

Ararat and Lake Bolac CHURCH ROSTER

Day & Date	Facilitator	Reader	Eucharistic Minister	Golden Gate Communion	Welcomers	Counter	Collector	Flowers	Cleaning
Sat Nov 10th	G. White	Beck Rodger	T. Gem-mola & N. Billingsley		Marg Joyce & Tom Kidd	T. Weeks & L. Patter-son	V. Hoop-er & Tom Kidd	M. Demp-sey & M. Jerram	K. Scher-ger
Sun Nov 11th	J. Brennan	Imogen Tonks	M. Cun-ningham, Sr. John & C. Reid	D&M Lister	Blessie Stoneman	(as above)	John Po-la	(as above)	(as above)
Sat Nov 17th	G. White	H. Collins	L. Hors-man & C. McAdie		Marg Joyce & Tom Kidd	C. Bush & J. Clery	G. White	M. Egan & M. Brady	J. Clery
Sun Nov 18th	J. Clery		C. Bulger, & K. Cham-mings	E. Shea	Pat Lardner & S. Picker-ing	(as above)	V. Hoop-er	(as above)	As above
Lake Bolac Sun Nov 11th	Reader NO MASS	Prayers	Eucharistic Minister	Cleaner	Lake Bolac Sun Nov 18th	Reader I. Meek	Prayers T. Higgins	Eucharis-tic Minis-ter M. Phillips	Cleaner T. Higgins

Saint of the Week . St Francis Xavier Cabrini **Feastday:** November 13 **Patron** of immigrants, hospital administrators, Lincoln Birth: 1850 Death: 1917 In its first five years, the institute established seven homes and a free school and nursery. Frances wanted to continue her mission in China, but Pope Leo XIII urged her to go to the United States, a nation that was becoming flooded with Italian immigrants who needed her help. "Not to the East, but the West," was his advice to her. On March 31, 1889, Frances arrived in New York City along with six other sisters ready to begin her new journey. However, right from the beginning she encountered many disappointments and hardships. The house originally intended for her new orphanage was no longer available, but Frances did not give up, even though the archbishop insisted she return to Italy. Read more on www.catholic.org

Child Safe Church

Here at the Church of the Immaculate Conception & St. Bernard's, we follow the Child Safe Standards outlined by the Victorian Govern-ment and we also implement procedures and standards as directed by the Ballarat Diocesan Office.

Our Safe Guarding Officer is Emma Coburn and you can download our Code of Conduct and Child Safety Policy from the Parish web-site. If you have any concerns whatsoever—please contact the Parish Office, Fr. Andrew or the Safe Guarding Officer on

ararat@ballarat.catholic.org.au

Lifeline: 131114 Ararat Police: 5355 1500

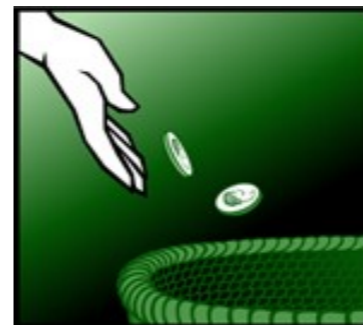
Counselling service: Relationships Australia – 1800 052 674

Catholic Diocese of Ballarat Towards Healing – 1800 099 340

Sexual Assault Crisis line: 1800 806 292

Church Toilets

All children—Primary school age and under— must be accompanied by an adult. Thank you for your understanding.



Sunday, 11 Nov 2018
Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year B

As we celebrate, we acknowledge the Indigenous owners of the land on which our Churches are built, the Tjapwurong people, and we respect the presence of the spirits of their ancestors among us.

10th/11th November 2018

RECENT DEATHS:

ANNIVERSARIES:

Albert Thomas, Moira Flynn, Paddy Brennan, Hilda Cowell
Rodolfo Auxilio, Julian McKenzie-McHarg, Enid Dower, Allan Hewitt, Evelyn Moloney, Grace Schwab, Irene Wilson, Hughie Lees, Wilham Parker, Fr Nik Serzants, Ray Gellie, Tom O'Neill, Elma Upton, Irene Prydderch, Jean Cunningham, Arthur Morrison, Janine Shalders, Brian Clothier, Peter Carter, Margaret Brady, Margaret Darcy, Fr Mick Kehoe, Dorothy Woodford, Lillian Marshall, Bill Gordon, Michael Parker, Tim Joyce

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK:

Mark Eastick, Monica Fitzpatrick, Robin Wright, (Jenny Wright's son), Sr. Geraldine Stapleton, Carmel Brennan,

If you would like a sick person prayed for, ask for their permission. Names will be included for the duration of ONE MONTH after which family or friends can request more time.

Please pray for the intentions of :

Mary Howard, Libby Shea, Joyce Clery

First Reading 1 Kgs 17:10-16

A reading from the first book of the Kings

The widow made a little scone from her flour meal and brought it to Elijah.

Responsorial Psalm Ps 145:7-10. R.v.2

(R.) Praise the Lord, my soul!

