

ST JOSEPH'S PARISH - WARRNAMBOOL

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We acknowledge the traditional custodians of this land - The Gunditjmara People. We acknowledge their ancestors with respect & commit to working for reconciliation & justice.

PARISH STAFF: Fr John Fitzgerald (Parish Priest)
Kathleen Card (Pastoral Associate)
Barry Wolff (Business Manager)
Leanne McElgunn (Secretary)
Pat Negri (Gardening/Maintenance)

CHILD SAFETY OFFICER: Anne Maree Mugavin

Office Hours: Monday to Friday: 9.00am - 1.00pm; 1.30pm - 4.00pm

SCHOOL PRINCIPALS: Michael Gray (St Joseph's School)
Peter Morgan (Emmanuel College)

WEEK-END LITURGIES: **Sunday:** 8.30am - 10.30am - 6.00pm
Purnim: 11.00am (Eucharist on 2nd and 4th Sundays)
(Assembly of Word with Communion on 1st, 3rd & 5th Sundays)

WEEK-DAY LITURGIES: **Tuesday Wednesday Thursday & Friday:** 10.00am (Eucharist)
Friday: 10.30am (Reconciliation)

Deaths: Boyd Advincula, Ron Barley, Bill Jansen, Betty Kenna

Anniversaries: Judy McDowall, William Kennedy, Mary Lane, Jesus Mendoza

Baptism: This weekend Patrick Mugavin, Lincoln De Bono and Chantelle Serra are welcomed into God's Family

Baptism Preparation: This Wednesday at 7.30pm, please book prior to evening

Welcome: Sr Manuela will be in attendance at 10.30am Mass this morning. She is the Diocesan RCIA and Sacramental Facilitator.

Ephphatha Book Corner: The library of books is located in the Parish Office and is opened week days 9.00am to 4.00pm. Please feel free to come and read or borrow from the numerous theological and spiritual books.

Stewardship - Finances

Stewardship: Weekly average contributions for the month of June

Parish: \$3,124.00 **Pledged Amount:** (per week) \$2,820 **Presbytery:** \$1,173.00

NB: Parish contributions consists of envelopes, credit cards & direct debit

18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

eConference

Synodality in Practice: Listening to the Spirit and Leading Change

The 14th National eConference will focus on engaging communities around Australia in a landmark discussion around the future vision and direction for the Catholic Church in this country. The eConference can be viewed in the Parish Hall this Wednesday from 10.00am to 3.00pm. All are welcome to attend. BYO lunch.

This year's eConference will be pre-recorded making it available to view for two weeks, allowing everyone to benefit from the experience, no matter where they are located.

Migrant & Refugee Sunday: Our Parish is made up of parishioners from many cultures. On Sunday **26th August** we will celebrate this day by showcasing memorabilia and sharing in food from various countries. An invitation is extended to all parishioners to help celebrate this day.

First Eucharist: Today the children formally begin their preparation for First Eucharist with a blessing.

Parishioners: Bishop Bird asks that **all volunteers** provide their parish with a current Working with Children Check (WWC). If you are a volunteer in **any ministry** we ask you to complete this task. Any query please contact Parish Office.

Thanksgiving Program: Thank you to the parishioners who support the work of the church through their financial contribution. It enables St Joseph's Parish to be of service to our faith community and beyond.

For those who are not part of the Thanksgiving Program but may now wish to participate and help in the running of our Parish, please fill out details below. If you need further information please don't hesitate to contact Parish Office. Thank you

Name

Address

Phone No(s)

Email

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Credit Card ()

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