

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 Acts 2:1-11

The Spirit comes to the Apostles as tongues of fire.

Second Reading 1 Cor 12:3-7, 12-13

Be guided by the Spirit.

Gospel Jn 20:19-23

The Spirit will guide the Apostles to all truth.



Koroit Roster May 20

Leader: Carmel Madden

Readers: Fran Biber; Leonie Sinnott

Extraordinary Ministers: Clare Gleeson;

Doreen Bowron; Pat Lane

Gifts: Maree & Patrick lane & family

Counters for May : Des Keane; Michael Lane

Church Cleaning Flower Roster for May: Lisa

McCosh; Joan McCosh; Marlene Lenehan

Port Fairy : May 20 School Led Mass

Leader:

Reader:

Special Ministers:

Gifts:

Church Cleaning/ Flower Roster for May: Beth

Conlan & Janine Moloney

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MOYNE REGIONAL CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

Mass Times 2018

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,**

Moyné Regional Catholic Community

**The Parishes of
St Patrick's, Port Fairy
Infant Jesus, Koroit**



Ascension of the Lord

13.05..2018

**Responsorial Psalm
(R.) God mounts his throne
to shouts of joy:
a blare of trumpets for the
Lord.**

1. All peoples, clap your hands,
cry to God with shouts of joy!
For the Lord, the Most High, we
must fear,
great king over all the earth. (R.)

2. God goes up with shouts of
joy;
the Lord goes up with trumpet
blast.
Sing praise for God, sing praise,
sing praise to our king, sing
praise. (R.)

3. God is king of all the earth.
Sing praise with all your skill.
God is king over the nations;
God reigns on his holy
throne. (R.)



Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

Go and teach all people my
gospel.

I am with you always, until the
end of the world.

Alleluia!

Recent Death: Cath Brady

Anniversary: Kevin Smith; Molly
Clarke;; Elwyn McMahon;

Please keep in your prayers the
following **children from Port
Fairy who are being con-
firmed** next weekend
*Grace Goode, Emily Leddin, Wil-
liam Verhoef,
Tessa Phillips, Zac Allen, Aiden
Dwyer, Charlie Murray, Maeve
Murphy, Hugh Allen, Harry
Wagg, Harry Pollock, Chloe Du-
mesny,
Oliver McCosh,
Tilly Chisholm,
Isaac Dempsey,
Sienna van de Camp,
Caleb Tonkin, Eliza Ross, Jordon
Dwyer*

Koroit News:

Koroit: Planned Giving: \$286.00
Presbytery \$338.00

Port Fairy News:

Planned Giving: \$204.00
Presbytery \$323.60

Remember these Dates:

Sunday May 13: Mothers' Day

Sunday May 20: Confirmation at Port Fairy

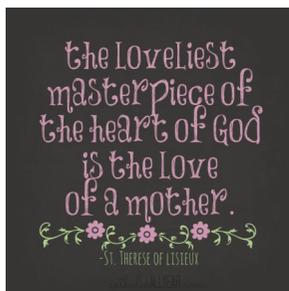
Sunday May 27: Confirmation at Koroit

Thursday May 31: Ecumenical Service at Belfast House 11.00am

Sunday June 3: No Mass at Yambuk - Mass at Hawkesdale

Sunday June 10: Mass at Yambuk - No Mass at Hawkesdale

Port Fairy Parish Finance Committee will meet on Wednesday next, May 16, 5.00pm



Mothers' Day Prayer

All-loving God, we give you thanks and praise for mothers young and old.

We pray for young mothers, who give life and count toes and tend to our every need; May they be blessed with patience and tenderness to care for their families and themselves with great joy.

We pray for our own mothers who have nurtured and cared for us; May they continue to guide us in strong and gentle ways.

We remember mothers who are separated from their children because of war, poverty, or conflict; May they feel the loving embrace of our God who wipes every tear away.

We pray for women who are not mothers but still love and shape us with motherly care and compassion.

We remember mothers, grandmothers, and great-grandmothers who are no longer with us but who live forever in our memory and nourish us with their love. Amen

REFLECTION by Dianne Bergant CSS

The Feast of the Ascension is really a kind of liminal moment in the Easter season. It is a time between times; a moment when we have left one place in our journey, but have not yet arrived at a second. While the narratives that describe the Ascension fit well into the unfolding story of redemption, the feast itself celebrates one aspect of the resurrection itself, namely, the exaltation of Jesus. The readings help us through this paradox. They allow us to focus on this theological point while we commemorate a turning point in the life of the church. We do this by considering both the enthronement of Christ in the heavens and the new body of Christ on earth. Today we stand awestruck, watching Jesus ascend into the clouds of heaven, there to be enthroned at God's right hand. Today we are overwhelmed by the divinity of the one whom we have known in his humanity. Amidst shouts of joy and exaltation, Christ is enthroned in heaven in both his divinity and his glorified humanity. Now he is present with us in a new way, in a new body, in the church. He teaches through its apostles and evangelists; he ministers through its prophets and pastors. Through us he continues to heal and to

comfort; to forgive and to include. We have his power, the same power with which he performed marvels when he walked the earth. We have each other; together we make up the new body of Christ.

Prayer for the Plenary Council

Blessed are you, God of all creation. You have given us life and light and all the wonders of the world. You have sent your Son Jesus to be our Saviour and your Holy Spirit to be our guide. As we prepare for the plenary council, we ask you to come into our hearts with your Son and Holy Spirit. Come to us and make your home in us. We pray for our local community, for the people of our diocese and for the Church throughout Australia. May your wisdom show us the way, for your word is a lamp for our feet and a light for our path. Come and fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in us the fire of your love, that we may live by your gospel and share your good news with all we meet. Holy Mary, Mother of our Saviour, pray for us. St Mary MacKillop, pray for us.