

# ST JOSEPH'S PARISH - WARRNAMBOOL

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## PARISH STAFF:

Fr John Fitzgerald (Parish Priest)  
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**Office Hours:** Monday to Friday: 9.00am - 1.00pm; 1.30pm - 4.00pm

## SCHOOL PRINCIPALS:

Michael Gray (St Joseph's School)  
Peter Morgan (Emmanuel College)

## WEEK-END LITURGIES:

**Sunday:** 8.30am - 10.30am - 6.00pm  
**Purnim:** 11.00am (Eucharist on 2nd and 4th Sundays)

(Assembly of Word with Communion on 1st, 3rd & 5th Sundays)

## WEEK-DAY LITURGIES:

**Wednesday to Friday:** 10.00am: (Eucharist)

**NB:** A funeral normally replaces the Mass of the day

**Deaths:** Neville Sheen

**Anniversaries:** Ian Morey, Olga Ryan, Noel Kelly, Geoffrey Billington, Mollie Eccles

**Wedding Bells:** Congratulations and God's Blessing to Amber Wilson & Andrew Serra on their wedding this weekend

**Baptism:** Isabelle Densley & Darcy Thompson are welcomed into God's Family

**Baptism Preparation:** 6th December at 7.30pm Please book at Parish Office prior to the evening.

**KSC:** Mass for family and friends of deceased members of KSC are welcome to 10.00am Mass this Wednesday followed by a cuppa

## Stewardship - Finances

**Stewardship:** Weekly average contributions for the month of October

**Parish:** \$2,409.00 **Pledged Amount:** (per week) \$2,820 **Presbytery:** \$1,267.00

NB: Parish contributions consists of envelopes, credit cards & direct debit

# 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Nativity Exhibition:** 9th-11th December: To make the Exhibition a success we need your nativity scene, large or small. We also need 'helpers' during the Exhibition. If you would like to be involved please leave your name & contact details on the timetable in Gathering Space.



On Saturday 9th December there will also be an opportunity for families to make their own Nativity in workshops with the help of qualified artists in the Parish Hall 10.00am to midday. Bookings essential. Please book at Parish Office by Thursday 7th December

**Liturgical Roster:** The new Roster has just been collated and gone to print! Please check your email or collect hard copy available in Gathering Space

**St John of God:** The Auxiliary are looking for second hand books (novels, biographies, autobiographies) to sell at the January markets. Books can be left in Gathering Space.

**Pastoral Care Education:** An opportunity for education & formation in Pastoral Care is being offered through newly created South West Victoria Clinical Pastoral Education (CPE) Centre. Further information in Gathering Space or Parish Office.

**Al-Anon:** Are you troubled by someone's drinking? Al-Anon Family Group is for you. St Joseph's meeting room: Monday 7.30-9.00pm, Wednesday 12.30-2.00pm, Thursday 8.00-9.30pm Sue (0419 670 114)

**Warrnambool Symphony Orchestra:** Dance & Magic Children's Concert at Lighthouse Studio. Sunday November 26th at 4.00pm & 7.00pm Tickets: Adults \$20 Student & Concession \$10, Children under 13 free

**Moving Forward Group:** As we approach Advent the Group invites us to focus on "Whoever welcomes a child in my name welcomes me". We continue our response to issues arising from the Royal Commission.

Remind our children they are never alone. Be the trusted adult in word and deed, so we can move forward to a safer place for the children of our community, in church, in our schools and in our families.

**Meetings: Tuesday:** Social Justice Group at 7.00pm

**Tuesday:** Fr John is in Ballarat for Consultors' Meeting

**Wednesday:** Liturgy Committee at 5.30pm