

St. Augustine's Parish, Maryborough.

~inc. St. Francis Xavier's, Stanley St. Tarnagulla. St. Kevin's, Barnett St. Avoca,
St. Mary's, Hardy St. Dunolly, St. Patrick's, Pyrenees H'way & Evans St. Amphitheatre,
St. Patrick's, Main St. Bealiba. St. Patrick's, Barkly-Redbank Rd. Redbank.~

22nd January 2017 3rd Sunday of Ordinary Time Year A

Parish Priest: Fr. John Monaghan, 21 Burns St. Maryborough. Ph. 5461 1084. **Parish Secretary:** Jill Morse.

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Weekends: - MARYBOROUGH – Mass 6.00pm Sat. & 10.30am Sun. AVOCA – Mass 8.30am 1st & 3rd Sun. Assembly 8.30am 2nd, 4th & 5th Sun. DUNOLLY – Mass 8.30am 2nd & 4th Sun. Assembly 8.30am 1st & 3rd Sun. BEALIBA – Mass 8.30am 5th Sun.

Collections "Thank You". First Collection - Presbytery \$838. This supports our Priest and Presbytery running expenses.

Second Collection \$1775 towards Parish Planned Giving - For Parish expenses and Church maintenance.

Sacrament of Reconciliation (First Rite) – Saturdays at 10.00am or by appointment.

Sanctuary Cleaning and Flowers

Jan. 27 -

A. Butler, V. Lowery.

Feb. 3 -

K. Mullane, J. Lennen.

Planned Giving Counters

Jan. 22 -

P. Walasah, B. O'Connor, D. Hamilton.

Jan. 29 -

P. Egan, N. Fitzpatrick, D. Weeks, P. Egan.

Home Rosary

School Holidays.

Children's Liturgy

Children's Liturgy will resume in February 2017.

Weekend Jan. 21/22.

READER	PSALM/PRAYER	MINISTERS OF COMMUNION	ALTAR SERVERS	GIFTS
6.00pm M. Gowers	M. Lacey	K. Balzan, K. & J. Broadway	H. Hare, J. Huggett	B. Teggerth
10.30am T. Jacka	R. Iles	I. & K. Lloyd, T. Plucke	C. Schwager	M. Lang

Weekend Jan. 28/29.

READER	PSALM/PRAYER	MINISTERS OF COMMUNION	ALTAR SERVERS	GIFTS
6.00pm M. Forster	J. Lacey	B. Cramer, T. & M. Lacey	P. Micallef, C. Leech	Huggett Family
10.30am R. Iles	T. Jacka	M. McNeilly, S. Meerbach, G. Loyer	L. Murphy	M. Flowers

THIS WEEK

TUE. 24 TH JANUARY	9.00AM	MASS
WED. 25 TH JANUARY	9.00AM	MASS
THURS. 26 TH JANUARY	10.00AM	MASS - AUSTRALIA DAY
FRIDAY 27 TH JANUARY	11.00AM	EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT
FRIDAY 27 TH JANUARY	12.05PM	MASS
FRIDAY 27 TH JANUARY	6.00PM	MASS ST. PATRICK'S AMPHITHEATRE
SAT. 28 TH JANUARY	6.00PM	MASS
SUN. 29 TH JANUARY	8.30AM	MASS ST. PATRICK'S BEALIBA
SUN. 29 TH JANUARY	10.30AM	MASS ST. AUGUSTINE'S MARYBOROUGH

NEXT COUNTRY MASSES:

St. Patrick's Amphitheatre – 6.00pm Friday 27th January.

St. Patrick's Bealiba – 8.30am Sunday 29th January.

St. Patrick's Redbank – 11.00am Wednesday 15th February.

St. Francis Xavier's Tarnagulla – 11.00am Saturday 18th February.

SR. BARBARA'S CEMETERY PLAQUE PHOTO. Thank you for your note and attached photograph of Barbara's headstone. It is still hard to believe that she is not with us as we expect to receive a phone call or a letter or see her at our gatherings. She was such an integral part of all our lives. I can imagine how her absence would have been felt in the parish over the Christmas celebrations. Every best wish to you and your parish and thank you to all for your amazing support of Barbara. Your parish kept her so positive and gave her a real lease on life. Kind regards, Sr. Margaret Hill csb, Victorian Community Leader, Malvern.

