

St Augustine's Creswick & St Peter's Daylesford

Napier St Creswick



*We are child safe Parishes, committed to safeguarding children & vulnerable adults.
We acknowledge the Dja Dja Wurrung People as the Traditional Custodians of the land
on which we live. We pay our respect to Elders, past, present and emerging.*

Sunday October 1st 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time 2023 (Year A)

Duke St Daylesford



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Mass Times

This Sunday

(October 1st)

Creswick 6.00pm Vigil Sat

Daylesford 10.30am

10.30am Weekdays

Daylesford Wednesday 4th

Creswick Friday 6th

Next Sunday

(October 8th)

Creswick 9.00am

Daylesford 10.30am



St Augustine's cuppa and chat

for the women of the
community will be held next
Thursday 5th October at
10.30am at Meg's Café in
Creswick.

All welcome

Recent deaths

Sue Briody (Lexton)

Peggy Lenaghan

(Kyneton)

Anniversaries of death

Creswick

Jacquelin Balfour,

Paul Bonavia, Norma Hood,

Denis Lyons

Daylesford

Gerard Beckworth,

Patricia Cranny,

Josip Hudolin,

Margaret Richards,

Margaret Rodoni,

Harry Rodgers, Joyce Sealy,

Ann Smith, David Smith,

Phillip Vendy

Vigil Mass times

Following the indication of
preferences from Creswick
and Daylesford communities
the Saturday Vigil Mass
times will remain **at 6.00pm**

Synodality - Walking together

A key theme of the pontificate of Pope Francis is Synodality, which means walking together in faith and discerning God's invitation and call. This coming week, the much anticipated Synod on Synodality will commence in Rome after much consultation around the world.

15 Australians be amongst the women and men, lay persons and clergy from around the world heading to Rome this week commencing on October 4th with the 2nd Assembly to be held in 2024.

The consultation has been marked by an openness and transparency that hasn't always been characteristic of Vatican processes. It is part of a wider awareness across the Church internationally of how much we can learn from good practices in other parts of society.

Drawing on listening sessions already conducted worldwide at the diocesan, national, and continental level, it covers such hot-button topics as women deacons, priestly celibacy, LGBTQ outreach, and highlights a desire for new institutional bodies to allow for greater participation in decision-making by the "People of God."

At the same time, some of the questions it frames for discussion allude to possible major changes in how the Church operates around the world, through the embrace of an open-ended "synodal" process that entails ongoing dialogue and discernment. The approach is so different, in fact, the document states, that new formation programs will need to be developed "at all levels of ecclesial life and for all the baptized," adding that candidates for ordained ministry "must be trained in a synodal style and mentality."

Caritas Australia's Emergency Appeals Morocco / Libya

Caritas Australia needs your support to respond to the devastating earthquake in Morocco and floods in Libya. Thousands of people have died and others have been injured. Communities need shelter, food, water and medical assistance.

Please support Caritas Australia's emergency appeals. To donate go to

Caritas Australia www.caritas.org.au

Mass in Memory of Eileen McManus

Eileen McManus died peacefully at Nazareth House on September 13, 2023. Her funeral Mass was celebrated at St Michael & John's Church, Horsham on Monday, September 25, 2023. In memory of Eileen a Mass will be celebrated in the Main Chapel at Nazareth House on Monday, October 2nd at 10.00am.

Pope's October Prayer intention

For the Synod

We pray for the Church, that she may adopt listening and dialogue as a lifestyle at every level, and allow herself to be guided by the Holy Spirit towards the peripheries of the world

Daylesford Parish Pastoral Council Meeting

Members of the Council - Carmel Bolton, Jude Brown, Diane Corro, Millie Gouldthorpe and Sandra Whiffin as parish delegates, with Tim Hogan and Fr Justin as ex officio, will meet on Wednesday October 11th at 11.30am in the Parish Centre.

Welcome to Fr Sajan
celebrating 10.30am Mass at
St Peter's Daylesford this
Sunday to enable
Fr Justin to celebrate
8.45am Mass at Gordon and
10.30am Mass at Ballan.