

## PARISH PRIEST

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### PARISH OFFICES

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"We are a Child Safe Parish"

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### SCHOOL PRINCIPALS

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Mr. Tim Bourke  
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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:

11th & 12th December 2021

1st read: Zeph 3: 14-18

2nd read: Phil 4: 4-7

Gospel: Lk 3: 10-18



Columban Calendars  
are now available from  
the St. Vincent de Paul  
stall in Terang for \$10.

Christmas Cards are  
also available

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

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and select either Terang or Mortlake Parish.

## 2nd Sunday of Advent

4th & 5th December 2021

**RECENT DEATHS:** Elaine Coolahan, Kevin Sexton,  
Thomas Vickers, John Kennedy (Gunnedah),  
Sr Stella Gleeson SGS



**ANNIVERSARIES:** Maureen O'Keeffe, John Broderick,  
Mary Broderick, Bill Broderick, Karen Bailey

### 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.

<u>Weekend 27th/28th Nov 2021</u>	<u>TERANG</u>	<u>MORTLAKE</u>
1st Collection	\$ 431.95	\$ 151.95

### Planned Giving Program Week 70

2nd Collection	\$ 647.00	\$ 260.00
Average given	\$ 1,745.69	\$ 272.33
Amount promised per week	\$ 1,687.42	\$ 300.81

**MASS IS NOW OPEN TO ANYONE WHO IS FULLY  
VACCINATED - WITH NO RESTRICTION ON NUMBERS.  
MASKS ARE NOT REQUIRED - BUT PLEASE SOCIAL  
DISTANCE. YOU MUST SIGN IN BY EITHER THE QR CODE  
OR THE SIGN IN SHEET & PLEASE HAND SANITISE**

### TERANG & MORTLAKE ROSTERS:

**LINEN:** December Terang: Bernadette McKinnon  
Mortlake: Gertie MacDonald

**FLOWERS:** 27th/28th Nov - 20th Dec Advent  
Advent - No flowers or cleaning required

**Mortlake Set Up:** December - Fay Murray

### Liturgy Rosters: Weekend ~ 11th & 12th December 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: Anne Blacker

**Offertory:** Terang: Sat 6.00 pm: David & Helen Lourey  
Sun 10.30 am: Volunteer  
Mortlake Sun 9.00 am: Leonie Quinn

**Eucharistic Minister:** Terang Sat 6.00 pm: Clare Banks  
Sun 10.30 am: Justin Staunton

**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 Masses this week**

## **Advent Response - 2nd Sunday**

All: God of Hope, everyone expected that your son Jesus would have a truly royal birth. Instead, he was born in a humble stable. Help us Father to understand that following Jesus is often difficult and not always the path we expect. Amen.

## MEETINGS

St Vincent De Paul Meeting will be held on Wed 8th December at 7.00pm in the Church Crying Room

## NOORAT COMMUNITY & LAKES & CRATERS BAND CAROLS



**Sunday 12th December @ 7.30pm**

**Noorat Presbyterian Church**

**All Welcome**

## Christmas Mass Times

**Due to Government regulations, all attendees must be fully vaccinated to attend Mass**

**Reconciliation Mass ~ Wednesday 15th December @ 7.00pm Terang**

**Anointing Mass ~ Friday 17th December @ 10.00am Terang**



<b>Christmas Eve Friday 24<sup>th</sup> December</b>	<b>Terang</b>	<b>5.00 pm</b>
	<b>Mortlake</b>	<b>7.00 pm</b>
	<b>Terang</b>	<b>9.00 pm</b>

<b>Christmas Day Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> December</b>	<b>Caramut</b>	<b>8.30 am</b>
	<b>Terang</b>	<b>10.30 am</b>

**NB: There will be no Vigil Mass on Sat 25th Dec  
Usual Masses on Sunday at 9am (Mortlake) & 10.30am (Terang)**

## **St Vincent de Paul Terang/Mortlake**

### *Save the Date*

The Terang Mortlake Conference of St Vincent de Paul Society wish to advise that they will be hosting a Regional Festival Meeting which includes a 10.30 am Mass in St Thomas Church Terang, followed by lunch and an afternoon gathering on February 20<sup>th</sup> 2022. As part of this celebration we will be recognising 66 years of St Vincent de Paul in Terang and 55 years in Mortlake.

We would like to hear from past members or family representatives who would like to join us for this celebration. For catering purposes we need to have numbers by early February. We would also like to hear from parishioners and others who have any interesting stories relating to either of the Conferences. If you wish to register your interest to attend, have information you wish to share or wish to know more about this celebration you can contact: Faye Phillips on 0438 066 373 or email [barryfaye@aussiebb.com.au](mailto:barryfaye@aussiebb.com.au) or Helen Meade on 0427 156 619 or email [nwcc.secretary@svdp-vic.org.au](mailto:nwcc.secretary@svdp-vic.org.au)

### *Invitation*

The Terang Mortlake Conference of St Vincent de Paul regrettably advises that we will not be holding our annual luncheon for the senior members of our community this year. We would however like to invite you to contact us if you would be interested in being our guest at a smaller (group) morning or afternoon tea at a local café. To register your interest please ring Bernadette on 0400 926 220 or Faye on 0438 066 373.

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