



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.~

16th April 2017 EASTER SUNDAY

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

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St Augustine's School: Ph. 5460 4440 **Principal:** Mrs. Sonia Turner principal@samaryborough.catholic.edu.au

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 \$739.00. *This supports our Priest and Presbytery running expenses.*
Second Collection \$1460.00 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	April 21 -	V. Lowery, J. Smith, P. Manning
	April 28 -	J. Egan, M. Egan, D. Weeks, P. Wagstaff.
Planned Giving Counters	April 16 -	E. McKinley, B. Alexander, P. Cameron, E. Meagher.
	April 23 -	V. O'Dwyer, P. O'Dwyer, K. Lloyd.
Home Rosary	April 16 -	Volunteers.

EASTER VIGIL – 6.00PM St. Augustin's.

<u>FIRE AND LIGHTS.</u>	<u>LAMPS</u>	<u>MINISTERS OF COMMUNION</u>	<u>READER</u>	<u>PRAYERS</u>	<u>ALTAR SERVERS</u>	<u>COMPUTER</u>
B. Crameri		G. Loyer, J. McKnight, S. Meerbach	M. McNeilly	E. Arundell	A. & G. Mottram	F. Hadwen
<u>INCENSE</u>	<u>BELLS</u>					

EASTER SUNDAY – 10.30AM St. Augustine's

<u>READER</u>	<u>PSALM/PRAYER</u>	<u>MINISTERS OF COMMUNION</u>	<u>ALTAR SERVERS</u>	<u>GIFTS</u>
G. Loyer	C. Hadwen	J. & A. Maruca, T. Bell	C. Knowles	Schwager Family.

Weekend April 22/23

	<u>READER</u>	<u>PSALM/PRAYER</u>	<u>MINISTERS OF COMMUNION</u>	<u>ALTAR SERVERS</u>	<u>GIFTS</u>
6.00pm	R. Putman	J. Walsh	S. Turner, K. Balzan, P. Weir.	B. & L. Bates	B. Teggerth
10.30am	K. Barber	P. Egan	S. Meerbach, F. Upson, T. Plucke.	B. Singh	Cameron Family

THIS WEEK.

TUESDAY 18TH APRIL - 9.30AM ASSEMBLY

WEDNESDAY 19TH APRIL - 11.00AM MASS – ST. PATRICK'S, REDBANK
- 2.00PM FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING

THURSDAY 20TH APRIL - 10.30AM MASS – HAVILAH HOSTEL

FRIDAY 21ST APRIL - 11.00AM EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT
- 6.00PM MASS – ST PATRICK'S, AMPITHEATRE

SATURDAY 22ND APRIL - 11.00AM MASS – ST FRANCIS XAVIER'S, TARNAGULLA

NEXT BEALIBA MASS: – 8.30am Sunday 30th April.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM – MACI ROSE BRITNELL-COLLIER. We welcome Maci and her parents, Rick and Nicole as she begins her journey of faith with us on Easter Sunday.



MASS OF THE OILS 2017. Thank you to all who attended and participated in the Mass of the Oils last Monday evening. The Mass was a great celebration of the whole Church of the Diocese of Ballarat.

ASSISTANCE REQUIRED. Anyone with a car for loan or sale please contact Grey Loyer on 5460 5008.

WOULD YOU LIKE A CHAT???? Terry Ranger has been coming here for many years. Terry's experience in counselling is vast and is a great help to anyone who needs to talk of any problem. His next visit will be Friday 21st April. If you would like to have a chat about anything please ring to make an appointment - 5331 4032.

2017 PROJECT COMPASSION THEME “LOVE YOUR NEIGHBOUR”: Pope Francis says, “Care for nature is part of a lifestyle which includes the capacity for living together and communion. Jesus reminded us that we have God as our common father and that this makes us brothers and sisters.” *Laudato Si’* #228 Our Lent Project Compassion envelopes and boxes can be put on collection plate today and next weekend.

BAPTIST CHURCH CRAFT EVENT: Saturday 22nd April 10.30am – 2.30pm at Maryborough Baptist Church (cnr Cross & Burke Sts) to raise money for the Loaves and Fishes Community Meals each Monday evening. \$39 or \$34 if booked before 3rd April. byo scissors, pencil, ruler, rubber. Light lunch provided. Contact Heather McCarthy 5435 7374 or 0402 739 343 or beingcreatable@gmail.com

TALBOT GRAND CONCERT: 2.00pm Sunday 7th May at St Michael & All Angels Church, Landsdowne Street. A happy music festivity with local and invited artists. \$10 entry includes light refreshments. To aid Arts Society Grand Piano restoration and St Michael’s Organ maintenance. Further details: Ian Steed 5461 3677, Junita Hayes 5463 2534 or Betty Arundell.

