

Parish Newsletter



Parish Office: Leonie Bird Phone 53018161
Daylesford (Wednesday- Friday) 9am- 2pm



"We are a Child Safe Parish"

Safeguarding Officer: Leonie Bird

Emails: daylesford@ballarat.catholic.org.au & creswick@ballarat.catholic.org.au

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 Sunday 830am
St Peter's Daylesford:-Thursday 10am Sunday 10am

Recent Death: Anniversaries of Death:

Creswick- : Ralph Bell; Merle Beves;
Catharina Scheleens; Franz Vleugel ;
Paul Cassar

Daylesford- Ted Anderson; Merlyn de van der Schueren;
Merle Beves; Eileen Pedretti; William Bird;
Silverina Gervasoni; May Hetherington; David Lafranchi;
Fr. Francis Whitely; Ray Linton



Bev Ryan; John Egan; Mabel McAdle

OFFICE HOURS

The office will be closed **Friday**

25th December -

5th January. *We will be back in the office*

Wednesday 6th January 2021.



MASS TIMES FOR NEW YEARS EVE AND DAY

Thursday 31st December New Years Eve—St Peter's at 10am

Friday 1st January New Years Day—St Augustine's at 8.30am



If you haven't already registered to attend Christmas Mass please do so before Wednesday 23rd December. When you arrive at the mass please tick your name off. It will be done alphabetically by your first name. If you advised either Fr Gary or Leonie recently at mass that your attending, you don't need to call the office, as your name has been registered. Thanks



Christmas Appeal 2020

Bishop Paul has said that our Christmas Appeal is one way by which the diocese can respond to the many communities from near and far who turn to us for assistance. Often these requests come through people who have personal links with the diocese of Ballarat.

A box will be at the front of the Church with Christmas Appeal on it, if you would like to contribute. Many thanks.

Volunteers needed for Hepburn House Daylesford

We are looking for volunteers to visit residents at Hepburn House. We will be doing a roster, so if you can help out once, twice or several times a year? St Peter's volunteers visit on the third Wednesday of each month 11-12pm. Please contact Leonie in the office or Trish Tinetti ASAP, so a roster can be built for 2021. It will begin January 20th.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR CHRISTMAS MASSES

Please fill out the form at back of church with your name if you can help.

St Augustine's Christmas Morning Mass

- Data Projector
- Offertory
- Reader
- Special Minister(1 only)

St Peter's Christmas Eve Mass at 7pm

- Data Projector
- Offertory
- Reader
- Special Minister (1 only)

The Magic of
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is not in the presents
but in *His* 
presence