

The Parish Pump

The Weekly Bulletin for St John's, Dennington and St Pius X, West Warrnambool
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Mass Count Concludes

The annual count of members of the congregation at Mass on Saturday evening and Sunday morning will conclude this weekend.

Bishops' Statement on Election

The Australian Catholic Bishops Conference has released a statement regarding the upcoming federal election, "Voice for the Voiceless: A Statement by the Catholic Bishops of Australia on the Election" dated 16 May 2016. Further information, including a prayer for the election, is available from the ACBC website www.catholic.org.au

Catholic Education Week Masses

To celebrate Catholic Education Week there will be Mass here at St Pius X on Wednesday 25 May at 4.15 p.m. with Staff from local schools. Also on Friday May 27 at 9.15 a.m. Mass will be celebrated with students of St John's Dennington and St Pius X Schools. In this Jubilee Year of Mercy the theme for the Mass will be *The Face of Mercy*. The usual Masses on Wednesday and Friday will not go ahead.

National Reconciliation Week: 'Our History, Our Story, Our Future'

The week of 27 May – 3 June is a time for all Australians to learn about our shared histories, cultures and achievements and to explore how each of us can join the national reconciliation effort. See the Reconciliation Australia website for more information www.reconciliation.org.au/nrw/

Employment Opportunity

Saint John of God Hospital is currently seeking a **Director of Mission** to support the Chief Executive Officer and executive team to ensure the hospital services remain faithful to the Vision, Mission and Values of St John of God Health Care. This is a part time position of 48 hours per fortnight.

The role provides leadership in shaping the culture of the hospital and is pivotal in establishing relationships and keeping the local hospital connected to its diverse communities.

Personal qualities will be of prime importance. The role will be filled by a person who is enthused by the healing mission of Jesus Christ with appropriate spiritual and human qualities that they can bring to the challenges of a contemporary Catholic not-for-profit organisation. You will also display a record of achievement as a collaborative leader, involving change management in a complex and challenging environment. Details can be obtained from Anne Maree Mugavin on 55640603 or www.sjog.org.au/careers

Anniversaries

Millie Mahony

Thank You For Giving

Presbytery last week: \$1175.00

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.



*'Wisdom was born before
the earth was made'*

Mass Rosters Next Week Readers

6 p.m. J. O'Keefe
10 a.m. K. Prendergast

Prayers of the Faithful

6 p.m. O. O'Keefe
10 a.m. I. Stewart

Ministers of Communion

6 p.m. N. Stapleton
J. Dean
K. Johnson
Pauline Haberfield
D. Pasco
10 a.m. M. McFarlane
B. Hogan
L. McElgunn
P. McElgunn
M. Murphy

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 23:	7:30 a.m.	St Pius X
Tuesday 24:	7:30 p.m.	St Pius X
Wednesday 25:	4:15 p.m.	St Pius X
Thursday 26:	10 a.m.	Mercy Place
Friday 27:	11:30 a.m.	St Pius X
Saturday 28:	10 a.m.	St Pius X

Confessions

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