OUR COMMUNITY NEWS

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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

Mick Franc, Margaret O'Brien

Anniversaries

Jim Doyle, Pat Davies, Jean McManus, Belinda Horsley, Marie Huska(Franc), Bob Cockerell, Lynette Ford, Hugh Cushing, Beatrice Rogers, Gertrude Brennan

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: Sue Mahony Sept 15th: Gerrard Family

Prayers of the Faithful

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Assembly Leaders

15th September: Sue Mahony & Angela Gerrard

Special Minister

Today: Therese Jess 15th:September: Anne Beer

Music

15th: September: Naomi Gerrard

Church Cleaning, Linen & Flowers

1st – 8th September: Sue Mahony & Kim Truong 15th – 22nd September: Chandler Family

Church Grounds

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Newsletter:

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

Mass Times next Sunday:

SUNDAY 15th September LLA 10.00 am Beaufort Smythesdale 6.30 pm Saturday 6.30 pm Saturday Vigil 9.00 am Sunday Skipton

Weekday Mass Times:

No weekday masses in September

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

Parish Council AGM

Parish Council Annual General Meeting will be held Sunday 15th September The meeting will follow the 10.00am LLA All Welcome

Closing of St Joseph's Church Buangor

There will be no Mass in Beaufort on Sunday, September 22nd, instead Mass will be celebrated for the last time at the Buangor Church at 10.00 am prior to its closer.

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

100th Birthday Celebration.

Congratulations to Shelia Hunter on this amazing milestone. May your day be filled with lots of love, laughter and everlasting joy. Have a very happy and blessed 100th birthday. Flowers and a card have been given to Sheila for this special occasion.

CHILD PROTECTION SUNDAY TODAY SEPTEMBER 8TH This weekend, the Catholic Church in Australia marks Child Protection Sunday, on which we pray for those who have been abused, their families and supporters. We recognize the harm done by priests, religious and lay people in Church settings. We recommit to practices that support survivors and make the Catholic Church and its ministries the safest possible place for children and vulnerable adults. You can find out more about the Church's work in this area at www.catholic.org.au/responseandprevention

A PRAYER FOR STRONGER COMMUNTIES, SAFER CHILDREN We ask you, God, to strengthen and guide all in our Catholic communities. Grant us wisdom in our time to make decisions that protect children and the vulnerable.

May our families and communities, through love, generosity, commitment and patience, build stronger communities safe for children.

Let your grace and love fall gently upon our children giving them the inner strength, peace and resilience they will need for their life's journey.

We ask you, God, to help our Catholic communities to be resolute in building a community where our children flourish and are safe. Amen

Gospel Reflection:

I call you by your name, come, take up your cross and follow me.