St. Peter's Parish

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Sunday September 2nd 2018 22nd Sunday Ordinary Time (Year B)

Recent Deaths: Fr. Tom Brophy (Melbourne, not Fr Tom of Ballarat), Mark Noy, Fr. Peter Wood MSC, Chris Yates, Rosanna Yu

Anniversaries: Paul Aitken, John Alexander Askwith, Raymond Thomas Askwith, Mary Drohan, Catherine Garvey, Josie Micich, Edmond Murphy, John Nunn, Francis Reidy, Fr Peter Taffe, Margaret Trevenen

Please remember in your prayers those who are unwell, especially

Margaret Cranko, Nancy Hand, Basil Torpy, Milly Yeoman

Next week's readings: Sunday September 2nd 2018 22nd Sunday, Ordinary Time (B) Isaiah 35:4-7 Ps 145:7-10. R St. James 2:1-5 Mark 7:31-37

September 1st/2nd6.30pm Smythesdale9.00amLinton10.30amSkiptonSeptember 8th/9th6.30pm Smythesdale9.00amBeaufort10.30amRokewood

Catholic Women's League Invitation

The Cathedral Branch of the CWL warmly invites all women to a social afternoon on Wednesday September 5th at 1.30pm in the Mary Glowrey Room. Guest Speaker: Sr Teresa Clare of Nazareth House will share her journey from Vietnam to Victoria and her work at ACU Aquinas Ballarat. Afternoon tea provided.



Annual Collection for Sick and Retired Priests

The Ballarat Clergy Support Fund provides for 15 retired priests including Frs Dan Arundell and Barry Ryan and other senior priests, many of whom regularly celebrate Masses in our parishes. Special

envelopes are available for this collection, which will be taken up today. You may also return your envelope next week. A credit card facility is available for your convenience, and contributions over \$2.00 are tax-deductible.

Flooding in Kerala, India

Our prayers continue for those affected by flooding in the state of Kerala, in the south of India. Many of our Malayalam parishioners have family and friends affected by these floods in their home state. Caritas India is providing support for the people of Kerala at this time. Caritas Australia, through our Asia Emergency Fund, is providing support to Caritas India and will continue to monitor the needs of the people of Kerala. To make a donation, go to the Caritas website <u>www.caritas.org.au</u>. For more information contact Caritas Australia on 1800 024 413. Caritas Envelopes are in the Church porches.

Joy Spreading in Ballarat - Stacey Atkins special guest!

Stacey Atkins is the guest speaker at the next *Joy Spreading* event for young adults (18-30yo) on Friday, September 14th, from 6.30pm – 9.00pm at the Lake View Hotel, Ballarat. An opportunity for young Catholic adults to share ideas and views in a friendly environment. Free event. This is a Year of Youth initiative - *Open New Horizons for Spreading Joy*. Go to <u>www.ballarat.catholic.org.au</u> or ph. 53377125.

Season of Creation: September 1st - October 4th

Ecumenical Service to celebrate the start of the season, at St Matthew's Anglican Church, Wendouree Sunday, September 2nd at 2.00pm, with refreshments to follow.

Cathedral Parish Anointing Mass

On Wednesday September 12th, the Mass of Anointing for the sick and seniors of our Parishes will be held in the Cathedral Hall at 12.05pm. It is our custom to serve lunch to the Parishioners following Mass. All Linton parishioners are very welcome.