

ST JOSEPH'S PARISH - WARRNAMBOOL

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Office Hours: Monday to Friday: 9.00am - 1.00pm; 1.30pm - 4.00pm

SCHOOL PRINCIPALS: Michael Gray (St Joseph's School)
Peter Morgan (Emmanuel College)

WEEK-END LITURGIES: **Sunday:** 8.30am - 10.30am - 6.00pm
Purnim: 11.00am (Eucharist on 2nd and 4th Sundays)
(Assembly of Word with Communion on 1st, 3rd & 5th Sundays)

WEEK-DAY LITURGIES: **Tuesday to Friday:** 10.00am (Eucharist)
Friday: 10.30am (Reconciliation)

Deaths: Betty Pennings, Kathleen O'Sullivan, Kevin Stacey, John Williams

Anniversaries: Dan Pye, Phyllis Ryan, Lal Jongebloed, Sr M Adalbert, Josefa Mendoza

Baptism Preparation: This Wednesday at 7.30pm. Please book in at Parish Office

Asylum Seeker Resource Centre: Facilitated Workshops: Sunday 25th June at St Joseph's (Gathering Space). See notice board for further information or commeng@asrc.org.au

Young People

Pope Francis wants to hear from you! A survey seeking opinions and perspectives of young people (16-29) to help inform the world-wide Synod on Youth Pope Francis is convening in October 2018. The survey closes on 2 July 2017. Access the survey on the Ballarat Diocese website www.ballarat.catholic.org.au

Australian Catholic Youth Festival (ACYF): ACYF is in Sydney, December 7 - 9 this year. Further information on the Diocesan website as above or contact Amanda

Stewardship - Finances

Stewardship: Weekly average contributions for the month of May

Parish: \$2,208.00 **Pledged Amount:** (per week) \$2,820 **Presbytery:** \$1,384.00

NB: Parish contributions consists of envelopes, credit cards & direct debit

Holy Trinity Sunday

CONFIRMATION



This week 69 young parishioners of St Joseph's Parish will celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation. Please keep the children and their parents in your prayers. May we be models of faith for these children.

Dates for Confirmation: **Thursday** 15th June at 7.00pm
Friday 16th June at 7.00pm
Saturday 17th June at 11.00am

NB: Confirmation Rehearsal: This Wednesday at 4.15pm

Liturgy Formation

The Diocesan Liturgical Commission is presenting Liturgy Formation sessions throughout the Diocese. The Workshop in our region will be at St Joseph's, Sunday 23rd July.

Workshops will be conducted for:

- **Funeral Ministry**
eg members of the Bereavement Team
- **Lectors**
eg lectors from St Anne's Purnim & St Joseph's Warrnambool as well as all interested in this ministry
- **Diocesan Sacramental Program "Let the Children Come"**
eg members of the Parish Sacramental Team, teaching staff as well as parents of children preparing for Confirmation and/or 1st Eucharist.

Prior to the Workshop **Bishop Paul Bird** will celebrate the **10.30am Mass**

To **register** please contact Parish Office or www.ballarat.catholic.org.au. Further information in Gathering Space or Parish Office.

Tuesday Cards: Will be held at St Joseph's this week

Family Matters: Fr Frank Brennan SJ will be guest speaker at upcoming Forum on 'Strengthening Respectful Relationships' in Warrnambool, July 22nd. Further information to follow.

Formation: For current Eucharistic Ministers and anyone interested in being a part of this Ministry please come to a Formation evening, 7.00pm Thursday 22nd June, in Gathering Space.