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Ministry District of Creswick, Daylesford & Wendouree

*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.*

Creswick/ Daylesford Office—13 Duke St Daylesford
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October 20th
2024
**29th Sunday in
Ordinary Time
Year B**

Ordination to the Priesthood Mass & Thanksgiving Mass: Cay Trinh
Deacon Cay Trinh will be ordained a priest for the Diocese of Ballarat on Saturday, November 23, 2024 at St Patrick's Cathedral Ballarat at 10.30am. All welcome to attend.
A light lunch will follow in the Hall. For those not able to attend, the Mass will be livestreamed. People of the Diocese of Ballarat are invited to form the choir for this Mass. The choir will be conducted by Roger Hillman and the Organist is Geoff Martin. Choir rehearsal times are Tuesday, November 12, Tuesday, November 19 and Thursday, November 21 from 7.00pm – 9.00pm at St Patrick's Cathedral Ballarat. It would be preferred if you could commit to all rehearsals for this Mass.

Cay will celebrate his Mass of Thanksgiving on Sunday, November 24, 2024 at St Patrick's Cathedral at 5.00pm. All welcome to attend. A light supper will follow in the Hall.

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.

We Pray For Recent Death

We commend to God
Gladys McGinness

Stan Lavery

Anniversaries

Creswick

Brenda Fox, Nicholas Kennedy
Neil Lafranchi, Neil McShane

Daylesford

Alexander Bardek, Eileen Bouth
Mary Gervasoni, John Parry,
Sadie Scoble

For those unwell

Carol & Ken Marshall (Daylesford)
Glad Pretty (Daylesford)

Praying with Pope Francis

October

For a shared mission

*Let us pray that the Church continues to sustain a synodal lifestyle in every way, as a sign of co-responsibility, promoting the participation, communion and mission shared by priests, religious and laity.
Lord, hear us.*



Presbytery Address

13 Duke St Daylesford

Parish Priest

Fr Marcello Colasante

Admin & Safeguarding Officer

Leonie Keynes

Parish School Principals

St Augustine's Creswick
Michael Heenan 5345 2106

St Michael's Daylesford
Tim Hogan 5348 1261

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

October 21st-25th

Monday 21st - 2pm Funeral

Mass Creswick for
Graeme Spittle

Tuesday 22nd- 10.30am

Daylesford

Thursday 24th 10am Funeral

Mass Wendouree

Friday 25th Creswick 10.30am

(No Mass on Wednesday 23rd)

All Saints and Souls Mass Times

All Saints Mass Friday November 1st
St Augustine's Creswick 10.30am

All Souls Mass Saturday November 2nd
St Francis Xavier Chapel & Cemetery,
Eganstown 10.30am

Synod on Synodality – Second Session

The Second Session of the XVI General Assembly of the Synod is currently underway in Rome. This session runs from October 2-27, 2024. Keep updated with the Synod at the ACBC Media Blog <https://mediablog.catholic.org.au/> or go to the diocesan website for more information <https://www.ballarat.catholic.org.au/for-a-synodal-church-communion-participation-and-mission/>

Clergy Jubilarians Mass 2024 – Choir

Mass to celebrate the 2024 Clergy Jubilarians will be held on Thursday, November 14, 2024 at St Patrick's Cathedral Ballarat at 5.00pm. The 2024 clergy Jubilarians are: 50 years – Frs Eric Bryant, Paddy Mugavin & Michael O'Toole, 25 years – Fr Ed Moloney. All are welcome to attend.

2025 Calendar & Christmas Cards

Time to order your 2025 Columban Calendar & or Christmas Cards. Please call or email the office before November 8th
Calendars \$11.00
Cards \$10.00

Pope Francis' Prayer for Mission Month

Heavenly Father, when your only begotten Son Jesus Christ rose from the dead, he commissioned his followers to “go and make disciples of all nations” and you remind us that through our Baptism we are made sharers in the mission of the Church.

Empower us by the gifts of the Holy Spirit to be courageous and zealous in bearing witness to the Gospel, so that the mission entrusted to the Church, which is still very far from completion, may find new and efficacious expressions that bring life and light to the world.

Help us make it possible for all peoples to experience the saving love and mercy of Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, One God, forever and ever. Amen



Freecall: 1800 257 296
catholicmission.org.au/mongolia

Today is Mission Sunday

During World Mission Sunday, we are called to “Invite others to the banquet”, and we invite you to

share the warmth of God's love with our brothers and sisters who need it most in Mongolia. The House of Mercy is based in Ulaanbaatar, the capital city of Mongolia. It will provide shelter for these people to take refuge, recuperate and help them back on their feet.

Homelessness and poverty are major challenges in Mongolia. Homeless people often lose access to government health services and the Mongolian winter can drop to -40°C. There are reports of homeless people taking refuge near sewage pipes to keep warm. Domestic violence was only made a criminal offence in 2017, and according to the International Development Law Organization, one in three Mongolian women have been impacted by domestic violence. The Church recognises the need for services to support the most vulnerable people in the community. The centre will combine a variety of services under one roof, allowing for resources to be pooled together for one cause. You can support this work by using the appeal envelope, going online at catholicmission.org.au/mongolia, Your gift will also assist many other Church programs around the world

National Children's Week: October 19-27, 2024

Children's Week is a national celebration which recognises the talents, skills, achievements and rights of children. The theme for Children's Week 2024 is “Children have the right to a clean and safe environment”. The Victorian Government is supporting more than 200 free Children's Week events and activities for Victorian families with children aged up to 12 years. This gives families the opportunity to enjoy fun, engaging and educational experiences. More information is available at <https://www.vic.gov.au/childrens-week>

Ballarat Diocese Lay Pastoral Ministry Program – Online Study

The Virtual Learning Community for Faith Formation (VLCFF) is a growing initiative to offer adult religious education and faith formation anytime and anywhere, online. This low-cost (\$50usd) online study and formation for employed or volunteer lay workers in parishes is available through Dayton University. Cycle 7 begins October 21. Registrations are open now. For more information or email diurdia.klaric@ballarat.catholic.org.au or ph. 5337 7121.