

## PARISH PRIEST

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### PARISH OFFICES

#### St. Thomas' Terang

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#### Parish Safeguarding Officer

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"We are a Child Safe Parish"

#### St. Colman's Mortlake

#### St Joseph's Caramut

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### SCHOOL PRINCIPALS

#### St. Thomas' Terang

Mr. Matthew Uzkuraitis  
Ph 5592 1925

#### St. Colman's Mortlake

Mr. Tim Bourke  
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#### Mercy Regional College

Ms Sharon Gillett  
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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:

16th & 17th October 2021

1st read: Is 53: 10-11

2nd read: Heb 4: 14-16

Gospel: Mk 10: 35-45



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

To access this bulletin online go to [www.ballarat.catholic.org.au](http://www.ballarat.catholic.org.au)  
and select either Terang or Mortlake Parish.

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9th & 10th October 2021

**RECENT DEATHS:** Bernadette O'Connor (nee Carey)

Fr Noel Oliver

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Rosemary Roache, Jack Howard,

Merv Suhan

**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 2nd/3rd Oct 2021**

1st Collection

**TERANG**

\$ 244.10

**MORTLAKE**

\$ 63.40

**Planned Giving Program Week 62**

2nd Collection

\$ 582.00

\$ 110.00

Average given

\$ 1,712.74

\$ 264.69

Amount promised per week

\$ 1,687.42

\$ 300.81



**DUE TO COVID RESTRICTIONS - MASS HAS  
RESUMED ~ WITH 20 PEOPLE ONLY**

**See reverse page for details about our return to  
weekend & weekday Masses**

### TERANG & MORTLAKE ROSTERS:

**LINEN:** October

Terang: Betty Lee

Mortlake: Rita Pasque

**FLOWERS:** Not Required

**Mortlake Set Up:** October - Dulcie Jervies

**Liturgy Rosters: Weekend ~ 9th & 10th October 2021**

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

**Terang** Reader will be contacted

**Mortlake** Sunday 9.00 am: Ian Murray

**Offertory:** Not Required

**Eucharistic Minister:** Not Required

**Music Mortlake** Sun 9.00 am: Volunteer

**Lap Top Terang:** Operators will be contacted

## Weekday Masses

**Thurs 14th October: 10.00am Terang**

**Fri 15th October: 10.00am Terang**  
(Margaret Ryan, Betty Bulger  
& Margaret Heffernan)



## Mercy Regional College Annual Car Raffle ~ Tickets only \$10



Tickets can be purchased online.  
Reichas Drapery also have tickets

If you would like a ticket & do not have access to the internet, please contact Clare at the Parish Office on 5592 1195 & she will happily purchase your ticket/s for you Drawn on 29th November

**1st Prize: MG3 Auto Excite, valued at \$19,490**  
Supplied by Callaghan Motors, Warrnambool

14 Other prizes to be won

## *The Plenary Council is underway!*

The First General Assembly of the Fifth Plenary Council of Australia has opened:

To see updates from the diocese go to <https://www.ballarat.catholic.org.au/news-events/e-news/>

Watch the live-streamed Mass and access other information on the Plenary Council website at [www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au](http://www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au)

We continue to 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. **HANDOUTS AVAILABLE ON THE TABLE IN THE FOYER** Please feel free to complete this, while the Assembly is still continuing, with thoughts and observations and email to [pastoralministry@ballarat.catholic.org.au](mailto:pastoralministry@ballarat.catholic.org.au) Any submissions will be forwarded to the Diocesan Members to the Plenary Council.

Another way of supporting the Plenary Council is through prayer or watch this video <https://youtu.be/HXor1YbKaPs>

## **JOKE OF THE WEEK ~ "Oh Lord, hit him again!"**

The parish church was badly in need of repair. So the pastor called a special meeting to raise funds. At the assembly, the pastor explained the need of an emergency fund for plastering the roof and supporting pillars and for carrying out other items of repair. He invited the congregation to pledge contributions. After a brief pause, Mr. Murphy, the richest man in the parish, volunteered to give 50 dollars. Just as he sat down, a hunk of plaster fell from the ceiling on his head. He jumped up, looked terribly startled and said: "I meant to say 500 dollars." The congregation stood silent and stunned. Then a lone voice cried out from the back: "Oh Lord, hit him again!"

## **Weekend & Weekday Masses**

**Fr Gary will be celebrating Mass each weekend Under COVID restrictions. Unfortunately we can only have 20 people at each Mass - Bookings Essential. If you would like to attend Mass at either Terang or Mortlake (normal times), you will need to book in each week with Clare at the Parish Office. 5592 1195**

**We apologise in advice to those who may not be able to attend, due to number limits. Thank you for your understanding & co-operation. Please sign in & wear a mask**

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