

St Joseph's Parish Timboon

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Mothers Day 2016

8th May

All-loving God, we give you thanks and praise for mothers young and old.

We pray for young mothers, who give life and count toes and tend to our every need: May they be blessed with patience and tenderness to care for their families and themselves with great joy.

We pray for our own mothers who have nurtured and cared for us; May they continue to guide us in strong and gentle ways.

We remember mothers who are separated from their children because of war. poverty, or conflict; May they feel the loving embrace of our God who wipes every tear away.

We pray for women who are not mothers but still love and shape us with motherly care and compassion.

We remember mothers, grandmothers, and great-grandmothers who are no longer with us but who live forever in our memory and nourish us with their love. Amen.



A new issue of INFORM The Name of God is Mercy is available in the church foyers .

Pat Nicholson will hold a Power Point course in early May. Anyone interested please contact him on 0418 173 854.

Prayer for year of Mercy

Lord Jesus Christ, you have taught us to be merciful like the heavenly Father, and have told us that whoever sees you see Him.

Show us your face and we will be saved.

You are the visible face of the invisible Father, of the God who manifests his power above all by forgiveness and mercy; let the Church be your visible face in the world.

Send your Spirit and consecrate every one of us with the Spirit's anointing, so that the Jubilee of Mercy may be a year of grace from the Lord, and your Church, with renewed enthusiasm, may bring good news to the poor.

We ask this of you, Lord Jesus, through the intercession of Mary, Mother of Mercy; you who live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit for ever and ever. Amen.

(From the Jubilee Prayer of Pope Francis)

Ecumenical Church Service -

Timboon District Health Care Service May 4th at 10:30 am

The Parish of Timboon is a Parish with a Supervised Community Leadership. The Parish Leadership Team coordinates parish life and lay pastoral ministry supported by the Supervising Priest and the Visiting Priest.



Parish Leadership Team: Moderator: Jean McMeel Members: Marlene van Nieuwkerk, Katrina Currell, Gerard Vogels, Charles Martin and Pat Nicholson., Joanne Robertson

Our sick: Ann Ryan, Terry McMeel, Pat Gaut, Sarah Vogels, Bailey Delaney, Ann Dodd, Kade Ryan, Nicky Simmons, Andrew Cook, Frank Vogels, Heather Paton, Reg McVilly.

Recent Death: John Hunt

May Anniversaries: Shirley Freeman, John Gaut, William Delahenty, Caroline Gagel, John Evans, John Conheady, Peter Vu, Harry Gatens, Merle Ludeman.



Amoris Laetitia, 'The Joy of Love: On Love in the Family'

On Friday, April 8, 2016 Pope Francis published a new papal document called, Amoris Laetitia, 'The Joy of Love: On Love in the Family' at the Vatican in Rome. The papal document is also known as an 'Apostolic Exhortation'. It is available to read on the diocesan website or the Australian Catholic Bishops Conference website: https://www.catholic.org.au/synod-2015/home

St Andrew's statue roster:

1st May N and E Weel....8th May P & J de Jong

Mass count for each week-end in May starts with Mass on May 1st.

To borrow: DVDs on the 4 gospels and the eConference are available in St Joseph's foyer. Please write your name in the book when borrowing.

Timboon	1st May	7th May 6:00 pm	15th May
	Mass 10.45am	Assembly of W & C	Mass 10.45am
Welcome	M Van Nieuwkerk	P Haugh	K Currell
Leaders		T O'Connor	
		M van Nieuwkerk	
Statue	N & P Haugh	B Delaney	J & G Delaney
Reader	L McInerney	C Marr.	J McKenzie
P.O.F.	E O'Connor	R Hoffmann	T O'Connor
Gifts	A & R Hoffmann		J &L McInerney
M of C	A Vogels C Bullen	M Leske	C Marr & E O'Connor
Church	C Kerr & E Roberts	C Kerr & E Roberts	C Kerr & E Roberts
Cleaning			
Bulletin	P Nicholson	P Nicholson	P Nicholson
	M Moloney	M Moloney	M Moloney
Slides	J McMeel	J McMeel	J McMeel