

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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Hours: 9.00am - 12.00pm, Friday

PARISH TEAM

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

PARISH SCHOOL

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

1st Sunday of Advent

3rd December 2023

PARISH CONTRIBUTIONS

1st Collection <i>Clergy support & Presbytery expenses</i>	\$735
2nd Collection <i>Parish expenses & Church maintenance</i>	\$822

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,	6.00pm Saturday & 10.30am Sunday

WEEKDAY MASSES

Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
10.00am	6.00pm	10.00am	12.00pm

FIRST COMMUNION: Congratulations to our children receiving Jesus in the Eucharist for the first time at 10.30am Mass today.

AN AFTERNOON OF MUSIC 2.00pm SUNDAY: Join St Andrew's Uniting Church for music, hymns and Christmas carols plus afternoon tea. 2.00pm today at cnr. Neill & Palmerston Sts, Maryborough.

ST AUGUSTINE'S SCHOOL GRADUATION MASS:

6.00pm this Wednesday 6th December. All Welcome.

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING 5.30pm THURS 7th DECEMBER:

At 68 Burke Street followed by BBQ (meat provided; byo salad/sweet).

JUSTIN STANDLEY SINGING AT 6.00pm MASS: Popular Country music singer and X Factor contestant, Justin Standley, will sing a couple of Gospel songs for us at next Saturday evening's Mass.

ADVENT STUDY GROUP: 10.00am Fridays at Christ the King Anglican Church, Maryborough. See Fr John for details.

OUR DIOCESAN COMMUNITY: Please pick up your free copy of the November edition. Familiar faces in this include Margaret Robbins and there's a comprehensive story of the birth of our Ballarat diocese in 1874.

CAY TRINH'S ORDINATION 16TH DECEMBER:

Bishop Paul Bird will ordain Cay as a deacon for our Ballarat diocese at 10.00am on Saturday 16th December in St Patrick's Cathedral, Ballarat.

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.

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

CHRISTMAS EVE CAROLS AND MASS:

Maryborough: 5.30pm Carols and 6.00pm Mass

Avoca: 7.30pm Carols and 8.00pm Mass

(N.B. No Avoca 8.30am Assembly on Sunday 24th December)

CHRISTMAS DAY MASS:

8.30am Dunolly and 10.30am Maryborough

Remembering those who have died:

We pray for Fr Gerard Dowling and Agnes Hughes (sister of Frs Dan & Kevin Arundell) who died recently and those whose anniversaries are at this time: Anne Brown, Sara Melbourne, Rolph Amelia, Max D'Atri, Emma Winczil, Mick Gallagher, Ann Maree Jones, Shane Melton, Thomas Maffescioni, Fr Martin Gleeson, Graeme Para, Jack May, Lou Prunty and Una Mary Burns.

	Reader	Psalm/ Prayer	Gifts
Dec 2nd	B Cramer	J Duke	Lacey Family
Dec 3rd	M Jackson	C Williamson	B Alexander
Dec 9th	M Lacey	G Hadwen	Walsh Family
Dec 10th	S Dellavedova	K Lloyd	P Egan Family