



AS A PARISH WE OFFER OUR PRAYERS FOR :

RECENTLY DECEASED Shinzo Abe, Bruce Cameron, Anthony Dellamarta (brother of Coral Wilson), Lorna O'Connell, Sue O'Mahoney, Gwen Sykes, Moana Smith, Lynette Creasy, Dorothy Hawk, Terry Merriman, Patricia Richardson, Kevin Freemantle, Anne Deed, Matthew Rake, Mark Ball, Stella Brown, Sir Gerard Brennan and Sr Mary Glowrey.

ANNIVERSARIES For those whose anniversaries occur about this time - Bob Larkins, Vince Neville, David Irvine, Marcia Ann Kain, John Stout, members of the Kolder & Wicks families, Peter Weidemann and deceased members of the Hyland, Forrest & Sullivan families . **Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let the Perpetual Light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen.**

WE PRAY FOR THE SICK OR IN NEED Names will normally only be published in the bulletin with an individual or family member's permission: Dorothy Piltz, Maureen George, Genevieve Power, Harper O'Rourke, Lee Dority, Margaret & Raymond Barron, Tony Cantwell, Louis de Kort, Abby Chamberlain, Gezina Kolder, Ron Helyer, Lester Crouch, Pat Meaker, Gracie Goodyer, Clare Alexander, Doris Hill, Sam Jones, Margie O'Donnell, Diane Sykes, Maureen Zarb, Michael Lipscombe, Nicola Harling, Nola Crouch, Jessie Micallef, Jan Lawler, Elizabeth & Eddie Morales, Paul Clark, David Vassalo, Brian Baker, Eve Marzol, Claire Jenkins, Donna Blythe, Alex MacDonald, Trina Clark, Dan Romer, Allan Cross, Garry Crouch, Don & Thea Phillips, Ben Carruthers, Leila Hale, Emily Patterson, Loise White, Isaac Cather, Nick Heath, Brad Fewson, Jake Precians, Bobby Weeden, Kaitlyn Kerr, Kay Ryan, Scott Lyons, Ann Levett, Myree Cabarles, Garry McGrath, Val Dolan, Marilyn Winters, Marie Simkin, Anne-Maree Bramich, Joan Burgun, Alan Stott, Robert Dodwell, Poss Hamilton, Darryl Kennedy, Denise Goonan, Kim Meredith, Lola Goddard, Yvonne Colhurn, Jim & Helen Tregaea, Christopher Collins, Victoria Tamis, Paddy Barnes, Marlene Ballard, Carmel Dawe, Jim & Bernadette Hargrave, Liz Pertz as well as those in hospitals and nursing homes in Wagga and those not able to come to Mass.

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OUR LADY OF FATIMA provides pastoral and sacramental support to The Forrest Centre, Catholic Health Care - The Haven, RSL Life Care Remembrance Village, Kildare Catholic College, Henschke Catholic Primary School and provides catechism classes at Turvey Park, Red Hill & Uranquinty Public Schools.

MASSES NEXT WEEKEND 23/24 JULY

SATURDAY: 5.00pm Mass
SUNDAY: 8.30am and 10.30am Masses
8.30am Uranquinty Mass
5.30 Syro-Malabar Mass

WEEKDAY 18 – 22 JULY

TUES: 11am Nan Roberts Mass
WED: 10am Mass
THUR: 11am Mass - Forrest Centre
FRI: 5.30pm Mass

RECONCILIATION

10.30am - 11.30am Saturdays

BAPTISMS

Please contact the Parish Office

MARRIAGE

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THE PARISH OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA STH WAGGA AND ST PATRICK'S URANQUINTY

THE SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, 17 JULY 2022



PLEASE NOTE
Government regulations no longer require QR code/sign in, impose no density limits & singing is permitted. Whilst masks are no longer mandatory, for the safety of all, I encourage you to wear a mask at Mass.

Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Parish acknowledge the Wiradjuri people, the traditional custodians who have walked upon and cared for this land for thousands of years. We acknowledge the continued deep spiritual attachment and relationship of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples to this country and commit ourselves to the ongoing journey of reconciliation. May we too be good stewards of this land.



The story of Jesus in the home of Martha and Mary complements the story of the Good Samaritan, which immediately precedes it in Luke's Gospel. Both stories are unique to Luke. The story of the Samaritan opens with the words "a certain man." Today's reading opens with the words "a certain woman." The Samaritan is an example of how a disciple should see and act. Mary is an example of how a disciple should listen. Mary, a woman, is a marginalized

person in society, like the Samaritan. Both do what is not expected of them. As a woman, Mary would be expected, like Martha, to prepare hospitality for a guest. Here again Jesus breaks with the social conventions of his time. Just as a Samaritan would not be a model for neighbourliness, so a woman would not sit with the men around the feet of a teacher.

and a woman, however, Jesus is saying something more. Social codes and boundaries were strict in Jesus' time. Yet to love God with all one's heart and one's neighbour requires breaking those rules. The Kingdom of God is a society without distinctions and boundaries between its members. It is a society that requires times for seeing and doing and also times for listening and learning at the feet of a teacher.

