

Welcome to St Francis Xavier Catholic Parish of Moree

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Entrance Antiphon

The Lord said: I think thoughts of peace and not of affliction. You will call upon me, and I will answer you, and I will lead back your captives from every place.

Communion Antiphon

To be near God is my happiness, to place my hope in God the Lord.

First Holy Communion

12 children will receive the sacrament of Holy Communion for the first time today, at a special 11am Mass. We thank the teachers who have helped to prepare them, and ask that you remember the children and their families in your prayers.

Family Rosary Group has started in our parish. Please contact Fr Kingsley for details.

Visits to the Sick

If there is someone who is sick (in hospital or at home) who you know would appreciate a visit from a priest, please contact the Parish Centre (67522886).

Caution - there have been snake sightings in the area this week. A snake has been killed. Be alert but not alarmed.

Gifts of Faith: Christmas presents given in place of material gifts. Find out more at www.thatcatholicshop.com/giftsoffait

Devotional Sites and Apps:

- Bread 4 Today: Daily reflections from the Redemptorists
<https://www.cssr.org.au/bread4today/>
- Sacred Space: Daily prayers & reflections from the Irish Jesuits
<https://www.sacredspace.ie/>

Piety Goods are available in the foyer after Mass, and from Sylvia's Fabrics in Heber St during business hours.

Parents - in the interest of safety, please always accompany your children to the church toilet.

Please observe the ropes and signs when finding a place to sit. This will ensure adequate distancing, for the safety of all.

The maximum capacity of our church is 57 people, with an extra 11 in the gallery.

For now, there will be no singing, personal contact during the Sign of Peace or Procession of the Gifts. Collection baskets are near the piano for your offering.

Thankyou to those who help to disinfect the church after each Mass.

Although restrictions have eased, we must still remember to follow the rules, in order to keep one another safe.

It is vital that people who are unwell stay at home.

Funerals Until the government lifts all restrictions on gatherings, there will be no funerals in our church; only graveside services will be conducted.

To continue regular giving, you may find it easier to set up an online transfer.

1st Collection: BSB 082105 A/c 001005045
Moree Catholic Church Presbytery

2nd Collection: BSB 082105 A/c 001004741
Moree Catholic Church Management
Please include your name as reference.

Readings Next Sunday

Ezek 24:11-12, 15-17;

1 Cor 15:20-26, 28; Matthew 25:31-46

Available in the foyer

Majellan Christmas Cards \$7 pack of 10
Columban Calendars \$9

Weekday Masses

Monday 5.40pm Tuesday 9.15am
Wednesday 5.40 pm

Weekend Masses

Saturday 6pm
Sunday 7.30am and 9.30am
Confessions 5-5.30pm Saturday

Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
Creator of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ,
his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the
Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried;
he descended into hell;
on the third day he rose again from the
dead; he ascended into heaven, and is
seated at the right hand of God the Father
almighty;
from there he will come to judge the living
and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and life everlasting. Amen.



Gloria

Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people of good will.
We praise you, we bless you,
we adore you, we glorify you,
we give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King,
O God, almighty Father.
Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God,
Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us;
you take away the sins of the world,
receive our prayer;
you are seated at the right hand
of the Father,
have mercy on us.
For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High,
Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Please Pray For

Baptism in our Parish

✠ Violet Jules Nolan - child of Casey & David

Our Sick

Lucy Morris, Lionel Cusack, Brendan Hughes, Les Allen, Sharon King, Sr Shirley King OP, Sr Margaret Blackford OP, Fay Bullock, Colleen Marsden, Lanny Greer, Maria Gregory, Nora Carrigan, Fr Bernie Flood, Jann Lee, Pat Maynard, Jamie Peachey, Joshua Byrne, Donna Brennan, Judy Pires, Shirley Schmidt, Mort Edmiston, Jo-Anne McDonald, Wayne Lyons, Madison Miller, Paige Thomas, Tiny Mather, Shirley Johnson, John Peters, Marcus Manning, Tom Sharples, Paul O'Donnell, Shirley Reynolds, Keith Humphries, Lola Shearer, Stella & Stephen Cusack, Clare Kinross, Melinda Cain, Graham Ehrick, Pam Brazel, Samantha Holcombe, Danielle Burkhardt, Allan Ross, Jann Wilde

Our Deceased

Recent: Dianne Foote, Graham Francisco, Fr Theophilus Okere

Anniversaries: Doris Oluchi Nwachukwu, John Sirl, Raymond Malkoun, William Marsden, Harold Weribone, Lorraine Weeden, Norma Meyer, Rita Kinsella, Selina Munro

Also: Robina Teitzel; Jane Keenan; Neville Jurd; John Haddad; Jason Haddad; Norman Haddad; Jack & Molly Watt; Stan & Philomena Gillan; Keith Rummery; Dez Tandis; Hughes Family; Fr Paddy Bell; James Lahood and all the faithful departed

Pope Francis' prayer intention for November

We pray that the progress of robotics and artificial intelligence may always serve humankind.

Church Cleaning this week (3rd Wed)

K Gillan, B Montgomery, H Officer

Readers next weekend 21 & 22 Nov

Sat 6pm:

Sunday 7.30am:

9.30am: Richard Clark