



ST EDWARD'S CATHOLIC PARISH

[Mary Help of Christians Church]

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NEWS / ANNOUNCEMENTS

May Mary's pure and simple smile be a source of joy for each one of us as we face life's difficulties. - Pope Francis

Solemnity of Mary Help of Christians, Patroness of Australia

On Thursday 24th May at 10am, Liturgy of the Word and Communion will be held in the Church.

Mass Times

Tues 22/5 & Wed 23/5 No Mass

Thur 24/5 Solemnity MHOC 10am Liturgy of the Word/Communion

Tue-Thurs Nazareth House 9.30am Mass

Funeral Mass

Wed 23/5 10 am + Ted Owens

Cancellation of Papal Nuncio's Pastoral Visit

Due to last minute obligations in Rome, the Papal Nuncio's pastoral visit will not take place on the 10th of June. He hopes to reschedule for later this year.

Anniversary of Ordination

Fr Paul will be celebrating his 9th anniversary of ordination to the Priesthood of Jesus Christ on Saturday 26th May. Please say a decade of Rosary for him. Thank you!

First Holy Communion

1st Holy Communion Sun 3 June 9.00am

Piety Stall

Come in and have a browse at items suitable for your child/grandchild's First Communion. Photo frames, cards, rosary beads and much more.

Child Safe Parish

Please could all parish volunteers/ministers who have read the Child Safe Parish Document, please sign the declaration form that you have done this and return in a sealed envelope. Forms available from Fr Paul or the Piety Stall. Thank you!

Best Wishes

Margaret and Paul Halloran, long time parishioners, will be moving to Care near their son Peter and family in the Tweed Heads area. We wish them all the very best from everyone at St Edward's.

Volunteers needed

Volunteers are needed to "man" the Reception Desk at Nazareth House on weekends/Public Holidays. Two shifts each day, Saturday and Sunday, 9am-12.30 and 12.30-4pm. Duties: answering the phone, minor queries from visitors and the occasional chat with a resident. Police check required and will be attended to by Nazareth Care. A run down on the 'phone will be given to you before your first shift. Lunch/tea/coffee provided. If interested contact Cynthia Murray on 67696 695.

Mass Time and Liturgical Services

Weekends

Saturday Vigil 5.30 pm

Sunday 9 am & 5.30 pm

Weekdays

Monday 7.00 am

Tuesday - Friday 9.30 am

Anointing Mass

1st Wednesday of the

Month 9.30 am

Confession

Saturday 4.45 - 5.15 pm

Sunday 8.15 - 8.45 am

& 4.45 - 5.15 pm

or by appointment.

Baptism

Preparation Class, 2nd

Sunday of the Month 10 am

Baptism, 3rd Sunday of the

Month 10 am

or by appointment.

Wedding, Sick Call & Funeral *by appointment*

Plate Collections

1st Collection \$ 698.95

Envelopes PGP \$ 701.00

Loose \$ 50.00

*In your charity,
please pray with us for*

Our sick

Kitty Thomas

Michael Mulligan

Fr Tom Shanahan

John Gooley

Mary Wallace

Ricky Lee Peachy

Rita Sutton

Bayly Turner

Ignacio de Castro

Our deceased

Edwin (Ted) Owens

Felix Costales

Richard Penrith

Merv Ruttley

Doris Kelly

Frances (Fran) Gray

Roman Martyrology

21.5 St Christopher Magallanes and his Companions

22.5 St Rita of Cascia

23.5 St Gregory VII

24.5 Our Lady Help of Christians

25.5 St Bede the Venerable

26.5 St Philip Neri

*Omnes sancti M artyres,
or ate pro nobis*

Low Gluten Hosts

are available for people with coeliac disease, please advise priest before Mass.

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Gluten-free hosts are invalid matter and therefore cannot be consecrated at Mass.

Sick List

If you would like to add someone to the sick list please use the "sick list prayer request form" placed in the blue folder at the foyer.



<https://www.facebook.com/stedwardsouthtamworth>

Invitation : 120th Philippine Independence Day Celebration

On Sunday, 10 June, the Filipino Community of Tamworth will host the Annual Diocesan Celebration of the Philippine Independence Day at Mary Help of Christians Church, South Tamworth.

Thanksgiving Mass - 5.30 pm

Buffet Dinner and Cultural Show* - 7.00pm

Live Band and Disco* - 9.00 pm

*Ticket Prices: \$25 adult | \$15 (7-12 years old) | Free (0-6 years old)

attire: semi-formal, smart casual | drinks available for sale (No BYO)

RSVP & pay ticket by 3 June, use sign up sheet at the foyer.

Do you know that you can give your contribution by EFT?

To support the priests (1st collection):

A/C Name: St Edward's Church Presbytery Saving Account

BSB: 082 105 A/C No.: 001023592

To support the Church (Planned Giving Program, envelopes):

A/C Name: St Edward's Church Suspense Account

BSB: 082 105 A/C No.: 001002950

Prayer for Rain

Almighty God, we are in need of rain. We realise now, looking up into the clear, blue sky, what a marvel even the least drop of rain really is. To think that so much water can fall out of the sky, which now is empty and clear! We place our trust in You. Look on our dry hills, valleys and paddocks, dear God, and bless them with the living blessing of soft rain. We wait and watch for your gift of rain. Then the land will rejoice, and the rivers will sing Your praises, and our hearts will be made glad. Amen.

✠ Mary Help of Christians ✠ Pray for us

✠ St Edward, the Confessor ✠ Pray for us

✠ St Mary of the Cross ✠ Pray for us

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LITURGY ROSTER

The Most Holy Trinity/B 27th May 2018

	Vigil-5.30pm	9.00am	5.30pm
Acolyte		J Mahony (B)	P Manvell
Reader 1	J Doyle	D Pawsey	J Ringland
Reader 2	J Makepeace	M Pawsey	K Ringland
E.O. Mins	A Whitten	Y Benning	R Fisher
	J Davy	B Simpson	_____
Piety Stall	J MacRae	D Pawsey	L Hearne
Counters	this week:	G Tighe & A Robinson	
	next week:	G Smith & B Gordon	