



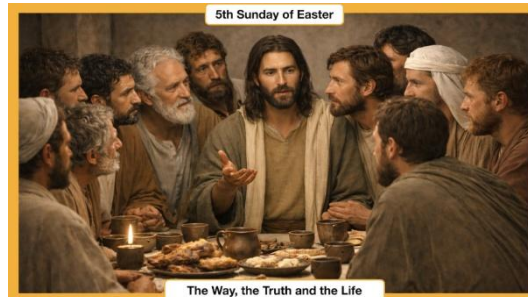
TEMORA SACRED HEART MISSION

INCORPORATING THE PARISHES OF TEMORA/BARMEDMAN,
ARDLETHAN/ARIAH PARK & BARELLAN/BINYA

PARISH PRIEST – Fr Alex Osborne

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER YEAR A 3RD MAY 2026

‘I AM THE WAY.’ IN EVERY AGE THERE ARE PEOPLE WHO CLAIM TO KNOW THE WAY TO A FULL AND HAPPY LIFE. OFTEN THEIR IDEAS FLOURISH FOR A WHILE AND THEN FADE. BUT THERE IS ONE WAY TO THE FULLNESS OF LIFE THAT HAS STOOD THE TEST OF TIME – AND THAT WAY IS JESUS. IF WE FOLLOW JESUS, THE WAY, WE WILL COME TO THE FULLNESS OF LIFE AND TRUTH, AND COMMUNICATE THIS LIFE TO OTHERS.



Gospel Reflection - In this Sunday's Gospel, Jesus calms our anxious hearts with a simple promise: "I am the way and the truth and the life." When we feel lost or uncertain, Jesus doesn't just give us a map; He offers us Himself. To know Him is to know the Father, and to follow Him is to find our way home. This week, let us trust that even in our doubt, He has prepared a place for us.

Confirmation – Important Dates – Confirmation Enrolment at Mass - Saturday 2nd May 6pm, Sunday 3rd May 5pm. Confirmation Retreat Day – Thursday 28th May 9.10am – 3.20pm. Sacrament of Confirmation – Sunday 31st May 10am.

Parish Wood Raffle - The PPC is running a wood raffle to raise much needed funds for the parish. Tickets are \$5 each and will be sold outside the church on the weekends of 16th/17th May and 23rd/24th May after Mass. The raffle will be drawn after 5pm Mass Sunday 24th May.

Head Count at Mass: Please note that over the month of May at all weekend Masses a head count of attendees will be conducted. Each parish in the Archdiocese is required to conduct this for the Australian Catholic Bishop's National Centre for Pastoral Research (NCPR). Thank you for your co-operation.

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We acknowledge the traditional custodians of this land, the Wiradjuri peoples, Aboriginal peoples and Torres Strait Islander peoples. We pay our respects to the elders past, present and emerging, for they hold the memories, the traditions, the culture, and hopes of this land. We acknowledge that they have occupied and cared for this land over countless generations and we celebrate their continuing contribution to the life of our town and of this region. We also extend our respect to all Aboriginal peoples living in our community.

MASS TIMES

MONDAY:	No Mass	
TUESDAY:	Mass	5.00pm
WEDNESDAY:	Mass	10.15am
THURSDAY:	Mass	8.30am
FRIDAY:	Mass	9.15am - Mother's Day Mass with St Anne's
SATURDAY:	Mass	8.30am
9 th May	Vigil Mass	6.00pm – ARIAH PARK
SUNDAY:		
10 th May	Mass	8.00am - BARMEDMAN, 10.00am – TEMORA, 5.00pm – TEMORA

EVENTS Sacred Heart Ladies Meeting – Thursday 7th May – 10.45am – Ex-Services Club
St Anne's Mother's Day Breakfast – Friday 8th May – 8.00am to 9.00am – Playground
St Anne's Mother's Day Mass – Friday 8th May – 9.15am - Church

6PM MASS SATURDAY 2ND MAY 2026

ACOLYTE:	P George	READER:	A Letson
PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL:	M Reid	OFFERTORY PROCESSION:	Irving Family
ALTAR SERVERS:	H Drumore & J Cotton	ROSARY:	M Flakelar
		MUSIC:	N Drum

5PM MASS SUNDAY 3RD MAY 2026

ACOLYTE:	J Morton	READER:	A Scott
PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL:	A Sleigh	OFFERTORY PROCESSION:	C & A McCrone
ALTAR SERVERS:	A Wallace & A Balon		

10AM MASS SUNDAY 10TH MAY 2026

ACOLYTE:	P Bleyer	READER:	K Irving
PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL:	M Flakelar	OFFERTORY PROCESSION:	J & J Tucker
ALTAR SERVERS:	I & S Irving	ROSARY:	A Letson
		MUSIC:	Colin, Sharron, Renae

5PM MASS SUNDAY 10TH MAY 2026

ACOLYTE:	I Reid	READER:	G Reid
PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL:	G Holland	OFFERTORY PROCESSION:	Drumore Family
ALTAR SERVERS:	K Rebibis & A Wallace		
PLANNED GIVING COUNTERS:	2 nd – M & C Tucker	10 th – M & J O'Callaghan	
CHURCH CLEANING:	10 th May - J Morton's Team	24 th – St Anne's Students	

First Collection for Sunday 26th April 2026 **\$424.35**. Second Collection for Sunday 26th April 2026 **\$957.00**.

Mother's Day – Next Sunday 10th May is Mother's Day. Please bring a flower for the Mother's Day Procession.

Sacred Heart Ladies Meeting - The Sacred Heart Ladies Group will hold their next meeting on the 7th May at 10.45am at the Temora Ex-Services Club, followed by lunch. All welcome and we would love to welcome new members.

Friday Mass – Please note that next Friday's Mass will commence at 9.15am instead of 8.30am. The Mass will be celebrated with St Anne's for Mother's Day.

Parish Safeguarding Commitment – Sacred Heart Parish Temora 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 Kim Irving at temora.safeguarding@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 phoning 02-62399806.

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK:

Annette Elliot
Susan Kelly
Brian Kelly
Andrew Bulkeley
Greg Gaynor
Dee Goesch
Dilini Jayawardene
Graham Haddrill
Rosemary Blachut
Brian Hughes
David Rolfe
Joy Cronin
Janelle Bland
Jim Clancy
Cliff Cook
Noel Rigney-Johnson

Could you please contact the presbytery if you are aware of any changes to our sick list.

MASSES OFFERED:

Helen Holt
Danny Pinney
Pat Pinney
Members of Pinney & O'Dea Families
Joan Preston

DECEASED:

ANNIVERSARIES:

Pam Farrell
Mary Schubert
Raymond Bartley
Allen Crouch
Ros O'Callaghan
Agnes Bischard
Peter Kelly
Brian Hartwig
Libby Gaynor
Noel Wells
Carmel Bannon
Les Joyce
Ivy Hartwig
Phillip Cariddi