

St Augustine's Creswick & St Peter's Daylesford

Napier St Creswick

Duke St Daylesford



*We are child safe Parishes, committed to safeguarding children & vulnerable adults.
We acknowledge the Dja Dja Wurrung People as the Traditional Custodians of the land
on which we live. We pay our respect to Elders, past, present and emerging.*

Sunday October 15th 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time 2023 (Year A)

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All Souls' Day Mass

Thursday November 2nd

St Francis Xavier Chapel

Eganstown, **5.30pm.**

All are invited to pray for all of our beloved dead, including those buried in the Eganstown Cemetery.

Mass Times

This Sunday (October 15th)

Daylesford 6.00pm Vigil Sat

Creswick 9.00am

Weekdays

Creswick, Monday 10.00am

Funeral Mass, Kevin Tolhurst

Daylesford, Wednesday 18th

Hepburn House 11.00am

(Covid test required)

Ballan, Thursday 10.30am

Creswick, Friday 10.30am

Next Sunday

(October 22nd)

Creswick 9.00am

Daylesford 10.30am

Welcome to Fr Sajan

Fr Sajan from the Bungaree Parish will celebrate the 9.00am Mass at Creswick this Sunday, enabling Fr Justin to celebrate the 9.00am Mass and 3 Baptisms at Gordon and the 10.30am Mass at Ballan.

Recent deaths

Brett Harrison (Mt Rowan)

Clare Madden (Windermere)

Kevin Tolhurst (Funeral Mass @ Creswick 10.00am Monday)

Eva Thomas (Gordon)

Anniversaries of death

Creswick

Jean Hall, Nicholas Kennedy,

Bernice Mitchell,

Daylesford

Monica Bolton,

Dorothy Carbone,

Mary Gervasoni,

Mary Lane, Vin Mansour,

Trish Nield, Shirley O'Connor

Lois Parravicini, John Raven,

Molly Richardson,

Sadie Scoble, Joan Shanahan.

Pope Francis, in his 2022

World Mission Sunday

Message reminds us that we are all invited to answer the call to be missionary, sharing that *"Mission is carried out together, not individually..."*

Kevin Gerard Tolhurst A.M. RIP

It is with great sadness that we acknowledge the death of our friend and pilgrim in faith, Kevin Tolhurst.

For many years Kevin has been a vital member of St Augustine's Parish Creswick. His intelligence and wisdom have contributed to many of our events. From his loved botanical guides on Family Groups expeditions to being co-author and researcher of *Saints and Sinners*, our 150th anniversary book, and photography display. Kevin was an IT genius, developing the database of music for Masses, and was a regular contributor to the liturgy. The half-pruned hedge on Napier St currently stands testament to much of the work he did quietly and generously. We extend our condolences to Rosemary, Michael and Jacquie, Chris and Crystal, Gen and Mish and families.

*"Lord, for your faithful people,
life is changed, not ended."*

Time to order your Calendar and Cards

It is that time again to order your 2024 Columban Calendar and /or Christmas Cards. Please call or email the office before November 3rd.
Calendars \$10.00, Christmas Cards \$9.00.

Laudate Deum, Apostolic Exhortation

of Pope Francis on the climate crisis

"Laudate Deum": Apostolic Exhortation to all people of good will on the climate crisis (4 October 2023) | Francis (vatican.va)

Sunday Lay Led Assemblies of the Word and Holy Communion:

Bishop Paul and the Diocesan Liturgical Commission invite parishioners of the Parishes of Creswick and Daylesford, together with the faith communities of Ballan, Bungaree, Clarkes Hill, Dunnstown, Gordon and Springbank to a workshop after 10.30am Mass at Ballan on Sunday November 5th. Parishioners of Creswick and Daylesford, and previously also Blampied and Clunes are familiar and experienced with Lay Led Assemblies of the Word and Holy Communion, celebrated when a priest is not available to celebrate the Mass with the community. They may be celebrated occasionally or scheduled regularly to enable the local faith community to continue to gather on Sundays. Leadership of the Sunday Assembly of Word and Holy Communion is shared amongst several designated and Commissioned Leaders, together with the Readers, minister of the Eucharist and music ministers who are rostered as usual. Resources for the liturgy are provided by the Diocese. The workshop is open to all to come and learn about Sunday Assemblies so that each community can be ready to celebrate them when the need arises. Bishop Paul will celebrate the 10.30am Mass in Ballan with the day commencing at 12 Noon and continuing through the afternoon with a series of workshops, concluding by 4.30pm. Leaders previously commissioned, together with interested parishioners are invited to attend the day. Lunch will be provided. Please register on the sign-up sheets in the church gathering areas or contact Leonie in the Office, email or phone. Fr Justin is able to offer transport after the 10.30am Mass in Daylesford to four Daylesford parishioners to attend.