

Parish Newsletter



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Daylesford (Wednesday- Friday) 9am- 2pm



"We are a Child Safe Parish"

Safeguarding Officer: Leonie Bird

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Parish Priest: Fr Gary A Jones- Also visiting Priest for: Wendouree & Ballarat North

Parish School Principal: **St Michael's** Ethan Corfee **St Augustine's** Terry Brennan.

Country Church: St Joseph's Blampied ; St Francis Xavier Chapel Eganstown Cemetery

Mass times: **St Augustine's** Creswick: - Friday 12 noon Saturday 5pm
St Peter's Daylesford:-Thursday 1030am Sunday 10am

Recent Death:

Anniversaries of Death:

Creswick- Carmel Quinlan; Lorna Roberts;
Christina Hynes; William Kelly ; Gerard Keogh.

Daylesford- Nell Muller; Henry Maddicks; Andrew Matyes;
Brian Hosie; Marie Butler; Charles Monaghan ;Margaret Vendy.



Brad Fernando; Mabel McAdle

NEWSLETTER AT MASS

Please take your Parish newsletter with you after mass and do not leave it behind. Thanks for helping us keep everyone safe.

thank you!

MASS UPDATE

St Augustine's Friday at noon
Saturday at 5pm

St Peter's Thursday at 1030am
Sunday at 10am

At this stage only 20 people plus faith leader allowed indoors, so please ensure you book with the office to register and attend. Our parishes have a COVID safe plan in place, so each parishioner that attends mass must ensure that social distancing is observed, hand sanitiser provided and used, and face masks must be worn (unless a medical condition prevents from wearing one). Both churches will be cleaned with disinfectant before and after services.

We would like some people to volunteer after each mass to help clean. Thanks.

DIOCESEAN NEWS

The Good Samaritan Study and Mentoring Leadership Program for Women

The Sisters of the Good Samaritan are inviting Catholic women to apply for the Study and Mentoring (SAM) Leadership Program. The program offers both financial and personal support to mature-aged Catholic women as they undertake undergraduate or postgraduate theological/spiritual study at a recognised theological Institution. For more information go to <https://www.goodsams.org.au/article/applications-invited-for-study-and-mentoring-sam-leadership-program/>. Applications close November 29, 2020.

Marist House Fitzroy University residence

Marist House is a residential program for young adults who are studying at one of the many universities in and around Melbourne. Whether from the city or the country, Marist House provides young people with a safe, stable and supportive environment in which to engage with their tertiary studies. Hosted by a resident community of Marist Brothers, Marist House offers a communal setting for young people desiring to live together, open to exploring their Catholic / Christian faith and engaging in service to the wider community. It also serves as a hub for Young Marists in Melbourne. For more information go to <https://maristyouthministry.com/marist-house-fitzroy/>

Sisters of the Immaculata - Mission School 2020

The Immaculata Mission school talks will be shown on Shalom World TV from November 2, 2020. The talks will be Monday – Friday at 7PM (AEDT). A promo video is available to watch at <https://youtu.be/Wkof4AgYPTc>.

ACU Short Courses in Theology

"Revelation, Revolution and the Reception of the Bible" presented by internationally acclaimed scholars Dr Kylie Crabbe, Dr Emmanuel Nathan, Dr Gareth Wearne and Dr Jonathan Zecher. Wednesdays, November 11, 18, 25 and December 2 from 6.00pm – 7.00pm (AEDT). For more information and to register go to <https://www.acu.edu.au/about-acu/faculties-directorates-and-staff/faculty-of-theology-and-philosophy/short-courses/short-course-in-theology-series>

HISTORICAL CONTEXT

Where was the bride?

It may seem a little odd that the bridegroom was travelling to the wedding hall by himself. What appears to have been the custom is that the bridesmaids escorted the bride to the hall whilst the groom remained behind to settle matters with the bride's family. Whilst the bride price, or dowry, would have been agreed well before the wedding, the family would emphasise and even haggle over the value of gifts to further reinforce the great value of the bride and the wise choice that the groom and his family had made.

