



Sacred Heart Parish Mildura

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Office Hours: Tues—Fri 9am—4pm

**Our Lady of Lourdes
Werrimull**

**St. Francis Xavier
Elms Street, Irymple**

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time / Year C - 2nd & 3rd July 2016

Weekend Mass Times

Sat: 6:00 pm

Sun: 9:00 am, 5:00 pm

Irymple: 8:30 am

Werrimull 11:00 am (last Sunday of each month)



Weekday Masses

*If there is a Funeral Mass on Wed, Thurs,
the advertised Mass will be cancelled.*

Tues: 7:00 pm Wed: 9:10 am

Thurs: 9:30 am Fri: 5:40 pm

Sat: 9:30 am

Weekly Prayer Opportunities

Rosary: Monday 5:00pm

Prayer of the Church: Tues/Wed/Thurs/Fri. 8:40 am

Scripture Reading: Thurs 10:30 am - 20 Beasy Court

Christian Meditation: Sat 11:30 am Parish Prayer Room

Charismatic Prayer Group: Tues 7:30pm in Church

Devotion Prayer and Exposition: Fri 3:00pm

Reconciliation: Saturday 10:00am

RECENT DEATH:

ANNIVERSARIES: Harry Kerr

Sunday 9am: Mick Hogan (One year anniversary), Vincenzo, Carmela & Peter Manno, Vincenzo & Carmela Cirillo

Sunday 5pm: Caterina Cirillo (one year anniversary), Barry Parfrey

(Only members of the deceased's immediate family are permitted to arrange anniversary Masses.)



PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK:

If you want a sick person prayed for, ask for their permission. Names will be included for the duration of one month after which family or friends can request more time.

Lourdes Stanislaus (Fr Neville's mother), Joan Appleby, Ron Morello, Monica Crimmins, Daniel Ralli, Dan Rodan, John Devilee, Ethan Neyland, Georgie Manning, Dorothy Norris, Eileen Flanner, Fr Denis Dennehy, Eli Madden-Andrews, Kel Townsend, Vince Alicastro, Sid Robinson, Judy Hunt, Teresa Panuccio, Geraldine Brunner, Hailey Crossan, Siliako Lolesio

GOSPEL REFLECTION

A crisis can function as the catalyst for restoring right order and relationship and for the development of new initiatives. Half a century ago, the Second Vatican Council reminded us that the Church is first and foremost the People of God and the Body of Christ, and not primarily a hierarchical institution. While there is little doubt that this is the time of the laity in the Church, it has taken a drastic reduction in the numbers of clergy and religious for lay Catholic women and men to recognise that they are called, by virtue of their baptism, to much more prominent roles in the life and mission of the church. The so-called "crisis of numbers" is also leading many priests and religious to rediscover the heart of their respective calls to leadership and prophetic challenge. Prior to Vatican II, theological and biblical education was largely the preserve of the clergy. That has changed and will need to change even more dramatically if lay women and men are to be properly resourced to take their rightful place in the Church. Instead of bemoaning the crisis and looking for interim measures to "fill the gaps", we might look for signs of the Spirit at work in leading us into new ways of being Church.



In today's gospel, we hear that Jesus chooses "seventy others" and sends them out in pairs. Thirty-five couples or "pairs" constitute a formidable resource for the mission. They are authorized to be bringers of peace and healing, proclaimers of God's kin-dom. They are to travel light and accept the hospitality offered them. Given the presence of women in the inner circle of Jesus' followers (Luke 8:1-3), it is likely that at least some of these pairs were married couples. Further support for this comes from Luke's second volume, the Acts of the Apostles, which features a married couple, Priscilla and Aquila, as prominent itinerant missionary associates of Paul. They are Jewish refugees who find a home in Corinth in the aftermath of Claudius' expulsion of the Jews from Rome. They are well established in Corinth as tent makers and offer hospitality to Paul when he comes to Corinth. When Paul leaves for Syria, they accompany him as far as Ephesus. In Ephesus, Priscilla is presented as a confident woman theologian who takes the initiative in calling aside the eloquent and well-educated Jewish teacher, Apollos of Alexandria, who has an "accurate" but "incomplete" knowledge of Jesus.

