

St. James Sebastopol & St. Aloysius Redan

Parish Priest: Fr Kevin Maloney, Ph: 5331 4981

Presbytery: 508 Leith St, Redan

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Sunday 5th July 2015

Next week's readings: Sunday 12th July 2015

15th Sunday of Ordinary Time (B)

Amos 7:12-15, Ps 84 (85):9-14

Ephesians 1:3-14

Mark 6:7-13

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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.

Last Weekend's Collections: Parish Sebastopol \$1,308.68 Redan \$2,587.00 (both include credit cards)
Presbytery Sebastopol \$380.68 Redan \$561.90

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Sunday, - July 5, 2015

Is a time where Catholics from all over Australia come together to celebrate and acknowledge the gifts that Indigenous people bring to the Catholic Church in Australia. It is also a time to reflect on our own relationships with Australia's first people.

Holy Father, God of Love Holy Father, God of Love, You are the Creator of this land and of all good things. Our hope is in you because you gave your son Jesus to reconcile the world to you. We pray for your strength and grace to forgive, accept and love one another, as you love us and forgive and accept us in the sacrifice of your son. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen (Prepared by Wontulp Bi – Buya Indigenous Theology Working Group)

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 2nd Thursday of the month at 7.00pm in the Redan Parish Centre, 506 Leith Street Redan. The next meeting will be on Thursday 9th July. For any enquiries please contact Bernadette or Pauline at either parish centre.

Damascus College Performing Arts presents Alfred Hitchcock's The 39 Steps

This year Damascus performing arts students are tackling a fast-paced, side-splitting comedy which mixes a juicy spy story with a dash of Monty Python to create a clever whodunit for anyone who loves the magic of theatre! Performances run from July 22 to 25 in the Valda Ward Auditorium at Damascus College. Adults \$15, students/children \$10, family of four \$40. Tickets can be purchased online through the Damascus website www.damascus.vic.edu.au

Disaster Relief in Nepal Fundraiser

Loreto College Ballarat are holding a fundraiser movie night for disaster relief in Nepal. The movie is "Paper Towns" on Friday, July 17, 2015 at 7.00pm at the Regent Cinemas Ballarat. Ticket prices are adults \$15.00 each, students/children \$10.00 each. To book contact Catherine Baker, ph. 5329 6137 or online at www.loreto.vic.edu.au/events

Liturgy Formation Sessions 2015

The Diocesan Liturgical Commission will be presenting Liturgy Formation sessions as follows: July 12 - Wendouree Parish (Mass at 10.00am); July 19 - Colac Parish (Mass at 11.00am); August 9 - East Warrnambool Parish (Mass at 10.30am). For more information and to register to attend one of these days, go to the diocesan website www.ballarat.catholic.org.au.

St. James' Parish Sebastopol

Monday 1.30 pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. Your presence is welcome.

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

Dates to Remember

Tuesday 7th July	9.30am	Caring Group Meeting
Thursday 9th July	7pm	Baptism Parent Information Meeting (Redan)
Sunday 12th July	2pm	Good Shepherd Servant Community Prayer Group
Monday 13th July	7pm	St. Vincent de Paul Society Meeting
Tuesday 14th July	4pm	Sacramental Team Meeting
Thursday 16th July	11.15am	Legion of Mary Prayers (St. Patrick's Cathedral)
Thursday 16th July	7pm	Parish Pastoral Team Meeting
Saturday 18th July	9am	Men's Breakfast

Singing practise is on the **1st Wednesday** of the month at 7pm.

Filipino Community

Rosary 2nd Wednesday of month at 7pm

Good Shepherd Servant Community Prayer Group 2nd & 4th Sunday of the month at 2pm

St. James' Parish Office will be closed from Sunday 5th July until Tuesday 14th July. Fr. Kevin can be contacted at the Redan Presbytery on phone number 5331 4981.

Sacrament of Baptism

This weekend, we welcome to our Parish through the Sacrament of Baptism, Rubi Lea Rosenow, daughter of Dylan and Tara and Makalee Faith Bromley, daughter of Shaun and Tracey. May they grow in faith in their loving families and the Catholic community.

