



St Augustine's Creswick

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St Peter's Daylesford

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Office hours -

Wednesday & Friday 11.30am - 4.00pm Thursday 9.00am - 2.00pm

January 28th 2024

4th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year B)

We are child safe Parishes, committed to safeguarding children & vulnerable adults.

We acknowledge the Dja Dja Wurrung People as the Traditional Custodians of the lands on which we live. We pay our respect to Elders, past, present and emerging.

Parish Priest

Fr Justin Driscoll

Admin & Safeguarding Officer

Leonie Keynes

Parish School Principals

St Augustine's Creswick

Michael Heenan 5345 2106

St Michael's Daylesford

Tim Hogan 5348 1261

Mass Times

(this weekend)

Sunday January 28th

9.00am Creswick

10.30am Daylesford

Sunday February 4th

6pm Saturday Vigil

Creswick

10.30am Daylesford

Weekday Masses

Monday 29th Daylesford

10.30am

Thursday 1st February

Ballan 11.30am (Feast Day)

Friday 2nd

Creswick 10.30am

We pray for

Recent Death

Petronella de Jong (Ballarat)

Dawn Hutchinson (Bendigo)

Patricia Murray (Ballarat East)

Anniversaries

Creswick

Frank Anderson, Judith Bates,

Eunice Cleary, Molly Fox,

Kevin Gleeson, Tom Koene,

Maurice McMahon,

Greg Mitchell

Lino Tinnetti.

Daylesford

Jock McAdam, Patricia Dwyer,

Joan Haylen, Gladys Rigby.

Welcome to

Sebastian James Ing

Child of Kaitlin & Aaron

Baptised at Daylesford this

Sunday with Godparents

Elise & Lachlan.

Welcome back to school

With the return to school this week we pray for those commencing school and those returning. The whole school staffs of St Augustine's Creswick and St Michael's Daylesford will commence their year joining all of the other staffs of the Catholic Primary and Secondary Colleges of the Greater Ballarat Region for Mass in St Patrick's Cathedral at 9.00am with Bishop Paul Bird.

Creswick Women's Thursday

Cuppa and a Chat

Thursday February 1st

from 10.30am,

Meg's Café in Creswick

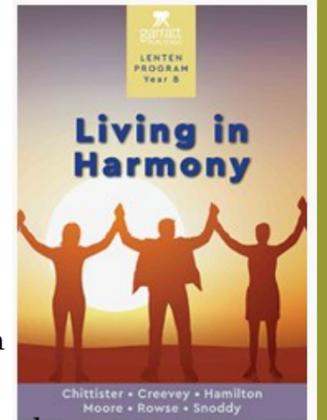
All are welcome!

Daylesford Morning Tea

Today in the Parish Centre after 10.30am Mass.

All welcome.

2024 Lenten Program - Living in Harmony (from Garratt Publishing) featuring Joan Chittister, Paul Creevey, Andy Hamilton, Gerard Moore, Paul Rowse, and Debra Snoddy. The authors open up the Sunday readings and provide us with probing questions – uniting these insights in 2024 to build a vital and dynamic response of Christian harmony. Order your copy through Leonie in the Office (\$10.00)



Lenten Study in Creswick

Commencing on Monday 12th February at 1.30pm at the Uniting Church in Creswick using *Walking and praying with Christians of the Middle East*, study put out by The Churches Together of Great Britain and Ireland.

Written several years ago it is of course set well before the current war, it will give interesting insights into the thoughts and lives of our sisters and brothers in that part of the world. The studies are available online.

Donation to the Fr Bob Maguire Pantry

Graham Collier (Volunteer—community food relief program coordinator) has written to thank the community at St Augustine's Creswick

“for the incredibly generous donations to the Fr Bob Pantry totalling \$1,105. Your support will help us enormously in providing quality food and support. Sadly, like so many support organisations, we continue to see an increase in the number of people coming to the Fr Bob Pantry for food and toiletries which in turn necessitates us continually reaching out for stock. Wishing you and everyone in the Parish a safe and fulfilling 2024.”



Seeking Pastoral Care Volunteers

Pastoral Care Volunteers are being sought to provide pastoral care support to patients, and visitors of all faiths and beliefs, including those who have no religious beliefs. Pastoral Care volunteers are allocated to a hospital ward and offer support including

- A listening ear, non religious support (i.e. pastoral support for people who hold non-religious beliefs), faith-based support (e.g. access to a person who shares their faith).

Volunteers will be provided with support with training as a pastoral care volunteer, ongoing support through the Pastoral Care Practitioner and opportunities for professional development/training. If you are comfortable listening to people and supporting them to identify where they find meaning, belonging and a sense of connection and purpose and can commit to 2.5 hours per week please ring Paul Ryan, Grampians Health Ballarat 0467 297 733 or email paul.ryan@gh.org.au