

# The Parish Pump

The Weekly Bulletin for St John's, Dennington and St Pius X, West Warrnambool  
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**25 June 2017 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

## This Week's Masses

Although Saturday 24 June is the solemn feast of the birth of St John the Baptist, we shall be commemorating the feast with the school community from St John's Dennington at 10 a.m. on Monday 26th. On Tuesday 27th and Wednesday 28th the usual Masses will be cancelled because Father Michael will be at meetings in Ballarat. He will also take part there in celebrations of this year's anniversaries of ordination of some other priests, including his predecessor at St Pius X / Dennington, Father Gregory Tait, who was ordained in St Pius X Church on 28 August 1992.

## Catholic Theological College

The following intensive study options are now available in Melbourne:

### 6 day Winter Intensives:

3, 5, 7, 10, 12, 14 July

*Choice of Biblical (OT) or Philosophy units.*

### Semester Two Intensive:

29, 30 July; 19, 20 Aug; 9, 10 Sep

*The Liturgy and the Sacraments of the Catholic Church*

Audit and Credit options are available.

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## School Holidays

This year's second school term ends on Friday 30 June. We wish all concerned a restful fortnight's break.

## Youth Survey

Young people across Australia are being called to share their views about life, faith, and their experience of Church through an online survey. Australians aged between 16 and 29 years are encouraged to complete the survey. It is open until **2 July 2017**. Access the survey on the Ballarat Diocese website [www.ballarat.catholic.org.au](http://www.ballarat.catholic.org.au) Contact Ballarat Diocese Youth and Young Adult Ministry for more information: [youth@ballarat.catholic.org.au](mailto:youth@ballarat.catholic.org.au) or 5337 7125.



...there is no need to be afraid; you are worth more than hundreds of sparrows. Matthew 10,31

## Anniversaries

Kevin Small, Marcia McDougall  
Ettie McDougall, John Griffin  
Audrey Esam, & Margaret Glennon.

## Thank You for Giving

Presbytery last week: \$589.10  
Planned Giving May: \$4,571.20  
Amount Pledged: \$4,735.00

May 2016 - May 2017

Amount Pledged: \$77,420.00  
Amount Given: \$71,849.45

## St John's SAC Meeting

The next meeting for St John's School Advisory Council is on Tuesday 27 June at 5.30 p.m. in the school board room.

## Liturgy Formation Sessions

Parishioners are invited to formation sessions on the Liturgy in St Joseph's Hall on Sunday 23 July. The program will be:

12 noon Welcome  
12.05 p.m. Introduction by Bishop Paul  
Introduction of Diocesan Sacramental Program, "Let the Children Come"  
1.00 p.m. Lunch – will be supplied by parish  
1.45 p.m. – 2.45 p.m. Workshop  
2.45 p.m. – 3.45 p.m. Workshop  
3.45 p.m. Plenary Session  
4.15 p.m. Prayer of the Church

The afternoon will include workshops on funeral ministry, the sacraments of initiation and a program for people who proclaim the Word at Mass. Please indicate your intention to take part to the Diocesan Liturgical Commission at PO Box 576, Ballarat 3353 or email: [liturgy@ballarat.catholic.org.au](mailto:liturgy@ballarat.catholic.org.au)

## Funeral Mass Arrangements

You are reminded that on days when a funeral Mass takes place in St Pius X Church, the previously advertised weekday Mass will not proceed. If on any day there is a funeral without Mass, Mass will be celebrated at the usual time and place.

## Mass Rosters Next Week Readers

6 p.m. J. O'Keefe  
10 a.m. D. Webster

## Prayers of the Faithful

6 p.m. O. O'Keefe  
10 a.m. A. Webster

## Ministers of Communion

6p.m. N. Stapleton  
J. Dean  
Peter Haberfield  
C. Murrighy  
D. Pasco  
10 a.m. B. Hogan  
L. McElgunn  
F. Garvey  
M. Murphy  
A. Webster

## Local Sunday Masses

<b>Sat.</b>	<b>6 p.m.</b>	<b>St Pius X</b>
	6 p.m.	OLHC
<b>Sun.</b>	8:30 a.m.	St Joseph's
	9 a.m.	OLHC
	<b>10 a.m.</b>	<b>St Pius X</b>
	10:30 a.m.	St Joseph's
	10:30 a.m.	Allansford
		(1st, 3rd & 5th: Mass)
	11 a.m.	Purnim
		(1st, 3rd & 5th lay-led)
	11 a.m.	Purnim (2nd & 4th Mass)
	6 p.m.	St Joseph's

## Weekday Masses

Monday 26:	10 a.m. St Pius X
Tuesday 27:	NO MASS
Wednesday 28:	NO MASS
Thursday 29:	10 a.m. Mercy Place
Friday 30:	9:15 a.m. St Pius X
Saturday 1:	10 a.m. St Pius X

## Confessions

Saturday mornings after Mass or when you can find Father Michael: no appointment necessary.