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St. Andrew's Simpson
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Australian Catholic Youth Festival

Annie Currell will be representing our Parish at the Festival in Adelaide Dec.3rd-5th, 2015. Please pray for all the youth attending.

Ecumenical Church Service Timboon & District Healthcare Service December 7th, Wednesday 10:30 a.m.

From a letter sent by the **Archdiocese of Canberra & Goulburn.**

"Dear Father, With this letter we invite you, your parishioners and school staff to access the online daily Advent reflection program, **'The Face of Mercy'**.

The program has been written around the interrelationship between mercy and the season of Advent. The Jubilee Year of Mercy commences on December 8, 2015. You and those to whom you minister might enjoy the opportunity to reflect and pray on the significance of the wonder of God's mercy and how that is incarnated in the person of Jesus Christ. You can sign up to the program by going to the website <http://www.thefaceofmercy.org.au...>"

The letter contains more information and copies are available in the church foyers.

Join the **Counting Team**. Thank you to Paula Steen for her many years of commitment in this ministry. We are seeking dedicated person/s to assist Noel Haugh and Ron McMeel on a monthly basis for counting and banking Sunday collections. Please see Noel if you are interested.

All the best to anyone sitting for **VCE exams** in the next two or three weeks.

Offerings for the commemoration of the faithful departed: **November Masses** envelopes are available in the foyers of the churches.

The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary: 21st November.

Heavenly Father, the Blessed Virgin Mary was dedicated to You by her parents when she was three. In the temple, she joined the girls who spent their days praying, reading Scripture, and serving the temple priests. Her holiness was very evident, and the high priest thought that You probably had great plans for her. I ask Mary to pray for the plans You have for my life. Where I have strayed onto a road of my own choosing, give me her hand to guide me back to where You want me. Where I need to wait for a new plan to begin, give me the grace remain patient and say, "Your will be done." Blessed Virgin Mary, pray for me.

Global Catholic Climate Movement

November 2015 is an historical month to take action against climate change...put into practice the Pope's *Laudato Si* message. Sign the Catholic Climate Petition. See more at: <http://catholicclimatemovement.global/month-climate-action/#sthash.PlulAMGh.dpuf>

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.
Parish Secretary: George Swierczek

Our sick: Ann Ryan, Terry McMeel, Pat Gaut, Sarah Vogels, Bailey Delaney, Ann Dodd, Kade Ryan, Nicky Simmons, Andrew Cook, Frank Vogels, Nancy Nugent, John Hunt, Frances Hammett.

November Anniversaries: Anthony Allan, Frank Fleming, Ben Tannahill, Lucy Dwyer, Johan Gagel, Carolina Gagel, Joe Vogels, Corry Vogels, Margaret Dundon, Ted Stokes, Jack Hunt, Trudy Arnold, Paul Brick .



PRAYER REQUESTS

A request to those completing **online training**—please provide the office with a copy of your certificate.

Mass and Assembly of Word and Communion at St Andrew's Simpson 9:00 a.m. Sundays.

St Andrew's statue roster: **15th Nov** J. Wetemans; **22nd Nov** B & F Wouters; **29th Nov** G Swierczek

Timboon	November 15th Mass 10:45 am	November 21st Assembly of W & C. 6pm	November 29th Mass 9:00 am at St Andrew's Simpson
Leaders		J McInerney M van Nieuwkerk	
Welcome	J Delaney	B Maslin.	
Statue	B Delaney	G & J Delaney	
Reader	A Vogels	P Steen	
P.O.F.	P Nicholson	M Leske	
Gifts	O'Connor Family		
M of C	K Currell M Leske	R McMeel	
1st Reading	Dan 12:1-13	Dan 7:13-14	Jer 33:14-16
2nd Reading	Heb 10:11-14, 18	Apoc 1:5-8	Thess 3:12-4:2
Gospel	Mk 13: 24-32	Mk 11:9,10	Lk 21:25-28, 34-36
Church Cleaning	M Leske M van Nieuwkerk	M Leske M van Nieuwkerk	M Leske M van Nieuwkerk
Bulletin Roster	G Swierczek & M Dillon	G Swierczek & M Dillon	G Swierczek & M Dillon