In our communities, there are faith-filled, talented, and courageous couples like Priscilla and Aquila, as well as countless single lay women and men, who are willing to commit their talents and personal resources for the sake of the mission. They need the authorization of the present leadership and the unfailing support of the local communities.

Veronica Lawson rsm

SACRAMENTAL LIFE & LITURGY

WEDDINGS

We congratulate Vince Fotia & Bionda Romeo who were married this weekend.



EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Two Eucharistic ministers are needed for Saturday 6pm Mass on a rostered basis. New Eucharistic Ministers are most welcome and training will be provided. Please contact the Parish Office on 5021 2872 during Office hours.

VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED

The Parish is in need of volunteers who can help out in the following areas:

- **Baptism Preparation**—4th Wednesday of each month—on a rostered basis.
- **Baptism Sponsors**—2nd & 4th weekend of each month—on a rostered basis.

Volunteering strengthens our Parish Community and helps lessen the workload on those who are currently helping out. It is a rewarding and engaging experience. Training WILL be provided. Please contact the Parish Office on 5021 2872 for further information.



FIRST EUCHARIST 2016

Congratulations to Chantelle Brank who will receive the Eucharist for the first time this weekend. Also to Chantelle's parents and family who have accompanied him throughout his preparation for this Sacrament. As we know, the Eucharist is not a "one off sacrament". The invitation of Jesus is to be present each Sunday as the Community gathers to celebrate and His ongoing presence amongst us, and to be continually nourished with His life through our communion with Him in the Eucharist.

Many of our senior parishioners complain about how cold the church is especially on a Sunday morning. During the months of July and August the Monaghan Centre will be available with chairs, T.V screen and heating. We would be grateful if volunteers were available to set up the Monaghan Centre before Mass, and make sure it is returned to normal after each 9am Mass.

PARISH FINANCE

Last week's collections

1st Collection (support of Priests & Presbytery)	\$1130.55
2nd Collection (includes DD, CC & EFT)	\$3076.30
Loose Plate	\$ 484.75

ANNUAL COLLECTION FOR THE POPE

Once again the Annual Collection for the Holy Father is to be taken up in this Parish this weekend. Through this collection we have the opportunity of supporting the Pope's pastoral care for people around the world.

COMMUNITY LIFE & OUTREACH

ANOINTING MASS

Will be held on Thursday 7th July at 9.30am. All welcome.

We welcome Fr Ted McCormack who will be in residence while Fr Michael is on leave.

WHO AM I?

Jesus asked me to look after his mother. Who am I commonly supposed to be in the Christian tradition?

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| A. St Andrew | D. St Mark |
| B. St John | E. St Joseph |
| C. St Peter | F. None of the above |

ELECTRICIAL EQUIPMENT

During the last couple of weeks all of our electrical equipment has been Tag Tested in the Church, Monaghan Centre, Fleming Room and Parish Office. All faulty cords and equipment have been removed. Please do not bring in your own electrical equipment unless it has been tag tested by an authorised electrician.



ABORIGINAL & TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER SUNDAY – JULY 3, 2016

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Sunday is a day where the Catholic Church comes together to acknowledge and celebrate the gifts that Australia's first people bring to the Catholic Church. NATSICC produces a resource kit every year to assist parishes, schools and other organisations to celebrate the day. Visit the NATSICC website.

BUS TRIP TO WERRIMULL

Sacred Heart Parish next bus trip to Werrimull will be held on Sunday 31st July with Mass starting at 11am followed by a counter lunch at the pub. Please contact the Sacred Heart Parish Office to make a booking on 5021 2872.



ADVANCE NOTICE

A memorial Mass will be held for Isabel & Prof. George Russell on Sunday, 31st July at Our Lady of Lourdes church, Werrimull at 11am. All welcome.

