



St. Augustine's Parish, Maryborough
 ~inc. St. Kevin's, Barnett St. Avoca, St. Mary's, Hardy St. Dunolly,
 St. Patrick's, Pyrenees H'way & Evans St. Amphitheatre,
 St. Patrick's, Main St. Bealiba, St. Patrick's, Barkly-Redbank Rd. Redbank,
 St. Augustine's, Burke St, Maryborough~



21st April 2019 EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD.

Priests: Fr. John Monaghan, Fr. Mark Chia CSsR

Parish Secretary: Jill Morse **Parish Office:** 21 Burns St. Maryborough. 9.00am – 12.00 noon Wednesday and Friday

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Parish Child Safety Officer: Jill Morse.

Weekends: MARYBOROUGH – Mass 6.00pm Saturday & 10.30am Sunday.
 AVOCA – Mass 8.30am EVERY SUNDAY.
 DUNOLLY – Mass 8.30am EVERY SUNDAY – EXCEPT 5TH SUNDAY OF THE MONTH.
 BEALIBA – Mass 8.30am each 5th Sunday of the month.

Collections "Thank You". First Collection – \$601 *For Clergy support and Presbytery expenses.*
 Second Collection - Parish Planned Giving \$1175 *For Parish expenses and Church maintenance.*
 Sacrament of Reconciliation (First Rite) – Saturdays at 10.00am (enter via door near Sacristy) or upon request.

Sanctuary Cleaning and Flowers	April 26 -	T. Branton, J. Branton, R. Wiseman.
	May 3 -	V. Lowery, J. Smith
Planned Giving Counters	April 21 -	P. Walsh, B. O'Connor, D. Hamilton.
	April 28 -	P. Egan, N. Fitzpatrick, D. Weeks

<u>EASTER VIGIL</u>	<u>FIRE AND LIGHTS</u>	<u>LAMPS</u>	<u>MINISTERS OF COMMUNION</u>		
6.00pm			J.Leneaux-Gale, M. & D. Forster		
<u>READER</u>	<u>PRAYERS</u>	<u>ALTAR SERVERS</u>	<u>COMPUTER</u>	<u>INCENSE</u>	<u>BELLS</u>
G. Loyer					
<u>EASTER SUNDAY</u>	<u>READER</u>	<u>PRAYERS</u>	<u>MINISTERS OF COMMUNION</u>		<u>GIFTS</u>
10.30am	M. McNeilly	J. Taylor	S. Meerbach, A. & J. Maruca		Cameron Family
	<u>READER</u>	<u>PSALM/PRAYER</u>	<u>MINISTERS OF COMMUNION</u>		<u>GIFTS</u>
<u>Weekend April 27/28</u>					
6.00pm	B. Cramer	M. Gowers	J. Leneaux-Gale, T. & M. Lacey		O'Connor Family
10.30am	S. Meerbach	M. McNeilly	T. Waterson. T. Plucke, F. Upson		Taylor Family

Tuesday 23rd April - 9.30am Mass
Tuesday 23rd April - 11.00am Bob Henderson Funeral Prayers at Dunolly
Wednesday 24th April - 10.30am Mass at Havilah Hostel
Wednesday 24th April - 2.00pm Prayers at Wattle Rise Nursing Home
Thursday 25th April - 9.30am Mass ANZAC DAY
Friday 26th April - 9.30am Mass (No Exposition Today)

St. Patrick's, Redbank – 11.00am Wednesday 15th May 2019

St. Patrick's, Amphitheatre – 6.00pm Friday 26th April 2019

St. Patrick's Bealiba – 8.30am Sunday 30th June 2019

THE EASTER TRIDUUM: From the time of Jesus, the Church has mourned his death and rejoiced in his resurrection. We commemorate his final days, and our Passover with him from death to life, as three intrinsically linked parts of the greatest event in history. The Mass of the Lord's Supper at which Jesus instituted the Eucharist and in washed his disciples' feet prepares us for Good Friday's simple, solemn liturgy that begins and ends in silence as we prayerfully contemplate Jesus' suffering and death. Then our Easter Vigil and morning Masses joyfully celebrate God bringing light to where there is darkness, new life in place of death and above all Jesus' Resurrection from the dead that profoundly expresses in a way like no other God's infinite love for us then and always.

MARGARET MEERBACH RIP: We offer our sincerest sympathy to Samantha and her family upon the death of her dear mum last weekend. At her Funeral Mass at St Alipius' Ballarat East last Wednesday we gave thanks for a wonderful woman of faith, family and immense parish commitment including several decades as housekeeper and provider of welcome and hospitality of the highest order whenever family, friends, parishioners and priests visited St Alipius Presbytery, Ballarat East.

