

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 Am 7:12-15 Amaziah questions Amos.

Second Reading Eph 1:3-14 God chose us in Christ.

Gospel Mk 6:7-13

Jesus sends the Twelve out in pairs.

Koroit Roster July 15

Leader: Carmel madden

Readers: Fran Biber; Leonie Sinnott

Extraordinary Ministers: Clare Gleeson; pat Lane; Doreen Bowron

Gifts: Maree & Patrick Lane & family

Counters for July: Margaret Cashill; Rita McCluskey

Church Cleaning Flower Roster for July: Margaret Gleeson; Margaret Cashill

Port Fairy : July 15

Leader: Liz McVeigh

Reader: Trish Blythe

Special Ministers: Marj Murrhy; Aileen sully; Peter Sanderson

Gifts: W & J Paton

Church Cleaning/ Flower Roster for July: M Gibb; H Moloney; I Dowdle.

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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,**



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



14th Sunday in Ordinary time

08.07.2018

**Responsorial Psalm
(R.) Our eyes are fixed on
the Lord,
pleading for his mercy.**

1. To you have I lifted up my eyes,
you who dwell in the heavens:
my eyes, like the eyes of slaves
on the hand of their lords. (R.)

2. Like the eyes of a servant
on the hand of his mistress,
so our eyes are on the Lord our
God
till he shows us his mercy. (R.)

3. Have mercy on us, Lord, have
mercy.

We are filled with contempt.
Indeed all too full is our soul
with the scorn of the rich,
with the proud man's dis-
dain. (R.)



Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

The Spirit of the Lord is upon
me;

he sent me to bring Good News
to the poor.

Alleluia!

Recent Death : Mary Sadler
John Shanahan;

**A letter from Bishop Paul Bird
regarding the amalgamation
of parishes into three new
parishes is available at the en-
trances to the churches.**

A Night with Moira Kelly

Friday July 13

Bourkes Hotel, Koroit

From 6.00pm

\$20.00 for a 2 course meal

Local musicians playing

throughout the night.

Bookings with Wendy or Bruce

55658201

Further information from Joss

Brooks 0429192974

Koroit News:

Koroit: Planned Giving: \$901.00
Presbytery \$290.80

Port Fairy News:

Planned Giving:
Presbytery

Remember these Dates:

Thursday July 12: Mass at
Moyneyana House 10.00am

Wednesday July 18: Port
Fairy Finance Committee meet-
ing 5.00pm

Thursday July 19 - Ecumeni-
cal Service Belfast House
11.00am

JOY+

*Open New Horizons for Spread-
ing Joy*

*A free all day festival for youth
and young adults 15-30 years
featuring Genevieve Bryant and
band with special guests.*

Warrnambool West

Sunday September 2nd

12 noon to 8.00pm

Presented by Youth and Young

Adult Ministry,

Catholic diocese of Ballarat.

Plenary Council 2018

Archbishop of Brisbane, Mark Col-
eridge - who participated at the
Vatican in the Synod on the family
- is the key spokesperson for the
event.

“We are going through a time of
profound cultural changes,” said
Archbishop Coleridge, “not only in
society but also in the Church. I
think we have to accept the fact
that Christianity - in the sense of
Christianity as the common relig-
ion - is over. How do we respond
to this situation?”

The paedophilia scandal has
harshly affected the Church of
Australia: the Royal Commission,
investigating sexual abuse against
children, has cast a shadow on the
Church.

“For the Church this is certainly
not the time to go on as if nothing
had happened,” says Coleridge,
“And if any proof were still needed,
the Royal Commission has given it.
We have to deal with the facts, and
in light of the facts - which are not
always pleasant - make important
decisions for our future.”

The Archbishop of Brisbane also
stressed the connection with the
experience at the Synod for the
family: “It was in listening to the
Pope’s speech on synodality in the
Church, on the morning of 17 Oc-
tober,” he said, “that I began to
realize, in a clear and powerful
way, that the time had arrived for
the Australian Church.” And also
the method should be the same: “I
hope that the agenda of our Ple-

nary Council,” continues Coleridge,
“will be the result of genuine consul-
tation within the Church, to be held
between now and 2020. Anyone who
wants to can have a say, as it was for
the Synod in Rome.”

REFLECTION

It is not easy to recognise a true
prophet. Frequently those with
prophetic insight are treated with-
out honour. The people to whom
Ezekiel was sent were hard of face,
obstinate of heart, a rebellious
house. The Galileans who heard
Jesus' words were no better. They
questioned his authenticity be-
cause they thought he was no bet-
ter than they were and, therefore,
he had no right to act superior. We
so often resent people who can do
what we cannot. This resentment
can be magnified when the person
is someone with whom we have
grown up, a member of the family
or of the community.

True believers recognise and ad-
mit their human frailty. They also
know that genuine weakness does
not impede the saving action of
God. In fact, God seems
to *prefer* to act where pride and
self-satisfaction do not prevail, for
such attitudes are obstacles to per-
sonal transformation. However,
when we open ourselves in humil-
ity and honest piety, the power of
God can flood our minds and our
hearts and shine forth from us to

all around. When this happens,
there will be no doubt in any
mind as to the origin of this won-
drous reality. It will be very clear
that though it comes *through* us,
it comes *from* God. The receptiv-
ity of Paul in this matter is in
sharp contrast to the rebellion of
the people at the time of Ezekiel
and the resistance of those who
thought that they knew Jesus so
well.

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 wis-
dom 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 Sav-
iour, pray for us. St
Mary MacKillop, pray
for us.



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27-30 APRIL