



# ST EDWARD'S CATHOLIC PARISH

## [Mary Help of Christians Church]

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### NEWS / ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### Mass Changes

No Mass in the Parish Monday 10/9 to Friday 14/9  
Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion on Tuesday 11/9 9.30 am

#### Masses in the City

Monday, Wednesday, Friday St Nicholas' Parish 7.00 am

Thursday St Mary's Parish 9.00 am

Monday—Friday Nazareth House 9.30 am

#### ADIG Parish Distribution

This year the annual distribution from ADIG amounted to \$56 865.

Sincere thanks to Bishop Michael Kennedy and to ADIG for their continued support to the diocese.

#### Helping with English

Please help!!! We are looking for people to give time to teach basic English to immigrants. If you are able to help please see Fr Paul.

#### 2019 Columban Calendar

If you would like to order, please complete the sheet in the foyer. Cost \$10. Order close Sunday 23rd September.

#### Piety Stall

15 weeks until Christmas. Just arrived—Christmas Cards for sale. Pack of 8—\$3. Individual cards \$1.00 and \$2.50.

#### Defibrillator

Parishioners are encouraged to volunteer to be trained in how to use the AED (defibrillator), which is simple to use. Please complete the sheet in the foyer for training.

#### Palms Australia—Teachers

Teach with Timorese Teachers! Take your teaching skills to new heights in the mountains of Timor—contact Christine 9560 5333. For more opportunities, visit [palms.org.au/volunteer](http://palms.org.au/volunteer).

#### Documents Available on the Paper Table and on the Parish Website

1. Letter of His Holiness Pope Francis to the People of God
2. Media Statement from Australian Catholic Bishop's Conference (ACBC) and Catholic Religious Australia (CRA) on the Catholic Church's Response to the Royal Commission...
3. 57 Page Document on the ACBC and CRA Response to the Royal Commission into Institutional Responses to Child Abuse.

Information for the bulletin to be emailed to [southtamworthparish@armidale.catholic.org.au](mailto: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

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 \$581.90

Envelopes PGP \$1148.00

Loose \$29.50

Direct Debit Aug \$1360.00

*In your charity,  
please pray with us for*

#### Our sick

Filipina Perdito

Kylie Burgess

Jay Peachy

Sharon Erich

Julien Ryan

Johanna Turner

Michael Mulligan

Ricky Lee Peachy

Rita Sutton

Bayly Turner

Ignacio de Castro

#### Our deceased

Martin McKeon

Sandra Mary George

Vince Robinson

Wilma Lugatic

Barbara Connell

#### Mass Intentions

8.9 + Martin McKeon

9.9 + Joseph Brady

#### Roman Martyrology

10.9 St Thomas of Villanova

11.9 St Cyprian

12.9 Most Holy Name of the

Blessed Virgin Mary

13.9 St John Chrysostom

14.9 The Exaltation of the Holy Cross

15.9 Our Lady of Sorrows

*Omnes sancti Mátyres,*

#### 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.



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### UPCOMING EVENTS

#### St Eddie's Senior Lunch

Next lunch on Wed 19th Sept at Connections Cafe, run by Challenge, located in the old Bullimbal School, Johnson St Turn left at the hospital corner. \$10 for lunch incl tea/ coffee and slice. Please write your name in the book in the foyer or phone Anne 67656876.

#### Nazareth Care Fete

This year's fete will be held on 6<sup>th</sup> Oct. All the usual stalls, cakes, fresh produce, handicrafts, plants, treasures/trash, books, tombola. Morning tea and sausage sizzle to enjoy during the day. If you have donations, please deliver to Nazareth Care, or phone 67666221 to arrange collection.

#### Calling all men in the Parish

menALIVE Brisbane in conjunction with menALIVE Armidale will be conducting 2 conferences for men in our diocese. Please keep the dates free with further information to come.

*'The Importance of Fatherhood Today'* - Armidale

Thurs 11 Oct, Torreggiani Room 6 – 9.30pm, Sts Mary & Joseph Cathedral.

*'menALIVE Parish Weekend'* - Armidale

Sat & Sun 16/17 Feb 2019, St Alberts College. Times to be confirmed.

Contact Cathedral office 6772 2218 or [armidalemenalive@gmail.com](mailto:armidalemenalive@gmail.com) to indicate your interest and we will be in touch with you.

#### Retreat

Grief to Grace – Healing the Wounds of Abuse – is a spiritual retreat for anyone who has suffered degradation or violation through physical, emotional, sexual or spiritual abuse. The retreat will be held May 26<sup>th</sup> to May 31<sup>st</sup> 2019. To request an application contact Anne by emailing [info@griefftopeace.org.au](mailto:info@griefftopeace.org.au) or phone 0478599241. For more info visit [www.griefftopeace.org](http://www.griefftopeace.org)

#### 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.

V. Mary Help of Christians R. Pray for us

V. St Edward, the confessor R. Pray for us

V. St Mary of the Cross R. Pray for us

### LITURGY ROSTER

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time/B 16 September 18

	Vigil-5.30pm	9.00am	5.30pm
<b>Acolyte</b>		P Manvell (B)	J Mahony
<b>Reader 1</b>	G Smith	C Kelly	K Ringland
<b>Reader 2</b>	G Tighe	S Cunneen	K Bricknell
<b>E.O. Mins</b>	J Davy A Whitten	B Simpson Y Benning	R Fisher
<b>Piety Stall</b>	J Milne	R O'Rourke	J Makepeace
<b>Counters</b>	this week: next week:	G Tighe & A Robinson G Smith & B Gordon	