BOB HENDERSON RIP: Condolences to Bob's wife Shane and their children upon his passing on Wednesday. A former Bet Bet Shire mayor and remembered as a great stalwart of the Dunolly and Goldsborough community, we give thanks to God for his life with us and pray that he now be enjoying eternal life as we prepare to offer Funeral Prayers for Bob at St Mary's, Dunolly 11.00am this Tuesday.

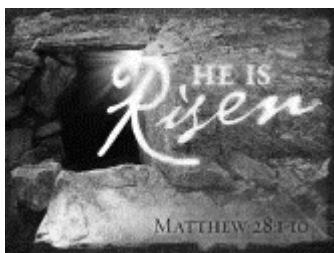
PROJECT COMPASSION: Thank you to all who have supported the immense charitable work of Caritas throughout the world through your Project Compassion envelopes and boxes during Lent. Envelopes and boxes can be returned on the collection plate at any weekend Masses.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION: There will be a Parent Information evening for parents of Grade Three children 6.00pm on Thursday 2nd May in St Augustine's School Library. This will begin a four week Sacrament preparation program leading up to Confirmation during 10.30am Mass on Sunday 2nd June. For children at other schools wishing to be Confirmed, please ring our Parish on 0466 451 984 to notify you will be attending this meeting or for other enquiries.

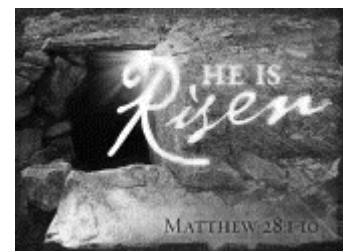
MYANMAR PROJECT 2019: In January, six teachers from our diocese, including our own Samantha Meerbach, travelled to Myanmar as part of an ongoing educational project there, supported by Catholic Education Ballarat and Catholic Mission. A great summary of this is in 28 February 2019 e-News on Ballarat Diocese Ballarat website and on Youtube: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oDh_taYYDJw

OUR DIOCESAN COMMUNITY (ODC) MARCH ISSUE is available now. Please collect your copy from our churches. There are many interesting articles – including on Samantha Meerbach's Myanmar Project trip and 130 years of Brigidine Life and Ministry in Ararat plus separate photos of Jill Morse and Fr Mark Chia.

CATHOLIC BISHOP'S FEDERAL ELECTION STATEMENT. The bishops call for respect in public debate, share Catholic social teaching and detail some key issues to reflect on before you vote. "Politics in service of peace: a statement by the Catholic bishops of Australia for the 2019 federal election" can be found at www.catholic.org.au



HOLY, HAPPY AND SAFE EASTER



Remembering those who have died:

We pray for those who died recently, especially Margie Meerbach and Bob Henderson, and for those whose anniversaries are at this time: Michael Taylor, Jean Palmer, Una and Bill Fitzpatrick, Francesca Caruso, Michael Hynes, Brian Harrop, Victor Hennessy, Iris Passalick, Julia Gleeson, Yvonne Greymans, Stephen Taylor, Patrick Mullins, Anne Chandler, Ray Cogan, Raymond Sheard, Martin Rogan, Henry Witkowski, Rosemary Buckland, Francis Timothy Minehan, Peter Griffin, Ethel Walsh and Gary Dowd.

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL 21st April Easter Sunday

Priest: Sisters and brothers in the risen Christ,
let us raise our prayers to God on this holiest of days.

**Reader: That Pope Francis and Bishop Paul faithfully lead us in proclaiming
the new life of Jesus Christ through whom we are assured of a place
for all in God's kingdom.**

(pause) Lord, hear us: All: Lord, hear our prayer.

**Reader: That our parish community will be filled with the joy of Easter and
reflect the light of the risen Christ in everything we say and do.**

(pause) Lord, hear us: All: Lord, hear our prayer.

**Reader: That the power of Jesus' Resurrection will bring light to where
there is darkness, peace to where there is conflict and healing to
those who live with suffering and pain.**

(pause) Lord, hear us: All: Lord, hear our prayer.

**Reader: That the risen Christ, in whom all things are made new, will continue
to transform hearts and minds throughout the Easter season's fifty
days until we celebrate the coming of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost.**

(pause) Lord, hear us: All: Lord, hear our prayer.

**Reader: For Margaret Meerbach and Bob Henderson who died recently
and all whose anniversaries are named on the Bulletin.**

(pause) Lord, hear us: All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Priest: For Mary's intercession, we pray: "Hail Mary....."

Priest: God of all time, who gifts us with rejoicing on this greatest of days in
Christ's triumph over sin and death, help us to follow in the steps of
those who first witnessed the empty tomb in proclaiming the good
news of our salvation. We ask this through Jesus Christ our risen Lord.

All: Amen.