

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Advent

5th December 2021

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### PARISH PERSONNEL

Moderator	Fr John Fitzgerald
Co-Pastor	Fr John Corrigan
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### SCHOOL PRINCIPALS

St John's Dennington	Ben van de Camp
St Patrick's Koroit	Nick Murrell
St Patrick's Port Fairy	Olga Lyons
St Joseph's W'bool	Matthew O'Brien
St Pius X W'bool West	Joe Ewing
Emmanuel College	Peter Morgan

### WEEKEND LITURGIES

#### Saturday Vigil

6:30pm Infant Jesus, Koroit

#### Sunday

8:30am St Joseph's, Warrnambool

9:00am St Patrick's, Port Fairy

10:00am St Joseph's, Warrnambool

10:30am St Pius X, Warrnambool West

11:00am St Anne's, Purnim

(Eucharist 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays

Assembly of the Word with Communion 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup>)

#### Sunday

6:00pm St Joseph's, Warrnambool

### WE ARE A CHILD SAFE PARISH

Star of the Sea Parish adheres to the Child Safe Standards of Victoria. Our policies are on display in each Church, and on our website. Parish Safeguarding Officers:

Infant Jesus, Koroit  
Nick Murrell

St Patrick's, Port Fairy  
Peter Sanderson

St Joseph's, Warrnambool  
Anne Maree Mugavin

St Pius X, Warrnambool West  
Karen Johnson

### ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

We recognise the traditional custodians of parish lands. We acknowledge their ancestors with respect and we are committed to working for justice and reconciliation.

# Star of the Sea Parish

## South West Coast

Infant Jesus Koroit ✨ St Patrick's Port Fairy ✨ St Anne's Purnim  
St Joseph's Warrnambool ✨ St Pius X Warrnambool West

Advent has a **two-fold** purpose:

- to prepare for Christmas when Christ's birth is remembered

- to await Christ's second coming at the end of time.



### Important Dates

**Celebration of God's Mercy & Forgiveness:** Tuesday 14th December 7.30pm at St Joseph's

**Anointing Mass:** Friday 17th December 2.00pm at St Joseph's. All welcome

**Christmas Mass Times;**

**Christmas Eve:** 5.00pm Warrnambool

6.00pm Port Fairy

6.00pm Warrnambool West

7.30pm Koroit

8.00pm Warrnambool

8.00pm Purnim

9.00pm W'bool West undisclosed vacc status (50 max)

Book at: [www.trybooking.com/BWCPS](http://www.trybooking.com/BWCPS)

**Christmas Day:** 9.00am Port Fairy

9.30am Warrnambool

10.30am Warrnambool West

**Ordination to the Diaconate:** Bill Lowry extends an invitation to attend his ordination to the Diaconate this Friday 7.00pm at St Patrick's Cathedral. It will also be livestreamed at <https://m.facebook.com/patricks.cathedral.9>. Thank you to the local parish communities for your ongoing prayer & support (Bill Lowry)

**Prayer Vigil:** This Thursday 7.00pm at St Pius X Church to pray for William Lowry & Matthew Restall on the eve of their ordination to the Diaconate.

**Clearance Sale:** For missions in Kiribati, Philippines, East Timor & Australia, at OLHC Saturday 11th December at 11.30am. Ideal Christmas Gifts.

**Concert:** Pure Harmony Music & Events is proud to present *Handel's Messiah* at St Joseph's Church, Sunday 12th December 2.00pm. Tickets available at [www.trybooking.com/events/landing?eid=830375](http://www.trybooking.com/events/landing?eid=830375)

**St Vincent de Paul:** Envelopes are available from the Giving Trees at St Patrick's, Infant Jesus & St Pius X, where your donation will help those in need. (Place on collection plate). Thank you

Columban calendars & Christmas Cards also still available.

**Ministries - Rosters:** Thank you to those who help with the various Ministries at our celebration of Mass. If you have mislaid your roster or would like to be included please contact the Parish Office.

St Pius X are looking for volunteers to help with the flowers. Please contact the Parish Office (5562 2231)

**Baptism:** Koda & Zara Smith are welcomed into God's family this weekend

**Rite of Welcome:** Dat Phy Van will be welcomed into the Catechumenate today (St Joseph's 10.00am Mass).

### Deaths:

**Anniversaries:** Rosemary Claffey, Tom Esam, Clem Lourey, Harn Bakker

### Weekday Masses this Week:

**Tuesday:** 10.30am St Pius X

**Wednesday:** 10.00am St Joseph's

**Thursday:** 10.30am Mercy Place & 1.00pm Belfast house

**Thursday:** 6.00pm Grade 6 Graduation Mass at St Joseph's

**Friday:** 10.00am St Joseph's