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## Dear Friends,

Last weekend we reflected on the gospel passage where Jesus sent his disciples to a mission with authority and power. In today's we see that the disciples returned from their mission and made report to Jesus what had happened in their mission. Seeing them tired and exhausted, with almost no time to eat, Jesus sends them to a deserted place for some rest. But the people get there ahead of them. Instead of getting irritated at this turn of events or resenting this disturbance of their privacy, Jesus attends to the people, being moved with pity for them, thus allowing the Apostles to get their needed rest.

Jesus suggests that we take some time off our hectic schedules and everyday activities to be with God in prayer and in silence. This gives us the opportunity to reflect on our life and listen to God speaking to us. In prayer, we are recharged with God's grace and strengthened by God's wisdom and words as we open our minds and offer our hearts to God.

Our resting with God or our communion with the Lord must lead us to be more committed to the mission of God and to dedicate ourselves to the service of the people of God. Our prayer to God must be translated into good works for our brothers and sisters. Our moments of rest should recharge, refresh our faith and motivate us to continue our mission of witnessing the Lord. So let us pray to our Lord to strengthen our faith by the power of the Holy Spirit so that we may be able to serve the people with humility and loving care. **-Neville** 

**Broken Bay Institute's e-Conference** will take place on Wednesday, August 8. Pat Nicholson will facilitate this e-Conference here in the church in Timboon from 10.00 am till 3.00 pm. If you live in the area try to come to this e-Conference. Bring your own lunch. Flyer in the back of church.

The Catholic Development Fund together with the NAB are launching a Cyber Safety Presentation for all parishes in our diocese. Cyber Safety is a growing concern for all of us and one that is greatly on the rise. Unfortunately we have resome cyber scams, we know that it could happen to any of us. We believe that this presentation will be of benefit for anyone that uses a computer. The NAB have also offered this presentation via webinar for anyone that would like to attend but due to distances or other reasons cannot. Can you please let me know if you or any others would like to attend the presentation or if you are interested in connecting via webinar? Date: Thursday 9th August Time: 10am—11:30am Venue: Ballarat Business Banking Centre Level 1, 1001 Sturt St. Ballarat RSVP:

sharyn.simpson@ballarat.catholic.org.au by Friday, 3rd August.

## On July 29th at 9a.m. Mass (Fifth Sunday)

Lachlan Douglas, Josh Foster, Tom Ryan and Zack Smith will receive the Sacraments of Confirmation and First Eucharist. Morning tea will follow Mass. Please bring a plate to share....Sacrament Team

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Parish Pastoral Council meeting Tuesday 24th July in St Joseph's presbytery 6:00 p.m.

**Our Sick:** Bailey Delaney, Xavier Reicha, Fletcher Densley, Fr Peter Murnane, Geoff Townsend, Philip Delaney, Maria Nguyen



July Anniversaries: Jayne McMeel, Gaye Arnold, Louis Reinen, Peter Reinen, Bridget Allan, Tom Delaney, John Dwyer, Joan Densley, Mary McDowall, Mick & Emily Parsons, Edward O' Donnell, Tom Dundon, Teresa Heydon, Veronica Keegan, Alice Craven, Ann Dodd. Sacrament of Confirmation and Eucharist July 29th Timboon 9:00am Lachlan Douglas, Josh Foster, Tom Ryan, Zac Smith

*Liturgy Formation 2018* The Diocesan Liturgical Commission is offering Liturgy Formation Sessions this year:

## Weekend Mass Times

Saturday: 6.30pm Cobden Sunday: 9am 1<sup>st</sup> Sun. Simpson 9am 2<sup>nd</sup> Sun. Lismore 9am 3<sup>rd</sup>/5<sup>th</sup> Sun. Timboon 9am 4<sup>th</sup> Sun. Derrinallum (Lay led assembly other weekends) Sunday: 11 am Camperdown. <u>Weekday Mass Times</u> Wednesday: 9am Cobden (2<sup>nd</sup> Wed. 10.30 Lovely Banks)

2<sup>nd</sup> Thurs. 10.30 Sunny Side Friday: 9.30am Camperdown Hamilton – Sunday, July 29 Bishop Paul will celebrate Mass at 10.30am with the formation program beginning at 12.00noon. Lunch will be supplied by the parish at 1.00pm. Choose two of the tree topics– Prayerful Engagement with Scripture in the Liturgy, Launch of the Guidelines for the Use of Visual Display Systems in Liturgical Celebrations and RCIA

The flyer and registration form is available in church foyers. Registration is also available via the diocesan website www.ballarat.catholic.org.au.

Perhaps there could be a car pool if interested.

Timboon	July 22nd Ass of W & C 10am	July 29th Mass 9a.m.	August 5th Closed
Welcome	L Tregea	J Delaney G Delaney	
Leaders	C Martin P Nichol- son		
Statue	M van Nieuwkerk	J Delaney G Delaney	
Reader	E O' Connor	T O' Connor	
P.O.F.	J McInerney	L McInerney	
Gifts		S Berry L Tregea	
M of C	C Marr	L Tregea M van Nieuwkerk	
Church Cleaning	C Bullen M Pender	C Bullen M Pender	
Bulletin	Denny Family	Denny Family	M. Dillon, G. Swierczek
Slides	A McMeel	A McMeel	A. Vogels
Simpson	Ass of W & C 9am	Ass of W & C 9am	Ass of W & C 9am
Statue	K & J Robertson	J Wetemans	F & B Wouters