



St. Augustine's Parish, Maryborough
 ~inc. St. Kevin's, Barnett St. Avoca, St. Mary's, Hardy St. Dunolly,
 St. Patrick's, Pyrenees H'way & Evans St. Amphitheatre,
 St. Patrick's, Main St. Bealiba, St. Patrick's, Barkly-Redbank Rd. Redbank,
 St. Augustine's, Burke St, Maryborough~



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31st May 2020 Pentecost Sunday

WEEKDAY MASS: Now that 20 people can gather for Mass, while this still prevents us from celebrating Mass at St Augustine's on weekends, it seems an appropriate time to recommence Weekday Mass. For social distancing, this will need to be in the main part of St Augustine's church rather than in our cosy weekday chapel at the back. As it will be WINTER and the church will be COLD, please RUG UP when attending Mass – gloves might be a good idea for not only keeping COVID-19 at bay but the cold as well. There will be measures in place including numbers limited to 20 and a register of attendees. It may also be a good idea to sit in the same place at each Mass so that seats aren't shared by others at any time.

Tuesday 2nd June	– 10.00am Mass	<i>(Numbers</i>
Wednesday 3rd June	– 10.00am Mass	<i>Limited</i>
Thursday 4th June	– 10.00am Mass	<i>to 20 at</i>
Friday 5th June	– 10.00am Mass	<i>each Mass)</i>

AVOCA AND DUNOLLY MASS: Similar to the reasons for recommencing Weekday Mass, we can again celebrate alternating Sunday Mass at Avoca and Dunolly. Under the new maximum 20 person limit, this will be for **REGULAR ATTENDEES ONLY** at Avoca and Dunolly. While it's not good to turn people away, this may need to be enforced if others turn up and the 20 person limit is exceeded. Similar measure will be in place including names recorded etc. We certainly hope and pray that the numbers limits will soon be further lifted to enable us to return to weekend Masses at St Augustine's.

AVOCA AND DUNOLLY ASSEMBLIES: Each community will need to discuss this and decide when these may again be possible plus other local issues etc.

**ST KEVIN'S, AVOCA – 8.30am Mass – Sundays 7th and 21st June
 – FOR REGULARS ST KEVIN'S ATTENDERS ONLY**

**ST MARY'S, DUNOLLY – 8.30am Mass – Sundays 14th and 28th June
 – FOR REGULAR ST MARY'S ATTENDERS ONLY**

BERNIE LANFRANCHI – HAPPY BIRTHDAY: We heartily congratulate Bernie on becoming the newest member of our district's octogenarian club late Tuesday. Ad multos annos, Bernie!

TONY MICALLEF RIP AMENDMENT: Last weekend's bulletin report of Tony's death called Tony's younger brother Tony instead of Paul. This should have read: With deep sadness we mourn the death of Tony who served Mass and operated the computer for Saturday evening Mass up till a couple of years ago when he began work on weekends. Tony died suddenly on 16th May, aged 18. Our sincerest sympathy to his parents, Manny and Liz, and his siblings Rachel, Sam, Matt and his younger brother Paul who now operates the computer for Saturday evening Mass. May you rest in peace, Tony.

TONY MICALLEF'S FUNERAL: Our dear mate Tony was farewelled with concelebrated Mass at Tobin Brothers Funerals, Sunshine last Tuesday followed by his burial at Altona Memorial Park adjacent to the grave of his beloved uncle and godfather, Paul Cutajar, who died in November. Many who knew and loved Tony, especially our 6.00pm Saturday Mass goers, have expressed their sadness at both his passing and their inability to attend his Funeral due to COVID-19 restrictions. Tony's Funeral can be viewed at: <http://tobin.5stream.com/webcast/53010> or google Tobin Brothers Funerals then search for Tony by name and click on Webcast.

CLERGY APPOINTMENTS: Bishop Paul Bird has announced the following appointments: Fr Matthew Thomas (from Swan Hill) to Mildura. Fr James Kerr (from Mildura assistant priest) to Swan Hill. Fr Anthony Nagothu (from Western Border parish assistant) to Robinvale. Fr George Kuruvila Koorumullumpurayidam (newly arrived from India) to Western Border. These appointments will commence from 1st June. Meanwhile Fr Mick McKinnon (from Mildura parish priest) will be moving to Peru to work in a Quechua parish near Cusco for a six year appointment with the Columban Order when overseas travel restrictions are lifted.

THE VISITATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY. MAY 31. The meeting of Mary and Elizabeth was also a meeting of the children they were carrying, the Saviour and His precursor. John the Baptist leapt for joy in his mother's womb. In Luke's account we see hints of Mary as the Ark of the Covenant, the one who bears God. Joy pervades this scene as Mary brings the hidden presence of Jesus to the home of her relatives. Today she still presents Jesus to the world through her role as our spiritual mother.



Remembering those who have died:

We pray for Bob Orchard (of Chelsea Heights) and Tony Micallef who died recently and those whose anniversaries are at this time including: Desmond Harris, Damien Field, Allen Plucke, John Moore, David Tucker, Veronica McAuliffe, Ray Bell, Pat Balfour, James and Margaret Forster, Michael Alexander, Grace Whitlock, William Montgomery, Jan Burnett and Eve Dridan.