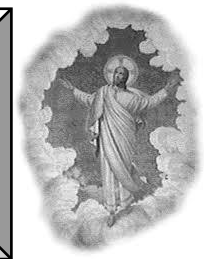




St. Augustine's Parish, Maryborough
 ~inc. St. Kevin's, Barnett St. Avoca, St. Mary's, Hardy St. Dunolly,
 St. Patrick's, Pyrenees H'way & Evans St. Amphitheatre,
 St. Patrick's, Main St. Bealiba, St. Augustine's, Burke St, Maryborough~



Parish Priest: Fr. John Monaghan **Deacon:** Rev. Matthew Restall
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29th May 2022 THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

Collections "Thank You" First Collection – \$657 *For Clergy support and Presbytery expenses.*

Second Collection - Parish Planned Giving – \$739 *For Parish expenses and Church maintenance.*

ST. KEVIN'S, AVOCA – 8.30am Mass 1st and 3rd Sundays of 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 of each month.
 – **8.30am Assembly at Dunolly on 1st & 3rd Sundays** of each month.

ST. PATRICK'S, BEALIBA – 8.30am Mass on the 5th Sunday of each month.

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

Tuesday 31st May – 10.00am Mass
Wednesday 1st June – 10.00am Mass
Thursday 2nd June – 10.00am Mass
Friday 3rd June – 12.40pm School Mass (N.B. No Exposition prior)

	Readers	Psalm/Prayer	Gifts
May 28	B. Crameri	D. Hamilton	Lacey Family
May 29	B. Dellavedova	T. Jacka	C. Egan
June 4	D. Hamilton	B. Crameri	Walsh Family
June 5	H. Taylor	J. Taylor	B. Alexander

CONFIRMATION 2022: We pray for this year's children with whom we'll be celebrating the Sacrament of Confirmation next weekend on Pentecost Sunday 5th June. We pray for them and their families as they prepare to receive this special Sacrament of the Holy Spirit.

WILL JAMES and IDA JAMES CRAMERI BAPTISMS:

During 10.30am Mass we welcome Will and Ida into our parish community and celebrate their Baptisms with their parents, Stewart and Jessica. May Will and Ida and their family be richly blessed by God throughout their lives.



FR ERIC HODGENS RIP 25/5/2022: We pray for Flags' close friend and classmate. Ordained together on 24th July 1960, Fr Eric was a retired Melbourne priest whose funeral will be celebrated at Glen Waverley North where he was parish priest for many years.

HOLY WATER BOTTLES IN ST AUGUSTINE'S CHURCH:

Please help yourselves to Holy Water in the back foyer kindly supplied for us by Loretta Crameri – for taking home not drinking!

MATT'S ORDINATION 22nd JULY 2022: We continue to pray for Matt Restall and his fellow deacon, Bill Lowry, as they prepared to be ordained priests for our diocese at 7.00pm on Friday 22nd July 2022 at St Patrick's Cathedral, Ballarat.

PRAYER FOR VOLUNTEERS: We pray for all who volunteer in our parishes. May we value the many talents and gifts God has given them as we thank them for generously offering us their time. For all your gifts, given to us out of your love, we thank you, God of all goodness. Amen.

ALL SAINTS PARISH PORTLAND 175TH ANNIVERSARY:

On 27 & 28 August 2022 celebrations will be held for the 175th anniv. of All Saints Parish Portland, the oldest parish in our diocese. If we have old photographs, stories, memorabilia or anything of interest, please contact Portland Parish Office by mail to All Saints Parish: PO Box 210, Portland, 3305 or by email: portland@ballarat.catholic.org.au

ST AUGUSTINE'S, CRESWICK 150TH ANNIVERSARY:

On September 17 & 18, 2022, St Augustine's Church, Creswick will be celebrating its 150th anniversary and welcomes old photographs, stories, memorabilia or anything else of interest, please contact Leonie: 0488 220 685 or by email: creswick@ballarat.catholic.org.au

Remembering those who have died:

We pray for Fr Eric Hodgens who died recently and those whose anniversaries are at this time: James Mason, James and Dorothy Forster, Patrick McCarthy, Josephine Lucas, Dermond Harris, Damien Field, Noel Dawson, Allen Plucke, John Moore, David Tucker, Veronica McAuliffe, Ray Bell, William Montgomery, Jan Burnett and Eve Dridan.

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL 29th May 2022

Feast of the Ascension of the Lord

Priest: As we celebrate Christ's Ascension, let us bring our prayers to the Lord.

Reader: That with Pope Francis, Bishop Paul and people throughout the world we may be inspired by the joy and hope of Christ's Ascension into heaven.

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

Reader: That with those preparing for the Sacrament of Confirmation we will turn to God for the guidance of the Holy Spirit and the gifts we need to continue Jesus' presence and action in our world.

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

Reader: For those elected as our new parliamentary representatives and our new Federal Government. That they will be guided by the Holy Spirit in making decisions for the good of individuals, families and our nation.

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

Reader: For peace in our world, especially in Ukraine. That every effort will be made to end violence and create cities and nations where war is over and peace on earth brings new meaning and hope for our world.

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

Reader: For Fr Eric Hodgens who died recently and those whose anniversaries are named on our Parish Bulletin.

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

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

Priest: God of all ages, through your mighty power you have glorified Jesus who ascended into heaven. Hear our prayers and send us forth as witnesses in your name through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All: Amen