



# ST EDWARD'S CATHOLIC PARISH

## [Mary Help of Christians Church]

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### NEWS / ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### **Marian Exhibition "Gratia plena" (full of grace) 13 - 31 May**

Monday - Friday 9.00am - 5.00pm

Saturdays: 9.00am - 6.30pm

Sundays: 8.00am - 11.00am & 4.00pm to 6.30pm

#### **Meeting**

Tuesday 6 June 5.30 pm All coordinators/leaders or representatives of different Parish Groups  
Venue: Presbytery

\* Liturgy Committee meeting is postponed, next meeting TBA

#### **First Friday Whole Day Eucharistic Adoration (cancelled)**

The whole day Eucharistic Adoration is cancelled to give way to the funeral of Mr Rodney Ball on Friday 2/6 at 2.30 pm.

#### **First Saturday Devotion**

03 June 8.00 am Rosary then Mass

#### **St Edwards Choir**

Rehearsals held every Monday, 5 – 6.30pm. New members welcome.

#### **First Holy Communion**

Lessons commenced last Wed 10th May, 4.00 pm. Please contact 67620 569 after hours for information. First Communion Sunday is the 18th June at 9.00am.

#### **Banns of Marriage (canonical requirements in the Philippines)**

We publish the banns of marriages for the **2nd time** for the following:

1. Jan Reyner Pineda Lugtu and Enna Gewell Cordero desired to contract marriage on 24 June 2017 at St Joseph Chapel II, Clarkfield Pampanga Philippines.
2. Juan Carlos Marucut Fernandez and Jennilee Siy Co desired to contract marriage on 30 September 2017 at San Lorenzo Ruiz Church, Gusa, Cagayan de Oro, Philippines.

Please inform the Parish Priest if any of you know cause or just impediment why these persons should not be joined together in Holy Matrimony. Please keep them in your prayers.

Information for the bulletin to be emailed to southtamworthparish@armidale.catholic.org.au or please drop a note to the Parish Office no later than Thursday afternoon

### Mass Time and Liturgical Services

#### **Weekends**

1st Saturday 9.00 am  
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*

#### **Collection**

Envelopes \$ 1131.00  
Loose \$ 73.50

#### *Let us pray for*

##### **Our sick**

Marie Mooney  
Daniel O'Sullivan  
Jack Dunn  
Kylie Burgess  
Norma Ryan  
Fr Peter McGrath  
Roslyn Smith  
Rita Sutton  
Elaine Graham  
Bayly Turner  
Liz Artis

Lorraine Parsons  
Peter Dawson  
Ignacio de Castro

##### **Our deceased**

Rodney Lawrence Ball  
Robert-Scott Hunter Marshall  
Denis O'Callaghan  
Rodney Craig  
Honorata Bernardo  
Rolando Bernardo  
Bernard Smith  
Bill Lowe

##### **Mass Intention**

27/5 + Erin Thomas

##### **Roman Martyrology**

29/5 St Madeleine  
30/5 St Joan of Arc  
31/5 The Visitation  
1/6 St Justin  
2/6 Sts Marcellinus and Peter  
3/6 St Charles Lwanga and Companions



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#### **Home Visitation**

If there is a parishioner in hospital, nursing home, homebound who you know would appreciate a visit from a priest, please contact the Parish Office.

#### **Free Mobile App**

Discover what is happening in our parish download **myFaith** mobile app available from **Apple App Store** or **Google Play**.

#### **Nazareth Care**

A meeting of the Nazareth Care Auxiliary will be held at Nazareth House on Thursday 22nd June at 2pm. All welcome and new members are always welcome.

#### **A Million Roses for Peace**

Join our parish campaign to pray a decade of the Holy Rosary every day with a specific daily intention and for every nation on earth so that war may end, famine may cease, terrorism may stop, justice may reign and only God's love and mercy may prevail. Register at the sign-up sheet and take a commitment form in the foyer. *"The family that prays together, stays together. The world at prayer is a world at peace."*

#### **The intentions for this powerful devotion are:**

Monday	For Christian Unity
Tuesday	For the Persecuted Christians
Wednesday	For the sick, elderly and the home bound
Thursday	For the victims of abuse, violence and abortion
Friday	For the increase of Priestly and Religious Vocations
Saturday	For the Holy Souls in Purgatory
Sunday	For our families and our personal intentions

#### **Catechesis: The meaning and significance of Altarpiece**

Altarpiece is a work of art that decorates the space above and behind the altar in a Catholic church. These artworks usually depict holy personages, saints, and biblical subjects.

If the Altar is a place where heaven is opened up and leads the praying church to the eternal liturgy. That means the Altar is the very threshold of heaven or the edge of heaven. The Altarpiece then is like a window through which the world of God comes out to us. The curtain of time is raised and we are allowed to glimpse into the inner life of the world of God. The Altarpiece allows us to glimpse heavenly realities by means of art and beauty. These arts are intended to insert us into the liturgy of heaven.

**ADIG We can all help** - All of the ADIG's work throughout the diocese is not possible without you. Call us to find out we can work together to support the community and Diocese.

#### **LITURGY ROSTER** Pentecost/A 4th June 2017

	Vigil-5.30pm	9.00am	5.30pm
<b>Acolyte</b>	T Ball	P Manvell (A)	J Mahony
<b>Reader 1</b>	J Milne	Family Mass	G Chapman
<b>Reader 2</b>	J Doyle		J Cronin
<b>E.O. Mins</b>	J Littlejohn K Pearson	J MacRae B Simpson	A Hogan —
<b>Piety Stall</b>	J Davy	D Pawsey	J Makepeace
<b>Counters</b>	this week: next week:	R Gorman & G Crocker G Smith & B Gordon	