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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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November 17th
2024
33rd Sunday in
Ordinary Time
Year B

St Michael's Primary School Fete—What a great day we had at our school fete last Sunday! A huge thank you to all of the businesses who generously donated wonderful prizes. Many thanks to the members of the Daylesford



community for coming along to support us. Finally, a huge thank you to Emma Hall for coordinating the day, members of the School Advisory Council, all of the families, friends, staff and students who worked tirelessly in order to make the day a great success. In total we raised \$15 000 which will go towards enhancing the outdoor areas of our school. **Tim Hogan**
Principal St Michael's Primary School

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.

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
November 18th—November 22nd
Wednesday— Hepburn House Daylesford 11.00am
Thursday—Kelaston Wendouree 11.00am
Friday— Creswick 10.30am



Sunday November 24th
Bishop Paul will celebrate the Feast of Christ the King Mass at Creswick and Daylesford as part of the Ballarat Diocese's 150th anniversary. The Masses will also celebrate the First Eucharist of Children from the Creswick & Daylesford Parishes.

A morning tea will be held in the Daylesford Parish centre after the Mass. Both parishes welcome to attend.

Wisdom at the Cathedral

All are welcome to hear Fiona Power, Curator of the Mary Glowrey Museum in Melbourne present *Mary Glowrey: God's Gift to India* for the next Wisdom at the Cathedral event on Wednesday, November 20, 2024 at 7.00pm. Fiona will share the inspiring life story and legacy of Servant of God Dr Sr Mary Glowrey JMJ, who was born and raised in the Diocese of Ballarat. The talk and discussion time will go for an hour in the Mackillop/ Glowrey rooms and will be followed by a cup of tea. Entry by donation. For all enquiries, please contact Fiona Bradley at fionalouisebradley@gmail.com

Creswick Advent Study
St Andrew's Uniting Church in Creswick and their Pastor Rev. Kate Tierney have invited St Augustine's & St Peter's parishioners to their Ecumenical Advent Study.
It will commence Monday 25th November 1 pm -2 -30 and will go for four weeks. The study text will be "Are We There Yet" by Rev Dr. William Loader, which is available online.

If you are interested in going or need more information please contact Pauline Stapleton
P: 0490 901 045

Collections for October
Creswick
1st Collection \$1615.90
2nd Collection \$1057.65
Daylesford
1st Collection \$1701.25
2nd Collection \$1207.00

Wendouree
1st Collection \$1347.40
Thanks for your support in our stewardship program, it is greatly appreciated.

World Children's Day – November 20

Every year World's Children Day is celebrated on November 20, marking the date that the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child was adopted. Upholding children's rights is the compass to a better world – today, tomorrow and into the future. By listening to children we can fulfil their right to self-expression, understand their ideas for a better world and include their priorities in our actions today. Discover what's happening and take part at <https://www.unicef.org/world-childrens-day>

Prayer for World Children's Day

We pray for the children of the world. May they live without fear of violence and war, without hunger or thirst, without sickness and poverty. May they experience the great love that Jesus has for each one of us. May they grow in faith so that we all walk together as Your children, in peace and love. May the spirit guide us to work together for a different world, a better world for all. Amen.



World Day of the Poor – Sunday, November 17, 2024

The 8th celebration of World Day of the Poor will be marked today Sunday 17th November. Pope Francis has chosen a particularly meaningful theme this year dedicated to prayer, as we approach the beginning of the Ordinary Jubilee of 2025, "The prayer of the poor rises up to God" (cf. Sir 21:5).

God of peace, our Father, you know the sufferings of your children, for you are attentive and caring toward all.

No one is excluded from your heart, since, before you, we are all in need. You call us to be your instruments for the liberation and betterment of the poor, so that they may be fully integrated into society. O Lord Jesus, who first stood in solidarity with the lowliest, teach us to listen to the prayer of the poor.

Help us to place ourselves at their service, giving a voice to the response of your Father and ours, who never abandons those who turn to Him. O Holy Spirit, giver of life, make us vigilant and persevering in prayer so that we may welcome and embrace the poor, recognising and serving Christ in them.

O Blessed Mary, Mother of God, Virgin of the Poor, since God has looked upon your humble poverty, accomplishing great things by your obedience, we entrust our prayer to you, convinced that it will rise to heaven and be heard.

O St Benedict Joseph Labre, "vagabond of God," poor among the poor, who made of your existence an unceasing prayer ascending up to Him, pray for us, that we too may pray and love.

O St Mother Teresa of Calcutta, who drew strength and faith from prayer for your mission of service to the lowliest, pray for us, that Jesus may pour His love into our hearts, that we may give it to the poor we meet on our journey. Amen. Alleluia

Ordination to the Priesthood Mass & Thanksgiving Mass: Deacon 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 at <https://youtube.com/live/mbXDPuGpoYg?feature=share>

Fr 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.

We Pray For Anniversaries

Creswick
Wendy Arch,
Christine Meyer
Andrew O'Brien, Mollie Preston,
Kathleen Ryan,
Elisabeth Solemenagrs.

Daylesford
Herbert Booth, Fred Geehman,
Ivan Grgat, Frank Hourigan,
Basil Maher, Fran Wallington,
Henry Watt.

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

Praying with Pope Francis
November
For those who have lost a child
*Let us pray that all parents who mourn the loss of a son or daughter find support in their community and may receive peace of heart from the Spirit of Consolation.
Lord, hear us.*

