



St. Paul VI Parish Wimmera-Mallee

Beulah - Dimboola - Hopetoun - Horsham - Kaniva - Minyip - Murtoa - Natimuk
- Nhill - Rainbow - Rupanyup - Warracknabeal

BULLETIN

THE TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 23RD June 2024 YEAR B

Annual Collection for the Pope June 29th & 30th

The Annual Collection for the Holy Father is almost upon us. This Collection is to be taken up throughout the world on a weekend near the Feast of Ss Peter & Paul (29th June).

Bishop Paul writes:

"We are aware of the many demands made on the people of the diocese throughout the year by the way of appeals for financial support. However, this particular Appeal does ask your special attention."

Through this collection we have the opportunity to support the Pope's pastoral care for people around the world.

Please keep this in mind for Masses NEXT weekend.



CONTACTS

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CLOSED MONDAYS

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Please submit notices for our weekly Bulletin to the Parish Office by **C.O.B Thursday**.
Thank you

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Mass Livestreaming

Vigil Mass will be livestreamed from the Horsham Church at 6.30pm Saturday Night and will be available to watch 'live', or for replay viewing at a time convenient.

(Recordings are deleted weekly, and will be available until Friday each week)

YouTube Channel Link:

<https://www.youtube.com/@smjchurchhorsham/streams>



THE ST VINCENT DE PAUL WINTER APPEAL

June 1st—August 31st

Our parish is supporting the St Vincent de Paul Society's Winter Appeal. Each year, our Winter Appeal plays a vital role in enabling the good works of the Society and, with your support, we hope to achieve a strong result so we can continue serving the community.

Over the past six months, the Society has provided over \$5 million in material assistance, including food, clothing, furniture and financial support, to families and households in need throughout Victoria **alone**. With the current homelessness crisis, the assistance we provide for people experiencing hardship this Winter will be needed more than ever.

Parishioners are encouraged to donate generously to help continue the Society's work of helping those most in need.

Envelopes are available in Horsham church foyer or visit vinnies.org.au. Clean household items are needed, also bedding and blankets, which can be donated at your local St Vincent de Paul assistance centre. (Horsham & Warracknabeal)

WEEKDAY MASSES

Tuesday 25th June	NO MASS	Warracknabeal
	NO MASS	Horsham
Wednesday 26th June	9.30am	Warracknabeal
	9.30am	Horsham
Thursday 27th June	9.30am	Warracknabeal
	9.30am	Horsham
Friday 28th June	9.30am	Warracknabeal
	9.30am	Horsham
Saturday 29th June	9.30am	Warracknabeal
	9.30am	Horsham



Funeral Prayers for Patricia Sonogo

Ss Michael & John Catholic Church, Horsham

Wednesday 26th June 2024 at 1pm

Rosary will be offered at 5pm on Tuesday the 25th June



HORSHAM MINISTRY ROSTER

<u>22nd & 23rd June</u>	<u>6.30 Vigil</u>	<u>10.30am Sunday</u>
Reader	Kevin Dunn	May Rosello
Commentator	Betty Heinrich	Dianne Noy
Eucharist Ministers	Anne Newton Bernadette Trounce Maree Plazzer	Faye Wills Rosie Taylor Bob Pritchett
<u>29th & 30th June</u>	<u>6.30 Vigil</u>	<u>10.30am Sunday</u>
Reader	Betty Heinrich	Louise Kemp
Commentator	Emelia Sudholz	Louise Chesterfield
Eucharist Ministers	John Parker Bob Hayes Lesley Price	Simon Lynch Anna Robertson Timothy Lannen
Projector	Geoff Simpson	Robert Sartori
Musicians	Embedded	Embedded
Livestream	Rob Sartori	NA
Welcomers	Garry & Betty Heinrich	Nanette Freckleton Lyn Starr
Tea/Coffee After Mass	N/A	Jisha Luke Nimmy, Chrisna, Preeni
Prayers	Alison McKinnon & Anna Robertson	
Church Cleaning & Flower Arranging	<u>30th June 2024</u> Josie Phelan Pauline Irwin Joan Butler Margo Hogan	<u>7th July 2024</u> Jenny Clarke Bernie Lakin Rhonda Tursi

Child Safety Standards: St Paul VI Parish
Bob Pritchett is our Safeguarding Officer, Horsham
and **Cynthia Maiden**, Hopetoun.

