

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. Augustine's, Burke St, Maryborough~

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1st August 2021 Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

ST. KEVIN'S, AVOCA – 8.30am Mass 1st and 3rd Sundays each month.
– 8.30am Assembly at Avoca on 2nd, 4th & 5th Sundays of each month.

ST. MARY'S, DUNOLLY – 8.30am Mass 2nd and 4th Sundays each month.
– 8.30am Assembly at Dunolly on 1st & 3rd Sundays of each month

ST. PATRICK'S, BEALIBA – 8.30am Mass 5th Sunday (Next on 29th August)

ST. AUGUSTINE'S, MARYBOROUGH – 6.00pm Saturday and 10.30am Sunday

Tuesday 3rd August – 10.00am Mass
Wednesday 4th August – 10.00am Mass
Thursday 5th August – 10.00am Mass
Friday 6th August – 11.00am Exposition of Blessed Sacrament
– 12.00 Noon Mass

	<u>READERS.</u>	<u>PSALM PRAYERS</u>	<u>GIFTS.</u>
31/7/21	J. Leneaux-Gale	D. Hamilton	B. Teggerth
1/8/21	T. Bell	M. Flowers	Volunteers
7/8/21	D. Hamilton	B. Crameri	Walsh Family
8/8/21	T. Jacka	P. Egan	Schwager Family

CHANGED COVID-19 RESTRICTIONS: We rejoice that our freedom to worship together has been restored and continue to pray for our sisters and brothers elsewhere in our nation and throughout the world who continue to be affected much more than us by the COVID-19 pandemic and humanity's efforts to deal with it.

MAE PADAYO RIP: We pray for our Timor parishioner who passed away peacefully at Maryborough Hospital last Sunday after battling cancer, aged 45, and for her husband, Anand, and their 5 year old son, Aryan. Funeral Prayers were held for Mae with her family and their many Filipino and Indian friends in St Augustine's church yesterday (Saturday) followed by her burial at Timor cemetery. May she Rest in Peace.

BISHOP PAUL BIRD'S COVID-19 ADVICE: Hello Everyone, the Victorian Government has announced an easing of COVID restrictions throughout Victoria from midnight Tuesday July 27. Religious gatherings and ceremonies are permitted for up to 100 people indoors and up to 300 people outdoors. In general, a density quotient of 1 person per 4 square metres applies. However, a venue smaller than 100 square metres can have up to 25 people per venue before the density quotient applies. In other words, even very small churches are permitted to have up to 25 people for a religious gathering. Funerals (indoor and outdoor) are permitted with up to 50 people attending, plus those necessary to conduct the funeral. Children under 12 months old are not counted towards this cap. COVID Check-in Marshals must ensure attendees check-in. Masks must be worn indoors and outdoors except if at home or if an exception applies. I rejoice that we will be able to gather again for Mass and other celebrations, even though the numbers will be limited. I thank those people in each parish who are helping us come together while attending to the COVID-safe directives. I thank you all for your patience as we make the adjustments needed so that we can pray as a community while keeping everyone safe. God bless you all. Bishop Paul 27/7/2021

ST AUGUSTINES CHURCH ROOF REPAIRS:

Work has commenced on re-roofing some side sections and the channelling adjacent to these in order to prevent the leaks that occur whenever we have rain. While this is proceeding, the side entrances are roped off and we need to enter and exit the church by either the doors closest to Burke St or the door adjacent to the sacristy. We pray for calm, dry days to enable the workers to complete their task safely and speedily.

LOW GLUTEN HOSTS: St Augustine's church, Maryborough and St Kevin's church, Avoca, now have low-gluten altar breads available for those who are unable to receive the normal wheat-based hosts, Please advise Fr John before Mass when these are required.

Remembering those who have died:

We pray for Mae Padayo who died recently and those whose anniversaries are at this time: Caroline O'Callaghan, Noel Barnes, Brian Lunt, John Murphy, Dorothy Lindsay, Wally Wickes, Kath Slater, John Murnane, Marie Malone, Vern Walker, Shirley Goonan, Alice Lowery, Margaret Holloway, Gerry Hillman, Max Patten, Joan Noonan and Alan Walsh.

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Priest: Brothers and sisters, nourished at the table of the Word, let us bring our prayers before the One who provides for our needs.

Reader: That Pope Francis and Bishop Paul may draw strength from the Bread of Life to share with us and offer hope to our world.

(pause) Lord, hear us: All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader: That nations will continue to set aside differences and work with one another to end our pandemic and provide for the needs of the poorest and most vulnerable in our midst.

(pause) Lord, hear us: All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader: That we who gather around this altar and are nourished by Christ's bread from heaven may each day believe in and live out his living Gospel for our times.

(pause) Lord, hear us: All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader: That the sick will draw close to Christ who comforts the suffering and be healed through God's merciful love.

(pause) Lord, hear us: All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader: That those who have died will dwell forever in God's house, especially Mae Padayo and all whose anniversaries occur at this time.

(pause) Lord, hear us: All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Priest: For Mary's intercession we pray: "Hail Mary....."

Priest: Lord God, you alone who can satisfy our every need, be with us in our prayers and help us walk in your path of holiness, truth and love, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.