

# The Parish Pump

The Weekly Bulletin for St John's, Dennington and St Pius X, West Warrnambool  
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**14th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**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](http://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.

## Catholic Education Director Retiring

After more than 8 years as Director of Ballarat's Catholic Education Office, Ms Audrey Brown is stepping down from her position. We understand that Mr John Meneely, Deputy Director, will take her place until a permanent appointment is announced.

## Former Pope's Brother Dies

Monsignor Georg Ratzinger, the older brother of former Pope Benedict XVI, died on 30 June at the age of 96. The brothers were ordained to the priesthood together on 29 June 1951. The deceased Monsignor's only close living relative is the former Pope. Their sister Maria died in 1991.

The Ratzinger brothers' ordination on the same day recalls the experience of Father Coley McKenzie and Monsignor Frank McKenzie, brothers in our diocese who were ordained together on 23 July 1944. Both are now deceased. Monsignor Frank died on 24 October 1999 and Father Coley on 10 July 2008.

## Anniversary

Father Patrick Bohan

## Thank You for Giving

Planned Giving June: \$2,082.00

Pledged: \$4,612.00

## A Message From Mercy Place

We are advised that when we are once again able to celebrate Thursday morning Masses at Mercy Place both the celebrant and visiting members of the congregation must have provided evidence that they have been vaccinated against influenza this year.

## 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](http://www.ballarat.catholic.org.au)



I am gentle and humble in heart and you will find rest for your souls. Matthew 11,29