COURAGE CONFERENCE

Courage is an international apostolate of the Catholic Church, which ministers to persons with same-sex attraction. The five goals of Courage are Chastity, Prayer and Dedication, Fellowship, Support and Good Example. Each year, Courage holds a National Conference. This year the Conference will be in sunny Brisbane in August. For further inquiries and registrations contact bharwood@bne.catholic.net. Rev Fr Bob Harwood, Brisbane Courage Chaplain.

FR DAMIANS RANDOM THOUGHTS

Fr. Damian is certainly happy for the assistance of Fr Ted McCormak so he googled the Missionaries of the Sacred Heart website to understand a bit more of the spirituality for this order. This section below is taken from <http://www.misacor.org.au> on an aspect called Heart Spirituality

In our Christ Centred and incarnational spirituality, God in Jesus loves us with a human heart.

Some of the pointers below indicate some of the vision for Heart Spirituality.

Our spirituality is grounded in the belief of God's love for us; the heart of Jesus is the Heart of God.

An incarnational spirituality, it is lived out in our relation with others, in our daily activities and in how we carry out our mission. It is creation oriented spirituality – a cosmic spirituality.

On behalf of creation we are called to worship. This orientation should develop in us sacredness for all things.

It includes a journey into our own heart. We go down to the depths of our hearts where we encounter our deepest needs and yearnings, and in encountering and experiencing God's personal love for us, are moved to share with all the love we have experienced.

It is a socially concerned spirituality which can heal the wounds of the world. In our spirituality we find a remedy to cure our world's ills. Our presence and the way we carry our mission without limits is a force in the world.

It is a missionary spirituality that is without limits – everywhere- at every level of society. Religious, diocesan priests and laity are called to share this spirituality. The laity are indispensable to carry our spirituality of the heart.

It is lived together with Our Lady of the Sacred, the first missionary of his heart. With Mary who stood with Jesus at the foot of the cross we also stand.

Our spirituality is a whole way of life guided by the Spirit. It is a comprehensive way of living.

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HOW DO YOU THINK OF OTHERS?

There is a focus within the understanding of the human person from a Catholic point of view that each person has innate dignity. Is this how you think of those around you? It is easy to love those who love you, but what about those who are different from you? Reflect on your experiences of working with individuals whose values are in conflict with your own or individuals who have had very different life experiences than your own. How do these differences influence your thoughts, actions, and reactions? As you go through the course of your day, look for opportunities to apply the Catholic-Christian vision of the human person to those with whom you engage. Notice how this perspective influences, or alters, your experiences with those individuals.



PERSONAL PLAN FOR SELF-DISCOVERY

Self-reflection is essential for promoting growth and flourishing. Have you ever attempted keeping a journal. Maybe you would like to start, here are some take to heart questions for your journey to begin your reflection, contemplate these questions in relation to aspects of your life. Building on your private journey responses over time you will be able to see areas for growth and assist in reflection of areas of your life for flourishing. Writing the personal journal entries will help you engage in the self-reflection that may help you come to a deeper awareness of yourself, God and others.

Take some time to reflect on the following questions and capture your thoughts in your personal journal.

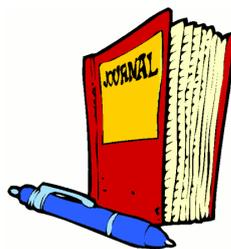
What are my views on the innate character of humans? Do I see them primarily in a positive light or as largely flawed, sinful beings? How does this impact my relationships?

How does my relationship with God affect my everyday life and decisions?

What is a recent experience where I have felt His influence in directing my actions and decisions?

What do I need to do to strengthen this relationship?

How would this impact my ability to effectively reach others?



