

9<sup>th</sup> June 2019  
Pentecost Sunday

OUR COMMUNITY NEWS

Parish Child Safety Officer  
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Information for special parish events (BAPTISMS, WEDDINGS, FUNERALS) Please contact Anne Beer on 5349 2168 or 0417 369 322

**Recent Deaths:**

Bill Riley

**Anniversaries:**

Ethal Foran, Linda Smith, Denise Briody, Julie McAloon, Maureen Costigan, Neville Waldron, Luke Atchison, Les Buckwell, Bill Cochrane, Max YoungChris Byrne, Pat Cleary, Jack Baubage, Pat McCluskey, Gloria O'Loughlan & Ann Agterhuis.

**Pray for all these friends of ours who are ill**

Pat Byrne, Margaret MacDonald, Grace Molloy, Roger Molomby, Kerry Mulcahy, Graeme Dawson, Fr Adrian McInerney, Shelagh Mulcahy, Blake Dridan, Shirleen Trengove, Louise Pendred and all those in need of prayer.

**ROSTERS**

**Introduction & Readings:**

Today: Sue Mahony

June 16<sup>th</sup> June: Bernadette Franc

**Prayers of the Faithful:**

Today: Anne Beer

June 16<sup>th</sup>: John Jess

**Assembly Leaders:**

16<sup>th</sup> June: Anne Beer & Maurice Barwick

**Special Minister:**

Today: Gail Hall

June 16<sup>th</sup>: Therese Jess

**Music:**

Today: John Forster

June 16<sup>th</sup>: Naomi Gerrard

**Church Cleaning, Linen & Flowers**

June 9<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup>: Chandler Family

**Church Grounds:**

June 9<sup>th</sup> -16<sup>th</sup>: Chandler Family

**Newsletter**

June: Carmel Milenkovic 0407 320 759

**Mass Times next week:**

**SUNDAY June 16<sup>th</sup>**

Beaufort LLA 10.00 am

Smythesdale 6.30 pm Saturday Vigil

Skipton 9.00 am Sunday

**Weekday Mass Times**

9.30am Mass

Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday

**Organ Trial**

We have access to another organ on a trial basis.

Please give your feedback in writing

(email/text/note) to any Parish Council member

**Fr Justin**

Please note that Fr Justin will be away for the month, following June 9<sup>th</sup>.

Please keep Louise Pendred in your prayers.

She is currently having further treatment and looking forward to returning home soon.

We also wish Rita Treacy a speeding recovery after breaking her wrist.

**2019 Australian Catholic Youth Festival**

Perth 8-10 December, 2019!

The Ballarat Diocese is partnering with the Melbourne Office for Youth to offer all-inclusive packages to the festival which will cover transport, accommodation, registration to the festival and meals.

The event is for those in Year 9 up to 30 years old and is a great way to partake in celebrating the vitality of the Catholic Church in Australia.

Interested parishioners can find more information on the Youth & Young Adult Ministry page of the diocesan website or contact Patrick, ph. 5337 7160.

**Plenary Council – National Themes for Discernment**

After 10 months of Listening and Dialogue and a period of analysis and prayerful discernment, the National Themes for Discernment for the Plenary Council 2020 are being announced at Pentecost – this weekend. More information on each of the National Themes for Discernment will be available in the coming weeks. Find out more at

[www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au](http://www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au)

**Looking Forward Booklet 2019-2021**

The new Looking Forward pastoral planning booklet 2019-2021 is now being distributed to parishes. This new edition of "Looking Forward" provides principles to guide our pastoral planning, includes recent data about the diocese and offers proposals as to how parishes might be grouped together over the next few years.

"And when the days of Pentecost were drawing to a close, they were all together in one place. And suddenly there came a sound from heaven, as of a violent wind coming, and it filled the whole house where they were sitting. And there appeared to them parted tongues as of fire, which settled upon each of them. And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in foreign tongues, even as the Holy Spirit prompted them to speak (Acts 2, 1-4)."

Pentecost Sunday marks the end of the first novena.

Pentecost (Whitsunday), with Christmas and Easter, ranks among the great feasts of Christianity. It commemorates not only the descent of the Holy Spirit upon the Apostles and Disciples, but also the fruits and effects of that event: the completion of the work of redemption, the fullness of grace for the Church and its children, and the gift of faith for all nations

Use today's gospel acclamation as your prayer this week:

*Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of the faithful and kindle in us the fire of your love.*