

The Parish Pump

The Weekly Bulletin for St John's, Dennington and St Pius X, West Warrnambool
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20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

West Warrnambool and Dennington are Child-Safe Parishes

Child Safeguarding Officer: Mrs Rachel Brown. 0402 009 785

Mass Online

In addition to the Masses we have been advertising here in recent months, you may be interested to know that by googling *Mass Online* you can find Masses in English and other languages from all over the world.

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>

A Well-Organised Organisation

It has been a proud boast that St Pius X Parish, besides being a community of generous and prayerful worshippers, is a well-organised and responsibly managed organisation. But nowadays, though the parish is financially quite well provided for, and generous parishioners have kept up their planned giving, there has been no opportunity to put money on the plate for the upkeep of the presbytery and the support of the priest. You are therefore invited to click on <https://ballarat.cdfpay.org.au/details/?id=123> to

make your donation for Father Michael's and the presbytery's everyday needs. It would be convenient if you could contribute to "Presbytery" as well as choosing "Giving" if you prefer to contribute to Planned Giving in this way. There is, of course, no joy in asking for money, but no organisation can manage without it, and the parish is no different. Father Michael gladly thanks all whose generosity makes it unusual for him to speak about money. Sadly, we live in exceptional times.

Thank You for Giving

Planned Giving July: \$2,709.00
Pledged: \$3,404.00

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



But the woman had come up and was kneeling at his feet. "Lord," she said "help me."

Matthew 15,25

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