

MASSES DURING THE WEEK :

Koroit: Tuesday; Wednesday; Friday 10.00am
Port Fairy: Tuesday; Thursday 10.00am

FUNERAL MASSES WILL ALWAYS TAKE THE PLACE OF ROSTERED WEEKDAY MASSES.

CONFESSIONS: following the last Mass of the week in each of the Parishes or by appointment.

FATIMA STATUE (Port Fairy) Devotions will be in the Church on Tuesday and Thursday (when there is morning Mass) with Rosary from 9.30 am.



THE ROSARY is recited in The Church of The Infant Jesus, Koroit, before each weekday Mass

READINGS NEXT WEEK :

First Reading 2 Sm 5:1-3 David is anointed King of Israel.

Second Reading Col 1:12-20

We are reconciled in the blood of the cross.

Gospel Lk 23:35-43 The Crucifixion.



Koroit

Leader: Leonie Sinnott

Readers: Fran Biber; Margaret Moloney

Extraordinary Ministers: Lorraine Dunne; Clare Gleeson; Kate Dobson

Gifts: Maree & Patrick Lane & family

Counters for November; Des Keane; Michael Lane

Church Cleaning Flower Roster for November: Maureen Gavin; Maria Smith

Port Fairy :

Leader: Yvonne Paturzo

Reader: Aileen Sully

Special Ministers: Marj Murrhy; Sr Maureen; K Loudon

Gifts: M & K Moyle

Hospital :

Church Cleaning/ Flower Roster for November: Gen Verdonck; Aileen sully

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MOYNE REGIONAL
CATHOLIC
COMMUNITY

Weekend Mass Times 2016

1st Sunday of the month

Koroit (Sat) 6.30 pm

Yambuk 9.00 am

Port Fairy 10.30 am

2nd Sunday of the Month

Port Fairy (Sat) 6.30 pm

Hawkesdale 9.00am

Koroit 10.30 am

3rd Sunday of the Month

Koroit (Sat) 6.30 pm

Orford 9.00 am

Port Fairy 10.30 am

4th Sunday of the Month

Port Fairy (Sat) 6.30 pm

Koroit 10.30 am

5th Sunday of the Month

Koroit (Sat) 6.30 pm

Port Fairy 10.30 am

Easy to remember:

First, third and fifth

Sundays, Mass Sunday

Morning at Port Fairy,

Moyne Regional Catholic Community

The Parishes of

St Patrick's, Port Fairy

Infant Jesus, Koroit



33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

13.11.2016

Responsorial Psalm

(R.) The Lord comes to rule the earth with justice.

1. Sing psalms to the Lord with the harp with the sound of music.

With trumpets and the sound of the horn acclaim the King, the Lord. (R.)

2. Let the sea and all within it, thunder;

the world, and all its peoples.

Let the rivers clap their hands and the hills ring out their joy at the presence of the Lord. (R.)

3. For the Lord comes,

he comes to rule the earth.

He will rule the world with justice and the peoples with fairness. (R.)



Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

Glory to the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit:

to God who is, who was, and who is to come.

Alleluia!

(You are reminded that Gospel Acclamation, if not sung, is to be omitted)

Recent Deaths:



Anniversaries:

Fr Frank Crowe

The Parish is in desperate need of at least two/three volunteers to take communion to the hospital on the 3rd, 4th and 5th Sundays of each month. Please contact Jean (55681734) or Gen (55682554) if you can assist.

Readers and Special Ministers of the Eucharist (Port Fairy)

who will not be available during the month of January are asked to contact Gen Verdonck 55683554

Koroit News:

Koroit: Planned Giving: \$325.00
Presbytery: \$256.70

Port Fairy News:

Planned Giving: \$246.00
Presbytery: \$398.35

Church closure, Port Fairy

There will be no weekday Masses in the Church at Port Fairy next week.

The church **should** be ready for weekend Masses on November 26/27.

Port Fairy Parish Finance Committee will meet in St Patrick's Hall at 5.00pm on Wednesday, November 16.

Koroit finance Committee meeting will be on Monday (November 14th) at 1.00pm in the Presbytery.

Parish survey for the Parish of Koroit.

The National Church survey will be conducted during Mass both in Koroit and in Hawkesdale this Sunday November 13th. This survey is conducted by the Churches throughout Australia. The Catholic bishop's Conference is sponsoring the Parish of Koroit and therefore it will be of no cost to us. The Bishops select Parishes at random.

Emmanuel - a booklet of Advent and Christmas Reflections is available at the church entrances. There are also 6 copies of Melbourne Catholic which provides a simple and contemporary expression of the Catholic Faith in Melbourne and beyond. It features articles, interviews commentary and photography to inspire, uplift and inform - whatever your belief or place in life.



Community Lunch

Port Fairy community House are hosting a weekly free lunch each Tuesday at 12.30pm to 1.30pm. Community Lunch is prepared by a dedicated bunch of volunteers and it is free!! Bookings are essential - phone 55682681 (A couple of parishioners have already partaken and can recommend it)



Catholic Mission Appeal

Thank you for your generous support for the annual Catholic Mission Appeal. If you have not already donated and wish to do so, could you please place your dona-

tion into a clearly marked envelope "Catholic Mission" with your name, address and contact details and indicate if you wish to receive a taxation receipt.

Good Samaritan Mission Day

The Sisters of The Good Samaritan Missions Support Group wish to thank all who supported the Pre Melbourne Cup Coffee Morning at St Brigid's Crossley on October 21st, to all volunteers, sponsors, donors, and all who attended, to make the day such a great success, both socially and financially. Your support was gratefully appreciated. \$4,423. was raised on the day.

REFLECTION by Dianne Bergant CSS

The Day of the Lord was believed to be the time when God would come in majesty and power to set all things right. We must remember that the descriptions in today's readings are metaphoric or symbolic in nature. As with all metaphors or symbols, we miss something of their profound meaning if we merely understand them literally. It is not helpful to relate elements of the description with particular aspects of the contemporary world. Belief in the Day of the Lord is a way of testi-

fying to our faith in the righteousness of God.

Although the narrative readings for today concentrate on the disruptions that will accompany the coming of God, they also contain hints of the salvation that will finally arrive. Malachi speaks of the sun of justice that comes with healing rays; Luke promises that the faithful disciples will escape without a hair of their heads being destroyed. Just as the descriptions of the upheavals should not be understood literally, neither should these descriptions. It may be that the faithful followers of Jesus will suffer terrible agonies. The point here is that even in the midst of their pain, they will be protected. The healing rays of justice and the rescue of the lives of the upright are references to salvation. God does not come at the end to condemn, but to save. Furthermore, the suffering that precedes the end is intended for purification and refinement, not punishment. Christians are exhorted to live in this endtime with patient endurance of difficulties.