



OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY CATHOLIC PARISH TAREE

OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP CATHOLIC PARISH WINGHAM

Mass centres of Cundletown, Harrington, Lansdowne & Old Bar

PARISH PRIEST: Fr. George Anthicad **ASSISTANT PRIEST:** Fr. Victor Babu

PARISH OFFICE: MON - CLOSED; TUES - FRI - 9:00 am - 3:30 pm

ADDRESS: 75 Albert Street, Taree NSW 2430
P.O. Box 461

TEL: 02 65521084
FAX: 02 65516008

EMAIL: administration@tareeparish.org
WEBSITE: www.tareeparish.org

THE 25TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR C

22ND SEPTEMBER

THIS WEEK'S READINGS
22ND SEPTEMBER 2019

25TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FIRST READING: Am 8:4-7 The Lord God spoke against those who buy the poor for money.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Ps 112:1-2. 4-8. R. see vv. 1. 7 Praise the Lord who lifts up the poor.

SECOND READING: 1 Tm 2:1-8 Let prayers be offered to God for everyone; he wants all people to be saved.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: Alleluia! Alleluia!

Jesus Christ was rich but he became poor, to make you rich out of his poverty.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL: Lk 16:1-13 You cannot be slaves both of God and of money.

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS
29TH SEPTEMBER 2019

26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FIRST READING: Am 6:1. 4-7 You who give yourself to licentiousness and revelry will be exiled.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Ps 145:6-10. R. v.2 Praise the Lord, my soul!

SECOND READING: 1 Tm 6:11-16 Obey the commandments until the coming of the Lord.

GOSPEL: Lk 16:19-31 During your life good things came your way just as bad things came the way of Lazarus. Now he is being comforted while you are in agony.

Reflection

We are creatures of this world. We are made of it and we are totally dependent upon it for our very existence. We require its air, its water, its food, its heat. We need it for covering and for shelter; we need it to stimulate our minds and our spirits. Therefore, our use of its phenomenal resources cannot in itself be immoral. What is questionable is the character of our use.

There are many circumstances that contribute to the complexity of these matters. The merchant in the passage from Amos is not faulted because he was prosperous. Nor is the steward in the gospel criticised for putting resources aside for future use. But how much does a person need when there are others who are really needy?

We live our lives on the horns of a dilemma. We have the right to use and to enjoy the marvels of our world, but we cannot do this free of responsibility to each other and to the world itself. We are not called to disown the world. It is impossible for us to do that, because of our total dependence upon it. But we are called to live in it gently, using what we need and sharing what we can. We must make decisions as trustworthy stewards of the household of God, not like the man in the gospel who was only concerned with his own well being. We must serve God, not mammon.

© Dianne Bergant CSA

PRAYER LIST FOR TAREE & WINGHAM PARISHES

SICK: Rosh Barbagallo, Maureen Barrett, Pat Berry, Sue Berry, Maria Burgees, Jim Canty, James (Jimmy) Corben, Josh Corbett, Bev Crouch, Albert Dunne, Maree Dunne, Joan Edstein, Brendan Foster, Greg Fowler, Peter Hacksaw, Teddy Herrera, Trevor Holden, Camo Hyde, Terry Mason, Riely McCain, Ross McDonald, Tom McIntyre, Brenda McIntyre, Robert McGregor, Martin Murphy, Judy Nies, John Rush, Janora Senders, Marie Stanford, Rory Turnbull, Monica Walsh, Paul White, Tilby Marie Williams, Michael Wolfenden.

ANNIVERSARIES: Francis McDonald, Ted Kid, Reason Moama, John McGovern, Peter McGovern, Terry McGovern, Kay McLennan, Peter Lawrence King, Catherine Therese King

