St Peter's Parish

Communities of Linton, Skipton, Smythesdale and Snake Valley

Sunday August 18th 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time (C)

Parish Office hours: Monday - Friday 10.00am - 5.00pm



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Priests: Frs Justin Driscoll, Jorge de Chavez, Sajan Mathew & Vincent Pham

Visiting Priests: Frs Dan Arundell and Barry Ryan

Parish Coordinator: Anita Houlihan Admin Assistant: Juanita Bongiorno

Finance Officer: Kerrie McTigue

Linton Parish Safeguarding Officer: Cecelia Rowberry

Masses 24th/25th August

Snake Valley Beaufort Skipton Cathedral

6.30pm Vigil 8.30am 10.30am 5.30pm Vigil 8.00am 10.30am 5.00pm

Next week's Readings for 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year C)

Isaiah 66:18-21 Ps 116. R. Mk 16:15 Hebrews 12:5-7, 11-13 Luke 13:22-30

Recent Deaths: Sr. Ursula Caine rsm, Julianne Crusche,

Kevin Nester (Funeral Mass at Rokewood Wednesday at 10am)

Anniversaries: Alby Button, Monica Lange, Bonnie McDermott, Con McDermott,

Molly Nunn, Jack Nuttall

Please remember in your prayers those who are unwell, especially

Margaret Cranko, Angie Polglaze, Basil Torpy, Milly Yeoman.

St Peter's Parish respectfully acknowledge that the Aboriginal people of Australia are our first nation peoples and the traditional owners and custodians of this land.

Plenary Council Final Report of the Listening and Dialogue stage

The National Centre for Pastoral Research has just published "Listen to what the Spirit is saying", the final report of the Listening and Dialogue stage of the Plenary Council. The report captures the voices of the more than 222,000 people who shared their submissions, questions and stories of faith during the 10-month process. Access the report at www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au/resources/reports

First Spiritual Exercises of St Ignatius of Loyola - A Retreat in Daily Life

"Inner Peace in Friendship with Jesus" is the retreat in daily life over 4 weeks and will be offered to the first 24 parishioners who apply. Beginning September 2nd from 1.00pm-3.00pm, or 7.00pm-9.00pm, and each Monday in September at the same times, with a combined groups gathering on Saturday, October 5th from 1.30pm - 3.30pm. These meetings will be held at St Alipius' Hall, Victoria Street, Ballarat East. For more information regarding content of the retreat and an application form, please collect from the Church entrance and return your application form, plus \$25.00 for the book, to the Cathedral Parish Office (open 10.00am – 5.00pm Monday – Friday), as soon as possible. For more information or to receive an online application form, contact Rachel McLoughlin ibvm mcloughlin@me.com, ph. 0437 061 337 or Doreen Roache doreenroache@bigpond.com, ph. 0417 117 382.

Catholic Man Breakfast Series

Men of all ages are invited to a Catholic Man Breakfast to be held on Thursday, August 29th, 2019 at 7.00am at Craig's Royal Hotel in Ballarat. RSVP by Friday, August 23rd. Further information is available from Chris Liston, ph. 0437 318 251, chris.listo2@gmail.com or Vincent Sully, ph. 0407 310 115, vcjjdh.sully@gmail.com

Nazareth House Auxiliary Fundraiser

Nazareth House Auxiliary are hosting an Iconic Movie, "Sleepless in Seattle", and High Tea fundraiser on Thursday, August 29th, 2019 at 10.00am at the Regent Cinema Ballarat. Tickets are \$25.00. Prepayment and prebooking essential. For more information contact Margaret, ph. 0419 003415.