A **Child Safety Policy** and **Code of Conduct** has been adopted for all who work with children and vulnerable adults in the Parish, to ensure the safety of all.

Our Parish seeks to always be a child safe Parish.

HOLY COMMUNION TO SICK, ELDERLY OR HOUSE BOUND

Parishioners interested in receiving *preparation/ guidance to be able to bring Holy Communion from our churches to Parishioners* can notify
Mons Glynn.

WEEKEND MASS TIMES THIS WEEKEND

4th Sunday of the month: 23rd June 2024

Horsham: **Saturday Vigil 6.30pm, Sunday 10.30am**
Dimboola: **Sunday Mass 8.30am**
Warracknabeal: **Sunday Mass 8.30am**
Beulah: **Saturday Vigil 6pm**
Nhill: **Sunday Mass 11am**
Minyip: **Sunday LLA 10am**
Murtoa: **Sunday LLA 9am**
Hopetoun: **Sunday LLA 9am**
Rainbow: **Sunday LLA 10am**

WARRACKNABEAL LITURGY ROSTER

	<u>23rd June Mass 8.30am</u>	<u>30th June Mass 8.30am</u>
Reader	P. Winsall	K. Downes
Prayers	A. Van Den Akker	J. McFarlane
Collectors	D. & K. Baxter	L. Casey
Cleaning	M Aitken & M Farrall	

NHILL LITURGY ROSTER

	<u>23rd June Mass 11am</u>	<u>30th June Mass 11am</u>
Sacristan	J Gurry	A Munro
Reader	Vanessa T	M. Millington
Collector	J Kennedy	J Kennedy
Music	Paul Ramas	Paul Ramas
Cleaning	M Millington	M Millington

HOPETOUN LITURGY ROSTER

	<u>23rd June LLA 9am</u>	<u>30th June LLA 9am</u>
Readers	Horman Family	Luca & Dakota
Offertory	Cynthia Maiden & Joan Bellinger	Claire White & Marilyn Clancy
Eucharistic Minister	Marilyn Clancy	Joan Bellinger

Natimuk Mass: 6.30pm, Thursday 27th June at
1 Mitchell Street, Natimuk
(meal follow at hotel)

Rupanyup Mass: TBA

Our Parish Finance

For all wishing to support either our Parish or Clergy through online banking transfer:

St Paul VI **Parish** Account (NAB)

BSB: 083-680 Acc. No: 515830337

(Please state envelope number if you have one, and name)

St Paul VI **Presbytery** (Clergy Support) Account (NAB)

BSB: 083-680 Acc. No: 515830345

The option of regular automatic Direct Debit contributions can be arranged by contacting our office. The Parish also has an NGR number for grain growers who wish to donate through harvest.

All amounts are an active support to our faith community and are greatly appreciated.

WEEKEND MASS TIMES NEXT WEEKEND

5th Sunday of the month: 30th of June 2024

Horsham: **Saturday Vigil 6.30pm, Sunday 10.30am**
Nhill: **Sunday Mass 11am**
Rainbow: **Saturday Vigil 6pm**
Minyip: **Sunday Mass 8.30am**
Warracknabeal: **Sunday Mass 8.30am**
Murtoa: **Sunday LLA 10.30am**
Hopetoun: **Sunday LLA 9am**
Dimboola: **Sunday LLA 8.30am**
Beulah: **Sunday LLA 9.30am**