St Vincent de Paul Winter Appeal

Our Parish Community is invited to take part by bringing good quality blankets, doonas, clothing and non-perishable food items to Mass over the coming weeks. Would you **please leave in the baskets provided in the foyer**. These items will be distributed to people in need in our local area. The Society has conducted their annual appeal for funds. **Please place your envelopes on the collection plate today.**

Plan Giving Envelope #138

The Parishioner with plan giving envelope #138 (monthly basis), please contact the Parish office on 53361353.

Sacrament of Confirmation

Families who wish to enrol children to celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation at St. James' (Children baptised Grade 3 upwards) are asked to attend the Parent Information Meeting which will be held on **Tuesday 21st July at 7pm** in the foyer.

St. James' Feast Day

Will be celebrated on Sunday 26th July with morning tea after Mass, followed by lunch (12 noon) at the Sebastopol Bowling Club. For booking purposes, please register on the sheets in the foyer.

Proposed new Catholic Primary School in Lucas

We encourage parents and the local community to attend our Community Consultation Evening where information will be provided for the proposed new Catholic primary school in Lucas. We welcome an open dialogue and invite questions in order to help create a nurturing school for our future students. Tuesday, July 21, 2015 from 7.00pm - 8.00pm at the Ballarat Golf Club. To register expressions of interest please visit our website: www.ceoballarat.catholic.edu.au or contact the Catholic Education Office Ballarat, ph. 03 5337 7135, or email cklain@ceoballarat.catholic.edu.au.

Fr Barry Ryan's Golden Jubilee of Priestly Ordination

Fr Barry Ryan will be celebrating his Golden Jubilee of Priestly Ordination at the St Columba's Parish Church on Sunday, July 19, 2015 at 10.00am Mass. A morning tea will be held in the St Columba's Parish School Hall (Howard Street) following Mass. All are most welcome

SIP - Lunch time conversation at the Midlands Golf Club, Heinz Lane, Ballarat North, on Wednesday, 8 July, from 12.00 noon till 2.00 pm. All welcome

St. Aloysius Parish Redan

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

Adoration and Exposition – 1st & 3rd Friday of the month, 7.00 pm – 8.00 pm.

Parish Pastoral Council

7.00pm Thursday July 16th in the Parish Centre

Children’s’ Liturgy – If anyone would like to join this team of supporting our young children in the Sunday Scripture please contact Bernadette at the parish office.

Parish Newsletter – Please collect our Mid-Year Parish Newsletter from the foyer or the side door of the church. If you know of someone who cannot get to Mass but would like a copy please take one to them.

Redan Office Closure - The Parish office will be closed from 22nd June - 13th July, for urgent matters please call Fr. Kevin on 5331 4981

Roster 11th/12th July

Mass	Leader	Reader	Offertory	Sp Ministers	Welcomer	Projector	Counters
6pm	M Coughlan	H Gibcus	N McGuigan	N Conroy A Braybrook	J George	E Fernandez	D Molloy M Sheen
9am	T Haintz	N Chapman	A Hirth & Family	B Baxter C Orchard	M Van Ravenstein	A Dulfer	
	Cleaners	C Quirk,	M Czurlowski	K Buttler	N Chapman		

Children’s’ Liturgy: School Holidays

Mass Times:		
Monday	12.05 am Cathedral	
Tuesday	9.30am Redan 12:05pm Cathedral	
Wednesday	9.30am Sebastopol 12:05pm Cathedral	
Thursday	9.30am Redan 12.05pm Cathedral	
Friday	9.30am Sebastopol 12.05pm Cathedral	
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 3rd Sunday at 10.30am		

Recent Deaths: Maria Copi, Pauline Devaney
Anniversaries: Gertrude Beckers, Mary Canny, Charlie Debono, Mary Forbes, Joy Goble, Christine Jones, Carmel Magee, Pat Monage,
Please remember in your Prayers the following: Norah Best, Margaret Cooper, Julie Delahenty, Joseph Graafmans, Mary Patricia Guinan, Paddy Kavanagh, Jim Maher, John O’Keeffe, Margaret Reed, Mary Skelton, Leonie Street, Sr. Tricia Vagg, Lynn Whiteley,
Sacrament of Reconciliation- Cathedral Friday 11.00 am, Saturday 11.30 am