

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday: Mass 9.30am
 Tuesday: Mass 5.30pm
 Wednesday: Mass 9.30am
 Thursday: Mass 5.30pm
 Friday: Mass 11.30am
 Saturday: Mass 9.30am

RECENT DEATH: Evelyn Ross

ANNIVERSARIES:

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK:

(If you want a sick person prayed for, ask for their permission. Names will be included for the duration of one month after which family or friends can request more time.)

Brendan Bell, Neil & Sylvia Orr, Maurice O' Connor, Joe Mammone, Barry Pollock

PARISH RECEIPTS

PRESBYTERY: \$167.90
SACRIFICIAL GIVING (inc DD): \$1063.80



Upcoming Events

Monday July 24: Jacaranda Village Aged Care Church Services 2pm. All welcome

Friday, July 28: Grandparents' Mass

Sunday, July 30: Cuppa & Trading Table after Mass. Proceeds from the trading table this month top up our contribution to the annual collection for the pope.

Sunday, August 6: Feast of the Transfiguration

Sunday, August 13: Feast of Mary

Mackillop Grades 2/3 will lead our Mass

Tuesday, August 15: Feast of the Assumption. Mass at 10.00am

Sunday, August 20: Youth will lead our Mass today.

OUR AGM HAS BEEN POSTPONED TO WEDNESDAY 2ND AUGUST AT 7PM - this change is to coincide with the Parish Stewardship Information Meeting.



ST JOSEPH'S RED CLIFFS (St Joseph the Worker)

NEWSHEET 2017: No. 28
 Presbytery: 5024 1966
 Carmel Russo: 5021 2872
 Marianna Cavallaro: 5025 7473

PARISH STEWARDSHIP PROGRAM 2017

This weekend our Stewardship Program focuses on *Celebrating our Faith*. Father will speak to us about the significance of our parish community uniting to celebrate the Eucharist together. To quote Pope Frances in the National Catholic Reporter: *"Celebrating the Eucharist should make a difference in the way a parish community lives. At Mass, Christ gathers people around him to nourish us with his world and his life. This means that the mission and identity of the church begin and take form at Mass."*

If you did not do so last week please collect your letter as you are leaving the church today. If there is no letter for you please complete a Census Card and please take a spare envelope.

PARISH INFORMATION MEETING:

At all Masses this weekend RSVP cards will be distributed for parishioners to indicate their attendance at one of our Information Meeting. Details of the meeting commencing at 7:00pm is as follows:

Red Cliffs, 2nd August – St Joseph's Catholic Church. Show your support of our Parish by agreeing to attend this important meeting that will Revisit our recent achievements and future plans. The meeting should take approximately one hour.

Fr. Michael McKinnon



NEXT WEEK'S READINGS: 30th July 2017
 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time / Year A

First Reading: 1 Kings 3:5, 7-12
Resp Psalm: Ps 118:57, 72, 76-77, 127-130.
 R. v. 97
Response: Lord, I love your commands
Second Reading: Rom 8:28-30
Gospel: Mt 13:44-52

FAMILY MATTERS: STRENGTHENING RESPECTFUL RELATIONSHIPS

MILDURA Saturday 26th August at St Joseph's College

All are welcome to attend this forum with Fr Frank Brennan SJ providing the opening address, followed by a number of workshops. The recent Ballarat event was an excellent opportunity to learn, connect and reflect. The free event is being hosted by the Social Justice Commission of the Diocese of Ballarat in conjunction with Centacare. Workshops/seminars to choose from include:

- Family violence
- Having the suicide conversation
- Building trust/listening
- Enriching family relationships
- Keeping children the focus in blended families
- Tuning into Kids

The event will be suitable for all

families and also provides very positive links to Catholic social teaching. More information:

social.justice@ballarat.catholic.org.au



Notice from Patrick J Flanagan:

This Monday July 24, I will have been a priest for 57 years, and am still on the active list. Compare that with the following. Father Leo Donnelly is 89, and has been a priest for 63 years, and he is still the Parish Priest of Port Macquarie NSW, where my older sister Gwen lives. Gwen's eyesight isn't completely back to what it was. She needs areas to be well lit. But she can put in about 3 hours a day reading the Sydney Morning Herald, and that's not bad. She thanks you for praying for her recovery. P J F

MASSES NEXT SUNDAY

RED CLIFFS: 10am

(Irymple: 8.30 am)

(Mildura: Sat. 6.00 pm

Sun. 9am or 5.00 pm)

Priest in Residence: Fr Patrick Flanagan

Our Parish School

St Joseph's Primary School

ROSTERS FOR THIS WEEK

Sunday, 23rd July, 2017

CHURCH CLEANING: Volunteers

COUNT TEAM: Lou G, Tony N, Joe T.

LEADER: J Divola

READER 1: M Monteleone

READER 2: J Vines

OFFERTORY: M Bell

LAY MINISTERS: T Hill, P Hunt, T Jansen

ALTAR SERVERS: Bethany Williams, Elektra Papanicolaou, Abby & Mehan Collihole

MUSIC: Tongan Choir

FLOWERS: Volunteer

ROSTERS FOR NEXT WEEKEND

Sunday, 30th July, 2017

CHURCH CLEANING: Volunteers

COUNT TEAM: Lou G, Tony N, Joe T.

LEADER: D Eagle

READER 1: B Antonie

READER 2: M Bell

OFFERTORY: G Brizzi

LAY MINISTERS: C Markham, M Monteleone, N Morello

ALTAR SERVERS: Folole, Topui, Douglas, Setefano & Grace Mapapalangi

MUSIC: Tongan Choir

FLOWERS: Volunteer

The Parish of St Joseph's Red Cliffs is committed to the obligation to ensure the safety of all children in our care.