



Our Lady of Mercy Parish

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PARISH PRIEST ~ Fr. Gary Jones Ph: 0419 986 308

St. Thomas' Terang

St. Colman's Mortlake

PARISH OFFICE: P.O. Box 25 Terang. 3264 Ph: 5592 1195 hampden@ballarat.catholic.org.au

Parish Safeguarding Officer ~ Julie Duynhoven ~ "We are a Child Safe Parish"

SCHOOL PRINCIPALS

St. Thomas' Terang ~ Mr. Matthew Uzkuraitis Ph 5592 1925

St. Colman's Mortlake ~ Ms Janet Cain Ph 5599 2285

Mercy Regional College ~ Ms Sharon Gillett Ph 5593 2011

Our Lady of Mercy Parish acknowledge and respect the traditional custodians of this land the Kirrae Wuurong people.

1st Sunday of Lent

25th & 26th February 2023

RECENT DEATHS: Brian Driscoll, Sandy Price

ANNIVERSARIES: Jean Murphy, Pat Vaughan, John O'Leary, Patrick John Bourke, Monica Murphy



PRAYERS FOR THE SICK:

(Names placed on the sick list will remain for 3 weeks unless otherwise notified)

SUPPORTING OUR PARISHES: Thank you for your ongoing support of our Parishes

Weekend 18th & 19th Feb 2023 **TERANG / MORTLAKE**

1st Collection \$ 365.95

Planned Giving Program Week 135

2nd Collection \$ 6,650.00

Average given \$ 1,814.09

Amount promised per week \$ 1,890.54

Flower Rosters

Please collect your flower roster from the table in the foyer

TERANG & MORTLAKE ROSTERS:

LINEN: MARCH Terang: Carmel Moloney Mortlake: Anne Blacker

FLOWERS: 22nd February - 7th April LENT - No flowers or cleaning required

Mortlake Set Up: MARCH - Dulcie Jervies

Liturgy Rosters: Weekend ~ 4th & 5th March 2023

READERS: 1st & 2nd reading & Prayers of the Faithful

Terang Saturday 6.00 pm: Ally Lourey **Sunday 10.30 am:** Julie Duynhoven

Mortlake Sunday 9.00 am: Pam Smith

Eucharistic Minister: Terang Sat 6pm: Maureen Kenna

Sun 10.30am: Des McKinnon

Music Mortlake Sun 9.00 am: Pam & Noel

Lap Top Terang: Sat 6.00pm: Jenni Lenehan

Sun 10.30am: Rob Storr

Notices need to be at St. Thomas' Parish Office by 10.00 am next Friday

Weekday Masses

Tues 28th Feb: 10.30am Terang
(Brian Driscoll Funeral)

Wed 1st March: 10.30am May Noonan



WEEKEND MASS TIMES

ST THOMAS' TERANG

Saturday 6.00 pm

Sunday 10.30 am

ST COLMAN'S MORTLAKE

Sunday 9.00 am

Next Weeks Readings:

4th & 5th March 2023

1st read: Gen 12: 1-4

2nd read: 2 Tim 1: 8-10

Gospel: Mt 17: 1-9

Terang Mortlake St Vincent de Paul Conference

All enquiries for assistance are treated in strict confidence.
Ph: 0459 047 620



World Day of Prayer 2023 ~ Taiwan

Friday 3rd March @ 2pm

Uniting Church Terang

All Welcome



Offertory

We can now have an Offertory procession. Can you please let Clare know if you would like to be on the roster

First Sunday of Lent ~ 25th & 26th February



Laxmi, 16, lives in in Jajarkot, a remote district in Nepal where almost half of the population live below the poverty line. Tragedy struck when Laxmi was 10 years old and her father passed away. Her father worked hard to pay for his children's education and after losing him Laxmi was at risk of falling further into extreme poverty.

With the support of our partner Caritas Nepal, Laxmi joined a child's club at her school where she was encouraged to resume her education.

Through the child's club, Laxmi developed the skills and confidence to become a leader, advocating for clean water taps at her school.

Laxmi is now excelling in her studies and working towards her dream of becoming a civil engineer. She continues to be involved in the child's club, serving as an advisor and mentoring the next generation of young leaders at her old school.

Please donate to Project Compassion 2023. Together, we can help vulnerable communities face their challenges today and build a better tomorrow *For All Future Generations*. You can donate through Project Compassion

donation boxes and envelopes available from your parish, by visiting caritas.org.au/project-compassion,

or by calling 1800 024 413.

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MERCY REGIONAL COLLEGE

2023 OPEN DAY

WEDNESDAY 22 MARCH

We invite your family to visit our Open Day and discover what we have to offer our regional community. At Mercy Regional College, we aim to create a caring and inclusive environment for students to flourish and thrive - academically, socially, spiritually, emotionally and physically. We encourage students to seek knowledge, nurture curiosity and develop a love of learning. Please contact our Registrar, Mrs Nicole Darcy, for enquiries via office@mercy.vic.edu.au or call on 03 5593 2011.

OPEN DAY SESSIONS

McAuley Campus, Camperdown

9.15am School in action 4.00pm Classes not running

9.45am Information Session 4.30pm School Tour Groups

10.45am Q & A Session 5.30pm

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McAuley Campus
15 Henderson Street, Camperdown VIC

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