15th September 2019 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time.

OUR COMMUNITY NEWS

Parish Safeguarding Officer Sandra Watkins: 0409492508

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Information for special parish events (BAPTISMS, WEDDINGS, FUNERALS) Please contact Anne Beer on 5349 2168 or 0417 369 322

Recent Deaths

Thelma Fletcher

Anniversaries

Anthony Carbone, Isabelle Meehan, Isabelle McArthur, John Molony, John Fitzpatrick, Patricia(Patsy) Collins, Amy Packman, Margaret Dickman, Elizabeth O'Connor, Mary Watkins & Steve Molloy.

Pray for all these friends of ours who are ill

Pat Byrne, Margaret MacDonald, Grace Molloy, Roger Molomby, Graeme Dawson, Blake Dridan, Fr Adrian McInerney, Shelagh Mulcahy, Colleen Hains, Valda Murphy and all those in need of prayer.

ROSTERS

Introduction & Readings

Today: Gerrard Family Sept 22nd: Anne Beer

Prayers of the Faithful

Today: Gerrard Family Sept 22nd: Charlie Franc

Assembly Leaders

Today: Sue Mahony & Angela Gerrard Sept 29th: Anne Beer & Maurice Barwick

Special Minister

Today: Anne Beer Sept 22nd: Anne Beer

Music

15th: September: Naomi Gerrard

Church Cleaning, Linen & Flowers

15th – 22nd September: Chandler Family 29th - 22nd: Therese Jess & Bernadette Franc

Church Grounds

15th – 22nd September: Chandler Family

29th – John Jess & Bill Franc

Newsletter:

September: Carmel Milenkovic 0407 320 759 October: Bernadette Franc 0427 678 830

Mass Times next Sunday:

SUNDAY 22nd September

Beaufort 10.00 am Buangor Snake Valley 6.30 pm Saturday Skipton 10.30 am Sunday

Weekday Mass Times:

No weekday masses in September

Parish Council AGM

All are welcome to attend the Parish Council Annual General Meeting today following our LLA.

Upcoming Dates:

29 Sept. Social Justice Sunday
 13 Oct World-Wide Global Rosary

 Feast of Our Lady of Fatima

16 Oct Ordination of Bishop Shane Mackinlay

Final Mass – St Joseph's Church, Buangor. All are welcome to attend the final Mass at St Joseph's Church, Buangor on Sunday September 22nd at 10.00am

Collection for East Timor will be taken up on Sunday September 29th at the LLA

The gospel and readings for today points us in the direction of the mercy of God that this wonderful parable celebrates. The temptation of the Israelites in the wilderness was to forget the God of the Covenant who wanted them to go forward in faith, and to opt rather for the familiar religions which appeared to offer security and prosperity. These readings are a reminder that the story of biblical faith is not one of riches and prosperity for those who believe but one of developing a loving trust in the God who wants us to walk in his ways and who lifts us up when we fall.

Plenary Council 2020: National Theme for Discernment – September:

How is God calling us to be a Christ-centred Church that is Missionary and Evangelising? This National Theme for Discernment is inspired by the voices of the People of God who shared a passion for participating in the missionary nature of the Church and desire stronger support, involvement and formation among all the baptised who make up the Church.

Morning Prayer:

Dear Lord, So far today Lord, I've done alright. I haven't gossipped, lost my temper, haven't been greedy, grumpy, nasty, selfish, nor over-indulgent. And I'm very thankful to you for that

But......In a few minutes, Lord, I'm probably going to need a lot more help because I'm going to get out of bed!!!!