

The Parish Pump

The Weekly Bulletin for St John's, Dennington and St Pius X, West Warrnambool
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Ascension of the Lord

Mass Count Continues

The annual count of members of the congregation at Mass on Saturday evening and Sunday morning will continue again **this** weekend. This time, the information will be forwarded both to our Diocesan Office and to the National Office of the Australian Bishops' Conference. Instead of the familiar count over three weekends, we shall be tallying the numbers for the first four Sundays of May and the previous Saturday nights.

Senior Parishioners' Mass

The next Senior Parishioners' Mass will be at Mercy Place on Thursday 12 May at 10 a.m. It will be followed by morning tea. All welcome.

menALIVE Men's Weekend - Hamilton

The purpose of menALIVE is to bring men together, to renew their faith in God, and to encourage them to become an active force within the Church. St Mary's Parish Hamilton is hosting a menALIVE weekend on July 30 & 31, 2016. Flyer and registration forms available in the church foyer.

Mass for Bishop Mulkearns

Bishop Paul Bird invites priests and people to join him at St Patrick's Cathedral, Ballarat on Monday 16 May at 12:05 p.m. to celebrate a Memorial Mass for Bishop Ronald Mulkearns.

Catholic Social Justice Group

The Warrnambool Catholic Social Justice Group has been reformed to support the changes Pope Francis has introduced. These changes show that the original teachings of Jesus are still relevant to guide the social and political decisions we make in daily life. The group explores Jesus as our social leader and our political leader because, to him, the two are not separated.

Regardless of your age or skill level, you can play a part in this historic change. We provide five areas of activities to choose from, plus a course in nonviolent direct action. For more information phone Bob on 5562 3277 or 0499 319 071.



Anniversaries

Keith McFarlane

Thank You For Giving

Presbytery last week: \$788.20
Total Project Compassion: \$5222.90

Confirmation

In preparation for the Sacrament of Confirmation scrolls will be distributed today requesting the prayers of members of the congregation for the candidates.

Prayer for Christian Unity

There will be prayer for Christian Unity at Christ Church Anglican Church Koroit Street on Wednesday 18 May at 7 p.m. All welcome.

Mother's Day Concert

The Warrnambool Symphony Orchestra will present its 9th Annual Mothers Day Concert at St Joseph's Church today (Sunday) at 2.30 p.m. featuring guest conductor **Angus Christie** with vocal and instrumental solos. Tickets: \$25 adult, \$20 concession and \$50 family, available at the door.

St Pius X Bingo "Post Mother's Day"

Thursday 12 May

Total Pay Out

\$5000.00 ++

Jackpots

\$2000.00 x 1

\$1000.00 x 1

\$500.00 x 1

\$200.00 x 1

\$50.00 x 26

Tickets only \$10.00 for 30 Games

+ \$2.00 for Big Bucks

Eyes down 8.00 pm

Place: St Pius X Hall Morriss Rd,
Warrnambool

Doors open: 6 p.m.

Enquiries: Lorraine Ph:0407329793

If sufficient tickets sold.

Mass Rosters Next Week Readers

6 p.m. J. Farrar
10 a.m. C. Hughson

Prayers of the Faithful

6 p.m. R. Farrar
10 a.m. K. Harzmeyer

Ministers of Communion

6 p.m. J. Dean
K. Johnson
J. Garner
J. Thornton
C. Murrhly
10 a.m. F. Garvey
A. Mills
B. Ermacora
S. Malone
M. Healey

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 9:	7:30 a.m.	St Pius X
Tuesday 10:	7:30 p.m.	St Pius X
Wednesday 11:	10 a.m.	Dennington
Thursday 12:	10 a.m.	Mercy Place
Friday 13:	9:15 a.m.	St Pius X
Saturday 14:	10 a.m.	St Pius X

Confessions

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