

# St. James' Sebastopol & St. Aloysius Redan

Parish Priest: Fr Kevin Maloney, Ph: 5331 4981

Presbytery: 508 Leith St, Redan

## 18<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time - Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> July 2016

Next week's readings: Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> August 2016

19<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (C)

Wisdom 18:6-9

Ps 32(33):1, 12, 18-20, 22

Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-19

Luke 12:32-48

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Office hours: Tue & Wed 9.00am-12.00pm, Thursday 9.00am-3.00pm

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Office hours: Monday – Friday 10.00am – 5.00pm

There are two collections. The first (Presbytery collection) is for the support of the parish priest and follows the sermon. The second is for the running of the parish (planned giving, envelopes) and occurs after the Intercessions.

**Last Weekend's Collections: Parish**

**Sebastopol \$2,194.30**

**Redan \$1,372.00**

**Presbytery**

**Sebastopol \$374.75**

**Redan \$592.50**

**Baptism Parent Information Evenings for the Parishes of Redan and Sebastopol** - Parents wishing to have their children Baptised in the parishes of Redan and Sebastopol need to attend a Baptism preparation evening. At this meeting the enrolment for the Sacrament and date of celebration will be confirmed. These meetings are held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the month at 7.00pm in the Redan Parish Centre, 506 Leith Street Redan. The next meeting will be on Thursday **11<sup>th</sup> August 2016**. For any enquiries please contact Bernadette or Pauline at either parish centre.

### Mass Times;

**Tuesday**

**9.30am Redan**

12:05pm Cathedral

**Wednesday**

**9.30am Sebastopol**

12:05pm Cathedral

**Thursday**

**9.30am Redan**

12:05pm Cathedral

**Friday**

**9.30am Prayer Service Sebastopol**

**School Mass Lumen Christi**

12:05pm Cathedral

### Sacrament of Penance

Cathedral Friday 11.00am Saturday 11.30 am

### Weekend Masses

**Cathedral**

**St Aloysius**

**St James'**

6.30 pm Vigil 6.00 pm Vigil

8.00 am

9.00 am

10.30 am

10.30 am

5.00 pm

**Rokewood 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday at 10.30am**

**Recent Deaths:** Giuseppe (Joe) Angelini, John Fuller, Patrick Ronan

### Anniversaries:

Joan Densley, John Everard, Carmel Grono, Alan Maher, Sr. Margaret Maloney RSM, Michael Nestor, Gwen Sowter

### Please remember in your Prayers the following:

Allen Baltazar, Maria Bessems, Norah Best, Irina Davis, Julie Delahenty, Fletcher Densley, Joseph Graafmans, Mary Patricia Guinan, Jim Maher, Gerard Molloy (Beaufort), Kevin Molloy (Ararat), Frank Nolan, John O'Keeffe, Mary Skelton, Leonie Street, Jenny Tan, Connie Vincent, Lynn Whiteley

**Prayer to the Holy Spirit** - Spirit of wisdom and understanding, enlighten our minds to perceive the mysteries of the universe in relation to eternity. Spirit of right judgement and courage, guide us and make us firm in our baptismal decision to follow Jesus' way of love. Spirit of knowledge and reverence, helps us to see the lasting value of justice and mercy in our everyday dealings with one another. May we respect life as we work to solve problems of family and nation, economy and ecology. Spirit of God, spark our faith, hope and love into new action each day. Fill our lives with wonder and awe in your presence which penetrates all creation. Amen.

# St. James' Parish Sebastopol

## Opportunities for Prayer

**Monday 10.30am** Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament including Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Your presence is welcome.

**Wednesday** Rosary will be recited **at 9.00am** before 9.30am Mass.

## Dates to Remember

<b>Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> July</b>	<b>2pm</b>	Josephites Meeting
<b>Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> August</b>	<b>2.30pm</b>	Good Shepherd Servant Community Prayer Group
<b>Monday 8<sup>th</sup> August</b>	<b>7pm</b>	St. Vincent de Paul Society Meeting
<b>Friday 12<sup>th</sup> August</b>	<b>10.15am</b>	Finance Committee Meeting
<b>Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> August</b>	<b>7pm</b>	Parish Pastoral Team Meeting
<b>Friday 19<sup>th</sup> August</b>	<b>10.15am</b>	Rehearsal for Confirmation
<b>Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> August</b>	<b>9am</b>	Men's Breakfast

## Filipino Community

Rosary 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of month at 7pm

Good Shepherd Servant Community Prayer Group 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month at 2.30pm

## Sacrament of Confirmation

This weekend we welcome the children and their parents preparing for the Sacrament of Confirmation. Over the next three Sundays, they will be participating in a dismissal during Mass and then the families will be working together at home on the Diocesan Sacramental Program "Let the Children Come".

The Sacrament of Confirmation will be celebrated at St. James' on Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> August. Please keep these children and their families in your prayers.

## St. James' Feast Day

Many thanks to all those involved in both the School and Parish communities for the wonderful celebrations that took place for our feast day.

**Spare key for the tabernacle** - If anyone knows the whereabouts of the spare key to the tabernacle would you please contact Pauline on 5336 1353. Thank you.

## Annual Plan Giving Receipts

For the last financial year are now available for collection in the foyer after Mass. If there are any queries please contact the Parish Office.

