#### HOPETOUN



## St Mary's Parish Warracknabea

Parish Priest Fr Neville Stanislaus.

11 Lyle Street Warracknabeal, 53941062 Parish Secretary,

Cath Bellis—stmpcw@gmail.com, 0434086534

St Mary's Primary School,

Principal, Joy Quarrell, 53982001

St Joseph's Hopetoun, P.O Box 141

Parish Secretary, Jacki Hogan 50833566 St Joseph's Primary School.

Principal, Cynthia Maiden, 50833296

St Patrick's Nhill, 33 Leahy Street, Nhill.

Contact Ann Munro—53929272 St Patrick's Primary School.

Principal, Kathryn Bendall, 53911575

St Mary's Rainbow

Contact Kath White, 53957261

St Augustine's Beulah

Contact Brendan Naylor, 50837242

St Patrick's Minvip

Contact Margaret Murphy, 53857479

## Last Weekends Collections Warrack:

\$40.00 Planned Giving \$84.00 Presbytery Beulah Presbytery \$52.00 Nhill Planned giving \$57.00 Presbytery \$60.00 Minyip Planned Giving \$52.00 \$62.00 Presbytery

## Weekend Mass Times

1st & 3rd weekend of the Month

3rd Saturday :Beulah

1st Saturday: Warrack 6.30pm

7.00pm

10.30am

1st Sunday: Hopetoun 9.00am

3rd Sunday: Hopetoun 9.00am Rainbow 11.00am

2nd & 4th weekend of the Month

Reulah

Saturday Minyip 6.00pm Sunday Warrack 8.30am Nhill 10.30am

## Lay Led Assemblies are held when no Mass is

cheduled

| Hopetoun Sunday | 9.00am | Rainbow Sunday | 9.30am | Beulah Sunday | 9.30am | Warrack Sunday | 9.00am | Minyip Sunday | 10.00am | Kaniva Sunday | 9.00am | Nhill Sunday | 10.30am |

## Mass Times for Next Weekend

Saturday — Beulah, 7.00pm Sunday — Hopetoun, 9.00am Rainbow, 11.00am

NHILL: LLA at 10.30am

#### Next week's Readings

1st Reading: Isa 66:18-21 2nd Reading: Heb 12:5-7, 11-13 Gospel: Lk 13:22-30

## **Feast Days**

Monday 15th, Assumption of Our Lady Tuesday 16th, St Stephen of Hungary Friday 19th, St John Eudes Saturday 20th, St Bernard of Clairvaux

## Pray for our Sick

Lourdes Stanislaus Una Bartlett Marj Parker

# Sunday 14th August Twentieth Sunday Of the Year



### St Patricks School, Nhill

Mr Huff Performance—On Monday 1st August, our students had the privilege of watching a performance of Mr Huff, shortlisted for this years CBCA Book of the Year. Early Childhood. Our students were entranced with this production which explained how a young boy gets in a huff (bad mood) and how it takes over his day. Finally he comes to the realisation that there are things he can do to minimise how bad he feels and that it is up to him to him to stop his 'huff' taking over his day. A very professional and worthwhile production that contained a message for everyone.

Tree planting— Last Sunday (7 August) we had 51 members of the school and parish community come together to plant trees and shrubs at the back of the oval and behind the church. Initially, we wanted to create a windbreak to reduce the damage to our shade sails but this idea quickly grew to include the concept of

creating an outdoor classroom where our students can learn about the environment and biodiversity throughout their years at St Pat's. A huge thank you to everyone involved, especially, Jamie Donnell who coordinated the event in conjunction with Jonathon Stark from Hindmarsh Landcare Network. Now to keep them alive and watch them grow.

Athletics' Carnival at Warracknabeal— Parishioners and school families are invited to Join St. Patrick's and St Mary's Schools at Anzac Park Warracknabeal on Thursday 25th August for the second annual Athletics Carnival. Our students are really looking forward to catching up with their St Marys friends.

#### Welcome

We welcome Fr Rupert Bowd to our Parish who will be celebrating Mass with us for this and next weekend.

## Recent Deaths

**Fr Brendan Davey** died at Nazareth House last Tuesday morning. We remember him in prayerful hope of the resurrection and pray for his family and friends and all who have known Brendan over his life. We give thanks for his years of service as a priest of the Diocese of Ballarat since his ordination to the priesthood at St Patrick's Cathedral Ballarat on July 23<sup>rd</sup> 1961. Fr Brendan retired from the Parish of Ararat in 2014 after many years of ministry there and has been a resident of Nazareth House Ballarat for the past two years. His funeral arrangements are as follows: Vigil Prayers at 7.00 pm on Tuesday August 16<sup>th</sup> at St Patrick's Cathedral Ballarat.

Figure a large ments are as follows: Vigil Prayers at 7.00 pm on Tuesday August 16 at St Patrick's Cathedral Ballarat. Funeral Mass at 11.00 am Wednesday August 17<sup>th</sup> at Immaculate Conception Church Ararat with the committal to follow at the Ararat Cemetery.

**Bishop Paul Bird's Sister, Josie** passed away in Gosford yesterday. We will remember Josie and Bishop Paul and his family in our prayers and thoughts this week.

Friday, August 19: Ecumenical Services at Iona & Avonlea from 10.15a.m. Parishioners are most welcome to attend these services.

#### **Recent Deaths**

Mrs Una Dahlenburg Fr Brendan Davey Josie Bird [Bishop Paul's Sister]

	Reader & Prayers	Lay Leaders	Eucharistic Minister	Offertory Procession	Monthly Collector	Counter	Cleaner
Roster for Aug 14	D Munro		A Munro	M Jones	Ewen Cameron	D & A Munro	J Gurry
Roster for Aug 21	M Milling- ton	I Dart & K Clohesy	L Grayling		Ewen Cameron	E Cameron	J Gurry

## Reflection

A swamp may look nice on the surface But it's depths are full of rotten things.

Peace that is based on injustices is like that.

It is a false peace and Jesus came to disrupt it.

But then there is a true peace.

A peace in which all of God's children have their basic rights respected

And are able to live in freedom and dignity.

This is the peace Jesus came to bring.

But peace like this doesn't happen: it has to be made.

Sometimes the peacemakers will be branded troublemakers.

But Jesus had another name for them: he called them 'children of God'