

St. James' Sebastopol & St. Aloysius Redan

Parish Priest: Fr Kevin Maloney, Ph: 5331 4981

Presbytery: 508 Leith St, Redan

Body & Blood of Christ - Sunday 29th May 2016

Next week's readings: Sunday 5th June 2016

10th Sunday in Ordinary Time (C)

1 Kings 17:17-24

Ps 29(30):2, 4-6, 11-13

Galatians 1:11-19

Luke 7:11-17

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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 \$934.83	Redan \$2,260.00	(includes credit cards)
	Presbytery	Sebastopol \$246.40	Redan \$533.00	

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 June 2016**. For any enquiries please contact Bernadette or Pauline at either parish centre.

Mass Times;

Tuesday	NO MASS Redan 12:05pm Cathedral
Wednesday	9.30am Sebastopol 12:05pm Cathedral
Thursday	9.30am Redan 12:05pm Cathedral
Friday	9.30am Prayer Service Sebastopol 12:05pm Cathedral

Sacrament of Penance

Cathedral Friday 11.00am Saturday 11.30 am

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: Loyola McKenzie, Michael John Myers, Stanley Alfred Russell,

Anniversaries:

Jean Connellan, Callan-Ann Curran, Angus Forbes, Malachi Keighery, Frank Mizzi, Evie Nestor, Eileen Norden, Mary (Molly) O'Neil, Gerard Phillips, Addie Sanderson, Frank Saunders, Colleen Sheehan, Ramon Teope, Nonie Thyne, Irvine Wilkie, Ian Welsh,

Please remember in your Prayers the following:

Maria Bessems, Norah Best, Julie Delahenty, Joseph Graafmans, Mary Patricia Guinan, Jim Maher, Frank Nolan, John O'Keeffe, Mary Skelton, Leonie Street, Jenny Tan, Connie Vincent, Lynn Whiteley

National Reconciliation Week 2016: 'Our History, Our Story, Our Future'

The week of May 27 – June 3 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/

St. James' Parish Sebastopol

Opportunities for Prayer

Monday 10.30am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament including Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Your presence is welcome.

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

Dates to Remember

Thursday 2nd June	10am	Mercy International Reflective Process Meeting
Sunday 5th June	2.30pm	Good Shepherd Servant Community Prayer Group
Monday 13th June	7pm	St. Vincent de Paul Society Meeting
Thursday 16th June	7pm	Parish Pastoral Team Meeting
Saturday 18th June	9am	Men's Breakfast

Filipino Community

Rosary 2nd Wednesday of month at 7pm
Good Shepherd Servant Community Prayer Group 1st & 3rd Sunday of the month at 2.30pm

First Eucharist (Holy Communion)

Today, we welcome the following children and their families who are with us for the celebration of their First Eucharist at Mass: Tyson Aslanidis, Zac Cripps, Kai Davie, Scarlett Davie, Lily Davis, Dakota Fenyk, Ashton McLellan, Charlotte McLellan, Fraser Sutton, Grace Tabone, Amber Tatti and Jasmine Tuck.

Thank you to the members of our Parish Sacramental Team who have coordinated this preparation – Narelle Cox, Jan Schaper, Dolly Seery and Marie Young.

Morning tea will be held in the foyer after Mass. Everyone is welcome to join us.

St. Vincent de Paul Society Winter Appeal 3 – 5 June 2016 (Feast of the Sacred Heart)

Our Parish is invited to donate non-perishable food items, clothing and blankets to the Winter Appeal. Would you please leave in the baskets provided in the foyer. These items will be distributed to people in need in our local area. On Sunday 5 June, the Society will conduct their annual appeal for funds. Envelopes are now available on the pews and all donations will be greatly appreciated.

Many Thanks

Grace van Gaans would like to thank everyone for all your prayers and support. Grace is now in good health.

Ministry Rosters

are now available in the foyer after Mass. Would you please collect. Thank you.

Prayer after Communion

God, my creator, breathe on me, renew me, refresh me, extend my abilities, comfort me in adjusting to changes in health, mobility and activity. Body of Jesus Christ flow through every fibre of my being. Keep me well, and hope filled, always. Holy Spirit use me in my situation, for the good of others. Amen.

Mercy Connect Ballarat – Supporting refugee students in local schools - Volunteer mentors needed.

Mercy Works is currently recruiting volunteers to support refugee students in Ballarat Schools through their Mercy Connect Project. The volunteer commitment is for approximately three hours per week for four school terms. Experience working in an educational setting is preferred, but you will receive ongoing training and support. Initial training for new volunteers will be held in June 2016. Contact Paulene Barton - Mercy Connect Project Coordinator on 0417 624 330 or email: mercyconnectb@gmail.com for information and application form. Applications close on June 7, 2016.