PARISH EVENTS AND NOTICES

Please Remember in Your Prayers

RECENT DEATHS: Patricia Sonogo

ANNIVERSARIES: Shirley Brasier-Tunks, Peg Byrne, Tina Smith

SICK: Pat Hateley, Ted Haynes, Max Young, Joan McNamara, Alex Kavoor, Elliot Pumpa, Kevin Clancy, Jodie White, Bernie Ryan, Brendan McKinnon, Cynthia Maiden, Peter James, Noel Kearns, Brenda Ramsdale, Patricia Simpson, Frank White, David Gillard, Maggie Landrigan, Jason O'Connell, Tim Clancy, Lyn Simpson, Cassie Simpson, Jean Simpson, Joan Whiley

St Vincent de Paul

A representative of St Vincent de Paul is available to assess and assist cases in **Horsham** on **Mon, Wed and Fri** mornings between 11am - 12noon

Appointments essential - Phone **5381 2371** to book.

Warracknabeal Conference of St Vincent de Paul

Next meeting will be at St Mary's Church Warracknabeal, on Wednesday 26th June at 2:00pm



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To find out more, visit

www.catholicdevelopmentfund.org.au/communityfund/offer,

scan the QR code, or speak to us on **1800 134 135**.



*Interest rates subject to change. View current rates on the CDF website.

St Thomas, Apostle Extra Feast Day Mass Wed 3rd July

Fr Sajan will celebrate Mass in **Horsham** at **6pm** on 3rd July in the Syro-Malabar Rite, to mark the Feast of St Thomas. This is a special Feast Day for our Indian heritage parishioners. Mons Glynn will join Fr Sajan at this Mass.

This Mass will be additional to the 9.30am Masses in our parish that day.

ACTIVITIES IN SMJ CHURCH HORSHAM

Morning Craft Group

The Craft Group gather weekly in the Parish Office meeting room on Wednesdays, 9.30am - 11.30am

Choir Practice

2nd Wednesday of the month, 4pm at the Church
Any newcomers always welcome

Men's Fellowship

Breakfast - **3rd Thursday** of the month
7.30am - 8.30am at the Parish Hall. All men welcome

Meditation Group

The Meditation Group meet weekly on Tuesdays, at 2.00pm in the Church meeting room.

Prayer Group

Will meet on the **1st and 3rd Wednesdays** of each month, at 1.30pm in the church meeting room.

St Paul VI Parish Luncheon **IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

*Regarding the upcoming Parish luncheon at the
Warracknabeal Golf Club House
(off Henty Hwy, just Nth of Warracknabeal)
On*

Thursday 27th June

Reservations have now **CLOSED**

*We have an overwhelming response and all
50 spaces have now be accounted for.*

Thank you to all who have contacted us

We look forward to an afternoon of surprises, special guests and fun activities!

Don't forget to organise your Christmas attire.

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Sunday Mass

23rd June 2024

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading

A reading from the Book of Job - 38:1, 8-11

From the heart of the tempest the Lord gave Job his answer.

He said:

Who pent up the sea behind closed doors
when it leapt tumultuous out of the womb,
when I wrapped it in a robe of mist
and made black clouds its swaddling bands;
when I marked the bounds it was not to cross
and made it fast with a bolted gate?

Come thus far, I said, and no farther;
here your proud waves shall break.

Responsorial Psalm Ps 106: 23-26,28-31

R. Give thanks to the Lord, his love is everlasting.

Some sailed to the sea in ships to trade on the mighty waters.
These men have seen the Lord's deeds, the wonders he
does in the deep.

For he spoke; he summoned the gale, tossing the waves
of the sea up to heaven and back into the deep; their
soul melted away in their distress.

Then they cried to the Lord in their need and he rescued
them from their distress. He stilled the storm to a
whisper: all the waves of the sea were hushed.

They rejoiced because of the calm and he led them to
the haven they desired. Let them thank the Lord for his
love, the wonders he does for men.

