# St. James' Sebastopol & St. Aloysius Redan

Parish Priest: Fr Kevin Maloney, Ph: 5331 4981

Presbytery: 508 Leith St, Redan

15th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Sunday 15th July 2018

Next week's readings: Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2018 16<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)

Jeremiah 23:1-6 Ps 22(23) Ephesians 2:13-18 Mark 6:30-34

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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.

**Collections Last Week:** Sebastopol: Parish: \$635.15 Presbytery: \$279.15

**Redan:** Parish: \$ 1161.00 Presbytery: \$719.00

**Baptism Parent Information Sessions:** - Parent information sessions for the Baptism of children will be held on the first Thursday of each month. The next meetings will be on **Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> August at 10.00 am & 7.00 pm**, in the hall at the back of the Cathedral Presbytery, 3 Lyons St. South, Ballarat. All families wishing to have their children (under 7) baptised are invited to attend one of these preparation sessions so that they can enrol their children for Baptism at these preparation sessions. For any enquiries, please contact Bernadette or Pauline at either parish centre.

Mass Times;

Monday12.05pm CathedralTuesday12:05pm CathedralWednesday12.05 pm CathedralThursday9.30am RedanFriday9.30am SebastopolSaturday10.00 am Cathedral

**Sacrament of Penance** 

Cathedral Saturday 11.30 am

**Weekend Masses** 

Cathedral St Aloysius St James'

5.30pm Vigil 5.00pm Vigil

8.00am 9.00am **10.30am** 

10.30am 5.00pm

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

Recent Deaths: Bobby Carpenter,

Patricia Nancy Thomas, Judith Torpy, Jack Wynen,

#### **Anniversaries:**

Wanda Biala, Colin Birks, Millicent Chatham, David Grisinger, Mena Heagney, Vincent Mellington, Patrick O'Neil, Nellie Ross, Denis Sullivan,

## Please remember in your Prayers the following:

John Bond, Andrew Flood, Margaret Harty, Kathryn Orchard, Neil Reyes, Basil Torpy.

\*If you would like a person to be prayed for, ask for their permission. Names will be included for the duration of ONE MONTH after which more time can be requested.

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## Fr. Kevin's anniversary of ordination

Parishioners from St. James' and St. Aloysius are invited to celebrated Fr. Kevin's 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary of ordination. We will celebrate this occasion on Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> August, with 5pm Mass at St. Aloysius Church followed by supper in Ryan Hall. We ask if all parishioners could please bring a plate to share.

## Plenary Council Gathering

Notice of a gathering with Melbourne based "Catholics for Renewal" to discuss the 2020 Plenary Council called by the Catholic Bishops of Australia. Three members of the group will be in attendance. Sunday, July 29, 2018 at St Patrick's Cathedral Mackillop & Glowrey Rooms, Lyons Street, Ballarat from 1.30pm - 3.30pm. Parishioners of the Ballarat region and beyond are urged/encouraged to come to this important event.

## St. James' Parish Sebastopol

## **Opportunities for Prayer**

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

## Dates to Remember:

Sunday 15th July2.30pmGood Shepherd Community Prayer GroupMonday 16th July1pmParish Craft GroupTuesday 17th July9.30amCaring Group MeetingTuesday 17th July4pmSacramental Team MeetingWednesday 18th July7pmParent Meeting for Confirmation

Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> July 9am Men's Breakfast

Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> July

4pm
St. Vincent de Paul Society Meeting
Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> July

9.30am
Feast of St. James' School Mass

## 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

**St. James' Parish Office -** will be closed over the school holidays and will reopen on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> July. Fr. Kevin can be contacted at the Redan Presbytery on 53314981.

#### Sacrament of Confirmation

- This sacrament is offered to Grade 3 students or older (who have been baptised) and is the beginning of the program
- Parent meeting, Wednesday, July 18th at 7.00pm, St. James' Church Foyer
- Sunday dismissals, Sunday July 22<sup>nd</sup>, July 29<sup>th</sup>, August 5<sup>th</sup> & August 12<sup>th</sup> at 10.30am, St. James' Church
- Rehearsal date, St. James' Church, Friday August 17th at 10.15am
- Celebrated on Sunday 19th August, at 10.30am Mass, St. James' Church

## St. James' Celebrates 25th Anniversary of Family Groups

A combined celebration of our Feast Day and 25<sup>th</sup>Anniversary of Family Groups will be held on **Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> July** Morning tea in the Church foyer following 10.30am Mass and lunch at Sebastopol Bowling Club. Please place name on the list in the Church Foyer, Anne on 0408 170 885 or Parish Office 5336 1353 by Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> July. Invitation on foyer notice board. *Bring memories to share of great times and good friends*.

