## St. Augustine's Parish, Maryborough

~inc. St. Kevin's, Barnett St. Avoca, St. Mary's, Hardy St. Dunolly,

St. Patrick's, Pyrenees H'way & Evans St. Amphitheatre, St. Patrick's, Main St. Bealiba,

St. Patrick's, Barkly-Redbank Rd. Redbank, St. Augustine's, Burke St, Maryborough~

## 16<sup>th</sup> September 2018 24<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time. Year B

Parish Priest: Fr. John Monaghan, 21 Burns St. Maryborough. Parish Secretary: Jill Morse

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<u>St Augustine's School:</u> Ph. 5460 4440 **Principal:** Mrs. Sonia Turner principal@samaryborough.catholic.edu.au

Parish Child Safety Officer: Jill Morse.

**Weekends:** MARYBOROUGH – Mass 6.00pm Saturday & 10.30am Sunday.

AVOCA – Mass 8.30am 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday. Assembly 8.30am 2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday. DUNOLLY – Mass 8.30am 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday. Assembly 8.30am 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday.

BEALIBA – Mass 8.30am each 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the month.

**Collections "Thank You". First Collection -** Presbytery **\$698** – Clergy support and Presbytery expenses. **Second Collection -** Parish Planned Giving **\$1317** – For Parish expenses and Church maintenance.

Sanctuary Cleaning and Flowers September 21 - V. Lowery, P. Gloury

September 28 - I. Lloyd, B. Alexander

Planned Giving Counters September 16 - C. Scott, C. Schwager

September 23 - E. McKinley, B. Alexander, E. Meagher, C. Hadwen

	<b>READER</b>	PSALM/PRAYE	<u>MINISTERS OF COMMUNION</u>	<u>GIFTS</u>
Weekend Sept. 15/16				
6.00pm	J. McKnight	J. Lacey	M. & D. Forster, G. Loyer	M. Lang Family
10.30am	C. Hadwen	J. Taylor	M. Flowers, A. & J. Maruca	P. Egan Family
Weekend Sept.22/23				
6.00pm	B. O'Connor	M. Lacey	J. McKnight, J. Walsh, P. Weir	B. Teggerth
10.30am	G. Loyer	M. Flowers	S. Meerbach, T. Plucke, F. Upson	B. Alexander

Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> September Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> September - 9.30am Assembly

- 11.00am Mass St. Patrick's Redbank

Thursday 20th September

- 9.30am Assembly

Friday 21st September

- 11.00am Exposition of Blessed Sacrament

- 12.00 Noon Mass

St. Patrick's, Redbank -11.00am Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> September

St. Patrick's, Amphitheatre – 6.00pm Friday 28th September

St. Patrick's Bealiba - 8.30am Sunday 30th September

**DROUGHT PRAYER:** We pray for farmers in drought, for those whose tanks and dams are empty. We pray for rain to renew the ground, to replenish dams, to bring some chance of feed, to bring the possibility of some reward to those who have toiled so hard. We pray for contractors, merchants and truck drivers, for rural counsellors and support workers, for all who work in drought affected communities, for all whose lives are under the shadow of drought. Restore those who feel far from you with the knowledge that they are loved and valued. Keep us always conscious of the task we have in ministry and mission in your world, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

**HELEN MURPHY RIP:** Thank you to all who prayed with us last Wednesday at Helen's Funeral Mass. A Havilah Hostel resident for many years, Helen was the oldest child of the late Jim and Rita Murphy, a sister of Kathleen, Dan, Judy and David (dec.) and had lived in Maryborough most of her life. May she rest in peace.

**PLENARY COUNCIL 2020:** All Parishes are asked to Listen and Dialogue as part of our preparing **NOW** for the Australia wide Catholic Church Plenary Council. In particular, we are asked to consider and respond to three questions:

- 1. What do you think God is asking of us in Australia at this time?
- 2. What questions do you have about the future of the Church for the Plenary Council to consider in 2020?
- 3. Do you have a story of your experience of faith or the Church you would like to share?

