

emora Sacred Heart Parish has paid tribute to the late Father Phillip Harding, who left a most generous legacy for the painting and refurbishment of Sacred Heart Church. Completed, blessed and opened in 1908, the church has become the pride and joy of the Catholic community. Local history has it that donations to meet the original debt came in the form of gold nuggets on the collection plates. In its day, the church was said to be the most modern in NSW outside the cathedral cities.

Father Phillip Harding was appointed parish priest in 1984 and remained in place until his death in 2012. He is remembered as a man of integrity, compassion and gentle presence.



Father Harding's bequest to the parish was acknowledged and celebrated at the end of Mass on Sunday 25th June. A plaque of appreciation was unveiled and blessed by Father Sijo Jose, PP and witnessed by a grateful congregation. Celebrations continued with a BBQ lunch in St Joseph's Hall.

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK:

Carmel Holden Joy Cronin **Chris Morton** Sr Gerardine Agnew Janelle Bland Bervl Muir Jim Clancy Cliff Cook Patrick Cook Allan Pinney Pat Morton Michael Brady Carly Ison Mavis Murphy Rita Martin **Arch Francis Carroll** Noel Rigney-Johnson Kathy Norman Dillon Wells Lisa Skrypzack Len Haines Barry Keir Jack Williamson Could you please contact the presbytery if you are aware of any changes to our sick list.

MASSES OFFERED:

Kevin & Paul Bremer
Bill & Margaret Matthews
Bernadette Curtis
John & Daphne Porter
Mitchell Breust
Bruce Smith
Libby Gaynor

DECEASED:

Tom Haines Andy Harding Len Goode Audrey Cannon

ANNIVERSARIES

Ray Gaynor Bert Weise Joseph Falk Ralph Kahlefeldt Grace Haines Enid Howe John Sutton