

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 **Pastor Emeritus:** Fr. Pat Flanagan

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St Augustine's School: 5460 4440 **Principal:** Mrs. Sonia Turner

26th March 2023 Fifth Sunday of Lent in Ordinary Time Year A

Collections "Thank You" First Collection – \$965 *For Clergy support and Presbytery expenses.*

Second Collection - Parish Planned Giving – \$1067 *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 the month.

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

Tuesday 28th March – 10.00am Mass

Wednesday 29th March – 10.00am Mass

Thursday 30th March – 10.00am Mass

Friday 31st March – 11.00am Exposition of Blessed Sacrament

– 12.00 Midday Mass

	Readers	Psalm/Prayer	Gifts
Mar 25 th	J. Leneaux-Gale	M. Noonan	B. Teggerth
Mar 26 th	B. O'Connor	T. Jacka	Hadwen Family
April 1	B. Crameri	J. Duke	Lacey Family
April 2	H. Taylor	P. Egan	C. Egan

6.00PM BAPTISM – HARLEY MURRAY:

With his mum, Rachael, and her family we welcome Harley into our parish family during our St Augustine's 6.00pm Mass.

10.30AM BAPTISMS

– LUCA CRAMERI AND AXEL O'SHEA:

With Luca's parents, Lachlan and Laureen, and Axel's parents, Brodie and Davinia, we welcome them into our parish family during our St. Augustine's 10.30am Mass.



HOLY WEEK AND EASTER:

Wednesday 6th April – 6.00pm Sacrament of Reconciliation: St Augustine’s

Holy Thurs. 6th April – 6.00pm Mass of the Lord’s Supper: St Augustine’s

Good Friday 7th April – 10.00am Stations of the Cross: St Kevin’s, Avoca

– 10.00am Good Friday Prayers: St Mary’s, Dunolly

– 3.00pm Passion of The Lord: St Augustine’s, Maryborough

Holy Saturday 8th April – 6.00pm Easter Vigil Mass: Maryborough

– 8.00pm Easter Vigil Mass: St Kevin’s, Avoca

Easter Sunday 9th April – 8.30am Mass of Resurrection: St Mary’s, Dunolly

– 10.30am Mass of Resurrection: St Augustine’s, Maryborough

PROJECT COMPASSION: We’re invited to continue our annual generous support of Caritas aid to people in need throughout the world through Project Compassion boxes/envelopes on the tables in the centre of St Augustine’s church and at Avoca and Dunolly or via <https://www.caritas.org.au/project-compassion> or calling 1800 024 413. Envelopes and boxes can be put on any collection between now and the Sunday after Easter and we will forward this money to Caritas. Or we can simply enclose money in an envelope, write “Project Compassion” on this and put it on any collection.

AUSTRALIAN CATHOLICS MAGAZINE: Please pick up our free Autumn edition titled “Touring the World of Jesus” focussing on the life and times of Jesus and with other informative articles.

LENT RESOURCES: Lent prayer resources are available from our diocese at: <https://www.ballarat.catholic.org.au/services-agencies-2/pastoral/liturgy-sacraments/liturgy-resources/>

BEALIBA STATIONS OF THE CROSS: 6.30pm each Friday till Good Friday at St Patrick’s Church followed by a cuppa.

For more details please phone Chris Newdick on 0429 169 363

Remembering those who have died:

We pray for Elisabeth Cramer (Grey Loyer’s aunt in Germany) who died recently and those whose anniversaries are at this time: Eileen Townsing, Reg Hayes, Martha Maffescioni, Giovanni Caruso, Wayne Backway, Terrance Cooper, Josie Long, Winifred O’Halloran, Edna May Holland, Joan Leitch, Arthur Baker and Malcolm James Liston.

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL 5th Sunday in Lent. Year A

Priest: Let us turn to the God of kindness, healing and hope who hears our every prayer.

Reader: That Jesus' promise of resurrection and new life will renew our faith and inspire us to work together for the coming of God's kingdom.

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

Reader: That Harley Murray, Luca Cramer and Axel O'Shea who are being welcomed into our parish through Baptism this weekend will continue to be blessed by God throughout their lives and lovingly supported by their families and our parish community.

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

Reader: That Ben Hoban and Warren Berry who are preparing to be Baptised and Confirmed at Easter will be supported by our prayers during this significant time in their lives and beyond.

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

Reader: That all who are mourning the passing of a loved one will be strengthened by the words of Jesus who consoled Martha and Mary and brought their brother Lazarus back to life.

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

Reader: That Elisabeth Cramer who died recently and those whose anniversaries are at this time be received with joy and gladness into God's eternal kingdom.

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

Priest: We ask for Mary's intercession – "Hail Mary ...

Priest: God of compassion, help us to trust more fully in your promises as we draw near to the time we commemorate his death and celebrate his Resurrection, and through whom we bring our prayers to you, Jesus Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.