

The Parish Pump

The Weekly Bulletin for St John's, Dennington and St Pius X, West Warrnambool
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5 August 2018 **18th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

West Warrnambool and Dennington are Child-Safe Parishes

Child Safeguarding Officer: Mrs Rachel Brown. 0402 009 785

Mass on Wednesday

Wednesday 8 August is the feast of St Mary MacKillop. Mass on Wednesday will be at 10 a.m. in St Pius X Church, not at Dennington.

Seniors' Mass

The next Senior Parishioners Mass will be at Mercy Place on Thursday 9 August at 10 a.m. It will be followed by morning tea.

"Our Diocesan Community"

There are still some copies of the diocesan news magazine, *Our Diocesan Community*, at the church doors. If you haven't yet taken one, please take home your FREE copy after Mass.

eConference on Plenary Council

St Joseph's Parish will host the next e-conference in their parish hall on Wednesday 8 August from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. The questions under consideration will be

- What do you think God is asking of us in Australia at this time?
- What questions do you have about the future of the church for the Plenary Council to consider in 2020?
- Do you have a story you would like to share about your experience of faith or the Church?

To reserve your seat, please contact St Joseph's parish office on 5562 2231 or warrnambool@ballarat.catholic.org.au
People attending are asked to bring a plate to share for lunch.

Back to Illowa Reunion

Former students, teaching staff and their families are invited to a reunion for the two Schools that stood side by side; it is 160 years since Illowa State School 690 opened and 100 years since St Columba's School opened.

The Back to Illowa celebration will take place on the weekend of 17-18 November 2018.

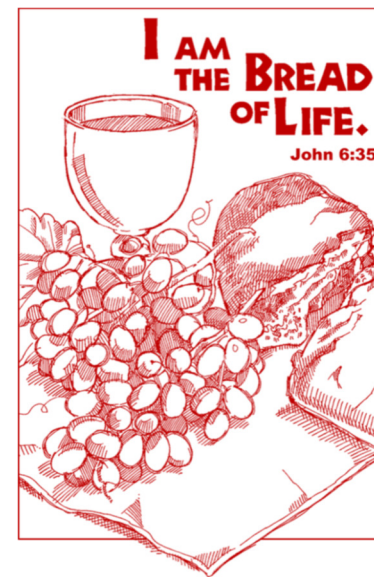
For more details or to be placed on the mailing list please phone Wendy Lane on 0428 328 881 or email lanebros@bigpond.com

"Step into Spring"

The Warrnambool Symphony Orchestra invites you to "Step into Spring" with a concert of well-known and well-loved pieces at 2.30 p.m. on Sunday 12 August, at Christ Church Anglican Church on the corner of Koroit and Henna Streets. Tickets \$20 adult and \$15 student from Collins Books, Dale Cleves Music, Christ Church office or at the door. Afternoon tea provided. Enquiries 0419 130 582.

Diocesan Youth Festivals

Joy+ festivals for youth and young adults, 15 to 30, have already been advertised on *The Parish Pump*. 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 or you can email youth@ballarat.catholic.org.au



Anniversary

Phil McDonough

Thank You for Giving

Presbytery Last Week: \$562.40
Giving July 2018: \$5,532.00
Amount Pledged: \$5,160.00

Visiting Sister

Sister Manuela Cabigas of the Baptistine Sisters is Ballarat Diocesan RCIA and Sacramental Preparation Coordinator. She will be visiting us tonight (Saturday) for the 6 p.m. Mass.

Marriage Encounter Weekend

Married couples are invited to a weekend in Melbourne to help them develop and deepen their relationship as a couple. There is no group sharing. Couples and a priest present the weekend. It is based around Catholic values but couples of all faiths are welcome. The program starts at 7 p.m. on Friday 17 August and Friday 9 November and concludes at 5 p.m. on Sunday 19 August and Sunday 11 November. Accommodation and all meals will be provided. For information and/or bookings please phone Andre and Maria on 0403 569 079 or email vicbookings@wwme.org.au
Website: www.wwme.org.au

Mass Rosters Next Week Readers

6 p.m. P. Starkie
10 a.m. Volunteer

Prayers of the Faithful

6 p.m. A. Roache
10 a.m. Julie Sagnol

Ministers of Communion

6 p.m. D. Pasco
J. Dean
K. Johnson
Pauline Haberfield
J. Thornton
10 a.m. M. Healey
M. Pickett
J. Beks
G. Hughson
Volunteer

Local Sunday Masses

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

Weekday Masses

Monday 6:	7:30 a.m.	St Pius X
Tuesday 7:	5:45 p.m.	St Pius X
Wednesday 8:	10 a.m.	St Pius X
Thursday 9:	10 a.m.	Mercy Place
Friday 10:	9:15 a.m.	St Pius X
Saturday 11:	10 a.m.	St Pius X

Confessions

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