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**PARISH PERSONNEL**

Parish Priest	Fr John Fitzgerald
Assistant Priest	Fr Bill Lowry
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Admin Team	Karen Johnson Virginia Martin Trisha McGinness

**SCHOOL PRINCIPALS**

St John's Dennington	Ben van de Camp
St Patrick's Koroit	Tegan McDonald
St Patrick's Port Fairy	Olga Lyons
St Joseph's W'bool	Matthew O'Brien
St Pius X W'bool West	Nick Murrell
OLHC W'bool East	Stephen Madden
Emmanuel College	Peter Morgan

**WE ARE A CHILD SAFE PARISH**

Star of the Sea Parish adheres to the Child Safe Standards of Victoria. Our policies are on display in each Church, and website.

Parish Safeguarding Officers:

Infant Jesus, Koroit	Leisa McCosh
St Patrick's, Port Fairy	Peter Sanderson
St Joseph's, W'bool	Matthew O'Brien
St Pius X, W'bool West	Karen Johnson
OLHC, W'bool East	Dion Bartlett

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

We recognise the traditional custodians of parish lands. We acknowledge their ancestors with respect and we are committed to working for justice and reconciliation.

**15<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> July 2024

**New Worship Times**

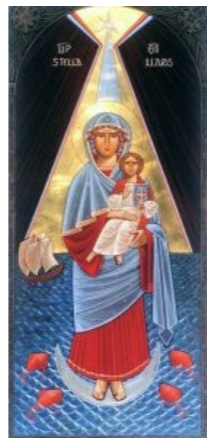
- Vigil 6:00pm: Our Lady, Help of Christians
- Sunday 9:00am: St Pius X
- ~ 9:00am: Koroit (Infant Jesus)
- ~ 10:30am: St Joseph's
- ~ 10:30am: Port Fairy (St Patrick's)
- ~ 6:00pm: St Joseph's

**Apostleship of the Sea Stella Maris**

The Apostleship of the Sea is the Catholic Church's Missionary work to the Seafarers whether they be on merchant, passenger, war or fishing vessels.

While the Church has always been interested in Seafarers since Christ first gathered his fishermen (disciples) around him, the modern movement began in the 1890's.

The purpose of Stella Maris is to care for the spiritual, social and material welfare of all Seafarers without distinction of colour, race or creed:



**Spiritual:** Inspired by our Catholic faith and respecting the beliefs and practices of all seafarers, we nourish their spiritual lives by being Christ for them and finding Christ in them.

**Social:** Concerned for the social well-being of seafarers, we provide internet and telecommunications facilities, to allow them to keep in contact with their families, and recreational activities promoting their mental and physical health.

**Material:** We support seafarers in their right to fair remuneration, appropriate onboard accommodation, safe working conditions and non-discriminatory treatment by advocacy and working with other organisations.

*"Do not neglect to show hospitality to strangers, for by doing that some have entertained angels without knowing it."* Hebrews 13:2

**Baptisms:** Aneni Nouma, Geva Murphy, Hugo & George Ross and Sebastian Dillon will be welcomed into our faith community this weekend.

**Parish Bible Study:** This Wednesday at 7:00pm St Joseph's *Lectio: Mark, Faith not Fear*, a video series hosted by Dr Tim Gray from FORMED. Each week our bible study group will move through a chapter of Mark's Gospel, viewing a short video followed by question prompted from the study guide.

**OLHC:** Holy Hour every Monday at 10:00am

**St Pius X:** Morning Tea after Mass 21<sup>st</sup> July

**Rosary for July:** Mondays at 7:00pm at St Pius X

**St Joseph's:** Morning tea after Mass this morning

**Infant Jesus:** 'Mothers who Pray for their Children' Fridays at 10.45am. Contact South West Co-ordinator Marita 0402 431 053

**Roster Changes:** If anyone who was on the roster for Masses and now attends a different Mass (due to the new Mass schedule) and would like to continue being a liturgical minister please contact the Parish Office so changes can be made or contact a member of your local leadership team.

We appreciate your ministry and would welcome more parishioners to take on these important roles.

**DOBCEL:** Fr John will be in Ballarat on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. There are times when the priests are engaged with Zone or Diocesan gatherings and will not be available for weekdays Masses as they have been in the past.

**Planned Giving Envelopes**

Planned Giving envelopes are available this week. If your envelopes were not at the Church you attended last week and are unable to find yours or would like to change your method of giving or need to change your contact details, please contact the Office.

**Thank you** all for your valued support of the St Vincent de Paul Winter Appeal.

**First Eucharist Parent Information:** Tues at St Joseph's at 6:00pm

**Parish Leadership Formation**

St Joseph's Sun 25<sup>th</sup> August led by Fr Justin Driscoll following the 10:30am Mass and finishing at 4:00pm.

The formation opportunity is for:

- Parish Leadership Team/ Parish Councils/ Parish Teams
- School Leadership Teams/ School Advisory Council

**Can we find happiness?**

When: Thursday evenings at St Joseph's - 18<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> of July and the 1<sup>st</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> of August from 7:30 - 9:00pm

RSVP to Don Stewart 0437 202 080 or unmuzzlemusic@gmail.com

**Recent Deaths:** Cory Dalton

**Anniversaries:** Raymond O'Donnell, Thomas O'Donnell, Richard McCarthy, John O'Keefe, Ron Warburton, Alice Rowan, Nellie Toohey, John Smith, Betty Wright, Kay Lowne

**WEEKEND MASSES**

**Saturday Vigil**

6:00pm OLHC, Warrnambool East

**Sunday Morning**

- 9:00am Infant Jesus, Koroit
- 9:00am St Pius X, Warrnambool West
- 10:30am St Joseph's, Warrnambool
- 10:30am St Patrick's, Port Fairy
- 6:00pm St Joseph's Warrnambool
- \*11:00am St Anne's, Purnim
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the month (Eucharist)
- \*All other Sundays
- Assembly of the Word with Communion

**RECONCILIATION**

St Patrick's	After 10:00am Tuesday Mass
OLHC	After 10:00am Thursday Mass
St Joseph's	After 10:00am Friday Mass
Infant Jesus	After 10:00am Friday Mass
St Pius X	After 10:00am Saturday Mass
	5:00pm- 6:00pm Tuesday

**WEEKDAY MASSES**

**NB: MASS OF THE DAY IS REPLACED WHEN A FUNERAL IS HELD AT THAT CHURCH.**

Tuesday	_____
Wed	10:00am St Joseph's
Thur	10:00 OLHC 11:00 Mercy Place
Fri	10:00am St Joseph's
Sat	10:00am OLHC

**Pope's Intention for July**

Let us pray that the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick grant the Lord's strength to those who receive it and to their loved ones, and that it may become for everyone an ever more visible sign of compassion and hope. Lord, hear us.

**Baptisms:** An information session takes place at 7:00pm on the second Tuesday of every month in the Gathering Space at St Joseph's.

**Next session:** Tues 13<sup>th</sup> August  
 Please phone the Parish Office to book.