RECENTLY DECEASED: Coralie McDonald, Bryan Ryan

RESPONSORIAL PSALM



PARISH CALENDAR

MONDAY 23RD SEPTEMBER

PADRE PIO

1.45 pm Prayer for Priests

TUESDAY 24TH SEPTEMBER

9.30 am H'ton Liturgy of Word + Com

10.00am Women's Prayer Grp-Old Lib

10.30-11.30 am OB Church Open for
Prayer & Rosary

9.30-11 am T&W Library Open

12.00 pm Men's Bible Study Grp

5.30 pm Taree Mass

WEDNESDAY 25TH SEPTEMBER

8.50 am T MMP Prayer for Priests

9.30 am Taree Mass

**11.45am Mass at St Clare's High
School Taree**

5.30pm-Plenary Council Animator's
meeting at St Mary's Hall

THURSDAY 26TH SEPTEMBER

9.30 am Taree mass

2.30 pm Christian Meditation Group

FRIDAY 27TH SEPTEMBER

ST VINCENT DE PAUL

9.00 am Taree Mass

9.30 am Taree Exposition

11.00 am Wingham Mass

3.00 pm OB Exposition &MMP

SATURDAY 28TH SEPTEMBER

11.00 am Taree Reconciliation

5.30 pm Taree Rosary

6.00 pm Taree mass

6.00 pm Harrington mass

SUNDAY 29TH SEPTEMBER

26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7.00 am Old Bar Rosary

7.30 am Old Bar Mass

6.50 am Wingham Rosary

7.00 am Wingham Reconciliation

7.30 am Wingham Mass

9.00 am Taree Rosary

9.30 am Taree Mass

5.00 pm Cundletown Mass

WHAT HAPPENS AFTER WE DIE?

Deep in the human heart is the question,

"What happens after we die?"

Jesus reveals the

Last Things: Death, Judgment, Heaven and

Hell – and what we need to do now to
prepare for eternity.

Presented by Taree RCIA team

Wednesday 2nd of October

6:30-8:30pm Resource Centre

Meal provided. All welcome.

OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY FEAST

DAY: On Monday, 7th October, we will be celebrating Our Lady of the Rosary Parish Feast Day. Rosary starts at 5.30pm then mass at 6.00pm. During mass, there will be anointing of the sick. Afterwards, there will be supper in St. Mary's Hall with a cake, raffle and trivia questions. Please bring a plate to share. All are welcome. For any donations of flowers for the day, please bring to the church at 9.00am.

BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS: The Blessing ceremony will be held in the grounds of the church on Sunday, 6th October 2019 after 9.30am mass.

ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI : On Friday, 4th October, Secular Franciscans invite all Parishioners to join with them in the ceremony of the journey of St. Francis of Assisi with his soul transited from Earth to Heaven. Short ceremony follows 9.00am Mass and Benediction.

UPCOMING FILM 'UNPLANNED'

FAYS TWIN CINEMA

16th of October, 6:30pm, \$14.00 per ticket

To purchase tickets please go to:

<https://fan-force.com/screenings/unplanned-taree-fays-twin/>

- ◆ Tickets MUST be purchased before Oct 4th

For more info please contact Loesje on
0487444790

PLENARY COUNCIL ANIMATORS

meeting will be on Wednesday 25th September 5:30pm at St Mary's Hall. Animators from all mass centres are invited to attend the meeting.

OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA

HARRINGTON will be celebrating Our Lady's Feast Day on Saturday evening 28th September 2019. The Rosary starts at 5.30pm and Mass at 6.00pm. Supper after Mass. All Welcome.

DON'T MISS YOUR CHANCE TO

CHANGE SOMEONE'S LIFE: members of the St Vincent de Paul Society aim to alleviate suffering and bring Christ and the Church's message of love to those we assist. We provide a hand up to the vulnerable within our communities and we needed your help to continue this great work. If you can give a few hours a week please speak to a SVdP Member, call Center Council on (02) 4967 6277 or email maitland.newcastle@vinnies.org.au to find out more.

ROSARY AT THE GROTTA : During the month of October there will be the Rosary at the Grotto at 5.00pm every evening except if raining.

YOUTH MASS: The next Youth Mass will be held in Cundletown on 3rd November, 2019 at 5.00 pm.

BULLETIN NOTICES : Please note that the deadline for all bulletin notices is Wednesday 3.00pm. Notices received after this time will be placed in the next week's bulletin. Thank you.

NEW PARISHIONER: if you are a new parishioner of Taree and Wingham , we welcome you to our community. Please take the time to fill in a card at the back of the Church and place in the box provided or contact the parish office 65521084.

ATTENTION: Please take care when entering & exiting the church driveway to avoid any accidents / near misses. The speed limit is **10 km/hr.**