

14th July 2019

15th Sunday in Ordinary Time.

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:

Anniversaries:

Joyce Doyle, Bill Jaensch, Brian Molony, Rita Lynch, Eric Dawson, Betty Bowd, Joan Windsor, Sam Azzopardi, Mark Baulch, Rose Harrison, Rhonda Crowe, Ellen Kelly, Kathleen Hinchcliffe, Nan Naylor, Margaret Hinchcliffe.

Pray for all these friends of ours who are ill

Pat Byrne, Margaret MacDonald, Grace Molloy, Roger Molomy, Kerry Mulcahy, Graeme Dawson, Fr Adrian McInerney, Shelagh Mulcahy, Blake Dridan, Colleen Hains and all those in need of prayer.

ROSTERS

Introduction & Readings:

Today: Maurice Barwick

July 21st: Gerrard Family

Prayers of the Faithful:

Today: Bernadette Franc

July 21st: Gerrard Family

Assembly Leaders:

21st July: Angela Gerrard & Maurice Barwick

Special Minister:

Today: Therese Jess.

July 21st: Gail Hall

Music:

Today:

July 21st: Naomi Gerrard

Church Cleaning, Linen & Flowers:

June 23rd – July 14th Therese Jess & Bern Franc

Church Grounds:

June 23rd – July 14th John Jess & Bill Franc

Newsletter:

July: Bernadette Franc. 0427678830

Mass Times next week:

SUNDAY July 21st

Beaufort 10.00 am LLA

Smythesdale 6.30 pm Saturday

Skipton 9.00 am Sunday

Weekday Mass Times

9.30am Mass

Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday

Springdallah Church have for sale, 12ft length, hand carved church pews, anyone interested ph. 0407056795.

East Timor

The collection for East Timor will be taken up at today's 8.30 am Mass. Many thanks for your generosity once again.

Mass to celebrate Bishop Paul Bird's 70th birthday

Mass to celebrate Bishop Paul's 70th birthday will be held on Friday, July 19, 2019 at 12.05pm at St Patrick's Cathedral, Ballarat. All are welcome to attend.

Plenary Council – National Theme for Discernment #3

How is God calling us to be a Christ-centred Church that is Prayerful and Eucharistic? This National Theme for Discernment is inspired by the voices of the People of God who shared how deeply they treasured the Eucharist and the sacramental and liturgical life of the Church. Find out more at www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au

MAKING CONNECTIONS

Ask yourself that fundamental question: what must I do to inherit eternal life?

Who is your neighbour? Identify those who suffer today.

Go and do the same yourself: what does this mean in our world?

SYMBOLS AND IMAGES

There is a timelessness in today's parable. The pathos of the image of the injured man calls us all to come to the aid of wounded humanity. We are asked to respond with compassion and generosity to those in need. We are called to grow in awareness of the real demand of faith in a God of Life rather than rest in simple adherence to ritual obligation.

A verse from today's psalm is a suitable prayer this week:

This is my prayer to you, my prayer for your favour.
In your great love answer me, O God,
with your help that never fails:
Lord, answer, for your love is kind;
in your compassion, turn towards me.

Joy Spreading is back!

A social event for young Catholic adults (18-30) featuring an inspiring talk, some free food & drink, and the chance to connect with other young Catholics in the area. The next gathering will be held in 'The Aviary' at the Golden City Hotel on Tuesday, July 16, 2019 from 6.30pm. The Vicar General, Fr Kevin Maloney, will be presenting a short talk entitled 'Good and Evil in the Creation Narratives'.

For more info, visit the Youth & Young Adult Ministry page of the Diocesan website www.ballarat.catholic.org.au or contact Patrick, ph. 5337 7160.