

ST JOSEPH'S PARISH

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SUNDAY (A)

August 6th 2017

THE YEAR OF MERCY

BULLETIN NOTICES

Please forward any notices for the bulletin to Lara Thompson

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NEXT WEEKS MASS TIMES

2nd SUNDAY OF THE MONTH

SATURDAY, 7.00 P.M. – CHARLTON

SATURDAY, 7.00 P.M. – WEDDERBURN*

SUNDAY, 8.30 A.M. – ST. ARNAUD

SUNDAY, 8.30 A.M. – DONALD

*Lay Led Liturgy

RECONCILIATION
on request

NEXT WEEKENDS MASS ROSTER

SPECIAL MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST: Val Bourke*√

Sandra Patton*√ Julie McGrath*

READERS: Michael Bourke

PRAYERS OF FAITHFUL: Brian Fitzpatrick

PROCESSION OF GIFTS: Lisa Bruns and Marie Bennett

ALTAR SERVERS:

FLOWERS: Marg Fradd

HOME VISITING: Mary-Ann Sait

COUNTERS: This week: Brian & Dawn Mulquiny

Next week: Jeff & Mary McLoughlan

CHURCH CLEANING: S. Patton, M. Thompson, R. Heenan

PLEASE BE ADVISED; Fr. Paul's birthday celebrations have been postponed due to his ill health. More to follow..

Collections

	Planned Giving	Presbytery
02.07.17	\$232.00	\$217.60
09.07.17	\$523.00	\$161.95
16.07.17	\$1,905.00	\$180.15
23.07.17	\$627.00	\$282.95
30.07.17	\$333.00	\$175.45

\$82.00 Pope's Collection

OUR THOUGHTS & PRAYERS:

RECENT DEATHS:

ANNIVERSARIES:

- PAT NICHOLLS

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

- BAILEY DELANEY
- VIN SAIT
- FR JOHN KEANE
- IAN BRUNS
- JACK ROSS

ST JOSEPH'S SCHOOL **REUNION**

Celebrating 120 years of **Catholic Education in** **Charlton on Show** **Weekend, 21st & 22nd** **October 2017.**

Do You Remember?

“Representatives of nine schools met at Birchip on Sunday for the first combined Catholic Schools’ Sports. There were over 1500 children present in one of the largest gatherings of this nature to be held in the northern area.

Schools participating included Charlton, Wycheproof, Birchip, Kerang, Warracknabeal, Sea Lake, St

Arnaud and Ouyen. The Senior Section was won by Ouyen, while the Junior Section went to Warracknabeal.” (Charlton Tribune 14/04/1961)

***Wanted:** School Day Recollections / Reminiscences from 1995 to the present day. We have a collection from 1895 – 1995 but would be pleased if people who attended the school from 1995 to the present day could write down a few thoughts.

The Archbishop’s Dinner Invitation

The Archbishop’s Dinner is hosted by the Knights of the Southern Cross annually to raise funds for the education of Victoria’s seminarians, and the further education of our priests, and the monies raised are divided equally between the Archdiocese of Melbourne, the Dioceses of Sandhurst, Sale and Ballarat, and the Military Ordinariate of Australia. Over the past 18 Dinners held, over \$1 million has been raised for this cause.

Private Board Required

Private board is required in Ballarat for four nights a week, Monday – Thursday for a female. If you are able to assist please email rdam@badac.onmicrosoft.com

Deaf Catholic Conference

The Deaf Catholic Conference will be open to all Deaf and hearing people who work in the pastoral care fields within the Deaf Community and for the Deaf community members themselves. It will be an opportunity for Deaf Catholics to experience their faith in their natural language – Auslan. The conference will be held on Monday, August 21 – Wednesday, August 23 2017 (following an Ephpheta Church Service and lunch on Sunday, August 20, 2017). The theme is “Our Community of Faith - Reflect, Embrace and Nurture’.

RCIA Victorian State Conference - Melbourne

Saturday, August 26, 2017. "Ask, See, Knock: Joyful Encounters of RCIA

BBI-ACBC eConference, “Gospel Leadership in Times of Chaos: the Hope of Pope Francis”

The 13th Annual National eConference will be held on Thursday, August 10, 2017 from 10.30am-2.45pm (AEST). For the program to go <http://www.bbi.catholic.edu.au/short-courses/eConference-2017>. To register online go to <https://kvgo.com/creomedia/bbi13nationaleconference>.