CATHOLICISM SERIES BISHOP ROBERT BARRON DVD

Episode 1 – Amazed and Afraid: The Revelation of God Become Man

The strange and dangerous words of Jesus of Nazareth set up a drama that will culminate in a surprising battle between two kings, and in the wake of this conflict, an empire will be defeated – and the world will be changed. Bishop Robert Barron illuminates and explains the conviction of the Catholic Faith that Jesus of Nazareth is the promised Messiah, and the revelation of God become man. He shows how Jesus fulfils the four tasks of the Messiah, according to the Old and New Testaments, and how the living legacy of Christ, God and Messiah, is proclaimed by the Church. Join Bishop Barron as he addresses some of the most controversial questions about the life and identity of Jesus Christ and travels the mysterious and sacred places of the Holy Land of Israel and the eternal city of Rome.

Episode 1 will be screened in the Monaghan Centre on Wednesday 6 July after the 9.10am Mass.



Our Parish Vision
**“Our Parish is a Eucharistic Community united by
 our faith in Jesus Christ.**
*We work together in the power of the Holy Spirit to
 spread the good news of God’s
 Kingdom.”*



Our Parish Schools

Sacred Heart Primary School
 Principal: *Des Lowry* 5023 1204

St Paul’s Primary School
 Principal: *Vince Muscatello* 5023 4567

St Joseph’s Secondary College
 Principal: *Marg Blythman* 5018 8000

2nd & 3rd July, 2016

THIS WEEK’S READINGS

First Reading: Isa 66:10-14
Resp Psalm: Ps 65:1-7, 16, 20. R. v. 1
Response: Let all the earth cry out to God with Joy.
Second Reading: Gal 6:14-18
Gospel: Lk 10:1-12, 17-20

EUCHARIST MINISTERS

SATURDAY

SUNDAY

6PM

9AM

5PM

6 Ministers required

7 Ministers required

6 Ministers required

Leo Kearney

Narie Lewis

Katrina Groves

Margaret Sheahan

Renata Byra

Judy Hall

Irene Morello

Kapeli Mapapalangi

Myrna Rodi

Katy Quinlan

Sonia Opie

Sue Hermans

Taiana Fatai

Philip Opie

Danielle Mazzini

Volunteer please

Catherine McErvale

Nisa Abraham

Elvira Mazza

MUSIC

Sacred Heart Group

Italian Choir

Youth Group

Leader

N Armsden

M Faingaanuku

9th & 10th July, 2016

NEXT WEEK’S READINGS

First Reading: Deut 30:10-14
Resp Psalm: Ps 68:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36-37. R. cf. v. 33
Response: Turn to the Lord in your need, and you will live.
Second Reading: Col 1:15-20
Gospel: Lk 10:25-37

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5PM

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Trish McNamara

Jill Joslyn

Greg Johnston

Morris Henderson

Lisa Cirillo

Sandra Walker

Ellen Frauenfelder

Katalina Mafi

Mario Zema

Maria Cirillo

Aloisia Mafi

Josie Zema

Anne-Maree Greville

Jean Rocca

Trish Cirillo

Volunteer Please

Bobby Castello

Jeena Jose

Ross Tongue

MUSIC

Filipino Choir

M Sullivan

Sacred Heart Group

N Armsden

J O’Bryan, B Lewis

Leader

B Prescott

M Fainga’anuku

ALTAR SERVERS

2 Servers required

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OFFERTORY PROCESSION

2 Volunteers required

2 Volunteers required

2 Volunteers required

Louise Belej

OFFERTORY PROCESSION

2 Volunteers required

2 Volunteers required

2 Volunteers required

Baptism

Baptism

READERS

Irene Morello

Ross Tongue

Jancy Thomas

READERS

Rosemary Barnes

Philip Opie

Deepu Thomas

COUNTING TEAM 6

JIM O’DONNELL 5021 4939

IRYMPLE - SUNDAY - 8.30AM

READER

EUCHARIST MINISTER

P Riordan

Malcolm Hoy

COUNTING TEAM 7

BRIAN BLEESER 5021 1828

IRYMPLE - SUNDAY - 8.30AM

READER

EUCHARIST MINISTER

G McCracken

R Barbary