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~

7th April 2019 Fifth Sunday of Lent Year C

Priests: Fr. John Monaghan, Fr. Mark Chia CSsR

Parish Secretary: Jill Morse Parish Office: 21 Burns St. Maryborough. 9.00am – 12.00 noon Wednesday and Friday

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St Augustine's School: 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 EVERY SUNDAY.

DUNOLLY – Mass 8.30am EVERY SUNDAY – EXCEPT 5TH SUNDAY OF THE MONTH.

BEALIBA – Mass 8.30am each 5th Sunday of the month.

Collections "Thank You". First Collection – \$726 For Clergy support and Presbytery expenses.

Second Collection - Parish Planned Giving \$925 For Parish expenses and Church maintenance.

Sacrament of Reconciliation (First Rite) – Saturdays at 10.00am (enter via door near Sacristy) or upon request.

Sanctuary Cleaning and Flowers April 12 - J. Egan, D. Weeks.

April 19 - V. Lowery, P. Gloury.

Planned Giving Counters April 7 - E. McKinley, B. Alexander, E. Meagher, C. Hadwen

April 14 - V. O'Dwyer, P. O'Dwyer, K. Lloyd.

| | <u>READER</u> | PSALM/PRAYER | MINISTERS OF COMMUNION | <u>GIFTS</u> |
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| Weekend April 6/7 | | | | |
| 6.00pm | M. Forster | G. Loyer | K. Balzan, T. DeKoke, D. Forster | J. Walsh Family |
| 10.30am | K. Lloyd | H. Taylor | R. Iles, T. Jacka, J. Taylor | M. Flowers |
| Weekend April 13/14 | | | | |
| 6.00pm | K. Balzan | B. O'Connor | T. & M. Lacey, J. Leneaux-Gale | B. Teggerth |
| 10.30am | G. Loyer | S. Meerbach | I. & K. Lloyd, M. McNeilly | Maruca Family |

Tuesday 9th April - 9.30am Mass

Wednesday 10th April - 9.30am

Thursday 11th April - 9.30am Mass

Friday 12th April - 11.00am Exposition of Blessed Sacrament

- 12.00 Noon Mass

St. Patrick's, Redbank -11.00am Wednesday 17th April 2019

St. Patrick's, Amphitheatre – 6.00pm Friday 26th April 2019

St. Patrick's Bealiba - 8.30am Sunday 30th June 2019

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION: There will be a Parent Information evening for parents of Grade Three children 6.00pm on Thursday 2nd May in St Augustine's School Library. This will begin a four week Sacrament preparation program leading up to Confirmation during 10.30am Mass on Sunday 2nd June. For children attending other schools wishing to be Confirmed, please ring our Parish on 0466 451 984 to notify us you will be attending this parent meeting or for other information and enquiries.

HOLY WEEK AND EASTER

Monday 15th April - 6.30pm Mass of the Oils at St. Patrick's Cathedral, Ballarat Tuesday 16th April - 10.30am Mass of Anointing in St. Augustine's Hall

Wednesday 17th April - 11.00am Mass at St Patrick's, Redbank

Thursday 18th April - 6.00pm Mass of the Lord's Supper at St Augustine's.

Friday 19th April - 9.30am Ecumenical Service at St John's Anglican Church, Dunolly

- 10.00am Stations of the Cross at St. Kevin's Avoca

- 3.00pm Passion of the Lord at St. Augustine's Maryborough

Saturday 20th April - 10.00am Sacrament of Reconciliation (Private Confession)

- 6.00pm Easter Vigil Mass at St. Augustine's Maryborough

- 8.00pm Easter Vigil Mass at St. Kevin's Avoca

Easter Sunday 21st April - 6.30am Dawn Service at Bristol Hill (Assemble from 6.00am)

- 8.30am Mass of Resurrection at St. Mary's Dunolly

- 10.30am Mass of Resurrection, St. Augustine's Maryborough

MYANMAR PROJECT 2019: In January, six teachers from our diocese, including our own Samantha Meerbach, travelled to Myanmar as part of an ongoing educational project there, supported by Catholic Education Ballarat and Catholic Mission. A great summary of this is in 28 February 2019 e-News on Ballarat Diocese Ballarat website and on Youtube: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oDh_taYYDJw

PROJECT COMPASSION: Caritas offers hope to people most vulnerable to extreme poverty and injustice; working with local communities for a just and fair world regardless of ethnicity, political beliefs, gender or religion. We are invited to support Caritas work in Zimbabwe, Indonesia, the Solomon Islands, Central Australia, Bangladesh, Vietnam and many other nations by taking Project Compassion envelopes and boxes home and supporting this generously throughout Lent.

HOLY GOODS FOR SALE: Various cards, Bibles, gifts etc in the Piety Stall room adjacent to St Augustine's Church Sacristy. Open after 6.00pm and 10.30am Masses.

COULD YOU WATCH ONE HOUR WITH ME? Jesus longs for our company each Friday 11.00am – 12 noon at St Augustine's church for an hour of Adoration and Meditation. Prayer and meditation booklets available in the church.

DUNOLLY PRAYERS FOR SICK AND PLENARY COUNCIL: Rosary at St. Mary's 5.00pm each Tuesday for the Plenary Council and the Sick of our Parish. All Welcome.

HOLY WEEK CEREMONIES: Please put your name on the board on the centre table if you can help. Thank you to those who have already volunteered.

DAWN EASTER SERVICE. The Dawn Service will be held at Bristol Hill. Assembly is between 6.00 and 6.30am. Service begins at 6.30am.

Remembering those who have died:

We pray for those who died recently, and for those whose anniversaries are at this time:
Donald Kenden, Max Howlett, Joseph Trainor, Zillah Long, Adrian Val, Pat
Zampatti, Nita Meagher, Veronica Graham, Mary Egan, Colin Rafferty, Naomi
Murphy, Alan Ryan, Edna Jolly and Murray Clarke.

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL 7TH April

Fifth Sunday in Lent

Priest: Let us bring our needs before the Lord who makes a road in the

wilderness and calls us to prayer.

Reader: That community groups and governments will make compassionate

decisions about sharing resources with those in need.

(pause) In your mercy: All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader: That those who are judged or discriminated against may receive true

consideration and empathy.

(pause) In your mercy: All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader: That those who are falsely accused will find justice and freedom.

(pause) In your mercy: All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader: That we will stand up for those who are treated with injustice and

disrespect.

(pause) In your mercy: All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader: That those who have died will find perfection in Christ, including

those whose anniversaries are named on our parish bulletin.

(pause) In your mercy: All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Priest: God of compassion and kindness, as we strain ahead for what is still to

come, hear our prayers and keep us always in your mercy through

Jesus Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.