# St Peter's Parish

Communities of Linton, Skipton, Smythesdale and Snake Valley

Sunday June 2<sup>nd</sup> The Ascension of the Lord Year C

Parish Office hours: Monday - Friday 10.00am - 5.00pm

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Bishop Paul Bird CSsR

Priests: Frs Justin Driscoll, Sajan Mathew & Vincent Pham CSsR

Visiting Priests: Frs Dan Arundell and Barry Ryan

Parish Coordinator: Anita Houlihan Admin: Juanita Bongiorno

Finance Officer: Kerrie McTigue

Linton Parish Safeguarding Officer: Cecelia Rowberry

Masses June 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup>

Smythesdale Linton Skipton Cathedral

6.30pm Vigil 9.00am 10.30am 5.30pm Vigil 8.00am 10.30am 5.00pm

Masses June 8<sup>th</sup>/9<sup>th</sup>

Smythesdale Beaufort Snake Valley Cathedral

6.30pm Vigil 8.30am 10.30am 5.30pm Vigil 8.00am 10.30am 5.00pm

St Peter's Parish respectfully acknowledge that the Aboriginal people of Australia are our first nation peoples and the traditional owners and custodians of this land.

**Recent Deaths:** Alice Heenan, Michael Hayden O'Connor

Anniversaries: Denis (Jim) Barry, Elsie & Laurie Bendall, Eileen Dean, John Gelder,

Brian Keating, Denise Mildren, Frank Reilly Francis Rieniets,

Julie Tebb, Bernard Vaughan

Please remember in your prayers those who are unwell, especially Narelle Corbett, Margaret Cranko, Angie Polglaze, Basil Torpy, Milly Yeoman.

#### **Meeting of the Parish of Linton Delegates**

Wednesday June 5th at 7.30pm in the former presbytery at Linton, the 2 delegates from each of the Parish faith communities (Linton, Skipton, Smythesdale and Snake Valley) will meet with Fr Justin. The agenda will include the proposed Independent Catholic Primary School at Linton and St Columba's Church Streatham

#### **Vinnies Winter Appeal 2019**

In the last two weeks in June the Linton St Vincent De Paul Conference will hold their annual Vinnies Winter Appeal, envelopes will be provided in all the Linton, St Peter's Parish Churches.

### Mass celebrating Jubilees of Ordination

All are invited to Mass at 5.30pm, Tuesday June 4<sup>th</sup> at the Cathedral to celebrate with Bishop Paul and the Priests of the Diocese, especially those celebrating Jubilees of Ordination – Fr Adrian McInerney (50 Years), Frs Rupert Bowd, Alex Lim and John Pothiyittel (40 years) and Fr Sajan Mathew (25 Years).

## **2019 Mass count averages** (over 4 weekends in May)

St Brigid's Snake Valley – 10.30am 41, 6.30pm Vigil 15

St John's Skipton - 9.00an 28, 10.30am 51

St Mary's Smythesdale - 6.30pm Vigil 35

St Peter's Linton - 9.00am 35

Cathedral: 6.30 pm - 220, 8.30 am - 183, 10.30 am - 298, 5.00 pm - 210

## Welcome to Fr Jorge De Chavez

During the coming week, Fr Jorge, a priest of the Order of the Oblates of St Joseph, will arrive in Ballarat, from Manila (Philippines) to serve in the Diocese of Ballarat. Initially Fr Jorge will be based at the Cathedral, ministering with Frs Justin, Vincent and Sajan across the Parishes of Ballarat, Beaufort, Cororooke and Linton.

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