## St. James' Parish School Feast Day Mass

The Parish School will celebrate St. James' Feast Day on Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> July with Mass at 9.30am followed by morning tea. All welcome to attend.

## **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.

BUPA Aged Care - Prayer services at the BUPA Aged Care on Thursday 19th July at 10.30am. All welcome.

## BBI eConference: Synodality in Practice: Listening to the Spirit and Leading Change

The 14th National eConference will focus on engaging communities around Australia in a landmark discussion around the future vision and direction for the Catholic Church in this country. This eConference can be viewed at the Ballarat Cathedral Parish Mackillop & Glowrey Rooms on Wednesday, August 8, 2018 from 10.00am - 3.00pm.

All are welcome to attend. BYO lunch. For more information on the eConference go to <a href="https://www.bbi.catholic.edu.au/news-events/111/event/217/synodality-in-practice--listening-to-the-spirit-and-leading-change">https://www.bbi.catholic.edu.au/news-events/111/event/217/synodality-in-practice--listening-to-the-spirit-and-leading-change</a>

Safeguarding Officers: St. Aloysius: Bernadette Lynch St. James': Pauline O'Brien

## St. Aloysius Parish Redan

**Invitation to pray the Rosary -** Thursday morning 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.

Caring Circle – This group will meet on Wednesday 4th July at 1pm in Ryan Hall. New members welcome.

**St. Aloysius Parish Office -** will be closed over the school holidays and will reopen on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> July. Fr. Kevin Can be contacted at the Redan Presbytery on 53314981.

**Morning Tea after Thursday Mass** – Morning tea after Thursday morning Mass. The next gathering will be on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> July at 10am, followed by the Liturgy Team meeting. All welcome to attend.

## **Sacrament of Confirmation**

Children in Grade 3 or older who have been Baptised into the Catholic Church are invited to enrol in the parish Sacramental program. The parent information/enrolment meeting will be held on Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> July at either 10am or 7pm in Ryan Hall. If you have any queries regarding Sacraments please contact Bernadette at the Parish Office on 5335 9460

**ET BOXES** – Boxes will be available from this weekend, to be returned the last weekend of July and first weekend of August. Thank you for your continued generosity in making a difference in the lives of the East Timorese people.

## Roster July 21st / 22nd

Mass	Leader	Reader	Offertory	Sp Ministers	Welcomer	Projector	Counters	Cleaners
5pm	Bernadette Lynch	Kate Andrews	Norma McGuigan	Andy Naus Mary Poliness	Bernadette Lynch	Mary Poliness	Team 1 H Brasier T Kennedy	Team 1 C Quick M Czurlowski K Butler N Chapman
9am	Maria Van Ravenstein	Margot Burns	Bill Van Ravestein	Michael O'Meara Collen Orchard	John George	Donna Bryce		

Children's' Liturgy Val Dulfer

Volunteer mentors needed to make a difference in the life of a school child with refugee or asylum seeker

Mercy Works is currently recruiting volunteers to support students from a refugee/asylum seeker background in Ballarat Schools through their Mercy Connect Project. The project aims to provide mentoring for young people to optimize their literacy development, academic and social learning. Mercy Connect volunteers work with students during school hours and the volunteer commitment is for approximately three hours per week. Experience working in an educational setting is preferred but, you will receive on-going training and support. Initial training for new volunteers will be held in Third Term 2018. Obtaining a current Working with Children Check and Police Check is part of the Application Process. Contact Donna Stewart on 0417 624 330 or email: mercyconnectb@gmail.com

## Joy Spreading - Sam Clear special guest!

Sam Clear is the guest speaker at the next Joy Spreading event for young adults (18-30yo) on Friday 27 July 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. More info <a href="https://www.ballarat.catholic.org.au">www.ballarat.catholic.org.au</a> or 53377125.

## Joy+ Diocesan Youth Festivals!

Ballarat Diocese is holding 3 x day-long Festivals called Joy+ for youth and young adults 15-30yo. From the Murray to the Sea, in Robinvale on Sunday 5 August, in Warrnambool West on Sunday 2 September, in Ballarat on Sunday 25 November. 12.00 noon to 8.00pm. Come to one or more! Features Genevieve Bryant & band and special guests. Free event - registration necessary and now open <a href="www.trybooking.com/WHVU">www.trybooking.com/WHVU</a>. This is an initiative or the Year of Youth - Open New Horizons for Spreading Joy! More details check youth ministry web pages <a href="www.ballarat.catholic.org.au">www.ballarat.catholic.org.au</a> or email youth@ballarat.catholic.org.au