

# St Augustine's Parish, Maryborough

St Kevin's, Avoca \* St Patrick's, Amphitheatre \* St Mary's, Dunolly \* St Patrick's, Bealiba  
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## PARISH CONTACT

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## PARISH TEAM

Parish Priest Fr John Monaghan  
Pastor Emeritus Fr Pat Flanagan  
Parish Secretary & Child Safety Off Liz Micallef

## PARISH SCHOOL

St Augustine Catholic Primary School  
Tel: 5460 4440  
Principle: Mrs. Sonia Turner

## Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

26th November 2023

PARISH CONTRIBUTIONS	
<b>1st Collection</b> <i>Clergy support &amp; Presbytery expenses</i>	\$522
<b>2nd Collection</b> <i>Parish expenses &amp; Church maintenance</i>	\$844

WEEKEND MASSES			
St Kevin's, Avoca	8.30am   Mass   1st & 3rd Sundays 8.30am   Assembly   2nd, 4th & 5th Sun		
St Mary's, Dunolly	8.30am   Mass   2nd & 4th Sundays 8.30am   Assembly   1st & 3rd Sundays		
St Patrick, Bealiba	8.30am   Mass   5th Sunday		
St Augustine's, Maryborough	6.00pm Saturday & 10.30am Sunday		
WEEKDAY MASSES			
Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
10.00am	10.00am	10.00am	12.00pm

Remembering those who have died:  
We pray for those who died recently and those whose anniversaries are at this time:

John McArdle, Gaston Alvarez, Leigh-Anne Naeff, Mathew Mark Kelly, Nora Booth, Margaret Troia, Des Meagher, Ken Lowery, Tom Daly, Patrick Cudmore and John Rafferty.

	Reader	Psalm/Prayer	Gifts
<b>Nov 25th</b>	J Walsh	D Hamilton	Lacey Family
<b>Nov 26th</b>	C Egan	T Jacka	Volunteers
<b>Dec 2nd</b>	B Cramer	J Duke	Lacey Family
<b>Dec 3rd</b>	M Jackson	C Williamson	B Alexander

**NEW READING ROSTERS:** Now ready for December through to April 2024. Please pick up your copy from the middle tables in the Church.

**ADVENT STUDY 10.00am THIS FRIDAY 1<sup>st</sup> DECEMBER:** Our Anglican friends invite us to join their Advent discussion group (similar to our Lenten groups) commencing 10.00am this Friday in the Church Office beside Christ the King Church, Nightingale Street, Maryborough. \$5 donation for printed materials. Please advise Fr John ASAP if you would like to attend so I can pass on numbers for this valuable opportunity to spiritually prepare with them for Christmas.

**THANK YOU FOR LAST WEEKEND'S ASSEMBLIES:** I sincerely thank our parish for organising and holding Assemblies last weekend when I was sidelined with COVID. It's a sign of a mature parish when everything doesn't depend on one particular person up the front and we're able to adapt to foreseen and unforeseen circumstances. I'm grateful also for your prayers and the many phone calls, emails and other support I received during that time. I'm now thankful that I seem to have bounced back ok. *John*

**ST PATRICK'S CHURCH, AMPHITHEATRE:** At a meeting of Amphitheatre parishioners on Wednesday it was decided that, as our building is no longer used, the best option is to sell this. Fr John has written to Bishop Paul Bird seeking his approval for this.

**CAY TRINH'S DIACONATE ORDINATION 16<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER:** Bishop Paul Bird will ordain Cay as a deacon for our Ballarat diocese at 10.00am on Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> December in St Patrick's Cathedral, Ballarat followed by refreshments in the Cathedral Hall. All welcome.

**ST MARY'S, DUNOLLY MEETING 26<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER:** Our next meeting discussing our building and other options for Mass etc will be held immediately after 8.30am Mass today.

**VINNIES CHRISTMAS CARDS:** Now available at St Augustine's church piety stall plus at Avoca and Dunolly. Packs of 5 for \$2.50

**2024 COLUMBAN CALENDARS:** Also available at St Augustine's church piety stall plus at Avoca and Dunolly for \$7 each.

**PRAYER FOR PEACE IN THE MIDDLE EAST:** Please take a card and pray with us each day for Peace in the land of Jesus.

**FIRST EUCHARIST 2023:** We pray for the children of our parish who are preparing for First Communion next Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> December.