

*Welcome to St Nicholas'
Catholic Parish Tamworth*
**For the
Thirty First Sunday in Ordinary
Time**
4th November 2018

Sunday cycle B Weekday cycle 1

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ENTRANCE: Forsake me not, O Lord, my God; be not far from me! Make haste and come to my help, O Lord, my strong salvation.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON: You will show me the path of life, the fullness of joy in your presence, O Lord.

SPECIAL DAYS THIS WEEK: Psalter Week 3
Friday The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica
Saturday St Leo the Great, pope, doctor

'YOU SHALL LOVE THE LORD YOUR GOD.' The commandment to love God with all one's being is kept constantly before the Jewish people. It is recited daily in prayer; written on a small scroll, it is worn on their person and enshrined at the entrance to their homes. To observe this commandment our love must embrace the whole of creation, especially our fellow human beings made in God's image.

St Nicholas' Liturgy this week:

Monday	St Nicholas' Mass 7am
Tuesday	St Mary's Mass 9am
Wednesday	St Nicholas' Mass 7am
Thursday	St Mary's Mass 9am
Friday	St Nicholas' Mass 7am
	The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica
Saturday	St Nicholas' Mass 9am
	St Leo the Great, pope, doctor
	Vigil Mass 6pm
Sunday	St Nicholas' 9.30am & 5.30pm
	St Mary's 7.30am Mass

TAMWORTH RECONCILIATION TIMES:
St Nicholas' Saturday 4pm – 5.30pm

USE OF THE PARISH TOILET- Could all parents accompany their children when they use the parish toilet at the back of the Church.

Home Visits: Any 'House Bound' Parishioners who would like a visit to their home from a Priest once a month, could you please contact the Parish office on 67662228.

Home Rosary Ministry - If anyone would like to host a Home Rosary, please contact the Parish Office on 67662228 or Eileen 0429667910.

Rosary & Adoration - After 7am Mass on Mondays till 8am.

COMING EVENTS

Clergy Retreat – November 11th – 16th.

Sunday November 25th at 5.30pm will be our next Youth Mass. The parts of the Mass will be covered by young people in our Parish. Those who are already rostered on this day will be contacted as a courtesy.

Australian Catholic Bishops' Conference Plenary Meeting – 26th – 30th November.

St Nicholas' Feast Day – Thursday 6th December at 9.30am. In preparation to the Feast of St Nicholas there will be a Novena Prayer sometime in November which will be said after Communion.

Calling all men – menALIVE Brisbane with menALIVE Armidale will conduct 'menALIVE Parish Weekend' – Sat & Sun 16/17 Feb 2019 – St Alberts College, Armidale, Ph Cathedral – 67722218 or armidalemenalive@gmail.com

Home Rosary: November 8 – Joan & Peter Newley – 6pm
: December 6 – Cheryl & Bill Higgins – 6pm

Parish Bulletin Deadline - All materials to be in by midday Wednesday. Contact the Parish Office 67662228 easttamworthparish@armidale.catholic.org.au

CHILDREN'S LITURGY: Children, who will be rostered, will be taking part in reading two of the Prayers of the Faithful each weekend at Mass. If any other children would like to participate, please contact the Parish Office.

We welcome this weekend at the 9.30am Mass, St Dominic's Class of 1968.

A suggestion was made from a Parishioner that we need to make provisions in the Church for people with disabilities or for people who use walkers/wheelchairs etc. Fr Christopher would like to know the thoughts of our Parishioners on whether this would be something we should consider and take to the Parish Pastoral Council & Finance Council for discussion. Please phone the Parish Office 67662228 or email easttamworthparish@armidale.catholic.org.au

The Annual Pink Ribbon Morning Tea & Cake Stall will be held THIS Sunday 4th November following the 9.30am Mass. Donations of cakes/slices etc will be gratefully received. Please take to the Meeting Room at the back of the Church before Mass. Please support this very worthwhile cause by attending the morning tea!

Fr Chris would like to have Adoration once a month, with music and ending with Benediction. We would like suggestions of a time and weekday that would suit Parishioners. Please email the Parish Office easttamworthparish@armidale.catholic.org.au or call on 67662228.

Columban Calendars & Christmas Cards – A limited number of both are available at the back of the Church. Calendars - \$8.00 & Cards (Pack of 10) - \$20.00. **PLEASE PUT MONEY IN CATHOLIC WEEKLY BOX**

For those who put their names down to learn how to use the New Defibrillator, the training will be in the coming weeks.

WEEKLY ROSTER – 3/4 November

St Nicholas' Saturday 6pm
Commentator: J O'Connor
Reader 1: Sr of Naz Reader 2: A Biju
Offertory: volunteers Ex Min: K Ackhurst
Altar Servers: S & L McMullen
Music: K Harvey
Collection: M Hawthorne/B Morton/G Cannon/B Campbell

St Mary's Sunday 7.30am
Commentator: volunteer
Reader 1: J Wallace Reader 2: L Vella
Offertory: volunteers Ex Min: volunteer
Altar Servers: A Downey Music: V Frost
Collection: J Conlon/P Heffernan/B Andren/J Vella/B Higgins