YOUTH MINISTRY FORMATION – CALLED AND SENT: DEVELOPING FOUNDATIONS IN YOUTH

MINISTRY. The Melbourne Archdiocesan Office for Youth (AOY) invites young leaders from Ballarat Diocese to a youth ministry formation camp. If you are new to youth ministry, come along to 'Called and Sent', their first ever camp for developing foundations in youth ministry. From February 10-12, beachside, taking you deeper into the gospel message at the heart of your call to ministry, equipping you with practical ideas and helping you set goals for 2017. Places are limited! When: February 10-12, 2017, Don Bosco Camp, Safety Beach (south of Melbourne). Cost per participant is \$80.00 Phone AOY, 9287 5565 or contact amanda.smith@ballarat.catholic.org.au

2017 CLERGY APPOINTMENTS: Fr Peter Sherman will take up his new appointment as parish priest of St Alipius' parish, Ballarat East on 25th January; upon the retirement of Fr Adrian McInerney. Fr James Kerr begins his new appointment this month as assistant priest at Sacred Heart parish, Mildura. Fr Marcello Colasante has been appointed the new parish priest of St Columba's parish, Ballarat North and Our Lady Help of Christians parish, Wendouree from 25th March. This means Bishop Paul is now canvassing for a new parish priest for St Mary's parish, Swan Hill. Watch this space!

VINNIES UNITS: There is 1 unit available for rent. So if you are an **aged pensioner**, either an individual or a couple, please contact 0427-612-352

ST AUGUSTINE'S PARISH BULLETINS ON THE INTERNET:

If away from our parish or seeking to peruse our weekend bulletin online, this is now available on the Ballarat Diocese website. Google Ballarat Diocese or go to www.ballarat.catholic.org.au Select Maryborough and scroll down our parish page to find the bulletin Jill attaches each Friday for this weekend plus previous editions.

EAST TIMOR NEWS. Last November a dinner was held in Ballarat with all the past T4T volunteers celebrating 10 years of English Teaching in Ainaro. Approx. 40 attended and amongst those our parish is most familiar with were Gerry Baldock, Bronwyn McNamee, Jenny O'Brien, Julie Chandler, Gay Graham and Rob Gray. All enjoyed meeting with each other again and celebrating the changes in people's lives as a result of the program. They also remembered those who are no longer with us, including Trish Walsh from Maryborough. This year the first term will be taken by Bronwyn McNamee and Gerry Baldock then Rob and students from Ballarat Grammar and some others in September and October. **Our 5th Sundays roll around again starting with January (29th January), so remember to hand in the boxes at the end of the month to keep supporting this important work.** Later in the year Tais will be available.

JACK SPENCER: Does anyone know Jack Spencer whose name is on a wallet left in St. Augustine's Church at Christmas or in early 2017? Please speak to Fr. John or contact the Parish Office.

Remembering those who have died:

We pray for all who died recently and for those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Jim Mullane, Noni Carmody, Mavis Shields, Darcy Nicholson, Monica Moore, Maurice Dridan, Gladys Mooney, Ellen Rinaldi, Eileen Greenwood, Jack Fleming, Elizabeth Shaw and Louis Maffescioni.

NEW PARISHIONERS, CHANGED ADDRESS, CHANGED PHONE NUMBERS FORM

Please fill in and leave in box at rear of Church, or on the collection plate or drop in to the Parish office.

NAME.....

ADDRESS.....

TELEPHONE NUMBER

(HOME).....(WORK).....

I wish to join the Planned Giving Program.

Yes No. (Please circle)

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

22nd January 2017

Priest: The Lord is our light and our help. Let us turn to God who hears our prayer.

Reader: **That the Church will promote unity among Christians and seek to heal past wounds.**

(pause)

Lord, hear us:

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader: **That all people on earth be valued and respected, regardless of race, ethnicity, religion and gender.**

(pause)

Lord, hear us:

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader: **That those who live their life in deep shadows will be filled with the light of Christ.**

(pause)

Lord, hear us:

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader: **That those who hear Christ's call to serve will leave their nets and follow him.**

(pause)

Lord, hear us:

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader: **We pray for all who died recently and for all whose anniversaries are named on the Bulletin.**

(pause)

Lord, hear us:

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Priest: We ask for Mary's intercession – "Hail Mary full of grace....."

Priest: Your Word, O God, has dawned upon us. Hear our prayers and unite us as we respond to Christ's call to discipleship. We ask this through Jesus, the Lord.

All: Amen.