

Liturgy Rosters:
Many thanks for your ministry to the Parish!

This Weekend: 22nd & 23rd October

Saturday: 6.00pm

Reader: K. Howman
Prayers: P. Howman
Minister
Computer: C. Leonard

Sunday: 10.30am

Reader: K. Arnott
Prayers: J. Sandeman
Ministers: D. Arnott
Computer: Vol. please

Next Weekend: 29th & 30th October

Saturday: 6.00pm

Reader: D. Kierce
Prayers: D. Bennett
Minister
Computer: A. O'Brien

Sunday: 10.30am

Reader: P. Couttie
Prayers: K. Loftus
Ministers: A. McIntyre
Computer: Vol. please

Following Weekend: 5th & 6th November

Saturday: 6.00pm

Reader: D. Baudinette
Prayers: P. O'Brien
Minister
Computer: A. O'Brien

Sunday: 10.30am

Reader: M. Picard
Prayers: A. McIntyre
Ministers: M. McGennissen
Computer: Vol. please

All Saints Outreach Op-Shop: (In Target Car park) Phone: 5521 1587

The Parish Outreach Op-Shop is in urgent need of good quality bric a brac or furniture.

Please ring Outreach for pick up if necessary. Thank you all for your ongoing support of Outreach.

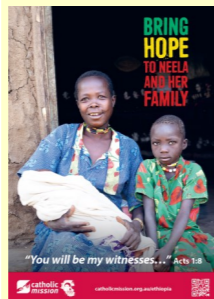
Outreach is open

Tuesday 10 am - 1pm
Thursday 10am - 3pm
Friday 10am - 4pm
Saturdays 10am - 12 mid-day.

Outreach is a significant fundraiser within the Parish and we regularly need Volunteers to give 3 hours in the mornings or afternoons.

Please contact Kate Howman 0428 235 218 for further information.

Catholic Mission Church Appeal - Sun 23rd October



Bringing hope and building brighter futures for families in Emdibir

Thank you for choosing to support the work of Catholic Mission and for sharing the important and vital work of missionaries with your parishioners. This year, we invite you to partner with the essential work of the community and

Church in Ethiopia as they look to establish a goat rearing centre to provide nutritious milk for families in most need. In addition, the Centre will provide opportunities for agricultural training and employment.

Total to date: \$171

Freecall: 1800 257 296
catholicmission.org.au/ethiopia

Our Finances

Planned Giving for Parish Account

Given last week, inc. EFT: \$ 690.00

Target \$62,400

Total YTD 2022/23 \$ 21,285
Total YTD 2021/22 \$ 20,097

Direct deposit payments for planned giving and donations can be made electronically. Details are as follows:

Account Name: Portland Catholic Church
BSB: 083 532
Account No. 5159 81661

Presbytery Account

Priest support: inc. EFT \$ 629.20

Direct deposit payments for the presbytery account can be made electronically. Details are as follows:

Account Name: All Saints Presbytery Portland
BSB: 083 526
Account No. 24476 6002



23rd October 2022

30th Sunday Ordinary Time Year C



Weekly Services to 25/10 to 30/10

Tuesday: **No Mass**

Wednesday: 10.00am Mass

Thursday: 10.00am Mass

Friday: 9.30am Adoration & Morning Prayer
10.00am Mass
6.00pm Evening Prayer

Saturday: 6.00pm Mass

Sunday: 10.30am Mass

Recent Deaths:

Rev. Fr William Melican PE, Barry Gawne, Alan Weir

Anniversaries:

Antonia Andes, Ruby Potter, Myrtle Ruge, Brian Jennings, Ricky Davies, Mary Knight, Mary Hanes, Ross Grundy, Patricia Taggart

Prayer Requests:

Margaret Couttie, Noela Clifford, Les Hildebrand, Lea-anne Bourke, Michelle Mutch, Deanne Atkinson

If you have any prayer requests please contact Antonella at the Parish Office; for privacy reasons only Next of Kin may ask for names to be added: Thank you

Baptisms and Marriages

by appointment with Fr. Gregory Tait.

