

# The Parish Pump

The Weekly Bulletin for St John's, Dennington and St Pius X, West Warrnambool  
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**8 July 2018**

**14th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**West Warrnambool and Dennington are Child-Safe Parishes**

Child Safeguarding Officer: Mrs Rachel Brown. 0402 009 785

## Amalgamated Parishes

Already, some parishes in our diocese have been amalgamated to form three new parishes. St Mary MacKillop Parish, Western Border includes the former parishes of Casterton, Coleraine, Edenhope, Hamilton and Harrow. Father Patrick Mugavin is the Parish Priest and Father John Corrigan, Assistant Priest. Holy Family Parish, Northeast Mallee includes the former parishes of Swan Hill and Sea Lake with the northern part of the old Quambatook Parish. Father Matthew Thomas is the Parish Priest.

Mary Glowrey Parish, East Wimmera covers the old parishes of Birchip, Charlton, Donald, St Arnaud and Wycheproof with the southern part of the former Quambatook Parish. Father Eugene McKinnon is the Parish Priest and Father Peter Jose is Assistant Priest. Clearly, these developments offer a suggestion of things to come in our own district and consultation and information will be important aspects of any proposed reorganisation.

## Diocesan Youth Festivals

**Joy+** festivals for youth and young adults, 15 to 30, have already been advertised here. People from the Diocese (including Bishop Paul Bird) will be presenting the gathering on Sunday 2 September here in West Warrnambool at St Pius X Parish. More information can be had on the youth ministry web pages at [www.ballarat.catholic.org.au](http://www.ballarat.catholic.org.au) or you can email [youth@ballarat.catholic.org.au](mailto:youth@ballarat.catholic.org.au)

## Senior Parishioners' Mass

The next Mass for Senior parishioners will be at Mercy Place on Thursday 12 July at 10 a.m. It will be followed by morning tea. All welcome.

## New Giving Envelopes

New planned giving envelopes are available for the season starting on 14-15 July. Parishioners are asked to collect their new envelopes from the foyer of the church after Mass today, but you are requested to start using them only next weekend. Anyone who would prefer to contribute by direct debit—that is by authorising the parish to take a regular contribution from your bank account—is invited to sign a form of authority which can be found in the foyer. Our thanks are owed to all generous givers.

## Alpha Youth Group

The Alpha Youth Group is starting on Friday 20 July at 5:30 p.m. in the Church foyer. Alpha is a small group setting in a faith-building environment. Further enquiries to Julie Sagnol on 0400 871 481.

## Collection for the Pope

The annual collection for the Pope is usually held on the weekend closest to the Feast of Sts Peter and Paul (29 June). This year, however, we plan to postpone the collection until later in July in view of the recent winter appeal for the Society of St Vincent de Paul which was so well supported in mid-June.

## Thank You for Giving

Presbytery Last Week: \$606.00

Planned Giving July 17—June 18: \$66,743.65

Amount Pledged: \$70,681.00



They said, "Where did the man get all this?"

Mark 6,2

## St Pius X Bingo "Christmas in July"

### Bingo

**Thursday 26 July 2018**

**Total Pay Out**

**\$3000.00 Plus ??**

### Jackpots

**\$1000.00 x 1**

**\$500.00 x 1**

**\$50.00 x 26**

**Plus 2 x Mystery**

**'Christmas' Payouts**

Tickets only \$10.00 for 30 Games

+ \$2.00 for BIG BUCKS

Eyes down 8.00 pm

Place: St Pius X Hall, Morriss Road.

Doors open: 6.00 pm

Enquiries Lorraine Ph: 0409237881

If sufficient tickets sold

## Mass Rosters Next Week Readers

6 p.m. A. Roache  
10 a.m. L. Ermacora

## Prayers of the Faithful

6 p.m. P. McGennicken  
10 a.m. B. Ermacora

## Ministers of Communion

6 p.m. Pauline Haberfield  
C. Murrighy  
K. Johnson  
J. Thornton  
D. Pasco  
10 a.m. S. Malone  
M. Healey  
D. Webster  
Volunteer  
Volunteer

## Local Sunday Masses

|             |                |                                      |
|-------------|----------------|--------------------------------------|
| <b>Sat.</b> | <b>6 p.m.</b>  | <b>St Pius X</b>                     |
|             | 6 p.m.         | OLHC                                 |
| <b>Sun.</b> | 8:30 a.m.      | St Joseph's                          |
|             | 9 a.m.         | OLHC                                 |
|             | <b>10 a.m.</b> | <b>St Pius X</b>                     |
|             | 10:30 a.m.     | St Joseph's                          |
|             | 10:30 a.m.     | Allansford<br>(1st, 3rd & 5th: Mass) |
|             | 11 a.m.        | Purnim<br>(1st, 3rd & 5th lay-led)   |
|             | 11 a.m.        | Purnim (2nd & 4th: Mass)             |
|             | 6 p.m.         | St Joseph's                          |

## Weekday Masses

|               |                     |
|---------------|---------------------|
| Monday 9:     | 7:30 a.m. St Pius X |
| Tuesday 10:   | 5:45 p.m. St Pius X |
| Wednesday 11: | 10 a.m. Dennington  |
| Thursday 12:  | 10 a.m. Mercy Place |
| Friday 13:    | 9:15 a.m. St Pius X |
| Saturday 14:  | 10 a.m. St Pius X   |

## Confessions

Saturday mornings after Mass or when you can find Father Michael: no appointment is necessary.