## Prayer after Communion

*God, my creator, breathe on me, renew me, refresh me, extend my abilities, comfort me in adjusting to changes in health, mobility and activity. Body of Jesus Christ flow through every fibre of my being. Keep me well, and hope filled, always. Holy Spirit use me in my situation, for the good of others. Amen.*

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## Nazareth House Auxiliary Coffee Party

Friday, August 5, 2016 at 1.30pm at Nazareth House, Mill Street, Ballarat. Entrance prize, spinning wheel, devonshire tea, fancy goods, produce stall. All welcome.

## Lay Pastoral Ministry Program Update - new study cycle in August

A new online study cycle is commencing towards the end of August as part of the Lay Pastoral Ministry Program that the Ballarat Diocese has initiated. This program offers opportunities for formation, study, certification and support for lay workers, both employees and volunteers, in the diocese. It includes on-line study with a wide range of subjects presented as short courses – you can do one subject or many. Subjects are offered six times a year and you can start at whichever time suits you. If you are interested, please check out the details on the diocesan website (link from bottom of front page), then contact Amanda Smith, ph. 5337 7125 or email

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## Bupa Aged Care

BUPA is now situated within the boundaries of our Parishes, the proprietor of this establishment would appreciate a Catholic Prayer Service being celebrated in their Chapel every 2<sup>nd</sup> week, if there are any Parishioners interested in being associated with this activity could they make contact with Pauline, Bernadette or Fr Moloney: 53314981.

## Honouring the Fatherhood of God in this special Jubilee of Mercy

Will be held at Nazareth House, Upstairs Chapel, Mill Street, Ballarat on Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> August at 2pm starting with prayers and followed by Holy Mass. Celebrant: Fr. Anthony Nagothu.

# St. Aloysius Parish Redan

**Invitation to pray the Rosary** - Tuesday and Thursday mornings at 9.00am before the 9.30am Mass

**Adoration and Exposition** – 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday of the month, 7.00 pm – 8.00 pm.

## Sacrament of Confirmation

This weekend we welcome the children and their parents preparing for the Sacrament of Confirmation. Over the next four weekends, they will be participating in a dismissal during Mass and then the families will be working together at home on the Diocesan Sacramental Program “*Let the Children Come*”.

The Sacrament of Confirmation will be celebrated at St. Aloysius on the weekends of 20<sup>th</sup>/21<sup>st</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup>/28<sup>th</sup> August. Please keep these children and their families in your prayers.

**St. Aloysius Feast Day Parish Luncheon** – A happy time enjoyed by all, 40 people attended. Please enjoy the photos from the luncheon in the foyer of the church

## Family Groups

25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Family Groups in the Redan Parish. To celebrate this occasion the Family Groups will host a catered breakfast gathering in Ryan Hall after the 9.00am Mass on Sunday August 14. All Parishioners welcome. For catering purposes please indicate on the sheets in the foyer if you will be attending.

## Caring Circle

Will meet Wednesday next, 3<sup>rd</sup> August at 1pm in the Parish Centre. New members welcome.

## BUPA Age Care

Prayer services for BUPA Age Care start on Thursday August 4 at 10.15am. They will occur every second Thursday.

### Roster 6<sup>th</sup>/7<sup>th</sup> August

Mass	Leader	Reader	Offertory	Sp Ministers	Welcomer	Projector	Counters	Cleaners
6pm	K Andrews	J Burge	N Conroy	B Baxter B Van Ravenstein	N McGuigan	M Poliness	N McGuigan	V Dulfer L Spencer
9am	A Naus	M Burn	M Flood & Family	N De Jong A Dulfer	J George	T Haintz		B Martin C Densley

**Children's Liturgy:** Annette Hirth

## World Youth Day At Home! updated info

Live streaming of World Youth Day events from Poland will be available on [www.xt3.com/live/](http://www.xt3.com/live/) The WYD event schedule is listed there. Join in with WYD in your parish or school for WYD events July 26-31, 2016 either live or via download afterwards. Other resources for parishes and schools are available on <http://wyd.org.au/resources/pastoral/local-wyd-celebrations>. The WYD prayer and WYD news is available on the Ballarat Diocese website youth pages [www.ballarat.catholic.org.au](http://www.ballarat.catholic.org.au)

## New Catholic Primary School Named

The new Catholic school to be built in Lucas now has a name – Siena Catholic Primary School. The name Siena met all the criteria and the name was chosen in consultation with the parish and school community. Siena will take its inspiration from St. Catherine of Siena, a Doctor of Church from the Dominican tradition. St. Catherine of Siena's writings survive and are known as the Dialogues, which inspires our new School to be a dialogue school in the Catholic tradition, in partnership with children, parents, families, the parish and broader community. One of the many sayings of St. Catherine of Siena which will inspire this new school is: “*be who God wants you to be and you will set the world on fire.*”

## St Patrick's College 2018 Year 7 Information Evening

on Wednesday October 26<sup>th</sup> from 7.30 pm. For a 2018 Enrolment Package contact Mrs Caitlin Bennett 53 311688 [cbennett@stpats.vic.edu.au](mailto:cbennett@stpats.vic.edu.au)

## St Vincent de Paul Society

A significant number of our clients have expressed a desire for assistance with household budgeting. To address this need we are planning to offer sessions at our Relief centre at O'Collins Hall on Tuesdays. Clients would meet by appointment with two volunteers. Please note this is not financial planning and all volunteers would be provided with training via the program, “Where Did All The Money Go?” designed to give volunteers knowledge of what practical assistance can be offered to people living on low incomes. If you feel that you would be interested in being part of this new and exciting initiative you are invited to an information session at O'Collins Hall Dawson St on Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> August 1.00pm. For further information - Mary McAloon 0419 897 345