Sacrament of Penance

1st Saturday of the month 10am or any other time by appointment with Fr Gregory

"The Spire"

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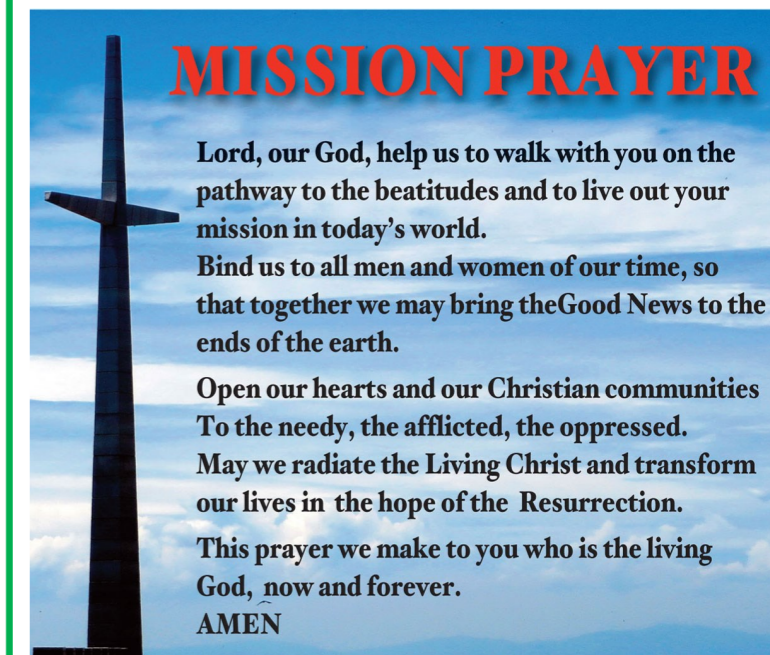
Rev. Gregory A. D. Tait, P.P.

email: greg.tait@ballarat.catholic.org.au

Parish Secretary: Antonella Webbstock
Wednesday & Thursday 9.00am till 3.00pm

All Saints Parish is committed to Child Safety - our Child Safety Policy and Code of Conduct are on display on the Parish website and noticeboard in the Tower Entrance of the Church.

All Saints Parish Portland acknowledges the Traditional Owners and Custodians of the land on which our Parish Community meets, the Gunditjmara people. We pay our respects to their Elders past and present and commit ourselves to the ongoing journey of reconciliation and constitutional acknowledgement of first peoples



MISSION PRAYER

Lord, our God, help us to walk with you on the pathway to the beatitudes and to live out your mission in today's world.

Bind us to all men and women of our time, so that together we may bring the Good News to the ends of the earth.

Open our hearts and our Christian communities To the needy, the afflicted, the oppressed. May we radiate the Living Christ and transform our lives in the hope of the Resurrection.

This prayer we make to you who is the living God, now and forever.
AMEN

Southern Stars Family Group Activity

Our next activity will begin at the BBQ in Hood St (Fawthrop Lagoon access) at 2pm on Sunday 30th October.

We will proceed with a walking rally, gathering interesting info from our environment.

Details will be provided and we will conclude with afternoon tea back at the Lagoon. Jenni.



Liturgy of the Word

First Reading

A reading from the book of Ecclesiasticus.

Give to the Most High as he has given to you and as generously as you can afford. For the Lord is the one who repays, and he will repay you sevenfold.

He will not show partiality to the poor, but he will listen to the prayer of one who is wronged. He will not ignore the supplication of the orphan or the widow when she pours out her complaint. Do not the tears of the widow run down her cheek

The word of the Lord.

Responsorial Psalm

(R.) The Lord hears the cry of the poor.

I will bless the Lord at all times,
his praise always on my lips;
in the Lord my soul shall make its boast.
The humble shall hear and be glad. (R.)

The Lord turns his face against the wicked
to destroy their remembrance from the earth.
The just call and the Lord hears
and rescues them in all their distress. (R.)

The Lord is close to the broken-hearted;
those whose spirit is crushed he will save.
The Lord ransoms the souls of his servants.
Those who hide in him shall not be condemned. R)

Second Reading

A reading from the second letter of St Paul to Timothy.

Beloved;

As for me, I am already being poured out as a libation, and the time of my departure has come. I have fought the good fight; I have finished the race; I have kept the faith. From now on there is reserved for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give me on that day, and not only to me but also to all who have longed for his appearing. At my first defense no one came to my support, but all deserted me. May it not be counted against them! But the Lord stood by me and gave me strength, so that through me the message might be fully proclaimed and all the gentiles might hear it. So I was rescued from the lion's mouth. The Lord will rescue me from every evil attack and save me for his heavenly kingdom. To him be the glory forever and ever. Amen.