Both stories exemplify how a disciple is to fulfill the dual command which begins chapter 10—love of God (Mary) and love of neighbour (the Samaritan). These are the two essentials of life in the kingdom. By using the examples of a Samaritan

WELCOME TO OUR FAITH COMMUNITY



We welcome Jovi Long, son of Kate & Jarrod: who will be baptised this weekend. Many blessings for your family.



READINGS FOR NEXT WEEKEND

17th Sunday in Ordinary Time
First: Gen 18:20-32
Second: Col 2:12-14
Gospel: Lk 11:1-13

THOUGHT

I just wish that all people were kind, that chocolate didn't have calories, and that laundry magically folded itself.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

RESPONSE: The just will live in the presence of the Lord.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia! Happy are they who have kept the word with a generous heart and yield a harvest through perseverance. **Alleluia!**

LOVING ATTENTIVENESS



Loving attentiveness is the beginning of a true concern for [the poor] which inspires me effectively to seek their good. This entails appreciating the poor in their goodness, in their experience of life, in their culture, and in their ways of living the faith. True love is always contemplative, and permits us to serve the other not out of necessity or vanity, but rather because he or she is beautiful above and beyond mere appearance.

Reflection: *What does it mean to practice loving attentiveness? How can you cultivate this virtue in your conversations and in your service to others? How can you do small things with great love?*

MEMORIAL MASS

Please join us at the Holy Mass of Remembrance marking the one year anniversary of entry into eternal life of our dearly loved father, father-in-law & grandpa

Chief Richard Oguamanam Enyioko

10:30am Saturday July 23, 2022

We would also like you to join us at the Henschke School Hall immediately after Mass for a light refreshment and to share memories of Richard.

RSVP Mrs Ihuoma Emebiri 0431 603 128

Dr Livinius Emebiri 0458 774 953

“Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called the sons of God”

Matthew 5:9

Esencia Life Centre Wagga Information and Training Day

We are holding an information morning on 30th July 10am at St Michael's Parish Centre for those interested in finding out more about our new service. *BYO morning tea to share.*

We have some candles which need to be picked up from Jamberoo Abbey. Is anyone able to collect them.

Bethlehem Lutheran Ladies are holding a Coffee Morning 10am Thursday August 10th, at the Lutheran Church Hall, Athol St.

Guest speaker will be their new pastor David Cherry. Lucky door prize. Entry is \$10 at the door.

RSVP by August 1st to Rhonda 0427 251 066

Contributing to the Church

If you would like to contribute to the Church, you may do so by any of the following ways:

- Direct deposit into our bank account.

FIRST COLLECTION: (for the support of priests)

Account name: South Wagga Presbytery
BSB: 066 789 Acc. no: 100004151

SECOND COLLECTION (Planned Giving which covers the Parish expenses.)

Account name: South Wagga Parish
BSB: 066 789 Account no: 100004152
Ref: Your name

- Tap & Go donation of \$10. There are two donation points in the Church.
- Cash donations which can be placed on the collection plates or in the tubs near the front doors.

Please contact the parish office during office hours if you would like any further information about this. *Your financial support is very much appreciated.*

PARISH LIFE

TUES 19 July: 5.30pm Social Justice Meeting.

TUES 19 July: Henschke Students return for Term 3

WED 10 August: 10am Mass of Thanksgiving for the work of the Sisters of St Joseph and the Christian, Marist and Patrician Brothers, St Michael's Cathedral

Remember to check the bench and the notice board at the back of the church for current events and information.

OLOF Mass is available through Facebook - OLOF South Wagga and www.olof.waggamatters.com

ACCOMMODATION AVAILABLE - BOOROOMA

Short/ long term 3-12 months in a New private home Own Room with study and separate bathroom available (Furnished home)

Must be neat tidy and respectful. Non smoker, No Pets please.

close to CSU and TAFE, suitable for a professional or student \$200 pw

Please Phone: Grace- 0400 597 930

The Parish Office is open from 9am - 1pm
Tuesday to Wednesday and 10am - 2pm Thursday to Friday.
Please call during these times.

REMEMBER OUR LADY OF FATIMA PARISH IN YOUR WILL

Making a gift to Our Lady Of Fatima will support the future of our Parish. It also enables you to make a significant gift that you may not find possible during your lifetime. You could: Leave a specific cash amount or property; leave a percentage of your estate; or leave all or a proportion of what remains of your estate after other bequests are distributed. To make a bequest, you should consult your solicitor or trustee company. It may be sufficient to make an addition or amendment to an existing will by adding a codicil.

ROSTER FOR 23/24 JULY 2022

	LECTOR	COMMENTATOR	EUCARIST MINISTER	ROSARY STATUE
5.00pm	T Quinn	L Brinkman	A O'Connor	Not during the COVID-19 times
8.30am	T Young	K Dore	S Higgins	
10.30am	G Robertson	C Malone	M Petzel	

Smile

A priest, a rabbit and a minister walk into a bar. The bartender asks the rabbit "what'll ya have?" The rabbit says "I dunno. I'm only here because of Autocorrect."



Anointing Mass

The anointing mass will be held on the 4th Tuesday of the month Feb - Nov in the Henschke Hall at 10.30am.
The next anointing mass will be on Tuesday July 26.

We have had some concreting done out the front of the Church to fix some trip hazards. There is still some more work to be done, so please be careful of where you are walking until it has been completed.