

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~



20th May Pentecost Sunday Year B

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Weekends:MARYBOROUGH – Mass 6.00pm Saturday & 10.30am Sunday.AVOCA – Mass 8.30am 1st & 3rd Sunday. Assembly 8.30am 2nd, 4th & 5th Sunday.DUNOLLY – Mass 8.30am 2nd & 4th Sunday. Assembly 8.30am 1st & 3rd Sunday.BEALIBA – Mass 8.30am each 5th Sunday of the month.

Collections "Thank You". First Collection - Presbytery **\$545** – Clergy support and Presbytery expenses. **Second Collection** - Parish Planned Giving **\$1126**– For Parish expenses and Church maintenance. <u>Sacrament of Reconciliation (First Rite)</u> – Saturdays at 10.00am (enter door near Sacristy) or upon request.

Sanctuary Cleaning and Flowers		rs May 25 - June 1 -	J. Egan, M. Egan, D. Weeks, P. Wagstaf A. Butler, V. Lowery	if	
Planned Giving Counters May 20 -		May 20 -	P. Egan, N. Fitzpatrick, D. Weeks		
		May 27 -	M. Gowers, D. Rinaldi		
	READER	PSALM/PRAYER	MINISTERS OF COMMUNION	<u>GIFTS</u>	
Weekend May 19/20					
6.00pm	M. Lacey	P. Huggett	T. Lacey, M. Gowers, J. McKnight	Forster Family	
10.30am	C. Hadwen	R. lles	K. Lloyd, J. Maruca, M. McNeilly	Schwager Family	
Weekend May 26/27					
6.00pm	S. Huggett	P. Huggett	B. Crameri, G. Loyer, K. Balzan	J. Walsh Family	
10.30am	M. Flowers	T. Jacka	S. Meerbach, T. Waterson, H. Taylor	Lloyd Family	

Tuesday 22 nd May	- 9.30am Mass
Wednesday 23 rd May	- 11.00am Mass at Havilah Hostel
	- 2.00pm Prayers at Maryborough Nursing Home
Thursday 24 th May	- 9.30am Mass
Friday 25 th May	 - 11.00am Exposition of Blessed Sacrament - 12.00 Noon Assembly

<u>St. Patrick's, Redbank</u> –11.00am Wednesday 20th June <u>St. Patrick's, Amphitheatre</u> – 6.00pm Friday 29th June <u>St. Patrick's Bealiba</u> – 8.30am Sunday 29th July

CONFIRMATION MASS 10.30AM: Our prayers for our Confirmation candidates during their past four weeks preparation culminate today when they receive the Sacrament of Confirmation. We congratulate Tegan Argall, Jase Cicchini, Lachlan Folbig, Ella Govan, Isabelle Hanley, Charlotte Hemming, Bonnie Henwood, Kaleb Jardine, Tyson Knight, Oakley Maddison, James Mooney, Dallas Passalick, William Robinson, Luke Singe, Katee Thomas, James Walsh, Peter Keen, Lorcan Mulryan, Oliver Cassidy and Ben Raczynski

who along with candidates in other Parishes throughout our Diocese are today Confirmed with the Holy Spirit on Pentecost Sunday, the day Jesus' disciples were filled with the Holy Spirit in Jerusalem that radically changed their lives and enabled them to go out to all the world to live and proclaim the Good News of Jesus.

ST AUGUSTINE'S PARISH DEB BALL: Congratulations to Taylah Chaplin, Megan Cooper, Chloe DosReis, Tegan Jones, Abbey Mottram and Maddelyn Redpath who make their debut at the Highland Society on this weekend (Saturday evening) accompanied by Eben Hvala, Samuel Matthews, Nicholas Myers, Brayden Wright, Ashley Maywood and Riley Wardlaw. Many thanks to Dianne Rinaldi and all who have put in much time and hard work preparing our debutants and their partners for a wonderful evening for them and their families and friends.

2020 PLENARY COUNCIL: Today, Pentecost Sunday, is the official beginning of our Parish, Diocese and Australia-wide preparation for a Plenary Council in 2020 when people will gather in Central Australia to discern where the Holy Spirit is leading us into the future and follow this up with a further gathering in 2021. A time of listening to each other encouraging us to share our stories of faith and ideas and questions.

The Agenda for the Plenary Council begins with a question we are all invited to reflect on: "What do we think God is asking of us in Australia at this time?"

To find out more about the Plenary Council and encourage each other to participate in "open and fraternal debate that makes theological and pastoral thought grow," we are encouraged to visit the new website: **www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au**

JOY SPREADING AMONG YOUNG CATHOLIC ADULTS: A social gathering for young Catholic adults with a short talk: "Being Catholic, a multiple choice banquet" then general Q&A and wider conversation. Drop by for a while or stay for a meal. Free starting drinks. Meal and further drinks at own cost. 6.00pm-8.30pm **Friday 25th May** at Lake View Hotel "Champagne Room." A Diocese of Ballarat Youth and Young Adult Ministry - Year of Youth initiative for all 18-30 yo young Catholic adults who are most welcome to attend.

AUSTRALIAN CATHOLICS – **Winter Edition**: Please collect your free copy from church. There are many interesting stories in this including Prayer for Good Humour, Life without a Home, By the Will of God and What is God asking of us as we prepare for the 2020 Plenary Council.

NEW COMMUNITY BIBLE (CATHOLIC EDITION): A special bulk purchase enables copies of this to be available from St Augustine's church Piety Stall for \$10 each. The front page of this has a section that can be filled in when giving this as a gift.

WEEKDAY MASS CHAPEL: The glassed-in "Crying Room" at the back of St Augustine's church now has an additional use as our new Weekday Mass Chapel during the colder months. We're grateful to St Francis Xavier's church, Tarnagulla for providing the altar for this. This can be accessed via the door closest to Burke St. on the school side of St Augustine's church. Join us for a weekday Mass or Assembly to pray with each other in a warmer, more comfortable place and offer your opinion of this new arrangement.

<u>Remembering those who have died:</u>

We pray for those who died recently and for those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Lyn Congues, Lucy O'Dea, Giovanni Maruca, Frank and Noni Daly, Gary Jongebloed, Coral Meagher, Kevin Grigg, Michael Norell, Esme Laidlaw, Theresa Whittaker, Peter Dridan, Teuvo Rama, Colin Eldridge, Gerard Clohesy, Dick O'Shea, Lillian Pearce, Charlie Egan, Leo Hynes and Mary Agnes Elliot. Priest: Sisters and brothers, renewed by God's promise fulfilled in sending us the Holy Spirit, let us bring our prayers before God for those in need.

Reader: That the Church will hear and proclaim in every language Christ's message of hope for all peoples and nations.

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

Reader: That those who have received the Holy Spirit in the Sacrament of Confirmation will experience to the full the variety of gifts that work together for God's good purposes in our world.

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

Reader: That, as parts of one body in Christ, your Holy Spirit will help us to renew the earth and bring God's compassion, healing and practical assistance to those in need.

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

- Reader: That those who hunger and thirst for spiritual meaning will come to know Christ through the outpouring of the Holy Spirit.
 - (pause) Lord, hear us: All: Lord, hear our prayer.
- Reader: For those who have 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: Heavenly Father, for whom we are one body in Christ, hear our prayers and, by the fire kindled in our hearts by the Holy Spirit, help us to live united in holiness, forgiveness and love through Jesus Christ our Lord.
All: Amen.