



**THE MOST HOLY TRINITY**

**11TH JUNE 2017**

**THIS WEEKS READINGS  
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**FIRST READING: Ex 34:4-6. 8-9**  
Moses meets the Lord on Mt. Sinai.

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM**  
(R.) Glory and praise for ever!

**SECOND READING: 2 COR 13:11-13**  
Live in peace with one another.

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**  
Alleluia, alleluia!  
Glory to the Father, the Son,  
and the Holy Spirit:  
to God who is, who was, and  
who is to come.  
Alleluia!

**GOSPEL: JN 20:19-23**  
Jesus tells Nicodemus of the  
Father's love.

**NEXT WEEKS READINGS  
18TH JUNE 2017**

**FIRST READING: Dt 8:2-3. 14-16**  
He gave you food which you  
and your ancestors  
did not know.

**SECOND READING: 1 COR 10:16-17**  
Though we are many, we form  
a single body because we  
share this one loaf.

**GOSPEL: JN 3:16-18**  
My flesh is real food and my  
blood is real drink.

**REFLECTION**

When he was crucified Jesus uttered: 'It is finished.' What had finished? His earthly ministry during which he painted a picture of the most intimate communion between Himself, the Father, and the Holy Spirit, so intimate that the Church needed a new word: 'Tri-Unity' or 'Trinity' for short. God is pulsating, shimmering light, dancing in threefold exchange of love, each being simultaneously poured into the other. God is 'Being-In-Love' and love is always relational. 'You are made in the image and likeness of God'? Because of the ministry of Jesus Christ, we know what that really means. We are made to live in relationship – not in solitary. If we think that the ultimate good is to be self-sufficient/autonomous, that leads to a hellish existence. When we live with as much self-giving as is possible, we are on the way to a heavenly existence. We could pause for a moment to give thanks for the revelation of the nature of God, and consequently of the true nature of human beings.

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**PRAYER LIST FOR TAREE & WINGHAM PARISHES**

**SICK:** Patricia Wolfenden, Mary and Helen Trapple, Bev Crouch, Julie Rice, Tom Berryman, May and Terry Bailey, Teresa Harvey, Sue Davis, Judy Nies, John O'Keefe, Barry Armitage, Mary McCaffrey, Maree Dunne, Linda Norris, Margaret Barrett, Gloria Ellis, Helen Wooster, Mikala Corben, Sonia Pinkerton, Monica Moy, Anne Cleal, Jim Wills, Robert MacGregor, Anne Hile, Laura Mirabello, Pat Anderson, Cecily Bohringer, Jan Daines, Ambrose Mason, Sandra Baker, Rupert McLennan, Sue Berry, Bill Walker, Marie McGovern and Bernie Eddlebuttel.

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Kathleen McDonald, Raymond White, Tony White, Phillip Kohlbach, Mary Maurer, John Clarke, Geoff Gallagher, and Eric Poole.

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM**

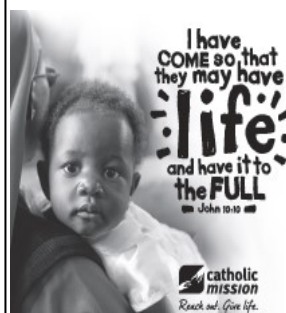
Trinity Sun.: Glo -- ry and praise \_\_\_\_ for -- ev -- er! \_\_\_\_

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**THE TRINITY**



**CATHOLIC MISSION APPEAL - 17TH/18TH JUNE**



The Parish will hold the annual Catholic Mission Appeal for 2017, on 17th/18th June. The appeal shares the life-giving work of the Catholic Mission in Uganda, highlighting the important work of Sr. Mary Goretti from the Daughters of Mary. Sr Goretti is responsible for running the St Luke Bujuni Health Centre, which provides the Parish with affordable, quality healthcare. Envelopes will be available in all Churches next weekend, please lend your support to this appeal.



## PARISH CALENDAR

### MONDAY 12TH JUNE

10am Meditation - Old Pres  
12pm Martha's group - Parish Res C.  
1.45pm Taree Hr of Prayer for Priests

### TUESDAY 13TH JUNE

**9.30am Harrington Liturgy of the Word + Comm + Exp**  
9.30am-11am T&W Library open  
10am Women's Prayer Group - Old Lib  
10.30 Old Bar Church open for prayers & rosary  
1pm Men's Bible Study - Old Pres  
**5.30pm Taree Mass**  
6.30pm women's craft group-SMH

### WEDNESDAY 14TH JUNE

8.50am Taree MMP Prayer for Priests  
**9.30am Taree Mass**  
10.30am Bushland Anointing Mass  
5.30pm T&W PPC Mtg - Res C

### THURSDAY 15TH JUNE

**9.30am Taree Mass - OL**  
**9.30am Taree Mass - St Joseph's School**

### FRIDAY 16TH JUNE

**9am Taree Mass**  
9.30am Taree Exposition  
11am Wingham Mass  
3.00pm OB Exposition & MMP

### SATURDAY 17TH JUNE

11am - 12pm Taree reconciliation  
5.30pm Taree Rosary  
**6pm Taree Mass** followed by Holy Communion Session 4 - Res C  
**6pm Harrington Mass**

