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. Augustine's, Burke St, Maryborough~

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21st March 2021 Fifth Sunday of Lent Year B

Collections "Thank You". First Collection – \$514 For Clergy support and Presbytery expenses.

Second Collection - Parish Planned Giving – \$838 For Parish expenses and Church maintenance.

- ST. KEVIN'S, AVOCA 8.30am Mass 1st and 3rd Sundays each month.
 - 8.30am Assembly at Avoca on 2nd, 4th & 5th Sundays of each month.
- ST. MARY'S, DUNOLLY 8.30am Mass 2nd and 4th Sundays each month.
 - 8.30am Assembly at Dunolly on 1st & 3rd Sundays of each month
- ST. PATRICK'S, BEALIBA 8.30am Mass 5th Sunday (30th May 2021)
- ST. AUGUSTINE'S, MARYBOROUGH 6.00pm Saturday and 10.30am Sunday.

Tuesday 23rd March - 10.00am Mass Wednesday 24th March - 10.00am Mass Thursday 25th March - 10.00am Mass

Friday 26th March - 11.00am Exposition of Blessed Sacrament

- 12.00 Noon Mass

READERS.	PSALM PRAYERS	G <u>IFTS</u> .
20/3/21 J.Leneaux-Gale	M. Lacey	B.Teggerth
21/3/21 K. Lloyd	S. Dellavedova	Meerbach Family
27/3/21 G. Loyer	J. Leneaux-Gale	B. Crameri
28/3/21 J. Taylor	B. Dellavedova	P. Egan Family

AMALIAH MAE TURNER: We welcome Amaliah into our parish and pray for her with her parents Joshua and Torri and family and friends. We Baptise Amaliah during our 10.30am Mass and look forward to the many blessings God will bestow on her and through her throughout her life.



PIETY STALL: The Piety Stall at St. Augustine's will be open after Mass on the 1st Sunday of the Month. Any enquiries please phone Norma on 5462 2214.

ST MARY'S DUNOLLY NEW DATE 5th DECEMBER - 150th CELEBRATIONS:

Bishop Paul Bird advises that he is now able to celebrate our 150th Mass on Sunday 5th December (not previously advertised 28th November). Please note this date change.

HOLY WEEK AND EASTER:

Thursday 1st April – 6.00pm Mass of the Lord's Supper at St Augustine's Friday 2nd April – ? Ecumenical Service at Dunolly ?

- ? 10.00am Stations of the Cross at St Kevin's, Avoca ?
- 3.00pm Passion of The Lord at St Augustine's, Maryborough
- Saturday 3rd April 6.00pm Easter Vigil Mass at St Augustine's, Maryborough
 - 8.00pm Easter Vigil Mass at St Kevin's, Avoca
- Sunday 4th April 8.30am Mass of Resurrection at St Mary's, Dunolly
 - 10.30am Mass of Resurrection at St Augustine's, Maryborough

ST AUGUSTINE'S CHURCH ROOF: Has anyone won Tattslotto recently? For many years, roof tiles have been slipping and rain has been entering our building despite various costly attempts to fix this. It appears the terracotta tiles are no longer doing their job and after 60 years need to be replaced. We're open to cheap, quick alternatives to fix our dilemma. In the absence of these, it may be that replacing the tiles with colorbond is the best long-term option. While this will be expensive, it seems preferable to do this in the near future rather than be still wondering about this in say five or ten years time for much greater outlay plus the cost of water damage and maintenance in the meantime. Our parish finance committee is looking into this and this will be discussed at this week's parish council meeting. Our ideas are welcomed and very likely our generous donations toward this. Please put your thinking caps on and assist us both find and finance a solution to this continuing challenge. Fr John.

AUSTRALIAN CATHOLICS MAGAZINE: Please take home a copy of the Autumn 2021 edition focussing on Social Justice and as always containing interesting and thought provoking articles on many different topics relevant for our Church and Nation.

PROJECT COMPASSION PRAYER: God of all peoples and nations, as you accompany us on our Lenten journey, may our fasting strengthen our commitment to live in solidarity, our almsgiving be an act of justice, and our prayers anchor us in love and compassion. Through living simply and loving generously, may we care for our global family and our common home as we "Aspire not to have more but to be more" (Saint Oscar Romero). We ask this in Jesus' name. Amen.

CATHOLIC WOMEN INVITED TO NATIONAL CONSULTATION. Catholic women are invited to participate in a national consultation with two bishops and to mark their diaries for a national gathering in September. The national consultation, which will take place on March 27 via Zoom, invites women to articulate and celebrate their contribution to and vision for the mission of the Catholic Church in Australia. More information available from the diocesan website or https://mediablog.catholic.org.au/catholic-women-invited-to-national-consultation/

BALLARAT DIOCESE LAY PASTORAL MINISTRY VIRTUAL LEARNING PROGRAM

Our partners, Dayton University offer low-cost online study and formation for employed or volunteer lay workers in parish and other ministries. Study subjects over 3 and 5 week cycles. Study Cycle 3 begins 11th April. This cycle is mostly 3 week courses. Registrations are now open for new and returning participants. For more information go to www.ballarat.catholic.org.au or ph. 5337 7121.

Remembering those who have died:

We pray for Dos Chiswell, Martin Saul, Sue Keating and Fred Treble who died recently and those whose anniversaries are at this time: Luigi Caruso, Mikaela Meagher and baby Cohen Graham, Laurie McArdle, Raymond McInnes, John Connelly, Betty Noonan, Joseph Egan, John Trainor, Charles Branton, Nancy Malouf, Brandon Tetersen, Eileen Townsing, Reg Hayes, Edna May Holland, Joan Leitch, Arthur Barker and Malcolm James Liston.

FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT YEAR B 21ST MARCH 2021

Priest: Brothers and sisters, let us present our prayers to the God of mercy who is the source of our salvation.

Reader: That Pope Francis and Bishop Paul will faithfully lead us in our Lenten living during which we follow Christ's path of service and self-sacrifice.

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

Reader: That nations will seek peace and reconciliation and generously share their resources for the good of all.

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

Reader: That the cries of those who suffer poverty and homelessness will be heard by those who have plenty.

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

Reader: That the sick and those who care for them will be drawn into the loving embrace of Christ.

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

Reader: We pray for Dos Chiswell, Martin Saul, Sue Keating and Fred Treble who died recently and those whose anniversaries are named on the Bulletin.

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

Priest: We ask for Mary's intercession – "Hail Mary ...

Priest: God of the covenant, you have written your law deep within

our hearts. Hear our prayers and help us in our dying to self that we may rise with Jesus to new life. We ask this through

Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.