

The Parish Pump

The Weekly Bulletin for St John's, Dennington and St Pius X, West Warrnambool
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25 October 2015 **30th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Mission Sunday

Today is being commemorated as Mission Sunday. The annual collection for Catholic Mission will be taken up today. Thank you for your generous support.

Mission Week

St. Pius X school will be celebrating Mission Week starting Monday 2 - to Friday 6 November. The week is based around the scripture 'Matthew 25:34-40.' *'For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you invited me in. I needed clothes and you clothed me, I was sick and you looked after me, I was in prison and you came to visit me.'*

During that week all students will be involved in visiting organisations that care for those in need, including St John of God hospital, Mercy Place, Warrnambool and District Food Share, St Joseph's Soup Kitchen, Life Line, Lyndoch and St Vincent de Paul. Special guest speakers from Emmanuel College and the volunteer co-ordinator from City Council, will talk to students about their role in volunteering to help others.

Mission Week Mass

Mission week will conclude with a thanksgiving Mass at 10 a.m. on Friday 6 November. A special invitation is extended to all members of our parish who volunteer to help others in our community to attend and then join the school for a shared morning tea.

Prayer Cards In Church Foyer

The Australian Catholic Social Justice Council have devoted a prayer 'For those who've come across the seas'. Please take one to remember Them in your prayers.

Back to Illowa

St Columba's school will be holding an afternoon tea on Sunday 8 November from 1.30 p.m. to 4 p.m. at the Illowa Hall. Please bring along any memorabilia that can be shared on the day from you or your families school days at St Columba's or the Illowa State school. For more information contact: Wendy Lane Ph: 0428 328 881 or email: lanebros@bigpond.com

All Souls Day Masses

Monday 2 November is the Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed or All Souls Day. Mass that day will be at St Pius X at **7 a.m.** and 12:15 p.m. Father John Fitzgerald will offer the Mass of All Souls in the rotunda at the Warrnambool Cemetery at 5:30 p.m.

Anniversaries

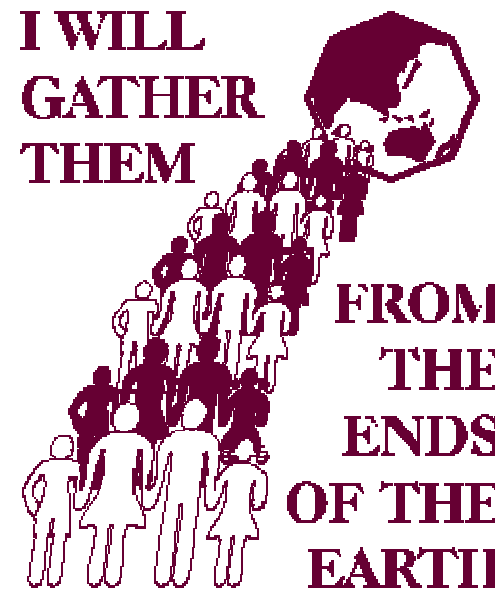
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Thank You For Giving

Parish: \$946.50
Presbytery: \$884.50

Parish Men's Weekends

menALIVE began by organising weekends for men in parishes - what better place to discover a supportive community of men than in your backyard? The experience of men gathering together at a menALIVE weekend is dynamic and powerful. Many men are inspired, encouraged and feel that they have a new sense of purpose and mission. menALIVE is a National Catholic Ministry for Men. The next weekend will be held at Our Lady Star of the Sea Primary School, Ocean Grove on November 28 & 29, 2015. For brochure and to register go to www.menalive.org.au



Mass Rosters Next Week

6 p.m. R.Farrar
10 a.m. J. Guinan

Readers

6 p.m. J. Farrar
10 a.m. L. Lane

Prayers of the Faithful

6 p.m. D. Pascoe
J. Dean
K. Johnson
Pauline Haberfield
J. Thornton
10 a.m. M. Healey
T. Patterson
M. Pickett
J. Belfrage
G. Hughson

Local Sunday Masses

Sat.	6 p.m.	St Pius X
	6 p.m.	OLHC
Sun.	8:30 a.m.	St Joseph's
	9 a.m.	OLHC
	10 a.m.	St Pius X
	10:30 a.m.	St Joseph's
	10:30 a.m.	Allansford (1st, 3rd & 5th: Mass)
	11 a.m.	Purnim (1st, 3rd & 5th lay-led)
	11 a.m.	Purnim (2nd & 4th Mass)
	6 p.m.	St Joseph's

Weekday Masses

Monday 26:	7:30 a.m.	St Pius X
Tuesday 27:	7:30 p.m.	St Pius X
Wednesday 28:	10 a.m.	Dennington
Thursday 29:	10 a.m.	Mercy Place
Friday 30:	9:15 a.m.	St Pius X
Saturday 31:	10 a.m.	St Pius X

Confessions

After Mass on Saturday mornings or when you can find Father Michael. No appointment necessary.