PARISH PRIEST

Fr. Michael McKinnon

PARISH OFFICES St. Thomas' Terang

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Parish Safeguarding Officer

Clare Neal "We are a Child Safe Parish"

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SCHOOL PRINCIPALS

St. Thomas' Terang

Mr. Matthew Uzkuraitis Ph 5592 1925

St. Colman's Mortlake

Mr. Tim Bourke Ph 5599 2285

Mercy Regional College

Ms Sharon Gillett Ph 5593 2011

St. Thomas the Apostle and St. Colman's Parishes acknowledge and respect the traditional custodians of this land the Kirrae Wuurong people.

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:

11th & 12th September 2021

1st read: Is 50: 5-9 2nd read: James 2: 14-18 Gospel: Mk 8: 27-35



ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE TERANG and ST. COLMAN'S MORTLAKE PARISH BULLETIN

To access this bulletin online go to www.ballarat.catholic.org.au and select either Terang or Mortlake Parish.

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

4th & 5th September 2021

RECENT DEATHS:

ANNIVERSARIES: Jenny Harris, Mary Meade



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.

NO MASSES THIS WEEKEND DUE TO COVID LOCKDOWN

Weekend 28th/29th August 202		<u> 21 TERANG</u>		<u>MORTLAKE</u>	
1st Collection	\$	0.00	\$	0.00	
Planned Giving Program Week	57				
2nd Collection	\$	0.00	\$	0.00	
Average given	\$	1,736.91	\$	275.98	
Amount promised per week	\$	1.696.46	\$	300.81	

TERANG & MORTLAKE ROSTERS:

LINEN: September Terang: Denise Bond

Mortlake: Anne Blacker

FLOWERS: 11th/12th September

Terang: Maureen Kenna & Aileen O'Connor

Mortlake: Fay Murray

Mortlake Set Up: September - Gertie MacDonald

Liturgy Rosters: Weekend ~ 11th & 12th Sept 2021

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

Terang Saturday 6.00 pm: Cate watt

Sunday 10.30 am: Des McKinnon Mortlake Sunday 9.00 am: Claire Adams

Offertory: Terang Sat 6.00 pm: Pam O'Keeffe & Family

Sun 10.30 am: Clare Neal & Family

Mortlake Sunday 9.00 am: Don Murray

Eucharistic Minister: Terang Sat 6.00 pm: Mark Maguire

Sun 10.30 am: Christina Lee

Music Mortlake Sun 9.00 am: Volunteer

Lap Top Terang: Sat 6.00 pm: Kellie Lee

Sun 10.30 am: Des & Bernadette McKinnon

Weekday Masses

No weekday Masses due to COVID lockdown

St Vincent de Paul

Terang Mortlake St Vincent de Paul Conference. All enquiries for assistance are treated in strict confidence. Ph: 0459 047 620

Mercy Regional College ~ Alumni Night ~ All-Year Reumon

Saturday 9th October 2027 @ 6.30pm @ Noorat Regreational Reserve

All past students of CRC and MRC and their partners are welcome to attend.



Plenary Council - Continuing the Journey

• The last twelve or so months of our Plenary Council Journey has required many unplanned changes due to the impact of COVID-19 and the restrictions which do not allow people to gather. With the publication of the Plenary Council agenda, we can however reflect and pray with the sixteen questions that form the agenda. With this in mind, we extend to people in the diocese an invitation, another opportunity, to engage in the process and to listen deeply to the voice of the Spirit. PLEASE CONTACT THE OFFICE FOR A COPY OF THE HANDOUT.

Please feel free to complete this individually or after lockdown as part of a small group depending on COVID restrictions.

It can be emailed or posted back in or you can just send answers via email to pastoralministry@ballarat.catholic.org.au. Any submissions will be forwarded to the Diocesan Members to the Plenary Council.

As we are not able to gather as a community at this time due to COVID restrictions, this opportunity to respond may be a way for you to spend some quiet time in reflection, thinking about the agenda of the Council and the future of the Church, on your life and prayer life. It may be of comfort to know that others from your faith community may be reflecting on this at a similar time.

- Another way of "Continuing the Journey" is taking part in the national prayer campaign and in a special way support the Plenary Council. As the first Assembly in October 2021 draws nearer, all people are invited to become 'Prayer Partners' to accompany the Members and invoke the Holy Spirit on this historic gathering for the Church in Australia. The "Fan the Flame" resources have been designed so they can be used by individuals or by parishes with groups of any size and in any setting. They include material for each week as well as material that can be used at any time to support prayerful preparation for the Plenary Council. Resources can be accessed at https://plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au/fantheflame/
 - Fan the Flame: Towards Plenary Assembly One October 2021. 'He makes the deaf hear and the dumb speak.' Mark 7:31-37

The Church hears the cries of the poor and the groans of the earth. It seeks to stand in solidarity with the poor and the marginalised and to exercise good stewardship of the fragile ecosystems that support life on earth. (Australian Catholic Social Justice Council, "A New Earth: The Environmental Challenge. Social Justice Statement 2002", accessed 23 April 2021, https://socialjustice.catholic.org.au/wp-content/uploads/2019/11/Social-Justice-Statement-2002.pdf, 10.) https://plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au/fantheflame/