St Peter's Parish Linton, Skipton, Smythesdale, Snake Valley Please Contact the Cathedral Office 5331 2933 ballarat@ballarat.catholic.org.au Parish Office: Jacinta Westbrook, Priests: Frs Justin Driscoll, Anthony Nagothu, Sajan Mathew Parish Safeguarding Officer: Ceceila Rowberry ceceila@bigpond.com Sunday April 1st 2018 Easter Sunday (B)

Recent Deaths: Jack Brownlee, Yvonne Cluff, Jean Higgins, Charlie Howkins, Kitty McGurran **Anniversaries:** Brian Devlin, Mary Doyle, David Hynes, David Keane, Roslyn Lench, Frank Liston, Audrey Lorkin, Mons McInerney, Michael Murray, Ethel O'Bierne, Sr M. Camillus Parker RSJ, Stephen Pollock, William Stevens, Nellie Underwood

Please remember in your prayers those who are unwell, especially Margaret Cranko, Nancy Hand, Milly Yeoman

Next week's readings: Sunday April 8th2018 2nd Sunday of Easter (B) Ps 117:2-4. 15-18. 22-24. R. v.1 1 John 5:1-6 John 20:19-31 Acts 4:32-35 Masses April 7th/8th 6.30pm Smythesdale 8.30am Beaufort 10.30am Snake Valley April 14th/15th 6.30pm Smythesdale 9.00am Skipton 10.30am Rokewood

Holy Week Liturgies

Many thanks to the parishioners - singers, readers, leaders, cleaners, ministers of the Eucharist, musicians, décor and flower arrangers, collectors and counters, altar servers, photocopiers, sacristans and welcomers and Frs Sajan and Dan who have all ensured that our liturgies of Holy Week are the highpoint of our Liturgical Year. Happy Easter to all!

Appointment of Vicar General

Bishop Paul has appointed Fr Kevin Maloney (PP of Redan & Sebastopol) as the Vicar General, replacing Fr Justin who has completed his five-year term.



Change of Saturday Night Vigil Mass times

Commencing on Saturday April 7th the Vigil Mass times will change from 6.30pm to 5.30pm at the Cathedral and from 6.00pm to 5.00pm at St Aloysius Redan, for the duration of non daylight saving time.

Plenary Council 2020

Pope Francis has approved the Australian Bishops' decision to hold a Plenary Council in Australia in 2020 and 2021. All people are invited to reflect on the question: "What do you think God is asking of us in Australia?" Find out more at: <u>www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au</u>

WYD 2019 Pilgrimage to Panama – calling for pilgrims!

Interested in being part of the Ballarat Diocese World Youth Day Pilgrimage (18-35 year olds) to Panama in January 2019? Express your interest to <u>youth@ballarat.catholic.org.au</u> Go to <u>www.ballarat.catholic.org.au</u>.

Revised Mass times for Beaufort, Linton, Rokewood, Skipton, Smythesdale

This roster commences the weekend April 7th – 8th 2018 6.30 pm Vigil Mass each Saturday evening throughout the year

1 st Sunday	6.30 pm Vigil Mass		Smythesdale	
	9.00 am	Linton	10.30 am	Skipton
2 nd Sunday	6.30 pm Vigil Mass		Smythesdale	
	8.30 am	Beaufort	10.30 am	Snake Valley
3 rd Sunday	6.30 pm V	igil Mass	Smythesdale	
	9.00 am	Skipton	10.30 am	Rokewood
4 th Sunday	6.30 pm Vigil Mass		Snake Valley	
	8.30 am	Beaufort	10.30 am	Skipton
5 th Sunday	6.30 pm Vigil Mass		Smythesdale	
	9.00 am	Linton	10.30 am	Skipton

The change is the Vigil Mass on the 2nd Sunday of the Month from Skipton to Smythesdale