St Nicholas' Sunday 9.30am
Commentator: G Mahony
Reader 1: P Prisk Reader 2: L McSweeney
Offertory: volunteers Ex Min: R English/L Hughes
Altar Servers: S Robertson/S & C Myers
Music: St Nicholas Choir
Collection: T Kilroy/M Gruer/J Cox

St Nicholas' Sunday 5.30pm
Commentator: P Flynn
Reader 1: P Hagley Reader 2: A Hagley
Offertory: volunteers Ex Min: H Buckman
Altar Servers: S Saji
Music: V Frost/R Richardson/E Best
Collection: volunteers
Counting Team: B Williams/D Cumming/S van Aanholt
Sacristy Roster: C Whitten
Altar Linen: M Rice/G & M Moy

Collection: 28 October/2018
1st Collection (Presbytery A/C): \$ 937.55
2nd Collection (Church A/C)
- Planned Giving \$ 1739.00
- Loose Collection \$ 175.00
- Total \$ 1914.00

NOVEMBER MASS LIST: The Family/Friends/Relatives & Benefactors of: P & J Woolaston, Trevor Perry, Betty Gaffney, Robyn English, Pauline Skewes.

For the repose of the soul of: John & Vera O'Dwyer, Lydia Marquet, Jackie Bastick, Kerry Gaffney, Joyce Mokobi, Neo Mokobi, Macaria Servidad, Benjamin Servidad, Lydia Javier, Rosalie Servidad, Ernesto Villaruel, Gloria Servidad, William Skannavides, Saturnena Biag, Marilyn Dela Cruz, Benigno Biag Jr. Espectacion Solares, Roel Biag, Marichell Biag, Albert Tang Hock. Maguire & Tufrey Families, Mary Wallace, Malcolm & Kathleen & Giles Wilkie, Bernard Gordon Alexander, Mary Edith Stoltenberg, Kenneth James Stoltenberg, Maria, Agostino, Vince, Maree, Mark Cavallaro, Barry Dunning, Graham Raphael, Michael Wall, Lester Morris, Roy Zenco, Camilleri Family, Vella Family, Zammit Family, Aquilina Family, Delmar Family, Robinson Family, Cavanagh Family, Abela Family, McGuirk Family, Pomponio Family.



WEEKLY ROSTER – 10/11 November

St Nicholas' Saturday 6pm
Commentator: C Allen
Reader 1: M Rowland Reader 2: M Rowland
Offertory: volunteers Ex Min: L Hansen
Altar Servers: R Biju/B & E Scott
Music: K Harvey
Collection: M Hawthorne/B Morton/G Cannon/B Campbell

St Mary's Sunday 7.30am
Commentator: J Nolan
Reader 1: J Newley Reader 2: J Murphy
Offertory: volunteers Ex Min: M Andren
Altar Servers: A Downey Music: V Frost
Collection: J Conlon/P Heffernan/B Andren/J Vella/B Higgins

St Nicholas' Sunday 9.30am
Commentator: J Sebastian
Reader 1: A Bowden Reader 2: A Davies
Offertory: volunteers Ex Min: M Keys/D Cumming
Altar Servers: E Riley
Music: St Nicholas Choir
Collection: T Kilroy/M Gruer/J Cox

St Nicholas' Sunday 5.30pm
Commentator: S van Aanholt
Reader 1: S Sommerlad Reader 2: J Campbell
Offertory: volunteers Ex Min: H Miles
Altar Servers: volunteer
Music: Pinoy Choir
Collection: volunteers
Counting Team: T Heazlett/L Koch/B Stewart
Sacristy Roster: L Prisk
Altar Linen: K Bryant/L Prisk

ANNIVERSARIES: November
Bernard Alexander, Dorothy Austin, Laurence Barber, Peter Booth, Errol Bourne, Carol Brodbeck, Mavis Burke, Pauline Burns, Marjorie Cameron, Patricia Carlton, Benjamin Chapman, Mary Cutmore, Robyn Dietrich, Ronald Dunn, Leslie Edwards, Edna Faint, Mons. Clarence Fisher, Gloria Gleeson, Jason Goodwin, Donald Hines, Nancie Hull, Margaret Hunt, Susan Johnson, Neil Kelly, Joan Knight, Patricia Maher, Amy McIlveen, Geoff Mooy, John (Max) Moroney, Peter Murphy, Alina Northey, Thelma O'Brien, Marlene Peters, Myrtle Power, Joan Pullman, Nellie Randall, Janice Robinson, Gladys Rogers, John Ryan, Claude Saunders, Beverley Seymour, Ivy Simcoe, Francis Single, Dorothy Stace, Harold Sullivan, Gwendoline Thurston, Robert Wall, Harold Walsh, Arthur White, Barry Wilson, Lucy Zayat.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK: Darren Graham; Margaret Brogan, Bill Press, Rita Sutton, Betty Garrett, Brindley Cavallaro (Sydney), Robert Sweeney, Nicole Tierney, Pat Mooney, Fr Tom Shanahan, Fr Bernie Melville, Ken Michell, Dalton Lewis, Brian Mercovich, Rita Wheaton.

RECENTLY DECEASED: Shirley Merchant & Dr Brian Ferguson.

SPECIAL INTENTIONS: Keith Blanch, Keith McCudden (Anniv. 30/10).

BAPTISMS: Through the Sacrament of Baptism we welcome, **Grace Bartlett.**

