

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: **Monday:** 11.00am (Requiem Mass: Marie Ferrier RIP)
Wednesday: 10.00am (Feast of the Assumption)
5.00pm (OLHC)
5.45pm (St Pius)
Thursday: 1.00pm (Requiem Mass: Maureen Warren RIP)
Friday: 10.00am (Eucharist) (St Joseph's Primary School)

Deaths: Marie Ferrier, Maureen Warren

Anniversaries: Margaret Egan, Kevin Mugavin (Purnim), John O'Sullivan (Purnim)

Baptism: This weekend Lucas Kerr is welcomed into God's Family

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.

Warrnambool Symphony Orchestra: 'Step into Spring' Concert today: 2.30pm at Christ Church. Tickets at the door: \$20 & \$15 with afternoon tea. All welcome

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

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Migrant & Refugee Sunday - 26th August

Our Parish is made up of parishioners from many cultures:

Ireland Scotland England India Netherlands Sri Lanka New Zealand Italy
Philippines Nigeria South Sudan South Korea China Poland Vietnam

ON SUNDAY 26TH AUGUST WE WILL CELEBRATE THE CULTURAL DIVERSITY OF OUR PARISH AND OUR NATION.

You are invited to bring memorabilia of the country of your birth to display over the weekend. Please bring a plate to share, perhaps a 'special' dish from your homeland, following the 10.30am Mass

Commitment of Parents - First Eucharist

Fr John: Will you nourish your own faith by hearing and reflecting on the Word of God, by being nourished by his Body and Blood and living out the values of the Gospel? **Parents:** We will

Fr John: Will you encourage your child to live the Christian life through word and example? **Parents:** We will

Fr John: May Almighty God bless you in this most important work.

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

Envelopes ()

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Credit Card ()

Please place on the collection plate or contact Parish Office (5562 2231)