

Liturgy Rosters:
Many thanks for the wonderful works you do!

This Weekend: 21st July

Saturday Vigil: 6.00pm

Leader: L. Cooper
Reader: D. Kierce
Ministers: M. Lambert, F. Mizzi
Gifts: D. Baudinette, G. Priestley
Welcome: D. Kierce

Sunday: 10.30am

Leader: K. Arnott
Reader: G. Lewis
Ministers: J. Fitzgerald, K. Loftus, D. Arnott
Gifts: J & A Milani
Welcome: A & M Francis

Next Weekend: 28th July

Saturday Vigil: 6.00pm

Leader: H. Webb
Reader: volunteer please
Ministers: D. Kierce, K. O'Toole
Gifts: M. Gregory, H. Stevenson
Welcome: F. Mizzi

Sunday: 10.30am

Leader: K. Howman
Reader: B. Healy
Ministers: K. Arnott, L. Goebel, I. Eichler
Gifts: D & L Goebel
Welcome: B & M McGennicken

Church Flowers: Julie Crimmins

Church Linen: 14/07 B. Teal

Church Cleaning:

21/07 The Arnott Family
28/07 M. Lambert, J. Burns

LEAVING A GIFT IN YOUR WILL

All Saints Parish has been present at most of the important milestones in your life: your Baptism, your First Communion, at times of great celebration and at times of great sadness.

By leaving a gift to your Parish in your Will, you will leave a legacy of faith – a legacy to help ensure that the mission and pastoral outreach that has been important to you will continue both for today's needs and for those of our children, our grandchildren and beyond.

If you would like to receive a weekly copy of "The Spire" by email, please send us an email and we can add you to a list of subscribers

Prayer After Communion:
(For Minsters to the Home-bound)

God my creator breathe on me again, renew me, refresh me, extend my abilities, comfort me in adjusting to changes in health, mobility and activity.

Body and Blood of Jesus Christ flow through every fibre of my being.

Keep me well, and hope filled always.

Holy Spirit use me in my situation, for the good of others. Amen.

Our Finance

Planned Giving for Parish Account

Given last week, inc. EFT: \$ 942.00

Target \$64,000

Total YTD 2018/19 \$ 3,060
Total YTD 2017/18 \$ 4,499

Direct deposit payments for planned giving and donations can be made electronically. Details are as follows:

Account Name: Portland Catholic Church
BSB: 083 532
Account No. 5159 81661

Presbytery Account

Priest support: inc. EFT \$ 478.95

Direct deposit payments for the presbytery account can be made electronically. Details are as follows:

Account Name: All Saints Presbytery Portland
BSB: 083 526
Account No. 24476 6002



21st July
2019
16th Sunday
Ordinary Time
Year C



Weekday Services 23/07 to 26/07

Tuesday: No Mass

Wednesday: No Mass

Thursday: No Mass

Friday: 10.00am Morning Prayer & Adoration

Note Funeral Masses will always take the place of Weekday Mass for that day.

Recent Deaths:

Ellen (Tot) Pratt, Dawn Orchard

Anniversaries:

Noel Oakley, Joseph Micallef, Bob Newton, Poppy Newell, Teresa Debono, Lola Smith, Herbert Ernest, Margaret Grant

Prayer Requests:

Margaret Coultie, Patricia Bailey, Noela Clifford, Les Hildebrand, Nicky Schultz, Claire Jesser, John Smith, Lea-anne Bourke, Rudy Legray, Michelle Mutch,

If you have any prayer requests please contact Antonella at the Parish Office; for privacy reasons only Next of Kin may ask for names to be added: Thank you

Weekend Mass & Sacrament of Penance times.

PORTLAND

Mass: Saturday 6.00 pm,
Sunday 10:30 am

HEYWOOD

1st, 2nd, 3rd and 5th Sundays,
9.00am Mass
4th Sunday, Lay Led Assembly, 9.00am

DARTMOOR

4th Sunday 8.30am Mass

Baptisms by appointment with Fr. Gregory

1st, 3rd & 5th Sunday 10.30am or any Saturday 6.00pm vigil

Marriages by appointment with Fr Gregory Tait.

Sacrament of Penance By Appointment with Fr Gregory.

Children's Liturgy
21st July
Mel & Tamara

"The Spire"

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Wednesday & Friday 9.00am till 3.00pm

All Saints Parish is committed to Child Safety - our Child Safety Policy and Code of Conduct are on display on the Parish website and noticeboard in the Tower Entrance of the Church.

Psalm 14

The just will live in the presence of the Lord.

Lord, who shall dwell on your holy mountain?
He who walks without fault;
he who acts with justice
and speaks the truth from his heart;
he who does not slander with his tongue.

He who does no wrong to his brother,
who casts no slur on his neighbour,
who holds the godless in disdain,
but honours those who fear the Lord.

He who keeps his pledge, come what may;
who takes no interest on a loan
and accepts no bribes against the innocent.
Such a man will stand firm for ever.

