

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday: 9.30am
Tuesday: 9.30am
Wednesday: 9.30am
Thursday: 5.30pm
Friday: 9.30am
Saturday: 9.30am

RECENT DEATH:

ANNIVERSARIES: Sharyn Aron, Frs Laurie Gallagher, Michael Grady, Brendan Smith

SICK: Joe Mammone, Henry Chung, Barry Pollock, Bev Antonie, Judy Hunt, Kerrie Crosbie, Paul Cavallaro, Joy Kirby, Cos Pezzaniti, Vittoria Pezzaniti

PARISH RECEIPTS

PRESBYTERY: \$228.60
SACRIFICIAL GIVING: \$361.75
TRADING TABLE: \$152.00

Upcoming Events

Friday 3 June: Feast of the Sacred Heart, mass 9.30am.

Monday 20th June: Red Cliffs Aged Care Mass at 2pm. All welcome

Friday 24 June: St Joseph's Primary School Mass for the Poor at 11.30am.

Sunday 31 July: Parish AGM



ST JOSEPH'S RED CLIFFS (St Joseph the Worker)

NEWSHEET 2016: No. 22
Presbytery: 5024 1966
Carmel Russo: 5021 2872
Marianna Cavallaro: 5025 7473

National Reconciliation Week May 27 to June 3

This year's theme 'Our History, Our Story, Our Future' focuses on historical acceptance and reflects on the fact that the journey to reconciliation forms a significant part of Australia's history so it is important that we keep reconciliation in our thoughts as we move forward as a nation. Youth Off The Streets has continually taken an active approach when responding to the needs of our Aboriginal communities, particularly the young people. Our approach has always been about identifying gaps in services available to Aboriginal youth, and establishing the support services that fulfil their needs so we can build a better future for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Australians.

Unfortunately, the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander population still suffer from a lower life expectancy, lower rates of literacy and general health and are over-represented in the justice system when compared to the non-indigenous population. We are trying to close this gap by working in partnership with Aboriginal Elders, local service providers, government departments and community members.

The aim is to have continual and lasting improvement in outcomes for the young people, families and communities involved. This holistic approach ensures that we equip members of the community with the tools to create positive change. We don't want to see Aboriginal young people over represented at our services any longer. We want them to be equal and have every chance at success. There are two clear ways to do this:

Help Aboriginal young people connect with their culture and country and to get everyday Australians involved in Aboriginal issues. Our vision is for all communities to work within a spirit of co-operation; accepting diversity, acknowledging strengths and supporting each other. It's now up to everyone to come together and continue to work for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander equality. Committing extra resources to closing the gap as well as coming together as a nation to recognise a group of people is an achievable goal for next year's National Reconciliation Week.

Father Chris Riley, Chief Executive Officer and Founder at Youth Off The Streets

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS: 5th June, 2016
10th Sunday in Ordinary Time / Year C

First Reading: 1 Kings 17:17-24
Resp Psalm: Ps 29:2, 4-6, 11-13. R. v. 2
Response: I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me.
Second Reading: Gal 1:11-19
Gospel: Lk 7:11-17

FR FLAGS' BOOK ON THE MASS

Fr Flags' book 'Just What is Sacrifice?' costs \$12.95

There is a form for you to sign on the marble slab in the foyer if you want a copy.

They will become available at the Piety Stall in due course. Any profits will go to Vinnies.
Fr Flags

PROJECT COMPASSION

You will find your taxation receipts for project compassion on the marble slab in the foyer.



BAPTISM

We welcome into our Parish Community, Ivy Maria PENGELLY daughter of Travis and Josie whose Baptism

occurs this weekend.



VINNIES

Envelopes to provide cash support for Vinnies' Winter appeal are available. You can return them on the collection plate, or just hand them in at the piety stall.



MASSES NEXT SUNDAY

RED CLIFFS: 10.00 am
(Irymple: 8.30 am)
(Mildura: Sat. 6.00 pm Sun. 5.00 pm)

Priest in Residence: *Fr Patrick Flanagan*

Our Parish School

St Joseph's Primary School
Principal: *Mark Gibson* 5024 1654

ROSTERS FOR THIS WEEKEND

Sunday, 29th May, 2016

CHURCH CLEANING: Volunteers

COUNT TEAM: K Castle & P Roy

LEADER: C Russo

READER 1: A Higham

READER 2: P Hunt

LAY MINISTERS: M Divola, M Dominelli
D Eagle

OFFERTORY: L Bugno

ALTAR SERVERS: Sebastian Morello,

Madeleine & Gabriella Strangio, Maddison Follett, Elektra Papanicolaou

MUSIC: Guitar

FLOWERS: Rita Chase

CHILDRENS LITURGY: J Divola

ROSTERS FOR NEXT WEEKEND

Sunday, 5th June, 2016

CHURCH CLEANING: Volunteers

COUNT TEAM: P & N Hunt

LEADER: J Vines

READER 1: J Lewis

READER 2: C Markham

LAY MINISTERS: L Funaki, M Gibson,
A Higham

OFFERTORY: C Cavallaro

ALTAR SERVERS: Thomas Dowling,
Jacquelyn Bell, Jamieson Howard, Bethany Williams, Amber Foster

MUSIC: Guitar

FLOWERS: Volunteers

CHILDRENS LITURGY: K Hawkes

REMINDER

Within the coming month the two trees that have been treated for white ants will be removed.