


Ministry District of Creswick, Daylesford & Wendouree



St Augustine's
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Thursday 9am - 2pm

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Office Hours: Wednesday—
Friday 9am—1pm

August 18th 2024
20th Sunday in Ordinary
Time Year B

Our Parishes, are committed to the safety, well-being and dignity of all children, young people and vulnerable adults.

We acknowledge the Dja Dja Wurrung & Wadawurrung People as the Traditional Custodians of the lands on which our Parish communities meet. We pay our respect to Elders, past, present and emerging.

Catholic Earthcare to host Season of Creation workshop in September

Caritas Australia's Catholic Earthcare team is inviting the Catholic community – including schools, parishes, diocese, organisations and religious orders – to join its 2024 Season of Creation convocation. Taking place from Thursday, September 12 to Saturday, September 14, the convocation will call participants to 'Wonder', 'Weave' and 'Heal' together. Attendees will enjoy keynote presentations, workshops, discussions and spiritual experiences, before gathering to transform learnings into action. Keynote speakers include Sr Anne-Maree O'Beirne RSM, Pedro Walpole and Sally Neaves. More information is available from the diocesan website <https://www.ballarat.catholic.org.au/catholic-earthcare-to-host-season-of-creation-workshop-in-september/>

ACU Big Sing for a Big Cause - August 25, 2024

The Australian Catholic University, in partnership with St Patrick's Cathedral (Melbourne) and St Patrick's College (Ballarat) is hosting "Big Sing for a Big Cause", which will see singers, choirs and instrumentalists combine for a special performance, raising funds for those affected by homelessness. The concerts will be in Ballarat and Melbourne, performing Street Requiem, a piece co-composed by Dr Kathleen McGuire, a renowned composer and ACU senior lecturer in Music Education. Donations will be raised for Peplow House (a ministry of CatholicCare Victoria) and ACU's Urgent Financial Hardship Grant. For more information go to <https://www.ballarat.catholic.org.au/acu-big-sing-for-a-big-cause/>

Parish Priest
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Mass Times
Saturday Vigil
Wendouree 5.30pm
Sunday
Waubra 1st Sunday
8.30am
Creswick 9.00am
(First Sunday of each month Lay Led Assembly)
Daylesford 10.30am

Weekday Mass Times
Wednesday 11.00 am
Hepburn House


Thursday 10.30 am
Creswick

Friday 10.3am Wendouree
(Funeral Mass Joy Dooley)

Collections during Mass
The custom in Parishes is for two collections to be taken up during Mass.
1st Collection is for the support of the Bishop and the Priests of the Diocese.
2nd collection is for the running costs of the Parish including maintenance, insurance, wages, utilities, grounds etc.
Thanks to all who contribute

Praying with Pope Francis
Pope intention for August

For Political Leaders
Let us pray that political leaders be at the service of their own people, working for integral human development and the common good, taking caring of those who have lost their jobs and giving priority to the poor. Lord hear us.

The office will be closed Wednesday 21st August till Friday 23rd August.
 It will reopen on Wednesday August 28th at 11.30am

Next Sunday August 25th
Don't forget next Sunday 25th August. Join us in the Daylesford Parish Centre, after the 10.30am Mass for our monthly cuppa. Please bring a plate.

We pray for Recent Death
Joy Dooley
Veronica Flynn

Anniversaries Creswick
Molly Flynn, Cath Gair,
Alan Hall, Anna Kreemers,
Monica Lange, Ellen Nestor,
Kevin Newton, Patricia Nolan.

Daylesford
Anthony Capes,
Colin McConnell, Judith McColl,
Ethel McConnell, John O'Loughlin
Margaret Richards,
Heidi Roleff, Gus Silvestri,
Alice Stephens

For those unwell
Carol & Ken Marshall
(Daylesford)
Glad Pretty (Daylesford)
Aileen Preston (Creswick)




BALLARAT DIOCESAN SOCIAL JUSTICE COMMISSION

Social Justice Statement 2024-2025: Reflection Day

The Ballarat Diocesan Social Justice Commission invite all members of the diocese to a Reflection Day, in celebration of the launch of the Australian Catholic Bishops' Social Justice Statement 2024-2025

"Truth and Peace: A Gospel Word in a Violent World"

Saturday, September 7, 2024 from 10.00am - 2.30pm at Ss Michael and John's Horsham Parish Centre

Facilitator for the day is writer and educator, Michael McGirr



Michael McGirr is the mission facilitator and manager of community engagement at Caritas Australia. He is a regular contributor to The Age, The Sydney Morning Herald, The Canberra Times, Australian Catholics, Madonna and Eureka Street. His many books have been published in both Australia and overseas and include Bypass (the story of a road), Ideas to save Your Life (Text) and, most recently, Every Day is New (Garratt). He is married to Jenny and they have three young adult children.



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Launch of the ACBC Social Justice Statement 2024-2025

The 2024-2025 Social Justice Statement, "Truth and Peace: A Gospel Word in a Violent World" will be launched by Bishop Vincent Lond OFM CONV and Associate Professor Joel Hodge on Tuesday, August 20, 2024 at Our Lady Queen of Peace Parish 198 Old Prospect Rd, Greystanes, St Paul's Catholic College Sports Hall from 10.00 – 12.00noon. To attend the launch please RSVP at <https://rb.gy/ewt929>. Recordings of the launch will be available following the event.

Position Vacant: Pastoral Care at Mercy Place Ballarat Aged Care

A permanent part-time position is available at Ballarat Mercy Place Aged Care. Applications are available on the seek link <https://www.seek.com.au/job/77920166?type=standout&ref=search->

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