

MOYNE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

St Patrick's Parish, Port Fairy Infant Jesus Parish, Koroit



Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday 15th February and Sunday 16th February 2020

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

R/. They are happy who follow God's law!

They are happy whose life is blameless, who follow God's law!

They are happy who do his will, seeking him with all their hearts. *R*/.

You have laid down your precepts to be obeyed with care.

May my footsteps be firm

May my footsteps be firm to obey your statutes. *R/*.

Bless your servant and I shall live and obey your word.

Open my eyes that I may see the wonders of your law. **R/.**

Teach me the demands of your statutes and I will keep them to the end.

Train me to observe your law, to keep it with my heart. R/.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Blessed are you, Father,

Lord of heaven and earth;

You have revealed to little ones
the mysteries of the kingdom.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

PRAYERS FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

We commend to the Lord's mercy and compassion *Mark Giblin* (Melbourne) who died recently, and all whose anniversaries occur at this time.

FR JOHN'S WEEKDAY MASSES

10am Wednesday Infant Jesus, Koroit

10am Thursday St Patrick's, Port Fairy

10am Friday St Joseph's, Warrnambool

THANK YOU FOR GIVING

Weekly presbytery collection

Koroit: \$333.00 Port Fairy: \$327.30

Monthly planned giving (Jan)

Koroit pledged: \$2,162.00 Koroit received: \$2,635.00

Port Fairy pledged: \$1,512.00 Port Fairy received: \$1,824.00

PRAYER FOR AUSTRALIA

Eternal God, in wisdom and love you created our earth to sustain us and give us life.

We turn to you now in faith, hope and love, asking you to look with favour on our fire-ravaged and drought-stricken land, on our displaced and starving animals, on our failing crops and on our burning forests, farms and towns.

Strengthen, sustain and give new heart to our farmers and to all who are affected by drought; be with those who support them.

Give strength and comfort to the victims of fire: those who have lost family, friends, property and stock.

Protect our volunteer firefighters and all members of essential services.

In your loving providence, send abundant rain to quench the fires and restore our parched earth.

Father of all compassion, hear our prayer through Jesus Christ your Son, in whom the promise of new life has dawned, and through the power of the Holy Spirit, the Lord the giver of life: renew your faithful people; renew the face of the earth.

Holy Mary, Lady of the Southern Cross, Help of Christians: *pray for us*.

St Mary of the Cross: pray for us.

PLENARY COUNCIL 7pm, Thursday 27th February Our Lady's, East Warrnambool



The next session focuses on *A Joyful, Hope-Filled* and Servant Community. All welcome.

2020 SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM

Term 1: Penance and Reconciliation

Wed 19 th Feb	Information Session for Reconciliation 7pm, Port Fairy <i>church</i> 7pm, Koroit <i>school</i>
Sat 22 nd Feb Sun 23 rd Feb	Commissioning Mass: <u>all</u> sacramental candidates for 2020 are formally enrolled and presented to the parish community 6:30pm Mass, Port Fairy 10:30am Mass, Koroit
Wed 18 th Mar	Rite of Reconciliation 7pm, Port Fairy church
Wed 25 th Mar	Rite of Reconciliation 7pm, Koroit church

Term 2: Confirmation (May)

Term 3: First Holy Communion (August)



PORT FAIRY LENT PROGRAM 2pm, Wednesdays Repeated 10am, Thursdays

St John's Anglican Church in Port Fairy will run a 5-week Lenten study group which Catholic parishioners are welcome to join. The course is *Superstar*, from the Anglican Archdiocese of York. The author is Bishop David Wilbourne, who takes themes from the lyrics of *Jesus Christ: Superstar*. The commentators on the soundtrack are from the Anglican, Catholic and Methodist traditions.



THIRD SUNDAY OF ST JOSEPH

His sorrow when he saw Jesus' blood shed in circumcision; his joy in naming him Jesus.

