

The Parish Pump

The Weekly Bulletin for St John's, Dennington and St Pius X, West Warrnambool
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2nd Sunday of Easter

West Warrnambool and Dennington are Child-Safe Parishes

Child Safeguarding Officer: Mrs Rachel Brown. 0402 009 785

Mass Online

Mass can be seen online every day at the following sites:

St Joseph's Warrnambool

www.tiny.cc/joe3280

St Patrick's Cathedral Melbourne

<https://melbournecatholic.org.au/>

Mass

Pope Francis's daily Mass

<https://www.vaticannews.va/en/pope-francis/mass-casa-santa-marta.pagelist.html>

Mass for You at Home is broadcast on channel 8 at 6 a.m. on Sundays and on Foxtel 173 at various times every day.

This Time Last Year

The Second Sunday of Easter was on 28 April. There was no Thursday Mass at Mercy Place because of the regional Public Holiday for the Warrnambool Cup.

This Year

There is no Thursday Mass at Mercy – or anywhere else. And if the City Council had its way, there'd be no Warrnambool Cup either!

This Time Last Year

Father Bill Van de Camp was getting ready to retire as Parish Priest of Koroit and Port Fairy.

This Year

Father John Fitzgerald and Father John Corrigan are caring for Koroit, Port Fairy and St Joseph's Warrnambool.

This Time Last Year

We were getting ready for the annual count of the number of people at Mass.

This Year

We are hoping that before too much longer there will be people at Mass to count.

Anniversaries

Albert Stainsby. John Brown.

Thank You for Giving

Planned Giving March: \$2,871.50

Pledged: \$4,205.00

Weekday Masses

No public Masses are being said in Victoria for the foreseeable future. The bishops' letter about the matter can be seen at www.ballarat.catholic.org.au

There is a link to the letter on the parish website.

Did You Know?

Father Michael has been writing weekly homilies, even though no one is in the church to hear them. They are still being published on the parish website: *Warrnambool West and Dennington* at www.ballarat.catholic.org.au



MY LORD AND MY GOD!