Parish Newsletter



Parish Priest of Daylesford & Creswick

Fr Gary A Jones

Supervising Priest for Parish of Gordon

Parish Admin: Leonie Bird

"We are a Child Safe Parish"



Sunday Mass 8.45am

Sunday Mass 10.30am

Parish Office: Phone 53018161 -Daylesford (Wednesday- Friday) 9.30– 3.00pm Safeguarding Officer: Leonie Bird

Parish Primary School: St Michael's Daylesford - Ethan Corfee & St Augustine's Creswick - Terry Brennan.

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<u>Anniversaries of Death:</u> Mary Brislane, Agnes Mackay, Chaz & Sylvia Menz, Simon Bonnici, Maurice Monaghan, John Quinlan, Shirley Edwards, Maureen Body, Keith Campbell, Emmy Vleugel, Betty Carden

Prayers for the Sick: Len Keynes

Weekday Masses: Creswick Tuesday 10am - Daylesford Friday's 10am

The 6 main themes for the Plenary Council are now published. They invite us, the People of God, to consider how we are called to be a Christ centred church in Australia that is:

- 1. Missionary and Evangelising
- 2. Inclusive, Participatory and Synodal
- 3. Prayerful and Eucharistic
- 4. Humble, Healing and Merciful
- 5. A Joyful, Hope-Filled and Servant Community
- 6. Open to conversion, Renewal and Reform

Final theme this week is:



National Theme for Discernment #6 How is God calling us to be a Christ- centred Church that is Open to conversion, Renewal and Reform? This National Theme for Discernment is inspired by the voices of the People of God who expressed a desire to do things differently in response to Christ and the experience of our people, accepting that faithfulness to tradition requires change that is both personal and communal . Find out more at http://www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au

Knox Public Lecture by Dr Trudy Dantis on 'The Voices of Plenary Council': Wednesday 21 August at 7.30pm at the Catholic Leadership Centre, hosted by Catholic Theological College. This lecture will explore some of the themes that emerged from the data and that have helped build the framework for ongoing dialogue on the future of the Catholic Church in Australia. Venue –Cnr of Victoria Pde & Hoddle St. East Melbourne RSVP: 13 August—sarah.styring@ctc.edu.au or 03 9412 3366 (light refreshments will be provided after lecture)



Last Week's Collections: Two collections are presented after the Prayers of the Faithful. The 1st Collection is cash toward the Presbytery for the sustenance of our Priest – with a contribution of 13% to provide support for our retired priests and the Diocese. The 2nd Collection is the Planned Giving (envelopes) or cash for the administration of the Parish & general running costs.

<u>Creswick Parish Collections</u>: 1st Collection: \$251.90 2nd Collection: \$294.00 <u>Daylesford Parish Collections</u>: 1st Collection: \$270.40 2nd Collection: \$167.30



*St Michael's School Mass Friday 9th August at 10am at St Peter's Church- all welcome.

*Thursday 15th August Feast of Assumption Mass will be celebrated at St Augustine's 10am & St Peter's 12 noon.

(Please note that Tuesday 13th no mass at St Augustine's.)

*CSSV Annual Dinner: Catholic Social Services Victoria invites members, friends and those we work with to our Annual Dinner on Friday, August 30, 2019 at the Catholic Leadership Centre, 576 Victoria Parade, East Melbourne, 6.30pm for 7.00pm. Cost \$85.00. This is an opportunity to celebrate our work and to strengthen the links between those who are active within our broad community of service. The dinner will also be an occasion to honour Sr Brigid Arthur csb with Life Membership of Catholic Social Services Victoria. RSVP and enquiries to Lucia Brick, ph. (03) 9287 5566, or email lucia.brick@css.org.au

*Victorian Committee of World Day of Prayer Annual General Meeting: All are welcome to attend the World Day of Prayer (Vic) AGM on Friday, August 16, 2019 at 10.30am at the Uniting Synod Centre, Melbourne. Guest Speaker is Marian Chikwanha, President of the Ballarat World Day of Prayer Committee. RSVP by August 10 to mailto:wdp@vic.gmail.com or mob. 0412 083494

*20 Weeks till Christmas: Time to order your 2020 Columban Art Calendar: this is an iconic Catholic

Calendar, well-known for its traditional religious paintings and liturgical information and is a major fundraiser for Columban Missionaries. If you wish to order one or more, please email or call the Parish Office by 30th August. Retail price is \$9.00 each



Roster-weekend: August 11th	Daylesford	Creswick
Welcomer	Brian D , Denise Mc	Irene M, Barb H
Commentator		Brian RW
Reader	lan T	Kevin S
Offertory/Gifts	Maree P	Irene M, Barb H
Special Ministers/Eucharist	Trish T, Carmel B, Cheryl B	Lee S, Margie G, Roland K
Projector Operator/Ipad Music	Sandra W	Neil D/ Loretta K
Sacristan	Hilary W	
Counting Team	Brian D , Lawrence R	Josie R, Brian R