The just will live in the presence of the Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!
Happy are they who have kept the word with a
generous heart
and yield a harvest through perseverance.
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

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Gospel Connections - Luke 10: 38 - 42

Jesus came to a village, and a woman named Martha welcomed him into her house. She had a sister called Mary, who sat down at the Lord's feet and listened to him speaking. Now Martha who was distracted with all the serving said, 'Lord, do you not care that my sister is leaving me to do the serving all by myself? Please tell her to help me.' But the Lord answered: 'Martha, Martha,' he said, 'you worry and fret about so many things, and yet few are needed, indeed only one. It is Mary who has chosen the better part; it is not to be taken from her.'



All Saints Outreach 2018 - 2019

Outreach has allocated to the following missionaries/charities and welfare as indicated over the past financial year:

The Shared Table - A project setup 14 years ago by Fr. Michael McKinnon, while he was working on the edge of the city of Lima with the Missionary Society of St Columban in a particularly poor parish, many of the children went without proper nourishment every day. Fr Michael sends his thanks to the generous band of volunteers that still donate to this project. - **\$3,000**

Mary Ward International - Loreto Sisters of East Timor - Natalie Houlihan IBVM. Margy Burke IBVM, Diann Stewart IBVM and other Loreto Sisters educating the children and supporting them with accommodation in Timor Leste. - **\$2,500**

Salesian Mission Australia - Education and Health support to Timor Leste children and adults -**\$2,500**

Daughters of the Sacred Heart, South Africa - Finance, health, children's accommodation, developmental projects and education at Bakhita Village & Dwars River. - **\$2,500**

Fr Albert Yelds MSC - Financial support at Kiribati, children and family support in schools and MSC seminarians - **\$2,500**

Ali Project Northern New Guinea - Finance for solar lighting and school supplies. **\$2,500**

Schoolies with a Cause (Bayview College) - **\$600** for recent trip to Cambodia for books and school supplies to take to Cambodia.

Than Loc Education Project - Sponsorship, of 2 students with uniforms and fees - **\$460**

Welfare for Portland & District families - **\$15,925**

In kind local furniture, clothing, crockery etc.- **\$10,000**

Parish - \$42,000 donated to Parish building program and \$10,000 Parish Maintenance Program

Sincere thank you to all the volunteers who work at Outreach, without your generous support none of these good works would be possible.

Marg Herbertson, Co-ordinator/Treasurer, Outreach

All Saints Outreach Op-Shop: (In Target Car park) Phone: 5521 1587

The Parish Outreach Op-Shop is in urgent need of good quality clothing; bric a brac or furniture.

Please ring Outreach for pick up if necessary. Thank you all for your ongoing support of Outreach.

Outreach is open Monday to Friday 10 am - 4pm and Saturdays 10am - 12 mid-day.

Outreach is a significant fundraiser within the Parish and we regularly need Volunteers to give 3 hours in the mornings or afternoons.

Please contact Marg Herbertson at Op-Shop for further information.

Dates to Remember

November 3rd: 175th Anniversary of the first Mass in Portland. Bishop Paul will celebrate the 10.30am Mass with us this day and a lunch to follow. **Please keep it free.** (This is also UP-welling Weekend)

Shared Table Project - Fr Michael McKinnon - Lima Peru

The \$52 annual gift to the Project will take place in the month of July. Please put the \$52 in an envelope marked Shared Table and your name and address and put on Collection Plate. If you are a new parishioner and would like to donate \$52 to feed the children in Peru, you are most welcome to join our generous band of helpers. This is our 14th year. Any further information Marg Herbertson - the Parish Co-ordinator of Shared Table Project. Mobile 0447 617 467.

Total to date: \$496.85

Plenary Council – National Theme for Discernment #4

How is God calling us to be Humble, Healing and Merciful?

This National Theme for Discernment is inspired by the voices of the People of God who shared a passion for participating in the missionary nature of the Church and desire stronger support, involvement and formation among all the baptised who make up the Church. Find out more at www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au

What do you think God is asking of us in Australia at this time?

A SNAPSHOT OF RESPONSES TO THE QUESTION

"In Australia we still have a big divide between Indigenous brothers and the rest of us. The Church needs to take a leading role in building reconciliation by adopting positive gestures that enhance and challenge this overdue reconciliation".

"Divorce is never wanted or planned for and, in some cases, necessary for the safety and wellbeing of the individuals involved. The Church should not turn their backs on them as this denies their dignity and makes them less equal than their peers".

"We're living in the wake of the greatest possible disaster that could have descended upon the Church in this country—the sexual abuse crisis. Firstly, I think God wants every possible effort to be directed towards offering assistance to victims of abuse in the Church. Secondly, I think that God wants us as a Church collective to hang our head in shame".

"Discern how to engage and bring to active faith those parents who send their children to Catholic schools but are not churchgoers. Discern how to engage and bring to active faith the many people who attend Mass at Easter and Christmas or for Baptisms, but not otherwise".

"God is asking us to do something about the clericalism and subsequent abuse arising from this misuse of power. He is asking us to remember and come to know Jesus and to live as He did".