



## Our Lady of Mercy Parish

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St. Thomas' Terang

St. Colman's Mortlake

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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 Wuorong people.

## 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

## 27th & 28th July 2024

### RECENT DEATHS:

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Agnes Harney, Peter Murray, Alison Smith

**PRAYERS FOR THE SICK:** Brian Beard

*(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 20th & 21st July 2024**

**TERANG / MORTLAKE**

1st Collection \$ 527.85

Pope Collection \$ 500.00

### Planned Giving Program Week 51

2nd Collection \$ 2,356.00

Average given \$ 1,514.39

Amount promised per week \$ 1,501.94

### TERANG & MORTLAKE ROSTERS:

**LINEN: AUGUST** Terang: Bernadette McKinnon Mortlake: Claire Adams

**FLOWERS: 3rd/4th August: Terang:** Denise Bond & Carmel Moloney

4th & 11th August: Mortlake: Mona Timms

**Mortlake Set Up: AUGUST** - Claire Adams

### Liturgy Rosters: Weekend ~ 3rd & 4th August 2024

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

**Terang** Saturday 6.00 pm: Chris Moloney Sunday 10.30 am: Bernadette Wurlod

**Mortlake** Sunday 9.00 am: Volunteer

**Offertory: Mortlake** Sunday 9.00 am: Leonie Quinn

**Eucharistic Minister: Terang Sat 6pm:** Clare Banks Sun 10.30am: Lorraine Meade

**Lap Top Terang: Sat 6.00pm:** Kellie Lee Sun 10.30am: Khloe Meade

God grant me the serenity to accept the things I cannot change, the courage to change the things I can, and the wisdom to know the difference. *Reinhold Niebuhr*

## Rosary Devotion in July 2024

Star of the Sea Parish  
Warrnambool

Monday nights in July  
from 7.00pm

At St Pius X Church

Everyone is welcome

### 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:

3rd & 4th August 2024

1st read: Ex 16: 2-4, 12-15

2nd read: Eph 4: 17, 20-24

Gospel: Jn 6: 20-24

## Terang Mortlake St

### Vincent de Paul Conference

All enquiries for  
assistance are  
treated in strict  
confidence.

Ph: 0459 047 620



## Laptop Operators Mortlake

We are looking for extra people to operate the "flicker" remote for the powerpoint at Mass in Mortlake. It is a simple task that can be done from your seat. You will have a running sheet of the Mass with the parts on the screen highlighted. If you are interested in helping out or would like more information, please contact Clare at the Parish office on 5592 1195 or have a chat to Donna Baxter. Thank you

## St Colman's Annual Raffle ~ Local Loot Draw

**First Prize: \$3000 in vouchers supplied by Mortlake businesses**

**Second Prize: \$1000 Neighbourhood Benefit EFTPOS card supplied by Acciona**

**Third Prize: \$500 voucher supplied by Bates IGA Supermarket Mortlake**

Tickets are available from [www.trybooking.com/CTQAO](http://www.trybooking.com/CTQAO)

If you are unable to access the internet, please contact the School on 5599 2285 or Clare at the Parish office on 5592 1195

The "Local Loot Draw" will take place at school on Thursday 5th September 2024.

## Diocesan Formation Assembly ~ Colac

In preparation for the Diocesan Assembly in November 2024, there will be formation sessions held around the diocese with a focus on leadership and governance. In 2023, Bishop Paul asked parishes to focus on leadership in their local communities, either by forming or developing further a parish council or leadership team according to local circumstances. The Diocesan Assembly will bring together diocesan clergy, representatives of the leadership teams in parishes, schools and Catholic organisations to consider how we might develop leadership and governance in our communities in the future. The formation opportunity is for: Diocesan Clergy Parish Leadership Team/Parish Councils/Parish Teams School Leadership Teams/School Advisory Councils Catholic Organisations Leaders An invitation is also extended to people who have leadership potential and who would like to participate. Leadership teams are invited to nominate others who might benefit from this experience. *Fr Justin Driscoll will facilitate the formation sessions:*

**Colac - Tuesday July 30, 2024 - Begins 10 Mass, 1pm Lunch, 3pm Finish with Prayer.**

**Please Note:** This Session in our Parish is an opportunity for us to be prepared: FOR A FUTURE - WE DON'T KNOW YET. With the increasing shortage of Priests - Plus the opportunity to Lay People (Parishioners) to have increasing involvement in developing "leadership and governance in our communities in the future." - this Meeting facilitated by Fr Justin Driscoll - (on behalf of Bishop Paul Bird) is a critical opportunity for US to be aware of possible changes and preparation for them. All Welcome! For Arrangements please book: RSVP Colac Parish by 22nd July 12pm - Parish Office 52312177. MO'T.

### TUESDAYS SCHEDULE THAT WE PLAN FOR COLAC:

Begin with 10am Mass Followed by Morning Tea

11.15am Welcome and Introduction 11.45am First Session

1.00pm Lunch 2.00 pm Second Session 3.00 pm Finish with prayer