



St Joseph's Parish Timboon
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Father Justin Driscoll Vicar-General will be celebrating Mass for the communities of Timboon and Simpson this week.

Ruth Hoffmann has been appointed **Parish Safeguarding Officer**. The role of the Parish Safeguarding Officer is to provide support, advice and information on all matters concerning the safeguarding of children and vulnerable adults in the parish. Congratulations Ruth on your appointment to this important and responsible role.

Information on poster in the foyers please read this information.

Fr McInerney has retired from active duties, a card has been sent from the Parish.

Dvds are available for loan from St Joseph's Timboon. Please enquire at the church if you are interested in borrowing any.

Ash Wednesday 1st March

Mass 7:30 pm Timboon

Lenten books Collect From K Currell,
Fridays Lenten Reflection at 10:30am,
Station's of the Cross 12:00 Timboon

Exposition of Blessed Sacrament Friday 3rd
 March 2:45pm Simpson

Easter Thursday Mass 7:00pm Timboon

Good Friday Passion 3:00pm Timboon

Holy Saturday Easter Vigil 7:30 Timboon

Easter Sunday Mass 9:00am Simpson

Project Compassion 2017

Resources . This Sunday is Project Compassion Sunday when the materials go out to parishioners.

Ecumenical Church Service Timboon & District Health Care 2nd March For details contact Enid O'Connor 55586000

Rite of Election

The Rite of Election for catechumens, candidates and children of catechetical age will take place on SATURDAY, MARCH 4, 2017 at 12.30pm in St Patrick's Cathedral, Ballarat.

Sacramental Program 2017.

Reconciliation information meeting at St Joseph's Timboon on Monday 27th February at 8:00pm. For further information please send a text message to **0428983252**. Include names of the child and at least name of one parent with postal address and contact number. Thank You. Ruth Hoffmann,

Mass of the Oils is on Monday, April 10, 2017 , please contact Julie Boyd (ph. 53 377159) **Call for Nominations-Diocesan Pastoral Council (DPC)** phone Amanda in the Diocese office 53377125

Pastoral Care needs people to visit hospital.

Bereavement Team are looking for people interested in helping families following deaths.

Fr Murnane is expected to return to Timboon in 3 weeks and stay till July.

The Parish of Timboon is a Parish with a Supervised Community Leadership. The Parish Leadership Team coordinates parish life and lay pastoral ministry supported by the Supervising Priest and the Visiting Priest.
 Fr Peter Murnane 0478 761 231



Parish Leadership Team:

Moderator: Jean McMeel

Members: Marlene van Nieuwkerk, Katrina Currell, Gerard Vogels, Charles Martin, Pat Nicholson and Joanne Robertson

Parish Secretary: George Swierczek

Our Sick: Bailey Delaney, Andrew Cook, Frank Vogels, Heather Paton, Tania Vogels, Margaret Dillon, Xavier Reicha, Albert van Es, Anne Dodd, Noreen O'Connor, Fletcher Densley.

February Anniversaries: M. McMeel, M van Nieuwkerk, W Churchill, N Kennedy, J McMeel, P Maslin, N Pekin, S Boyle, F Hammelt, C O'Connor, J Coleman, J Delaney.

Recent Deaths: Ciely Plozza, John Vogels, Peter Crowe, Graeme Bell, John Fowler, Eileen Maguire,



Lay Pastoral Ministry Program - start in 2017

Program starts March 5th and registrations close 27th February for details on Diocesan website or email: amanda.smith@ballarat.catholic.org.au or phone her on 5337 7125

National Year of Youth. The Australian Bishops have identified the liturgical year of 2018, beginning on the first Sunday of Advent (3rd December 2017), as a **national Year of Youth**. **The Year of Youth** invites the Church into prayerful discernment about the importance and life-giving presence of young people in the local Church and society.

Simpson	26 th February 9am Assembly of W & C	5 th March Mass 9:00am	12 th March 9am Assembly of W & C
Statue	C Cecil	J Wetemans	F&B Wouters
Timboon	25 th February 6 pm Assembly of W & C	5 th March Mass 9:00am	11 th March 6 pm Assembly of W & C
Welcome	P Haugh	M van Nieuwkerk	K Currell
Leaders	M van Nieuwkerk A Vogels		P Martin R Hoffmann
Statue	P C Martin	S Nguyen	M Turner
Reader	R Hoffmann	M Leske	J McInerney
P.O.F.	K Currell	D Denny	A Currell
Gifts		A & K Currell	
M of C	T O'Connor	J & L McInerney	C Marr
Church cleaning	L Tregea S Berry	J Delaney	J Delaney
Bulletin	P Nicholson M Moloney	Denny Family	Denny Family
Slides	P Nicholson	A McMeel	A McMeel