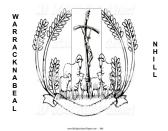
HOPETOUN



PARISHES

St Mary's Parish Warracknabeal

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Holy Week Ceremonies:

<u>Palm Sunday:</u> Normal times of the 3rd weekend. Nhill— LLA at 10.30am <u>Holy Thursday:</u> Nhill—5pm, Warrack—7.00pm, Hopetoun—8.30pm <u>Good Friday:</u> Warrack—3pm, Nhill—3pm <u>Easter Vigil [Saturday]:</u> Nhill—5pm, Warrack—7pm, Hopetoun—8. Easter Sunday: Rainbow—8.30am, Minyip—9.00am

Mass of the Oil

The Mass of the Oils will be celebrated in St Patrick's Cathedral, Ballarat at 6.30pm on Monday, March 21st, 2016. This Mass is a celebration of the whole Church of the Diocese of Ballarat. We celebrate the unity and ministry of the ordained Priests in the midst of the entire priestly people of God of the Diocese. This Mass also has special significance for those who will use the blessed oils in 2016—the sick, those to be baptised and confirmed. All members of the Diocese are invited to participate in this celebration, which truly expresses the unity of the Diocesan Church. Ministries required for the Mass of the Oils include, Ushers, Readers, Oil Bearers, Presentation of the Gifts, Collection of Oils, Musicians and Singers. For further information contact the Pastoral Ministry Office, ph 53377159, or pastoralministery@ballarat.catholic.org .au.

Weekend Mass Times 1st & 3rd Weekend's of the Month 1st Saturday Warracknabeal—6.30pm 3rd Saturday Beulah—7.00pm

1st Sunday Hopetoun - 9.00am Beulah—10.30am 3rd Sunday Hopetoun-9am Rainbow—11.00am

2nd &4th Weekend's of the Month Saturday—Minyip 6.30pm Sunday—Warracknabeal 8..30am Sunday– Nhill 10.30

<u>Lay Led assemblies are held on</u> Sunday's when no Mass is scheduled.

Hopetoun—9.00am Minyip—10.30am Rainbow—10.00am Beulah—9.30am Warracknabeal—9.00am Nhill—10.30am Kaniva—9.00am

> <u>Pray for our Sick</u> Marj Parker & Una Bartlett

Sunday March 13. The Fifth Sunday Of Lent

Prayer for Year of Mercy

Lord Jesus Christ, you have taught us to be merciful like the heavenly Father. And have told us that whoever see's you, see's him' Show us your face and we shall be saved. You are the visible face of the Invisible Father, of the God who manifests his Yower above all by forgiveness face in the world. Send your spirit and consecrate every one of us with the Spirits anointing so that the Jubilee of Mercy may be a year of grace from the Lord. And your church, with renewed enthusiasm , may bring good news to the poor. We ask this of you, Lord Jesus Through the intercession of Mary, Mother of Mercy You who live and reign with the Father And the Holy spirit for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Nhill News

<u>Thursday</u>, <u>March 17</u> is St Patrick's Day and Fr Neville will celebrate Mass with the children in the Church at 2 pm. Please join us for this special occasion.

Friday, March 18 is St Patrick's Quiz Night in the hall. Please ring the school and book a table. Hope to see you there!

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CCI have donated an Easter raffle again and we will combine with the school community and share the profits. Tickets are still available at the back of the church today. The raffle will be drawn at the Movie Quiz Night.

<u>Parish Pastoral Council</u> will meet prior to our LLA on Sunday, March 20 At 9.30am. If you have any agenda items for this meeting, please contact Ann by Saturday.

<u>A New Liturgy Roster</u> is available at the back of the church. <u>Roster for 13/3/2016</u>

Reader & Prayers	Eucharistic Minister	Offertory Procession	Monthly Collector	Counter	Cleaner
C Kennedy	N Grayling	L Welsch	Rob Weir	J Kennedy	C Kennedy & M Waugh

Roster for 20/3/2016

Lay Leaders	Reader & Prayers	Eucharistic Minister	Monthly Collector	Counter	Cleaner
K Bendall & D Munro	L Fraser	C Kennedy	Rob Weir	E Cameron	C Kennedy & M Waugh

Next weeks readings 1st Reading—Josh 5:9-12 2nd Reading—2 Cor 5:17-21 Gospel—Lk 15:1-3, 11-32