FIRST SPIRITUAL EXERCISES RETREAT. Fr Robbie Sian, a Filipino Jesuit priest who is currently in Melbourne as part of the Jesuit Tertian program, will come to Ballarat for a month commencing April 23, 2017 to lead the “Inner Peace in Divine Love Retreat in Everyday Life.” Doreen Roache, a St Patrick’s Cathedral parishioner, will lead this with Fr Robbie. Jill or Fr John can forward more details via email.

NEW DIOCESAN BUSINESS MANAGER: After many years dedicated service to our Parishes, Mark Bromley is retiring from his current role to take up a new part time position. Bishop Paul Bird has announced as his replacement Andrew Jirik who was born and raised in Swan Hill parish and is an experienced finance and accounting executive whom we hope and pray will serve our diocese well for many years.

PRESBYTERY ROOF. A storm early Sunday morning 12th March blew off a number of slates, leaving several large holes. These have been temporarily covered to protect the Presbytery from rain as we await an Insurance assessment. Given the roof’s age, many other slates being in poor condition, and for the safety of St. Augustine’s school students, we plan to replace this with colorbond.

ST AUGUSTINE'S PARISH BULLETINS ON THE INTERNET: Now available on Diocese website. Google Ballarat Diocese or go to www.ballarat.catholic.org.au Select Maryborough and scroll down our parish page to find current bulletin and archived previous editions.

ST AUGUSTINE’S SCHOOL NEWSLETTERS: If you wish to receive our school’s newsy and colourful Newsletters, email principal@samaryborough.catholic.edu.au and ask to be added to their mailing list:

OUR DIOCESAN COMMUNITY: Please pick up your free April 2017 edition of ODC with plenty of news and colourful photos about Parishes and Schools in our Ballarat diocese. And look for the photo of Jill Morse in a moon boot in the Lay Pastoral Ministry Program article! We are invited to submit items for publication to odc@ballarat.catholic.org.au about parish/school activities, preferably with photos.

DIOCESAN WEBSITE. www.ballarat.catholic.org.au. The website contains current news and information on the diocese and parishes and also has a section for members to access resources relevant to diocesan ministries. This includes **e-News** which is a kind of mini ODC with news from around our diocese that is published every two weeks and distributed via email. We can subscribe to e-News on the diocesan website and are welcome to submit items for publication to enews@ballarat.catholic.org.au. Like ODC articles, items submitted should be relevant to our parishes or schools and include photos where possible.

Remembering those who have died:

We pray for Jill Fradd who died recently and for those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Kathleen Gleeson, Pam Shields, Dorothy Stevens, Martin Greymans, Mary Hillman, Aubrey Baker, Jack Maffescioni, Michael Harnetty, Minnee Mannix, Joseph Divola, Geoffrey Walsh, Kath Williams, Chloris Nunan, Michael Taylor, Jean Palmer, Maurice Stafford, Marie-Louise Young, Kelvin Gordon, Henry O’Toole and Maurice Smith.

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

16th April 2017

Priest: Sisters and brothers, redeemed by the Risen Lord, we bring our prayers before God on this Holy Night/Day.

Reader: **That Pope Francis and Bishop Paul may continue to lead us in proclaiming the new life that Jesus Christ offers to all people.**

(pause)

Lord, hear us:

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader: **That nations in conflict will be led from war and death into peace and new life.**

(pause)

Lord, hear us:

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader: **That those who live in sadness and fear will find new hope.**

(pause)

Lord, hear us:

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader: **That Maci Rose Britnell-Collier and all who have been washed by the waters of baptism will grow more deeply into the life of Christ.**

(pause)

Lord, hear us:

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader: **That our parish community will be filled with the joy of Easter and find strength to reflect the risen Christ in all that we do.**

(pause)

Lord, hear us:

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader: **For Jill Fradd who died recently and those whose anniversaries are named on the Bulletin.**

(pause)

Lord, hear us:

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Priest: Seeking Mary's intercession, we pray: – "Hail Mary full of grace....."

Priest: God our Father, we rejoice this day in Christ's triumph over death. Hear our prayers and help us to live as faithful witnesses who proclaim the good news of our salvation. We ask this through Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.