



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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THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

6TH JUNE 2021

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

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THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

FIRST READING: Ex 24:3-8 This is the blood of the Covenant that the Lord has made with you.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Ps 115:12-13. 15-18. R. v.13 (R.) I will take the cup of salvation, and call on the name of the Lord.

SECOND READING: Heb 9:11-15 The blood of Christ will purify our inner selves.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia!

I am the living bread from heaven, says the Lord; whoever eats this bread will live for ever.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL: Mk 14:12-16, 22-26 This is my body. This is my blood.

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

13TH JUNE 2021

11TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FIRST READING: Ez 17:22-24 I have made the small tree great.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Ps 91:2-3. 13-16. R. see v.2 (R.) Lord, it is good to give thanks to you.

SECOND READING: 2 Cor 5:6-10 Whether we are living in the body or exiled from it, we are intent on pleasing the Lord.

GOSPEL: Mk 4:26-34 The mustard seed, the smallest of all the seeds, grows into the biggest shrub of all.

REFLECTION

The readings, which reflect some aspect of the feast, feature three prominent themes: the importance of blood in the ratification of the covenant; the atoning actions of Christ; the attitude of thanksgiving.

Most people today would probably be repelled by the ritual use of blood. Yet birth blood is not subject to the same revulsion, nor is blood transfusion frowned upon. Blood is recognised as a life force, and blood relationships are cherished. In a sense this ritual makes us blood sisters and brothers of God and of each other. It seals our fate and it entitles us to the family inheritance.

This feast celebrates the incomparable love of Christ. He offered himself for the expiation of our sins; he spread a banquet table for us at which we are able to eat the bread of companionship and share the blood of the new covenant.

How shall we make a return to the Lord for all the good that we have received? The only appropriate response to God's graciousness is thanksgiving (*eucharistia*). We have been chosen; we have been delivered; we have a witness in heaven; and now we have been given the bread of eternal life and the blood of salvation. What return can we give? A life of gratitude lived in the presence of God; a life of union with all those who eat the same bread and drink from the same cup; a life of faithful expectation, waiting for the coming of the reign of God in all its fullness.

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<https://www.liturgyhelp.com/calendar/date/2021Jun06/0/RefDiBer>

PRAYER LIST FOR TAREE & WINGHAM PARISHES

SICK: Baby Archer, Peter Arimini, Grace Aylward, Sandra Baker Sue Berry, Ashley Bruton, Cathy Callinan, Bev Crouch, Vince Cusack, Amy Douglas, Linda Desales, Terry Donnelly, Maree Dunne, Joan Edstein, John Flint, Brendan Foster, Ken Fitton, Michael Holstein, Sarrah Holstein, Betty Howard, Halle Kehiene, Brenda McIntyre, Rodney McLennan, Allan Mitchell, Neil Moroney, Josephine Murphy, Martin Murphy, Pam Patchett, Gary Patchett, Rose Sammut, Janora Senders, Marie Stanford, Paul Schneider, Liz Taylor, Bromwyn Tarrent, Lyn Turner, Tim Vane Tempest, Paul White, Dorothy Wilkes.

ANNIVERSARIES: Frank Fierro, Eric Poole, Geoff Gallagher, Alex Unger, Daintree Unger, Bernard Unger, Stan Unger, Frances Andrew Reidy, Mary Ellen Myers, May Frances Reidy, Deceased members of McLennan Family, Thomas Johnson, William Johnson

RECENTLY DECEASED: Lonald Dries

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

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*The Most Holy Body
and Blood of Christ*

PARISH CALENDAR 2021

MONDAY 7TH JUNE

TUESDAY 8TH JUNE

5.30PM TAREE MASS

6.00PM LITURGY MEETING

WEDNESDAY 9TH JUNE

9.30AM TAREE MASS

THURSDAY 10TH JUNE

10.30AM KARINGAL GARDENS MASS

FRIDAY 11TH JUNE

THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS

9.00AM TAREE MASS

SATURDAY 12TH JUNE

THE IMMACULATE HEART OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

6.00pm Taree Mass

6.00pm Harrington SCAE

SUNDAY 13TH JUNE

11TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7.30 am Old Bar SCAE

7.30 am Wingham MASS

9.30am Taree Mass

COVID 19 MASS ATTENDANCE

REGULATIONS:

1. Please kindly scan the QR code before entering and show the confirmation details to our volunteers at the door. People who are unable to sign in using the QR codes may do it manually. Our volunteers are willing to assist.

2. Please do not attend the Mass if you are unwell, displaying COVID - 19 symptoms or have been in contact with a COVID - 19 affected person.

SEQUENCE

Behold the bread of angels, sent
For pilgrims in their banishment,
The bread for God's true
children meant,
That may not unto dogs be given:

Of in the olden types foreshowed;
In Isaac on the altar bowed,
And in the ancient paschal food,
And in the manna sent
from heaven.

Come then, good shepherd,
bread divine,

Still show to us thy mercy sign;
Oh, feed us still, still keep us thine;
So may we see thy glories shine
In fields of immortality;

O thou, the wisest, mightiest, best,
Our present food, our future rest,

Come, make us each thy
chosen guest,

Co-heirs of thine, and
comrades blest

With saints whose dwelling is
with thee.

HOLY HOUR FOR VOCATIONS with the Sisters of the Holy Family of Nazareth will be held at Our Lady of the Rosary Church Taree on 6th June, 2021 at 2.00pm.

ROSTERS Preparation for reading rosters for July - December 2021 will commence soon. If you are on the roster and would like to be removed OR you are a new Minister & would like to be added, please contact the Parish Office.

THE DIOCESAN SYNOD SESSION TWO DOCUMENTS AND VIDEOS

are now available to view online using the link provided : <https://www.domnsynod.com.au/formation-and-synod-papers/>.

FR PAUL O'NEILL: The Funeral Mass for Father Paul O'Neill will be celebrated at St Joseph's Catholic Church, East Maitland on Monday, 7th June 2021 commencing at 10.00am. **Because of COVID-19 restrictions, entrance to St Joseph's Church will be strictly limited to family, clergy and invited and nominated guests.** The Funeral Mass will be livestreamed and may be accessed via <https://vimeo.com/557057072/d744082c16> or the link on the Fry Bros website in the funeral announcement section.

VOLUNTEERS: If you are a member of the nursing home visitation team or a communion minister visiting parishioners at their home, please kindly contact the Parish Office on 6552 1084 as we are currently updating our records.

PARISHIONERS who require to update their address and contact details, please contact the Parish Office, PH 6552 1084 or email administration@tareeparish.org.

STATUE OF THE PILGRIM VIRGIN:

The Parish Office can arrange for the portable statue of the Pilgrim Virgin with a special blessing, to visit parishioner's homes, to encourage us to entrust to her loving care all the struggles and difficulties, joys and sorrows, which we experience day by day in our own family. If you would like to have the statue enthroned in your home for a week, please contact the Parish Office.

SWIFT/ DUREAU FAMILY GROUP:

Please check your programme for 20th June and phone Mike Holstein by Sunday 13th June – early booking needed.

ST MARY'S PIETY STORE is open in the front foyer of Our Lady of the Rosary Church Taree on Saturdays after 6.00pm Mass and on Sundays after 9:30am Mass. Your support is appreciated.