INTRODUCTORY PRAYER

O glorious St Joseph, who faithfully obeyed the law of God, your heart was pierced at the sight of the most precious blood that was shed by the infant Saviour during his circumcision, but the name of Jesus gave you new life and filled you with quiet joy. By this sorrow and this joy, obtain for us the grace to be freed from all sin during life and to die rejoicing, with the holy name of Jesus in our hearts and on our lips.

GOSPEL READING (Lk 2:21)

At the end of eight days, when he was circumcised, he was called Jesus, the name given by the angel before he was conceived in the womb.

LITANY OF SAINT JOSEPH

Lord, have mercy. Christ have mercy. Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

Christ, hear us.

Christ, hear us.

Christ, graciously hear us.

Christ, graciously hear us.

God the Father of Heaven:

Have mercy on us.

God the Son, Redeemer of the world:

Have mercy on us.

God the Holy Spirit:

Have mercy on us.

Holy Trinity, one God: *Have mercy on us.*

Holy Mary: *Pray for us.*

St Joseph: Pray for us.

Noble son of the house of David: *Pray for us.*

Light of patriarchs: Pray for us.

Husband of the Mother of God: *Pray for us.*

Guardian of the Virgin: *Pray for us.*

Foster father of the Son of God: *Pray for us.*

Faithful guardian of Christ: Pray for us.

Head of the holy family: Pray for us.

Joseph, chaste and just: Pray for us.

Joseph, prudent and brave: *Pray for us.*

Joseph, obedient and loyal: Pray for us.

Pattern of patience: Pray for us.

Lover of poverty: Pray for us.

Model of workers: *Pray for us.*

Example to parents: *Pray for us.*

Guardian of virgins: Pray for us.
Pillar of family life: Pray for us.

Comfort of the troubled: Pray for us.

Hope of the sick: *Pray for us.*

Patron of the dying: Pray for us.

Terror of evil spirits: Pray for us.

Protector of the Church: Pray for us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: *Spare us*, *O Lord*.

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: *Graciously hear us*, *O Lord*.

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: *Have mercy on us.*

God made him master of his household *And put him in charge of all that he owned.*

Let us pray.

Almighty God, in your infinite wisdom and love you chose Joseph to be the husband of Mary, the mother of your Son. As we enjoy his protection on earth, may we have the help of his prayers in heaven. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

KOROIT: 23rd February, 10:30am

School-led Mass.

PORT FAIRY: 22nd February, 6:30pm

School-led Mass.

WE ARE A CHILD SAFE PARISH

Our Child Safe Policies can be read at our church entrances and on our webpages. Our safe-guarding officer is Peter Sanderson.

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading. Leviticus 19:1-2,17-18. You must love your neighbour as yourself.

Second Reading. 1 Corinthians 3:16-23. You belong to Christ and Christ belongs to God.

Gospel. *Matthew 5:38-48*. Love your enemies.

SUNDAY MASSES

1st Sunday of the month

Koroit (Vigil): 6.30pm Sat Port Fairy: 10.30am Sun

2nd Sunday of the month

Port Fairy (Vigil): 6.30pm Sat Koroit: 10.30am Sun

3rd Sunday of the month

Koroit (Vigil): 6.30pm Sat Port Fairy: 10.30am Sun

4th Sunday of the month

Port Fairy (Vigil): 6.30pm Sat Koroit: 10.30am Sun

5th Sunday of the month

Koroit (Vigil): 6.30pm Sat Port Fairy: 10.30am Sun

RECONCILIATION

5pm-6:15pm, Saturday at the place of the Vigil Mass.

After 10am Wednesday MassInfant Jesus, Koroit

After 10am Thursday Mass St Patrick's, Port Fairy

NEARBY PARISHES:

After 9:30am Friday Mass Our Lady's, East Warrnambool

After 10am Friday Mass St Joseph's, Warrnambool

After 10am Saturday Mass St Pius X, West Warrnambool

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