

MASSES DURING THE WEEK :

Koroit: Tuesday; Wednesday; Friday 10.00am
Port Fairy: Tuesday; Thursday 10.00am

FUNERAL MASSES WILL ALWAYS TAKE THE PLACE OF ROSTERED WEEKDAY MASSES.

CONFESSIONS: following the last Mass of the week in each of the Parishes or **by appointment.**

FATIMA STATUE (Port Fairy) Devotions will be in the Church on Tuesday and Thursday (when there is morning Mass) with Rosary from 9.30 am.

THE ROSARY is recited in The Church of The Infant Jesus, Koroit, before each weekday Mass



READINGS NEXT WEEK :

First Reading Wisdom 9: 13-18.

Second Reading Philemon 9-10, 12-17.

Gospel Luke 14: 25-33.



Koroit

Leader: Margaret Cashill

Readers: Doreen Bowron, Kate Dobson

Extraordinary Ministers: Christine Russell, Clare Gleeson, Margaret Moloney.

Gifts: Lisa McCosh & Family

Counters for September: Kevin Lane, Peter Lynch, Brian Russell

Church Cleaning Flower Roster for September: Kathy Freeman, Shirley Parkinson.

Port Fairy :

Leader: Mary Bishop

Reader: Gen Verdonck

Special Ministers: Aileen Sully, Henk Winnen, Gordon Duff

Gifts : B. Farley, F. Lynch

Hospital : Marj Murrhly

Church Cleaning/ Flower Roster for September: Marj Murrhly, Sue Gavin

MOYNE REGIONAL
CATHOLIC
COMMUNITY

Weekend Mass Times 2016

1st Sunday of the month

Koroit (Sat) 6.30 pm

Yambuk 9.00 am

Port Fairy 10.30 am

2nd Sunday of the Month

Port Fairy (Sat) 6.30 pm

Hawkesdale 9.00am

Koroit 10.30 am

3rd Sunday of the Month

Koroit (Sat) 6.30 pm

Orford 9.00 am

Port Fairy 10.30 am

4th Sunday of the Month

Port Fairy (Sat) 6.30 pm

Koroit 10.30 am

5th Sunday of the Month

Koroit (Sat) 6.30 pm

Port Fairy 10.30 am

Easy to remember:
First, third and fifth
Sundays, Mass Sunday
Morning at Port Fairy,

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Moyne Regional Catholic Community
The Parishes of
St Patrick's, Port Fairy
Infant Jesus, Koroit



22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

28.08.2016

Responsorial Psalm

R. God, in your goodness, you have made a home for the poor.

The just shall rejoice at the presence of God,
they shall exult and dance for joy.
O sing to the Lord, make music to his name;
rejoice in the Lord, exult at his presence. **R.**

Father of the orphan, defender of the widow,
such is God in his holy place.
God gives the lonely a home to live in;
he leads the prisoners forth into freedom. **R.**

You poured down, O God, a generous rain:
when your people were starved you gave them new life.
It was there that your people found a home,
prepared in you goodness, O God ,
for the poor. **R.**

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!
Glory to the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit:
to God who is, who was, and who is to come.
Alleluia!
(You are reminded that Gospel Acclamation, if not sung, is to be omitted)



Recent Deaths:

John Sheehan

Anniversaries:

Brian Budd, Peter Williams,
Kevin Brown



Koroit News:

Koroit: Planned Giving: \$660.50
14/8/16; \$242.50 21/8/16.
Presbytery: \$398.60 14/8/16;
\$218.50 21/8/16.

Port Fairy News:

Planned Giving \$353.00;
Presbytery \$452.50.

The Parish Office will be open for
business on **Tuesday and
Wednesday morning, not
Thursday this week only.**

ROSTERS (Port Fairy) from
September to December for
Readers, Special Ministers, those
involved in the Offertory
Procession and those taking
Communion to the hospital are
now available from the back of the
church. Please collect your named
copy.

**Planned Giving Envelopes for
Koroit** will be available over the
next couple of weeks. Please collect
your envelopes.

*“Eye has not seen, ear has
not heard, what God has
ready for those who love
Him”*

1 Corinthians 2: 9-10.

FIRST EUCHARIST

The Grade four children of St
Patrick’s School, Koroit and
members of our Parish Community
have been preparing to receive the
Sacrament of First Eucharist. The chil-
dren have made posters of themselves
which are on display in the church.
They will receive the Sacrament today.
Please keep these children in your
prayers:-

Will Dobson
Estelle Evans
Nathan Edwards
Ethan Finnerty
Mayson Hedger
Campbell Holmes
Liam Kelly
April King
Tighe Langdon
Mitchell Lloyd
Fionn McGoldrick
Charlie Noonan
Finn O’Sullivan
Jack Quinlan
Henry Rowe
Layla Thom
Zoe Trow
Luke Turner
Tate Waterson
Clancy Williams
Jessie Williams



REFLECTION

The goodness of God is seen in the
extravagant generosity with which
God gives gifts. This is described in
the psalm in the boundlessness and
universal scope of God’s generosity.
Like the rain that falls on the entire
landscape, the blessings of God are
showered on all. These blessings
are true gifts. They have not been
earned, nor can they be repaid.
God’s openness is also seen in the
reading from the Letter to the
Hebrews and in the gospel. All are
invited to approach the heavenly
city; the heavenly banquet will be
open to the poor and to those who
have no way of repaying.

Only the humble can receive the
gifts of God. Only those who can
admit their neediness are open
enough to realise that God’s
blessings are gifts freely given, not
compensation for a job well done.
Without a humble spirit we are
unable to receive gifts as gifts. This
is either because we are too proud
or we do not know how to receive
with the open hearts of children,
who never think that they must
return in kind. This is the kind of
humility recommended by Sirach.
This is the kind of humility
possessed by the disadvantaged
pictured in the gospel.

As we have received from the
bounty of God, so we are called to
give to others. Only those who have
received with a humble spirit can

give with the generosity of God, for
they know that they do not deserve
God’s goodness and they do not
require anything in return.

Dianne Bergant CSS



Koroit St Vincent De Paul

Thank you to all who contributed to
our Winter Appeal collection of
\$506.00

Special thanks to the children of St
Patrick’s School and Mini Vinnies
for their donation of \$110.00, the
Koroit Lion’s Club for their gener-
ous gift of \$1,000.00 and the
Koroit Activity Group for their
donation of \$104.00, making a
total of \$1,720.

God Bless you all.