

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 July 2017 Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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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 \$624 – Supports our Priest and Presbytery running expenses.
Second Collection **\$1586** towards Parish Planned Giving – *For Parish expenses and Church maintenance.*

Sacrament of Reconciliation (First Rite) – No Reconciliation Next Saturday 22nd July. Otherwise upon request.

Sanctuary Cleaning and Flowers	July 21 -	D. Rinaldi, T. Branton, J. Branton, R. Wiseman.
	July 28 -	V. Lowery, J. Smith, P. Manning.
Planned Giving Counters	July 16 -	R. Iles, M. Hutchinson, A. Butler, C. Scott.
	July 23 -	E. McKinley, B. Alexander, P. Cameron, E. Meagher.

<u>READER</u>	<u>PSALM/PRAYER</u>	<u>MINISTERS OF COMMUNION</u>	<u>GIFTS</u>
Weekend July 15/16			
6.00pm D. Hamilton	J. Broadway	M. & D. Forster, T. Lacey.	B. Teggerth
10.30am M. Flower	T. Jacka	T. Waterson, E. McKinley, R. Iles	Knowles Family
Weekend July 22/23			
6.00pm M. Gowers	J. Lacey	R. Putman, S. Turner, J. Broadway	Taylor Family
10.30am C. Hadwen	R. Iles	T. Bell, T. Jacka, Volunteer	Lloyd Family

THIS WEEK:

TUESDAY 18TH JULY	- 9.00AM MASS (N.B. NOT 9.30AM)
TUESDAY 18TH JULY	- 6.30PM FIRST EUCHARIST PARENT MEETING
WEDNESDAY 19TH JULY	- 1 1.00AM MASS ST. PATRICK'S REDBANK
WEDNESDAY 19TH JULY	- 7.30PM REV. HEATHER BLACKBURN'S INDUCTION
THURSDAY 20TH JULY	- 9.30AM MASS
FRIDAY 21ST JULY	- 1 1.00AM EXPOSITION OF BLESSED SACRAMENT
	- 12.05PM ASSEMBLY (NOT MASS)

NEXT COUNTRY MASSES:

St. Patrick's, Redbank – 11.00am Wednesday 19th July and 11.00am Wednesday 16th August.

St. Patrick's, Amphitheatre – 6.00pm Friday 28th July and 6.00pm Friday 29th September.

St. Patrick's, Bealiba – 8.30am Sunday 30th July and 8.30am Sunday 29th October.

St. Francis Xavier's, Tarnagulla – 11.00am Saturday 19th August and 11.00am Sat. 21st October.

FIRST EUCHARIST: This year's First Eucharist/Communion preparation begins with a Parent and Child **Information evening** in St Augustine's school library **6.30pm this Tuesday 18th July** and continues through to 10.30am First Communion Mass on Sunday 20th August. For children not attending St Augustine's school, please contact our Parish Office ASAP to be included.

GEORGE TIMOTHY MICHAEL WEAR AND EDEN JANE DOIDGE: We welcome **George** and his parents, Timothy and Sheree and **Eden** and her parents, Ben and Alyshia into our parish family this weekend through their Baptisms at St Augustine's church at the 6.00pm Mass and 10.30am Mass.

REV. HEATHER BLACKBURN'S INDUCTION: As new Anglican Parish minister at Christ the King Anglican church, 6 Nightingale St, Maryborough at 7.30pm this Wednesday 19th July. All Welcome.

CAITLIN FREEMANTLE RIP: Sincere condolences to Caitlin's parents Graham and Angela, her brother Ethan and sister Alyssa. Thank you to all who gave great support to Caitlin's family at her beautiful Funeral Mass at St Augustine's church (where she was Confirmed in 2013) on Wednesday.

GIUSEPPE "JOE" CAPUANO: Our prayers and sympathy are extended to Joe's wife Angela and their children Maria (Talbot) and Fred (Sea Lake). Joe's Funeral Prayers were at Phelans Chapel on Thursday.

