### 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~

## 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2018 22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B

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

AVOCA – Mass 8.30am  $\mathbf{1}^{\text{st}}$  &  $\mathbf{3}^{\text{rd}}$  Sunday. Assembly 8.30am  $\mathbf{2}^{\text{nd}}$ ,  $\mathbf{4}^{\text{th}}$  &  $\mathbf{5}^{\text{th}}$  Sunday. DUNOLLY – Mass 8.30am  $\mathbf{2}^{\text{nd}}$  &  $\mathbf{4}^{\text{th}}$  Sunday. Assembly 8.30am  $\mathbf{1}^{\text{st}}$  &  $\mathbf{3}^{\text{rd}}$  Sunday.

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

**Collections "Thank You". First Collection - Presbytery \$678 – Clergy support and Presbytery expenses.** 

Second Collection - Parish Planned Giving \$1195 – 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 September 7 - A. Butler, V. Lowery

September 14 - V. Lowery, P. Gloury

Planned Giving Counters September 2 - M. Gowers, D. Rinaldi

September 9 - M. & M. McNeilly, J. Taylor

	<u>READER</u>	PSALM/PRAYE	R MINISTERS OF COMMUNION	<u>GIFTS</u>
Weekend Sept. 1/2				
6.00pm	M. Lacey	P. Huggett	K. Balzan, B. Crameri, M. Gowers	Forster Family
10.30am	P. Egan	M. Flowers	T. Bell, R. Iles, T. Jacka	<b>Cameron Family</b>
Weekend Sept. 8/9				
6.00pm	G. Loyer	S. Huggett	T. & M. Lacey, J. Lacey	<b>Huggett Family</b>
10.30am	T. Jacka	C. Hadwen	I. & K. Lloyd, M. McNeilly	B. Alexander

Tuesday 4th September - 9.30am Mass

- 11.00am Funeral Prayers, St Pat's Bealiba for Nora Smith

Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> September - 9.30am Mass Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> September - 9.30am Mass

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> September - 11.00am Exposition of Blessed Sacrament

- 12.00 Noon Mass

St. Patrick's, Redbank -11.00am Wednesday 19th 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

**NORA SMITH RIP:** We pray for Nora Smith of Wynnum, Qld who died last Sunday aged 95. Nora and her husband Liam (dec.) were both born in Ireland and had the Butcher's shop at Bealiba from the 1970's till when they retired. Condolences to their children Fiona and Dominick. Prayers for Nora will be at St Patrick's, Bealiba 11.00am Tuesday followed by her burial at Bealiba cemetery.

**AVOCA OLD TIME DANCE TO ASSIST DROUGHT FARMERS:** The Casablanca Club presents an Old Time Dance at the Avoca Hall 1.30–5.00pm Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> September \$8 per head + donations welcome. All funds raised will assist drought affected farmers. Musical accompaniment from Rita Mullins and Bob Kolmorgan. Please bring a plate for afternoon tea. Inquiries – phone Allen 0408 396 844 PS The Avoca Hall is heated!



#### **ANNUAL APPEAL FOR SICK AND RETIRED PRIESTS:**

The Ballarat Clergy Support Fund provides for priests of our diocese who due to illness or retirement are no longer in active ministry and supported by individual parishes. Fifteen retired priests are currently supported by this Fund. Some live privately, some in units in Ballarat or elsewhere and some are in supported accommodation. The Fund is most grateful for the

\$48,000 raised last year including \$2,170 from our parish. Appropriately, this is taken up on or near Fathers Day each year. We ask collectors to please take up this up after Communion today. Donations can also be placed in an envelope, (mark this "Retired Priests Appeal") and put on any collection this weekend or the next two weekends.

#### **JOY SPREADING IN BALLARAT FOR YOUNG CATHOLIC ADULTS:**

Stacey Atkins is guest speaker for the next young adults (18-30yo) "Joy Spreading" event 6.30pm-9.00pm at the Lake View Hotel, Ballarat on Friday 14<sup>th</sup> September. An opportunity for young Catholic adults to share ideas and views in a very friendly environment. More information at www.ballarat.catholic.org.au or phone 5337 7125

**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?

ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE REUNION May 4-5<sup>th</sup> 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).

# Remembering those who have died:

We pray for Nora Smith (Ad, formerly Bealiba) who died recently and for those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Priscilla McCrohan-Shipp, Francis Cudmore, Alan Peters, Eileen Burke, Anne Gleeson, Thelma Rafferty, Joseph Slater, Michael O'Sullivan, Ida Rossi, Bernard Jones, Kelly Olive, Robert Deason, Elizabeth O'Shea, Nella Wozny and Mary Dellavedova.

# **PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL** 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2018 22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday Ordinary Time

Priest: Dear friends in Christ, with confident hearts let us turn to the Lord with our needs.

Reader: That we will be faithful to God's word through prayer and good deeds.

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

Reader: That governments will be guided by God's law and promote justice and fairness for all.

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

Reader: That drought affected farmers and communities be assured they are not abandoned and soon receive the rain they need.

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

Reader: That this weekend be one of great blessing for all fathers and their families.

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

Reader: For Nora Smith 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: God of justice and mercy, you guide our hearts in your path of

holiness. Hear our prayers and may our words be matched by loving

deeds. This we pray through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.