

THE PARISH PUMP

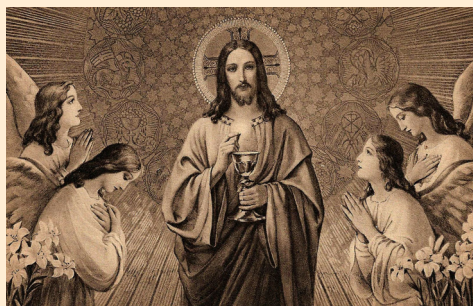
The Weekly Bulletin for St John's, Dennington & St Pius X, West Warrnambool

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SUNDAY 22nd AUGUST 2021

TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Safety Officer: Karen Johnson Warrnambool and Dennington are Child-Safe Parishes



FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Today we pray for our First Communicants, who will for the first time receive Jesus in the Eucharist. May the sacrament bestow many graces upon these young disciples of Jesus, enabling them in turn to bless our world.

Sadly, the restrictions on our numbers means that the First Communion Masses are apart from our parish Mass.

SCRIPTURE STUDY: 1pm-2pm Friday, St Pius X Church. All welcome.



UPDATE ON NEW PARISH

The Catholic communities of Koroit, Port Fairy, Warrnambool West and Warrnambool look forward to becoming a totally new parish later this year.

Nothing is official yet, but the new parish may be established as soon as 1st October 2021 (just six weeks away). We await the bishop's decision, but the parish will probably be called Star of the Sea, South West Coast, as all the current parishes border the sea.



ST VINNIES WINTER APPEAL

The annual winter appeal of the West Warrnambool conference of the St Vincent de Paul Society will be taken up at the end of today's Mass. All monies received will be assist local people in dire need. Thank you for your generosity.

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Saturday Vigil Mass
6:30pm Infant Jesus, Koroit

Sunday Morning Masses
8:30am St Joseph's, Warrnambool
9:00am St Patrick's, Port Fairy
10:00am St Joseph's, Warrnambool
10:30am St Pius X, West Warrnambool

Sunday Evening Mass
6:00pm St Joseph's, Warrnambool

Also Our Lady's: 6pm Saturday, 9am Sunday

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PARISH ANNIVERSARY!

Today is the 37th birthday of our church. (Not the parish.) Next Sunday we will "bury" the time capsule prepared for our parish jubilee. This is the last call for items to include.



Towards the first Assembly 2nd - 10th October 2021

From today's Gospel:
'You have the message of eternal life, and we believe.'

Through appropriate faith formation, God can shape us into deepening our spirituality within the life of the Church, engaging with scripture, encountering God in worship and prayerfully developing our living relationship with Jesus Christ.

(Prayerful and Eucharistic - Discernment Paper p. 5)

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THE PLENARY COUNCIL AND YOU

The Ballarat diocesan members of the Plenary Council, Marie Shaddock, Felicity Knobel, Bishop Paul Bird and Fr Kevin Maloney, will soon be visiting parishes to talk about the Plenary Council and the Assemblies to be held in October this year and July next year.

NEXT SUNDAY, 10:30am MASS

29th August: 22nd Sunday, Ordinary Time

First & Second Readings: J. Guinan

Prayer of the Faithful: L. Dooley

Holy Communion: Adele Webster

Counters: Roy McGrath

ANNIVERSARIES: Heath Bishop, Vincent Griffin, Dawn Murnane, Max Paten, Alex Smith.

*Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord;
let perpetual light shine upon them.*

FIRST FRIDAY SACRED HEART

MASS: 6pm, Fri 3rd Sep, at St Pius X. A more meditative Mass, intended to foster personal intimacy with Jesus.

WEEKDAY LITURGIES IN OUR REGION

Mon	9:30am, St Pius X
Tue	9:30am, Our Lady's 10:00am, St Patrick's
Wed	9:30am Mass, Our Lady's 10:00am Mass, St Joseph's 10:00am Mass, Infant Jesus
Thu	9:30am Mass, Our Lady's
Fri	9:30am Mass, Our Lady's 10:00am Mass, St Joseph's
Sat	9:30am Mass, Our Lady's

CONFESSION TIMES IN OUR REGION

Mon	5pm to 6pm, St Pius X
Tue	5pm to 6pm, St Pius X
Wed	5pm to 6pm, St Pius X
Thu	5pm to 6pm, St Pius X
Fri	After 9:30am Mass, Our Lady's After 10am Mass, St Joseph's 5pm to 6pm, St Pius X
Sat	10am to 11am, St Pius X