1. It is the Lord who keeps faith forever who is just to those who are oppressed. It is he who gives bread to the hungry, the Lord who sets prisoners free. (R.)
2. It is the Lord who gives sight to the blind, who raises up those who are bowed down. It is the Lord who loves the just, the Lord who protects the stranger. (R.)
3. The Lord upholds the widow and orphan but thwarts the path of the wicked. The Lord will reign for ever, Zion's God, from age to age. (R.)

Second Reading Heb 9:24-28

A reading from the letter to the Hebrews

Christ offered himself only once to take the faults of many on himself.

Gospel Mk 12:38-44

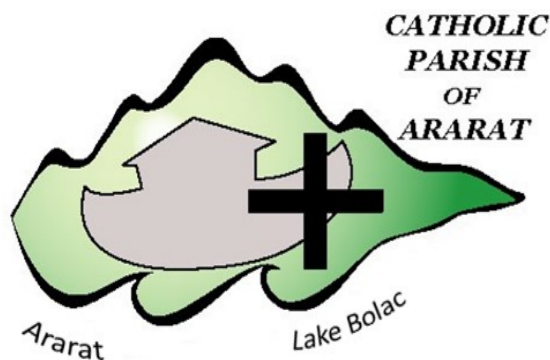
A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark

This poor widow has put more in than all who contributed.

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PARISH PRAYER

Loving God, Good Shepherd of us all,
gather us and form us into a welcoming Parish family.
Touch our hearts with your love so that we,
In turn, may reach out in love to one another,
in a neighbourly community. We ask this through Jesus Christ Our Lord.
Amen.



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Peter Gemmola

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Joan Fitzpatrick, Sr. Maree, Harry Collins & Sioux Reid

Catholic Women's League:

Jan Crowe (President) & Anna Collins (Secretary)

St. Vincent de Paul Society:

Vinnies Shop/Centre 03 5352 5560

President: Peter Brady

Manager: Kathleen Leggett

PRINCIPAL ST. MARY'S SCHOOL: Mr Bill Hill

Download newsletter: www.smararat.catholic.edu.au

Ph: 03 5352 1796

PRINCIPAL MARIAN COLLEGE: Mrs Carmel Barker

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www.mcararat.catholic.edu.au

Ph: 03 5352 3861

Parish Centre

Our Parish Centre is used for various activities—from Graduate Teacher Professional Development Days, Family Celebrations, Formal Meetings to a gathering place after a funeral.

It is a space that can accommodate up to 100 people comfortably and has an industrial kitchen. If you would like more information—please contact the office (Joyce) on 03 5352 5460

MASS TIMES

Ararat (Immaculate Conception)

Saturday 6.00pm

Sunday 10.30am

Lake Bolac (St. Bernard's)

8.30am 1st, 3rd, 4th and 5th Sundays

2nd Sundays at Glenthompson at 8.30am

Masses this Week

This week Fr. Andrew will be away with nativity and other commitments

A VOCATION VIEW

The Lateran Basilica, the Cathedral of Rome, is a symbol of the unity of the Church. We are called to be apostles of unity, ourselves living in, and calling others to, communion with Christ in His Body, the Church. May we seek out opportunities to proclaim this message.

Pope Francis @Pontifex.com 2017

Personal Safety & Your Child

Download the Parent's Guide to personal Safety to help protect your children—go to www.bravehearts.org.au/personalsafety and download the booklet

Next Week's Readings: Nov 18th 2018

First Reading Dn 12:1-3

Second Reading Heb 10:11-14, 18

CWL

The Catholic Women's league will have their monthly meeting in the parish centre on Tuesday November 13th at 1pm. All welcome

Office Hours while Joyce is away

Normal office hours resume this Wednesday 14th November

St Anne's Grandmother's Group

Christmas Break-up December 5th – Chalambar 12.30pm Kris Kringle \$10 – RSVP by Monday 3rd to Mary Cunningham or Margaret Dempsey for bookings

Unique Local produce Tasting

You are all welcome to a unique tasting of local wine and food in the Parish Centre from 4-6pm on Wednesday November 14th. Present will be Dhiaga Wines, Steel Cutters Cottage and Black & Ginger Wines. You might even walk away with some Christmas gifts.

Catholic Theological College 2019 Study Tour

The CTC 2019 Study Tour 'Footsteps of Faith: Encountering the Christian Tradition' will be held from September 19 – October 15, 2019 to Ireland England and Italy. Tour Leaders include Rev Dr Max Vodola, Dr Frances Baker rsm and Rev Prof Austin Cooper omi AM. Information Session will be held on Saturday, November 24, 2018 from 11.00am - 1.00pm. RSVP to Jenny Delahunt, ph. 9412 3314 or email jenny.delahunt@ctc.edu.au. Further details available from the College website <http://www.ctc.edu.au/studytours>.

Planned Giving Envelopes

The 2nd trimester of Planned Giving Envelopes are now available to be collected from the back of the church.

Joke of the Week

"I see you Jake— but does anyone have a question that's *not* about carpentry?"