### SUNDAY 18TH JUNE

### MOST HOLY BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST (CORPUS CHRISTI)

7am Old Bar Rosary  
**7.30am Old Bar Mass**  
7.50am Wingham Rosary  
8-8.20am Wingham Reconciliation  
**8.30am Wingham Mass** followed by Holy Communion Session 4  
9am Taree Rosary  
**9.30am Taree Mass** followed by Holy Communion Session 4 - SMH  
10.30am Couples for Christ for morning tea after Mass - Res C  
**5.00 pm Lansdowne Mass**  
**6.00 pm Cundletown Mass**

### SWIFT/DUREAU FAMILY GROUP

Apologies for the change of venue to Triple C (Woolworths) Central Foyer Food area, to be held at 12 noon on the 18th June.

### THANK YOU

Fr. George & Fr. James would like to express a heart felt thank you to all parishioners who helped to make the Bishop's visit a success. A special thank you is extended to the St Mary's catering team for a lovely luncheon for the Bishop on Saturday.

### NEW PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

On the 28th May, at the Parish Assembly, the following people were elected to become the Parish Pastoral Council for 2017-2020. Anne King, Ray Smith, Peter Neal, Susie Ploder, Leonie Melder, Quentin Schneider, Robert Panchasarp, Anne Clark, David Hutchison, Sharon Fowle, and Lilium Ouyang.

### TAX RECEIPTS

For 2016/2017 Financial Year, please advise the Parish Office by **June 30**, if you require a tax receipt for Planned Giving contributions made in the 2016/17 Financial Year.

### FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

**Wingham** - All parishioners, family & friends are invited to attend the First Communion for 10 children of the Wingham Parish, on Sunday 25th June at the 8.30am mass, followed by morning tea in the school hall. Volunteers are needed for the morning tea. Please bring a small plate to share. For enquiries please contact Frances on 6553 5859.

**Taree** - All parishioners, family & friends are invited to attend the First Communion to be held 25th June during the 9.30am Mass. A celebration will follow in St Mary's Hall.

### CARITAS AUSTRALIA - EAST AFRICA FOOD CRISIS APPEAL 2017

23 million people are currently on the brink of famine in South Sudan and other areas of East Africa. Caritas Australia and their partners are delivering life-saving food and water to countries most in need. This crisis may be worse than the famine in Ethiopia in the 1980s. Please help by calling 1800 024 413 or donating via [www.caritas.org.au/foodcrisis](http://www.caritas.org.au/foodcrisis). Envelopes will be available in the Taree & Wingham Church.

### TAREE ROSTERS

The new rosters for June - December 2017 for Taree Church are available for collection from the Parish Office. Please notify the office should you wish to collect your roster from the Church, emailed or posted.

### ST VINCENT DE PAUL STORE

St Vincent De Paul stores in both Wingham & Taree, are now selling a range of items for Baptisms, Confirmation and Holy Communion including cards and Rosary Beads.

### LEPROSY MISSION - TAREE

Will host an afternoon tea on Wednesday the 14th June, at 1.30 pm in the Presbyterian church at Taree. Light entertainment will be provided as well as an afternoon tea, together with the presentation of "The story of a Father's love - Nepal". No booking or entry fee are required. A donation is mostly appreciated for the mission in Nepal.

### ANGLICAN MEN'S GROUP DINNER

To meet Wed the 14th June at 6pm at St John's Memorial Hall. Dinner to be served at 6.30pm, \$16 per person, and bookings by 12th June to Dennis on 6553 9474.

### CHILD PROTECTION TRAINING

To be held on Tuesday 13 & Tuesday 27 June 2017 (5.30pm - 7.30pm) (2 x 2 hours), at Holy Name Parish Hall, 33 Lake Street Foster. All parish volunteers welcome. Please contact Paul Skippen from Forster Parish on 6554 6401.

### MANNING UNITING CHURCH ADULT FELLOWSHIP

Invites you to attend a luncheon on Wednesday the 28th June 2017, at 12 noon in the ministry centre at 29 Albert St, Taree. Faye Kohlagen to speak about "Station Life in the Riverina". Musical items & Stalls too. A \$12 donation is needed. Please PSVP by 22nd June to Andrew Walker 6551 6303, or Faye Kohlagen 6552 4073.

### LOWER MANNING UNITING CHURCH - ADULT LUNCHEON

To be held on Wed 14th June, 12 noon at Paton Hall, Coopernook. \$20 includes a 2 course meal. Please RSVP, 10th June, Joy Cusack on 0499 649 912.

**PLEASE NOTE THAT THE DEADLINE FOR ALL BULLETIN NOTICES IS WEDNESDAY 3PM. NOTICES RECEIVED AFTER THIS TIME WILL BE PLACED IN THE FOLLOWING WEEK'S BULLETIN. THANK YOU.**