

MASSES DURING THE WEEK :

Koroit: Wednesday; Friday 10.00am
Port Fairy: Tuesday; Thursday 10.00am

FUNERAL MASSES WILL ALWAYS TAKE THE PLACE OF ROSTERED WEEKDAY MASSES.

CONFESSIONS: following the last Mass of the week in each of the Parishes or by appointment.

FATIMA STATUE (Port Fairy) Devotions will be in the Church on Tuesday and Thursday (when there is morning Mass) with Rosary from 9.30 am.



THE ROSARY is recited in The Church of The Infant Jesus, Koroit, before each weekday Mass

READINGS NEXT WEEK :

First Reading Prv 31:10-13. 19-20. 30-31

A worthy wife is invaluable.

Second Reading 1 Thes 5:1-6

You are children of the light.

Gospel Mt 25:14-30

Parable of the rich man, going on a journey.



Koroit Roster

Leader: Carmel Noonan

Readers: Maryanne Evans; John Rea

Extraordinary Ministers: Barbara Mills; Bob Shanahan; Fiona Moir

Gifts: Julian & Vicki McElgunn & family

Counters for November: Des Keane & Michael Lane

Church Cleaning Flower Roster for November: Maureen Gavin & Maria Smith

Port Fairy :

Leader: Joan McLean

Reader: David Ryan

Special Ministers: Tony Hutchinson; John Hoy; J Moloney

Gifts: J & D Smith & family

Hospital : H Winnen & M Gibb

Church Cleaning/ Flower Roster for November: Gen Verdonck; Aileen Sully

MOYNE REGIONAL
CATHOLIC
COMMUNITY

Mass Times 2017

1st Sunday of the month

Koroit (Sat) 6.30 pm

Yambuk 9.00 am

Port Fairy 10.30 am

2nd Sunday of the Month

Port Fairy (Sat) 6.30 pm

Hawkesdale 9.00am

Koroit 10.30 am

3rd Sunday of the Month

Koroit (Sat) 6.30 pm

Orford 9.00 am

Port Fairy 10.30 am

4th Sunday of the Month

Port Fairy (Sat) 6.30 pm

Koroit 10.30 am

5th Sunday of the Month

Koroit (Sat) 6.30 pm

Port Fairy 10.30 am

Easy to remember:

First, third and fifth

Sundays, Mass Sunday

Morning at Port Fairy,

Parish Priest: Fr. William van de Camp

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Moyne Regional Catholic Community
The Parishes of
St Patrick's, Port Fairy
Infant Jesus, Koroit



32nd Sunday In Ordinary time

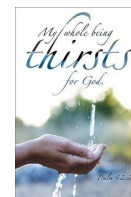
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**Responsorial Psalm
(R.) My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord my God.**

1. O God, you are my God, for you I long;
for you my soul is thirsting.
My body pines for you
like a dry, weary land without water. (R.)

2. So I gaze on you in the sanctuary.
to see your strength and your glory.
For your love is better than life,
my lips will speak your praise. (R.)

3. So I will bless you all my life,
in your name I will lift up my hands.
My soul shall be filled as with a banquet,
my mouth shall praise you with joy. (R.)



4. On my bed I remember you.
On you I muse through the night
for you have been my help;
in the shadow of your wings I rejoice. (R.)

Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia!

Be watchful and ready:
you know not when the Son of Man is coming.
Alleluia!

Recent Deaths:

Anniversaries:

Roy Smith;
Brian Shanahan

St Patrick's School, Port Fairy is holding a **Car Boot Sale** in the school grounds on Saturday 25th November commencing at 9.00am. Come along have a browse.

There will be no Mass on Tuesday next in Port Fairy

Koroit News:

Koroit: Planned Giving: \$411.50
Presbytery: \$229.30

Port Fairy News:

Planned Giving: \$272.00
Presbytery: \$424.60
Missions \$620.00

Dates to keep in mind:

Sunday December 3: Port Fairy School Led Mass

Friday December 8: Mass for the Sick & Elderly at Koroit, St Pat's Hall, 2.00pm

Sunday December 10: Koroit - School led Mass

Wednesday December 13: Koroit, End of School Year Mass 2.00pm

Port Fairy Finance Committee meeting will be held on Wednesday 15th November at 5.00pm

Columban Calendars (\$7.00) and Christmas Cards (\$3.00) are now available in Port Fairy (from Henk Winnen) and Koroit (from the Piety Stall)



Christmas /New Year Masses 2017/2018

Saturday 23rd December

6.00pm Port Fairy

10.30am Koroit

Christmas Eve 24th December

6.00pm Port Fairy

7.30pm Koroit

Christmas Day 25th December

9.00am Port Fairy

10.30am Koroit

Weekday Masses that Week

No Masses 26th or 27th

December.

Sunday 31st December

6.30pm Koroit

9.00am & 10.0am Port Fairy

New Year's Day 1st January

10.00am Port Fairy

Masses for January will be as usual during the Year.

There will be no Country Masses in January.

REFLECTION

by Dianne Bergant CSS

The early Christians thought that all their questions



about death had been answered with the resurrection of Jesus. Therefore, when loyal Christians began to die, not only did their old questions come back, but also they were plagued with new and difficult ones. Was it possible that those loyal Christians had not been loyal after all? Or worse, were the promises made by Jesus empty promises? No! Paul assures us. It is all true. Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again, and all the faithful will be joined with him. *How* it will happen, we do not know. *When* it will happen, we do not know. *That* it will happen, we are sure.

The wisdom that we have culled from life becomes the treasury from which we draw the prudence and insight needed to negotiate life's paradoxes. It throws light on our strengths and on our weaknesses; it enables us to discern what is important and what is not; it directs us to bring extra oil in our lamps. Life and the wisdom that we have acquired through it,

have taught us that we can indeed trust the promises of God. They have been fulfilled in the past, and wisdom assures us that they will be fulfilled in the future. It is wisdom that cautions us to be vigilant, to be ready to adjust our plans. It is wisdom that prepares us for the night watches of life. It is wisdom that instructs us to be ready at all times.

St Vincent de Paul Koroit/Port Fairy Conference Christmas Lunch

Sunday 26th November 12 Noon
\$25.00 per head

All welcome to Join us for Lunch
Please phone names to
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