

14th June, 2026, 11th Sunday /A

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St Therese Barellan

In our Prayers: Lee Jackson, Robyn Richards, Neville Caldwell.

For our Deceased: Deceased Family, Friends, Victims of war, violence, accidents & natural disasters.

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Ariah Park 6.00 p.m. *Liturgy Sat*

Mass

Temora

6pm. Saturday

5pm.

Sunday

Mass

Ardlethan

8am

Barellan

10am

Sunday

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Aware of the vast numbers of people who were harassed and dejected Jesus called twelve apostles to share in his mission. They were to do the same works as Jesus, healing the sick and proclaiming the kingdom of heaven. Christ still needs helpers to share in his mission. At the end of each Mass Christ sends us out to love and serve God and one another.

Key Theme: Called and Sent

Focus: God's love and mission

Summary: God chooses His people and cares for them with love. Jesus shows mercy to the crowds and sends His disciples to help, heal, and share the Good News.

Challenge: Trust that God calls ordinary people to serve Him. Show compassion and share God's love with people who are hurting or in need.

Action Step: Pray for someone who needs help or encouragement this week. Do one simple act of kindness without expecting anything back.

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The harvest is abundant but the laborers are few; so ask the master of the harvest to send out laborers for his harvest.



2026 Theme - A Million Stories

Refugee Week in Australia is always held from Sunday to Saturday of the week which includes 20 June (World Refugee Day). For 2026, it will be held from Sunday 14 June to Saturday 20 June.

As Europe recovered from the devastation of World War II, Australia responded to an international call to offer a future to people with nowhere to call home.

Since that initial agreement in 1947 to receive 4000 refugees from Central Europe, Australia has issued one million permanent humanitarian visas – welcoming people from all parts of the globe, people who have helped to build modern Australia.

Refugee Week 2026 is a moment to reflect on that milestone and to celebrate the million stories behind it. Each story is unique. Each one is powerful. And together, they shape the Australia we all call home today.

This is about more than a number. One person’s journey influences the lives of many others: children, grandchildren, and future generations who leave their unique mark on our shared story. A thread in something greater; a million colourful strands woven into a rich and beautiful tapestry, shaping communities and stories we continue to tell.

As we celebrate this milestone, we also look to the future.

How can we continue to welcome people in need of safety?

What more can we do, as individuals and communities, to offer support and understanding?

And how can each of us show kindness and help people feel they belong?

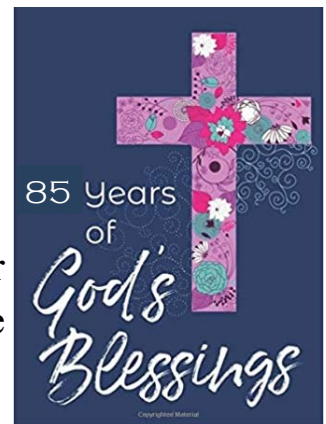
As part of celebrating the 40th Refugee Week, a celebration born in Australia and now observed around the world, let’s keep sharing stories, challenging stereotypes, and building a more inclusive society.

Let’s build on our legacy.

refugeeweek.org.au

Happy Birthday

John, we give thanks for your gift of life as you celebrate your 85th birthday on Thursday. May our good God bless you with the gifts that are just right for you at this time.



Roster 21st June

Leader:

Reader: Linda Griffin

Ex. Minister :

Acknowledgement of Country – With respect, we acknowledge the country, the skies, the waterways and spiritual systems of the Wiradjuri people on whose land we gather. We acknowledge the elders for the passing on of knowledge, language and spiritual connections to country.

Parish Safeguarding Commitment — Our Lady Help of Christians Parish Ardlethan/Sacred Heart Arian Park is committed to safeguarding and upholding the rights of all our children and vulnerable people. We seek to empower children, their families and carers and vulnerable people, to have a say, to be listened to and to be protected. Parishioners are encouraged to raise any concerns they may have by emailing Fr Alex Osborne at alex.osborne@cg.org.au. Parishioners are also welcome to contact Maria Hicks, manager for the Archdiocesan Institute for Professional Standards & Safeguarding (IPSS) at ipss@cg.org.au or phone 02-62399806.