

St Peter's Parish

Communities of Linton, Skipton, Smythesdale and Snake Valley



Sunday January 12th 2020

The Baptism of the Lord (Year A)

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Masses January 18th/19th

Smythesdale	Skipton	Rokewood	Redan	Sebastopol
6.30pm Vigil	9.00am	10.30am	6.00pm Vigil	9.00am
				10.30am

Next week's readings for the Second Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year A)

Isaiah 49:3, 5-6

1 Corinthians 1:1-3

John 1:29-34

Anniversaries: Ed Carmody, Murray Casey, John Crowe, Kevin Daly, Florence Flynn,
Thomas Hartigan, Tony Houlihan, Mary Payne, Bert Pollard

Please remember in your prayers those who are unwell, especially

Fr. Denis Dennehy, Margaret Cranko, Brendan Mulcahy, Angie Polglaze, Basil Torpy,
Milly Yeoman

*St Peter's Parish respectfully acknowledge that the Aboriginal people of
Australia are our first nation peoples and the traditional owners
and custodians of this land.*

Organs of the Ballarat Goldfields Festival 2020

The Festival continues this week with recitals at various venues around the district. Recitals at St Patrick's Cathedral include: Sunday January 12th at 3.00pm, an organ recital by Pavel Kohout; Friday January 17th at 3.00pm an Organ recital by Thomas Wilson (Director of Music at St Mary's Cathedral Sydney); Saturday January 18th at 8.15pm, the Choir of St Mary's Cathedral Sydney; and the closing concert on Sunday January 19th at 8.00pm, *Art of Sound Orchestra directed by Mario Debernig*. For full details of other recitals and bookings contact www.ballaratorgans.com.au

Feast of the Holy Infant Santo Nino (Infant of Prague)

The Feast will be celebrated on January 18th with Mass at St. James Sebastopol, at 3pm with refreshments to follow in the foyer. The celebrant will be Fr. Jorge DeChavez OSJ. All welcome.

Plenary Council Delegates from the Diocese of Ballarat - Bishop Paul is inviting us to nominate delegates from our diocese for the sessions of the Australian Plenary Council to be held in 2020 and 2021. Copies of Bishop Paul's letter are available through the diocesan website at www.ballarat.catholic.org.au Nominations need to reach Bishop Paul by Friday, February 7, 2020.

Parish Secretary Position – Gordon and Bungaree

The Parish of Gordon and the Parish of Bungaree are looking to jointly employ a suitably qualified person to fill the position of Parish Secretary to support the business and clerical requirements for both Parishes. The position is 12 hours per week for the Parish of Gordon and 5 hours per week for the Parish of Bungaree. More info at: www.ballarat.catholic.org.au - Choose Bungaree or Gordon Parish