

ST JOSEPH'S PARISH - WARRNAMBOOL

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Office Hours: Monday - Friday: 9 am - 1 pm; 1:30pm - 4 pm

Diocesan website: www.ballarat.catholic.org.au

St Joseph's is a Child-Safe Parish

We acknowledge the traditional custodians of this land - The Gunditjmara People. We acknowledge their ancestors with respect & commit to working for reconciliation & justice.

PARISH STAFF: Fr John Fitzgerald & Fr John Corrigan
Tony Herbert (Business Manager)
Louise Dryburgh (Assistant Business Manager)
Leanne McElgunn (Secretary)
Pat Negri (Gardening/Maintenance)

CHILD SAFETY OFFICER: Anne Maree Mugavin

SCHOOL PRINCIPALS: Matthew O'Brien (St Joseph's School)
Peter Morgan (Emmanuel College)

WEEK-END LITURGIES: **Sunday:** 8.30am, 10.00am & 6.00pm
Purnim: 11.00am (Eucharist on 2nd and 4th Sundays)
(Assembly of Word with Communion on 1st, 3rd & 5th Sundays)

WEEKDAY LITURGIES: **Wednesday:** 10.00am (Eucharist)
Friday: 10.00am (Eucharist)

Deaths: Br Ian Robertson, Arthur Drew, Anita Dureau, Leon Garner, Terry Moloney, Angela O'Neill

Anniversaries: Brooke Spetch, Joan Sinnott, Mary Lane, Maggie McKinnon

Planned Giving: The current set of envelopes along with receipts are available (Gathering Space). **Thank you all** for your support of the parish; your contribution helps continue the missionary work of the parish. If your details or circumstances have changed or you may have a query, please contact Leanne at the Parish Office. For those who contribute by direct debit or credit card and require a receipt contact Parish Office.

Stewardship - Finances

Stewardship: Weekly average contributions for the month of June

Parish: \$2,586.00 **Pledged Amount:** (per week) \$2,820.00

Parish contributions consists of envelopes, credit cards & direct debit

St Joseph's Parish has joined with CDF (Catholic Development Fund-Ballarat) and CDF Pay where you can electronically make a one-off payment or set up a regular payment. <https://ballarat.cdfpay.org.au/details/?id=12>

18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

World Day for Grandparents & the Elderly

Last Sunday was the 1st World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly. Because of our present pandemic we were not in a position to celebrate the occasion in an appropriate liturgical manner. But let's not allow this Day, as proclaimed by Pope Francis, be forgotten or lost.

This World Day is celebrated near the feast of Saints Joachim and Anne, the grandparents of Jesus.

Grandparents and the Elderly are not simply people to be looked after and cared for. They are a great resource for all of us. May we soak in their wisdom of life, their gift of faith and give thanks for their love, their pampering and support of the young, and their service to others in the name of the church and of humanity.



Vale: Br Ian Robertson RIP



Many of you would remember Br Ian as a Pastoral Associate here at St Joseph's from 199.. To 2006. He was an integral part of parish life as well as involved in Palliative Care (SW Healthcare) and was a significant contributor in the field of ecumenism. Parishioners speak of Br Ian as being very pastoral and always 'present' for people. He was also a passionate painter - not in the traditional style - and was fascinated by the solar system, the subject of several of his paintings. Br Ian died in Melbourne on Friday 23rd July. He is remembered with fondness.

Archive Centre: If you were married at St Joseph's we would appreciate a copy of your wedding photo, for our parish archives. Next weekend there will be an album and photos, of the first couple to be married, on display when St Joseph's was situated on cnr Kelp and Timor Streets. We are indebted to Dorothy & Russell for their invaluable service in this field.

Cards: For the next two weeks Tuesday cards will be held at Macey's. Further enquiries Trudy (0417 325 324)



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