Representatives from Parishes, Schools, Catholic organisations and all interested individuals are invited to attend Plenary Council information gatherings in our diocese in October at which we will hear from Plenary Council facilitator Ms Lana Turvey-Collins. These include two 90 minute gatherings in Ballarat at Glowrey-MacKillop Hall in the Cathedral precinct 7.00pm Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> and 10.00am Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> October at which Lana will speak about the process of "Listening and Dialogue" we're all invited to be part of and the overall 3 year process of the Plenary Council.

ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE REUNION May 4-5th 2019: For those who attended St Joseph's College, Maryborough (<u>now Highview College</u>) 1968-1972, there is a reunion planned for May 4th-5th 2019. Refer to Facebook page: St Joseph's College Maryborough Reunion or contact Chris Egan at Highview: cegan@highview.vic.edu.au and spread the word! Organised by Kathleen Parker (Johnson) and Veronica Spielvogel (Taylor).

### ST. PATRICK'S COLLEGE 2020 YEAR 7 INFORMATION EVENING:

7.30pm Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> October 2018 in the College Chapel, 1431 Sturt Street, Ballarat. Headmaster, Mr John Crowley, and Director of Junior School, Mr John Richards, will speak about educational opportunities at St Patrick's College followed by a College tour then supper and question time with teaching staff. Please register attendance intentions at: <a href="https://www.trybooking.com/XKXV">https://www.trybooking.com/XKXV</a> and further enquiries can be made by contacting the Registrar, Kathryn Mundy at kmundy@stpats.vic.edu.au

#### **NATIONAL REDRESS SCHEME:**

The Federal Government's redress scheme commenced on 1<sup>st</sup> July 2018. The Catholic Diocese of Ballarat, through the Australian Catholic Bishop's Conference, has committed to participating in this to support those who have experienced institutional child sexual abuse. People wishing to find out more and/or pursue support under the redress scheme can visit the Department of Social Services website <a href="www.dss.gov.au/redress">www.dss.gov.au/redress</a> or call the National Redress Information Line on <a href="1800/146713">1800/146713</a>. Payments from our Diocese under the redress scheme will be paid from Diocesan resources, not Parishes, as Parish funds and assets belong to local Parish communities. *Andrew Jirik, Diocesan Business Manager*.

**WOULD YOU LIKE A CHAT????** Terry Ranger has been coming here for many years and is a highly experienced counsellor happy to talk to anyone about anything! His next visit is on Friday 21<sup>st</sup> September 2018. Please ring Terry on 5331 4032 for an appointment.

# Remembering those who have died:

We pray for Helen Murphy who died recently and for those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Ronald Jones, John O'Grady, Peter Alexander, John Dell, Gerald Smith, Paul Richards, John Dix, Helen Burns, Rita McQuillen, Jack Clancy, Jack Jess and Flo Bandt.

## **PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL** 16<sup>th</sup> September 24<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

Priest: Sisters and brothers in Christ, let us turn to our merciful and loving

God who assures us those who seek will find.

Reader: That we will be true to the Gospel both in faith and through good

works done each day in Gods' name.

(pause) Lord, hear us: All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader: That all Christian Churches will be brought together in the unity of

one Gospel.

(pause) Lord, hear us: All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader: That those searching for meaning will find wisdom and knowledge

in God who knows all things.

(pause) Lord, hear us: All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader: That farming communities suffering from the effects of drought will

be blessed with life-giving rain.

**(pause) Lord, hear us:** All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader: For Helen Murphy who died recently and all whose anniversaries

are named on the Bulletin.

(pause) Lord, hear us: All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Priest: For Mary's intercession we pray: "Hail Mary......

Priest: Just and merciful God, in you all things hidden are made clear.

Hear our prayers and inspire us to take up our cross and follow

where you lead us. Through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.