The word of the Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

God was in Christ, to reconcile the world to himself; and the Good News of reconciliation he has entrusted to us.

Alleluia!

Gospel

From the holy Gospel according to Luke.

Jesus told this parable to some who trusted in themselves that they were righteous and regarded others with contempt:

"Two men went up to the temple to pray, one a Pharisee and the other a tax collector.

The Pharisee, standing by himself, was praying thus, 'God, I thank you that I am not like other people: thieves, rogues, adulterers, or even like this tax collector.

I fast twice a week; I give a tenth of all my income.'

But the tax collector, standing far off, would not even lift up his eyes to heaven but was beating his breast and saying, 'God, be merciful to me, a sinner!'

I tell you, this man went down to his home justified rather than the other, for all who exalt themselves will be humbled, but all who humble themselves will be exalted."

The Gospel of the Lord.

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Our Mission in Life

The journey of life is full of twists and turns, but that doesn't mean we can't find our mission. When God created us and gave us a purpose to fulfill. That purpose is to love one another! We all strive to find this purpose through different means and some may be more successful than others. But our trust in God will guide us through whatever life throws at us and help discover what our own mission really is!

Life is full of challenges, some big and some small. We all have our fair share of pain and suffering, but know that you can get through it.

Life is full of surprises. Some are good—you get an unexpected promotion at work or your child is accepted into their dream job—but some are bad. You have a heart attack or you lose your job.

It's important to be prepared so that when good things happen, you can take advantage of them and make the most of them. And, it's just as important to prepare in case something bad happens; if you're ready for it, then maybe you won't crumble under the weight of its blow!

Faith helps. God knows what is best for you and will guide you in the right direction. He loves you, so he has a plan for your life. The Holy Spirit will lead you to your mission and keep you on it until it becomes clear where God wants your life to go.

You have a mission, and it's part of who you are. It's what drives you toward your goals, it's what keeps you moving forward no matter what happens in life.

Your mission can change over the course of your lifetime. That's why it is so important to take some time out of your day and reflect on the questions, "Why am I here?" and "What is God calling me to do?"

We believe in the mission of Jesus Christ. As Christians, we are called to love our neighbour as we love ourselves.

Our mission is to love one another.

Love is the most important thing in life. Love is what makes us human and it's also what gives meaning to our lives—it's the key to happiness and success, both personally and professionally. But all too often we forget about this, or otherwise let our busy schedules get in the way of loving others with all our hearts. And so, this week, let's focus on why love matters so much, how we can start applying it more in our own lives and how learning more about Jesus' relationship with his disciples should inspire us as His followers. *Tony www.majellan.media*

Towards a Spirituality of Synodality

One of the most significant aspects of the 2021-2023 Synod is the recognition that it is informed and shaped by a spirituality. In developing a 'spirituality for synodality', we find that it assists us in integrating our theological reflection and expanding our experience of the Church as we engage more deeply in the synodal process. Indeed, as the features of a synodal spirituality unfold for us, we can come to see in it the ways in which the Holy Spirit graces the life of the Church, drawing each one into a deeper love of Christ and moving us to desire an ever greater communion, participation, and mission.

The purpose of this paper is not to give a detailed analysis of the spirituality for synodality and its theological foundations. This important work needs to be done, but it will require more extensive treatment than is possible here. Rather, it is hoped that the foundations, nature and significance of a spirituality for synodality can be developed in the light of the synodal process itself, drawing on the experience of the whole Church.

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Download the report: www.ballarat.catholic.org.au/wp-content/uploads/2022/02/Towards-a-Spirituality-of-Synodality.pdf

Columban Calendar



The Columban Calendar 2023 is available to purchase at the All Saints Outreach Shop for \$10.

Support Missions - It would make an ideal Christmas gift!

Get one before they are sold out!

Liturgy Formation at South West Coast Parish – Sunday, November 13, 2022

The Diocesan Liturgical Commission is hosting a Liturgy Formation Session at St Joseph's Gathering Space, Warrnambool on Sunday, November 13, 2022. Bishop Paul will celebrate Mass at 10.30am with the formation program beginning at 12.00noon on the topics of Sunday Assembly of Word & Communion and Fr John McKinnon will present a workshop on scripture reflection. All welcome to attend. More details and registration information will be available from the diocesan website www.ballarat.catholic.org.au