



OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY CATHOLIC PARISH TAREE

OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP CATHOLIC PARISH WINGHAM

Mass centres of Cundletown, Harrington, Lansdowne & Old Bar

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5TH MAY 2019

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

5TH MAY 2019

3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER

FIRST READING: Acts 5:27-32. 40-41
We are witnesses of these words, and so is the Holy Spirit.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

Ps 29:2. 4-6. 11-13. R. v.2

I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me.

SECOND READING: Rv 5:11-14

The Lamb that was sacrificed is worthy to be given power, wealth, glory, and blessing.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia! Alleluia!

Christ is risen, the Lord of all creation; he has shown pity on all people.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL: Jn 21:1-19 Jesus stepped forward, took the bread and gave it to them, and did the same with the fish.

Reflection

Today we concentrate on the different ways that the witness of the community of faith manifests the Lord – the apostolic witness of leadership and service that is accomplished by the various ministries within the church. While today's gospel singles out Peter as a leader within the community, in no way does this mean that such providential care for the church is the sole responsibility of authorised leaders. Rather, it is the responsibility of all the baptised.

In their teaching and preaching, the apostles moved from one understanding of God's presence and activity in the midst of the people to another. This new understanding had the death and resurrection of Jesus at its core. The light of the resurrection illumined their former religious convictions and aspirations, and they were undeterred in their commitment to spread this good news, this new word, this transforming light.

A martyr is a witness, one who is so committed, that that person is willing to suffer any consequence, even death, in order to be faithful. The apostles rejoiced that they had been found worthy of ill-treatment for the sake of the name of Jesus. The Lamb who is exalted is the one who was slain, and Peter is told that, like his master, he will pay for his commitment with his life. Even the psalm alludes to the suffering that must be endured by those who have chosen to be faithful. This kind of steadfastness has always been a persuasive witness.

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NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

12TH MAY 2019

4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

FIRST READING: Acts 13:14, 43-52
We are now turning to the gentiles.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

Ps 99:1-3. 5. R. v.3 We are his people, the sheep of his flock.

SECOND READING: Rv 7:9, 14-17

The Lamb who is at the throne will be their shepherd and will lead them to springs of living water.

GOSPEL: Jn 10:27-30 I give my sheep eternal life.

PRAYER LIST FOR TAREE & WINGHAM PARISHES

SICK: Rosh Barbagallo, Maureen Barrett, Sue Berry, Jim Canty, Josh Corbett, Bev Crouch, Maree Dunne, Joan Edstein, Brendan Foster, Teddy Herrera, Terry Mason, Carmel Matheson, Robert McGregor, Martin Murphy, Judy Nies, Janora Senders, Marie Stanford, Monica Walsh, Paul White, Tilby Marie Williams, Michael Wolfenden.

ANNIVERSARIES: Edward Lauanders, Lois O'Shea, Don Neal, Candelaria Taylor, Monica O'Laughlin, Kathleen Unger, Kathleen McGovern, Mark Bastick, Peter Lawrence King.

PLEASE NOTE: Some names have been removed from the sick list due to space limitation. Should the person still be ill, please ring the Parish office and the name will be re-added.

RECENTLY DECEASED: Les Murray

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

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I will praise You, Lord, for You have res-cued me



PARISH CALENDAR

MONDAY 6TH MAY

9.30 am Manning Quilters Group
1.45 pm Prayer for Priests

TUESDAY 7TH MAY

9.30 am H'ton Liturgy of Word + Communion
10.00 am 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-Old Pres
5.30 pm Taree Mass
6.00pm St Mary's Craft Group

WEDNESDAY 8TH MAY

8.50 am T MMP Prayer for Priests
9.30 am No Taree Mass
11.00am Funeral Mass
2.00pm Karingal Gardens Healing Mass

THURSDAY 9TH MAY

9.30 am Taree Mass
10.45 am Estia Healing Mass
2.30 pm Christian Meditation Group

FRIDAY 10TH MAY

9.00 am Taree Mass
9.30 am Taree Exposition
11.00 am Wingham Mass
3.00 pm OB Exposition & MMP

SATURDAY 11TH MAY

11.00-12.00 pm Taree Reconciliation
5.30 pm Taree Rosary
6.00 pm Taree mass
6.00 pm Harrington mass

SUNDAY 12TH MAY

4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

7.00 am Old Bar Rosary
7.30 am Old Bar Mass
7.50 am Wingham Rosary
8.00 am Wingham Reconciliation
8.30 am Wingham Mass
9.00 am Taree Rosary
9.30 am Taree Mass
5.00 pm Cundletown SCAE
5.00 pm Lansdowne Mass

CHANGE OF MASS TIMES AT LANSDOWNE AND CUNDLETOWN

Sunday Evening Mass at Cundletown will be held at 5.00 pm starting 5th of May, 2019 until further notice.

Sunday Evening mass / SCAE at Lansdowne will be held at 5pm starting 12th of May, 2019 until further notice.

THE HOLY ROSARY will be recited in the grotto at Our Lady of the Rosary, Taree each weekday during the month of May at 5.00pm.

THANK YOU MORNING TEA FOR JOAN SAXBY will be held on Sunday, 9th of June 2019 after 9:30am Taree Mass. Thank you Joan for all your contribution to our parish for so many years. God Bless and may you find much happiness and good health.

PROJECT COMPASSION BOXES: Please remember to return your Project Compassion Collection boxes. Thank you for helping communities lift out of poverty and for giving them hope.



https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/May_devotions_to_the_Blessed_Virgin_Mary
May devotions to the Blessed Virgin Mary refer to special Marian devotions held in the Catholic Church during the month of May honoring the Virgin Mary as "the Queen of May". These services may take place inside or outside. A "May Crowning" is a traditional Roman Catholic ritual that occurs in the month of May.

TAX RECEIPTS-2018/2019

FINANCIAL YEAR: Please advise the Parish Office as soon as possible, if you require a tax receipt for Planned Giving contributions made in 2018/2019 Financial Year.

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.



Why do we need the Church?

In these difficult times it is possible and imperative to individually and in community know and understand our Catholic Faith in sacramental union with Jesus. Please join the RCIA team for their next presentation in Taree Resource Centre on Wednesday 22nd May 2019 from 6:30pm-8:30pm. Meal provided. All Welcome.

ROOM / HALL USAGE: For any urgent meetings and bookings please note that you have to contact the Parish office to make sure the room/hall is available. Booking Confirmation is essential.

HOUSE BLESSINGS AFTER EASTER

Should any Parishioners wish to have your house blessed after Easter please contact the Parish Office to arrange a suitable appointment.

FR ROB'S VISIT : The DVD of Fr Rob Galea's visit in Taree is available at the Parish Office. DVD costs \$10 each and \$15 each for Blu-Ray.

COUPLES FOR CHRIST morning tea is every 3rd Sunday of the month, after 9:30 am Taree Mass.

ATTENTION: 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.