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St. Andrew's Simpson
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Looking Forward in 2015: Workshop-style gatherings and members of Parish Pastoral Councils and Leadership teams are particularly invited. A session will be held in **Colac on Aug 25th** on Tuesday from 7.00 to 9.00 pm.

Looking Forward gathering

Several people attended the workshop in Warrnambool last week. "We were reminded that that the church, like other aspects of life, does not remain static .We were asked to project our ideas of what our parishes might look like in 5 years time and what action we will take to keep the faith alive".

Liturgy Workshops. Four workshops will be offered: Sunday Assembly of Word & Communion, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Music in the Liturgy and Scripture in the Liturgy.

Sunday August 9th at OLHC East Warrnambool. Register for the workshop on the Diocesan website: www.ballarat.catholic.org.au

August 8th: **Mary MacKillop** (1842 -1909), now known as **St Mary of the Cross MacKillop**, was an Australian woman of early Australian colonial times. On March 19, 1866 the Sisters of Saint Joseph of the Sacred Heart (Josephites) was founded.

Following recognition of the required miracles, she became Australia's first saint on October 17, 2010.

Renewed Planned Giving Program

The Finance Team is planning for a renewed program for the next three years beginning in October 2015. We are very grateful for the generous support parishioners and visitors have given in the past and look forward to this continuing. Brochures will be sent out later in August and there will be further information in the Bulletin.



Aug 16th: Announcement Sunday
Aug 30th: Fr Justin Driscoll Vicar General to say Mass
Sept 6th: Pledge Sunday.

Laudato Si': On the Care of Our Common Home

Pope Francis' Encyclical *Laudato Si': On the Care for Our Common Home* is a call for global action as well as an appeal for deep inner conversion.

He points to numerous ways world organisations, nations and communities must move forward and the way individuals -- believers and people of good will -- should see, think, feel and act.

"Slash pollutants and greenhouse gas emissions. Transition to cleaner and renewable energies and replace fossil fuels 'without delay'." Paragraphs 26, 165

The Parish of Timboon is a Parish with a Supervised Community Leadership. The Parish Leadership Team coordinates parish life and lay pastoral ministry supported by the Supervising Priest and the Visiting Priest.



Parish Leadership Team:
Moderator: Jean McMeel
Members: Marlene van Nieuwkerk, Katrina Currell, Gerard Vogels, Charles Martin and Pat Nicholson.
Parish Secretary: George Swierczek



PRAYER REQUESTS

Our sick: Bailey Delaney, Kade Ryan, Colleen Lewis, Ann Dodd, Pat Gaut, Terry McMeel, Nicky Simmonds, Greg Allan

August Anniversaries: Vin O'Connor, Ettie McKinnon, Mary Wintle, Mary Maslin

Recent Deaths: John Dwyer, Tom Delaney, Mary McDowall, Joan Densley. **Rest in peace.**

Ecumenical Church service: Timboon & District Healthcare Service, Wednesday August 5th at 10.30 am.

Centrecare: Paula Steen's home. August 6th, 10am. DVD, lunch & meeting.

The new issue of **Our Diocesan Community** is available in the church foyers

Bishop Connors will be celebrating Mass at Simpson and Timboon on the 16th August in Father Dan's absence (who will be on holiday).

Mass and Assembly of Word and Communion at St Andrew's Simpson 9:00 a.m. Sundays.

Timboon	Aug 2nd Mass 10.45am	Aug 8th 6pm Assembly of Word and Communion	August 16th Mass 10.45am
Leaders		J McMeel M van Nieuwkerk	
Welcome	A McMeel	F Evans	N McKinnon
Statue	N P Haugh	M van Nieuwkerk	B Delaney
Reader	A Denny	E O'Connor	K Currell
P.O.F.	R Hoffmann	P Steen	G Delaney
Gifts	R McMeel F Evans		A McKenzie D Denny
M of C	L McNerney G Delaney	L Tregua	M v Nieuwkerk J McMeel
1st Reading	Ex 16:2-4, 12-15	1 19:4-8Kings	Prov 9:1-6
2nd Reading	Eph: 5:17,20-24	Eph 4:30-5:2	Eph 5:15-20
Gospel	Jn 6: 24-35	Jn 6: 41-51	Jn 6:51-58
Church Cleaning	E O'Connor	E O'Connor	E O'Connor
Bulletin Roster	G Swierczek M Dillon	G Swierczek M Dillon	G Swierczek M Dillon