

**WEEKDAY MASSES**

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

**RECENT DEATH:** Michael Robinson

**ANNIVERSARIES:**

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK:**

Talliena Jansen, Maria Mammone, Sam Vines, Heather McWilliams (Naomi Morello's mother), Melita Suppa, Brendan Bell, Maurice O' Connor, Joe Mammone, Albis Dy

**PARISH RECEIPTS**

**PRESBYTERY:** \$352.95  
**SACRIFICIAL GIVING (inc DD):** \$194.00  
**LOOSE PLATE:** \$73.85

 **Upcoming Events**

**Sunday December 17:** Third Sunday of Advent. Youth will lead our Mass.

**Help is needed after Mass today setting up our Christmas Crib.**

**SINGING PRACTICE FOR CHRISTMAS WILL BE HELD ON TUESDAY 19TH DECEMBER FROM 6PM.**



**John 1:6 - 8**

There came a man who was sent from God; his name was John. He came as a witness to testify concerning that light, so that through him all men might believe. He himself was not the light; he came only as a witness to the light.



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

**NEWSHEET 2017: No. 51**  
Presbytery: 5024 1966  
Carmel Russo: 5021 2872  
Marianna Cavallaro: 5025 7473

Lay ministers at our Christmas Eve Mass-  
**PLATES:** Bay 1. Sylvia Orr, Bay 2. Grace Brizzi, Bay 3. Loris Bugno, Bay 4. Flags, Bay 5. Chen Cavallaro, Bay 6. Bidy Pitt  
**CUPS:** Bay 1. Janine Cameron, Bay 2. Patricia Hill, Bay 3. Jo-Ann Strangio, Bay 4. Naomi Morello, Bay 5. Marg Dominelli, Bay 6. Marissa Monteleone.

There are 6 Bays in the Church. Bay 1 is the Bay closest to the Our Lady of the Rosary statue.

Please obtain from Sylvia Orr a sheet detailing how you line up etc. to receive Communion yourselves etc. Thanks for signing up so promptly, though it is a pity that I will be the only one of male gender helping to give Communion at our Christmas Mass.

**ROSTER FOR CHRISTMAS MASS**

Flowers: Rita Chase  
Introduction to Mass: Marianna Cavallaro  
First Reading: Gabrielle Spataro  
Second Reading: Lou Grivec  
Prayer of the Faithful: Margret Bell  
Offertory Procession: Hilda, Sylvia & Di  
Lay Ministers: See other notice  
Altar Servers  
Thurible: Ella Briggs & Katie Hawkes  
Candles: Bethany Williams & Gemma Monteleone  
Cross: Rustyn McCarthy  
Book: Elektra Papanicolaou



**NEXT WEK'S READINGS:** 23rd December 2017  
4th Sunday of Advent / Year B

**First Reading:** 2 Sam 7:1-5, 8-12, 14, 16  
**Resp Psalm:** 88:2-5, 27, 29. R. cf. v. 2  
**Response:** For ever I will sing the goodness of the Lord.  
**Second Reading:** Rom 16:25-27  
**Gospel:** Lk 1:26-38

**CHRISTMAS MASSES**

**RED CLIFFS:**  
Mass on Christmas Eve (Dec 24) at 8.00 pm. Carols at 7.30 pm.  
Christmas Morning:  
Mass at IRYMPLE at 8.30 am.

**THE SEASON OF CHRISTMAS**

**Sunday 31st December**  
Feast of the Holy Family. Mass at 10.00 am  
**Monday 1st January 2018**  
New Year's Day. Mass at 10.00 am  
**Sunday 7th January**  
Feast of the Epiphany. Mass at 10.00 am  
**Monday 8th January**  
Feast of the Baptism of Our Lord. Mass in Unit 9 at 9.30 am.

**END OF CHRISTMAS TIME**  
Help is needed after Mass on Sunday, January 7, with putting away all of the accoutrements of Christmas-time.

**REMINDER**

Mass for the Fourth Sunday of Advent Saturday, December 23 at 6.00 pm.  
**PLEASE NOTE:** No Sunday morning Mass next Weekend.

**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 NEXT WEEKEND**  
**Sunday 19th December 2017**

**CHURCH CLEANING:** Volunteers  
**COUNT TEAM:** C Markham, D Eagle,  
**Intro to Mass:** Kate Brizzi  
**1st Reading:** Rachel Tassone  
**Psalm:** Tomas Hawkes  
**2nd Reading:** Tom Dowling  
**Prayer of the Faithful:** Jessica Lewis  
**Offertory Procession:** Lauren Russo  
Lay Ministers: Topui, Folole & Doug Mapapalangi  
**MUSIC:** Guitar  
**FLOWERS:** Janine Cameron

**ROSTERS FOR NEXT WEEKEND**  
**Saturday 23rd December 2017**

**CHURCH CLEANING:** Mapapalangi Family  
**COUNT TEAM:** B Gardner, S Williams  
**LEADER:** C Russo  
**READER 1:** B Antonie  
**READER 2:** M Bell  
**OFFERTORY:** M Bell  
**LAY MINISTERS:** J Strangio, M Suppa, C Tassone  
**ALTAR SERVERS:** Folole, Topui, Douglas, Setefano & Grace Mapapalangi, Tom Connelly  
**MUSIC:** Guitar  
**FLOWERS:** Janine Cameron

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