R. Give thanks to the Lord, his love is everlasting.

Second Reading

A reading from the second letter of St Paul to the
Corinthians 5: 14-17

The love of Christ overwhelms us when we reflect that if one
man has died for all, then all men should be dead; and the
reason he died for all was so that living men should live no
longer for themselves, but for him who died and was raised
to life for them.

From now onwards, therefore, we do not judge anyone by
the standards of the flesh. Even if we did once know Christ
in the flesh, that is not how we know him now. And for
anyone who is in Christ, there is a new creation; the old
creation has gone, and now the new one is here.

Gospel Acclamation Luke 7:16

Alleluia, alleluia!

A great prophet has appeared among us;

God has visited his people.

Alleluia!

Gospel A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark 4:35-41

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark
With the coming of evening, Jesus said to his disciples, 'Let
us cross over to the other side.' And leaving the crowd
behind they took him, just as he was, in the boat; and there
were other boats with him. Then it began to blow a gale and
the waves were breaking into the boat so that it was almost
swamped. But he was in the stern, his head on the cushion,
asleep. They woke him and said to him, 'Master, do you not
care? We are going down!' And he woke up and rebuked the
wind and said to the sea, 'Quiet now! Be calm!' And the wind
dropped, and all was calm again. Then he said to them,
'Why are you so frightened? How is it that you have no
faith?' They were filled with awe and said to one another,
'Who can this be? Even the wind and the sea obey him.'

GOSPEL REFLECTION

Today's Gospel describes the end of a day of
teaching in Jesus' ministry. Jesus taught the
crowd in parables and then offered explana-
tions of these parables to his disciples. Jesus
then led his disciples away from the crowds
and into the boats that they will use to cross
the Sea of Galilee. The sea and its surround-
ing area are the settings for Jesus' teachings
and miracles in this part of Mark's Gospel.
Today's reading describes how Jesus calmed
a storm at sea. It is the first of four miracles
that are presented in sequence at this point
in Mark's Gospel.

As is typical in Mark's Gospel, Jesus'
disciples are frightened by the sudden storm;
they do little to inspire confidence in the
reader. Mark notes the contrast between the
disciples' terror and Jesus' peace.

Jesus is sleeping, untroubled by what is
going on around him.

The disciples' words to Jesus are telling.
They are familiar enough with Jesus to dare
to wake him. Their words to him are words
of reproach, questioning his care for them. A
careful reader might wonder what the
disciples expected Jesus to do. Are they
more troubled by the storm or by Jesus'
inattentiveness to their needs? How many of
us have chided a family member or friend
for not agreeing with our assessment of the
severity of a situation?

Today's Gospel offers evidence of Jesus'
power and authority as he calms the storm.
In his day, power over nature was believed
to be a sign of divinity—only God calms
storms. Jesus' rebuke of the storm also e-
choes the rebuke he uses when he talks to and
expels demons. In each situation, Jesus'

power and authority is a sign of his divinity.
Indeed, the disciples are left wondering
about Jesus' identity at the conclusion of
today's Gospel. They see before them a hu-
man being who acts with the authority and
power of God. The disciples' uncertainty
about Jesus' identity is a recurring theme in
Mark's Gospel.

This Gospel is a metaphor for our lives. We
are in the boat, the storms of life are raging
around us, and like the disciples, we may
believe that Jesus is unconcerned, or
"sleeping." We hope that we will be as
familiar with Jesus as his disciples. If we
feel that Jesus is sleeping, are we comforta-
ble enough to wake Jesus and present him
with our needs? Jesus does not chide his
disciples for waking him. Instead he chides
them for their lack of faith, for their lack of
perspective. When we bring our worries to
God in prayer, we might just begin to learn
to see things from God's perspective.

Next Weekend's Readings: 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B

1st Reading: Wisdom 1:13-15; 2:23-24

Responsorial Psalm: Ps 29:2, 4-6, 11-13

2nd Reading: Second letter of St Paul to the Corinthians 8:7, 9, 13-15

Response: I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me.

Gospel: Mark 5:21-24, 35-43