MEMORABILIA CABINET. Please see the framed articles about Fr. Tom Scanlon and Fr. Con O'Sullivan on top of the cabinet at the back of the church. Inside the cabinet are two priest's vestments – a surplice and a stole. These belonged to Fr Scanlon and are very old. The story of these articles is – while Fr Scanlon was celebrating Mass one Sunday he had heart attack. As he fell to the floor he grabbed the altar cloth and pulled everything down on himself, including the wine. The wine-covered surplice and stole were scrunched up and stuffed into the back of a cupboard. At the end of 2015 Sister Barbara and Kerry Cameron were looking for articles to put out for the memorabilia and came upon these soiled vestments. Sr. Barbara gave them to a parishioner who performed miracles - the white surplice is snowy white and a beautiful piece of clothing and the stole has only faint marks on it. Please check out these items. Trish Walsh and Kerry Cameron are happy to display anything related to yesteryear in our parish. If anyone else has something to display, please contact Trish or Kerry or leave it at the Presbytery.

CARDINAL PELL SUPPORT FUND. A special fund has been set up for anyone wishing to assist Cardinal George Pell with the legal expenses associated with his forthcoming trial. Contact the parish office or Fr John if you would like to contribute to this.

EUTHANASIA AND ASSISTED SUICIDE PROPOSALS. In April this year, the bishops of Victoria published a pastoral letter in response to proposals to introduce legislation allowing euthanasia and assisted suicide. As a follow-up to that letter, a group of lay people has prepared a flyer encouraging people to write to parliamentarians and express their opposition to such legislation. Copies of the flyer have been made available for your consideration. You are invited to write to parliamentarians as suggested.

YOUTH SYNOD QUESTIONNAIRE. The second part of the Youth Synod 2018 preparatory consultation with our Diocese is a Questionnaire. Groups and individuals of all ages are invited to respond by 15th August 2017. Responses will form part of the preparations for the world-wide **Ordinary Synod on Young People, the Faith and Vocational Discernment** in Rome in October 2018. This is on the Diocesan website (*Latest News* on home page). For more info contact youth@ballarat.catholic.org.au or 5337 7125.

PLANNED GIVING BOXES AND ENVELOPES: If you haven't received your new Planned Giving boxes or quarterly or annual envelopes, or if you require a receipt for 2016/17 giving, please contact the parish office. New givers always welcome – please fill in form below.

Remembering those who have died:

We pray for Guiseppe Capuano, Caitlin Freemantle and Mary McCormack (Chris Plucke's mother-in-law) who died recently and for those whose anniversaries occur at this time, Rosetta Harrison, Bill Morse, Leslie Mooney, Cecil Hore, Esmae O'Callaghan, Thomas Brown, Chris Gough, Edward Gleeson, Leo Meagher, Gaetana Divola, Tania Chapman, May Maua, Sandra Porter, Thelma Chapman, Emmanuel Aquilina, Robert Healey, Brendan Ryan and Ronald Ryan.

NEW PARISHIONERS, CHANGED ADDRESS, CHANGED PHONE NUMBERS FORM

Please fill in and place 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

16th July 2017

Priest: God's providence is for all. Let us turn to God, leaving no soil untilled, with our prayers for the needs of our world:

Reader: That, like Christ the sower, Pope Francis will lead us in sowing the Word of God throughout the world.

(pause) Lord, hear us: All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader: That we will resist rendering the earth barren in our efforts to create wealth.

(pause) Lord, hear us: All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader: That those who work to sow the seeds of justice will be met with acceptance and cooperation.

(pause) Lord, hear us: All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader: That those who work on the land will have life-giving rain and abundant harvests.

(pause) Lord, hear us: All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader: That we will always be receptive to the Gospel and generously share what we receive from God.

(pause) Lord, hear us: All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader: For Guiseppe Capuano, Caitlin Freemantle and Mary McCormack 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 ...

Priest: O God, sower of the seed, whose Word transforms all who have ears to hear, hear our prayers and may your Word in us yield a fruitful harvest. We ask this through Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.