The Jeduthun Concert – The Singing Boholano Priests

“With Love and Faith” in honour of Saint Pedro Calungsod, the second saint of the Philippines. Sunday 19 June at 3pm in the St. James' Parish School Hall. Supported by Filipino Catholic Chaplaincy Melbourne, Filipino Community Council in Victoria Inc. & the Filipino/Australian Association of Ballarat Inc. Inquiries: Sherly 0417 331 756, Linda 0411 692 967, Susan 0422 679 085 or Ness 0404 240 954

Ballarat Annual Choral Festival

To be held on Sunday May 29th at St Patrick's Cathedral Ballarat, at 1.30pm with choirs (including two from the Cathedral Parish) from across the Ballarat region, no cost involved, 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.

First Eucharist (Holy Communion)

This weekend we welcome the following children who are celebrating the Sacrament of Eucharist. Jasmine Bilston, Maddison Cahill, Toby Cahill, Lillian D'Arcy, Tristan Earle, Isaac Ferrari, Mia Gartside, Kalan Grant, Matthew Hanrahan, Thomas Hoare, Eden James, Hannah Keddie, Emma Kelly, Jake Klein, Campbell Lloyd, Samuel McDonald, Brooke McKenna, Freyja Niehus, Katelyn Ritchie, Patrick Ritchie, Breanna Smith, Jonisha Tapera, Abbey Townsend, Ned Yeoman, Chloe, Everett, Gabriel Galias, Zara Govan, Sandy Healy, Kiir Manyiel, Sophia Sheppard, McKenzie Marin.

Please keep these children and their families in your prayers.

ET boxes They can be returned this weekend or next weekend at St Aloysius church, thank you for your support.

Caring Circle – This group will meet Wednesday June 1st at 1pm in the Parish Centre. New members welcome

Family Groups

- This year marks the 25th Anniversary of the introduction of Family Groups to the Parish. To mark the occasion the Family Groups will host a meal after the 6.00pm Mass (Saturday 13th August 2016) in Ryan Hall. All parishioners are invited to the event. Further notice closer to the event.
- The coordinators for the Parish Family Groups are Mary Poliness & Kate Andrews
- Family group members are invited to a formation weekend on June 9 & 10 at Holy Cross Centre, 207 Serpells Rd Templestowe 3106. \$25 covers all meals and accommodation. Further enquiries: pfgm.victas@gmail.com or 03 9846 5094

Roster 4th/5th June

Mass	Leader	Reader	Offertory	Sp Ministers	Welcomer	Projector	Counters	Cleaners
6pm	B Martin	J Burge	N McGuigan	A Braybrook N Conroy	J George	M Poliness	M Hayes T De Natris	V Dulfer L Spencer
9am	V Dulfer	M Ross	M Cushing & Family	M Czurlowski M O'Meara	C Densley	A Dulfer		B Martin C Densley

Children's Liturgy: NO CHILDREN'S LITURGY Sunday 5th June due to First Eucharist celebrations

ACBC Statement re Federal Election

The Australian Catholic Bishops Conference have 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 (attached). Further information, including a prayer for the election, is available from the ACBC website

www.catholic.org.au

OLHC Parish Wendouree – Parish Coordinator Vacancy

OLHC Parish Wendouree invites applications for the part-time position of Parish Coordinator (12 hours per week). A role description and application form can be accessed from the diocesan website

<http://www.ballarat.catholic.org.au/> search Employment or Wendouree Parish.

ASYLUM SEEKER FUNDRAISER - ANNUAL SOUP LUNCHEON - JUNE 22, 2016

Please come along and hear how former child soldier from South Sudan, Isaac Moses, a Ballarat resident has risen from the trauma of war and displacement, to become an Australian citizen and student of Social Work at Federation University. Wednesday June 22nd, at 12.30, Nazareth House Hall, Mill Street, Ballarat. Entry \$20 Conc. \$15. Cake stall and competitions. All welcome - especially children. Inquiries - Carmel -53322103/0401175045 - annekav123@yahoo.co.uk http://www.parramattamercy.org.au/images/logos/how_logo.jpg

Walk-4-One Lunch

St Michael's Parish, Bungaree presents "Walk-4-One" lunch with guest speaker, Sam Clear, on Sunday, June 19, 2016. Sam, a young Tasmanian, pledged himself to a mission: he would walk around the world in an effort to urge and inspire all Christians to unite. Tickets available from Amanda Elliott ph. 0427 713064 or

amanda@rumerz.com.au.

