

# ST JOSEPH'S PARISH - WARRNAMBOOL

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**PARISH STAFF:** Fr John Fitzgerald (Parish Priest)  
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**Office Hours:** Monday to Friday: 9.00am - 1.00pm; 1.30pm - 4.00pm

**SCHOOL PRINCIPALS:** Michael Gray (St Joseph's School)  
Peter Morgan (Emmanuel College)

**WEEK-END LITURGIES:** **Sunday:** 8.30am - 10.30am - 6.00pm  
**Purnim:** 11.00am (Eucharist on 2nd and 4th Sundays)  
(Assembly of Word with Communion on 1st, 3rd & 5th Sundays)

**WEEK-DAY LITURGIES:** **Monday:** 12noon (Requiem Mass: Margaret Glennon RIP)  
**Wednesday:** 10.00am (Liturgy of Word with Communion)  
**Thursday & Friday:** 10.00am (Eucharist)  
**Friday:** 10.30am (Reconciliation)

**Deaths:** Phyllis Amarant, Margo Driscoll (Fr Justin's mother: St Arnaud), Gloria de Mesa (Philippines), Greg Fitzgibbon, Fr Joe Drummond (Tocumwal), Margaret Glennon

**Anniversaries:** Betty Rice, Mary (Ma) Kelly

**Baptism:** Laila Brooks is welcomed into God's Family this weekend

**Baptism Preparation:** Wednesday 13th July at 7.30pm. Please book into Parish Office prior to the evening.

**Hospitality:** All are welcome to stay for a cuppa following Mass today

**First Eucharist:** Registration is now invited for parents/care-givers to register their child for First Eucharist (Grade 4). Parent Meeting: Tuesday, 19th July at 7.00pm. First Eucharist: Sunday, 28th August. Further information contact Parish Office.

## Stewardship - Finances

**Stewardship:** Weekly average contributions for the month of May

**Parish:** \$2,225.00 **Pledged Amount:** (per week) \$2,820 **Presbytery:** \$1,456.00

NB: Parish contribution consists of envelopes, credit cards & direct debits

## 13<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### Pastoral Ministry Program

The Ballarat Diocese has initiated a Lay Pastoral Ministry Program that offers opportunities for formation, study, support and accreditation for lay workers, both employees and volunteers in the Diocese. Further information is available on the diocesan website [www.ballarat.catholic.org.au](http://www.ballarat.catholic.org.au) (under Services & Agencies/Pastoral Ministry) or contact Amanda Smith (5337 7125)

### Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Sunday

Next weekend (3rd July). This occasion enables us to rejoice in the spiritual and cultural identity of our indigenous brothers and sisters, the original inhabitants of this beautiful land we now share.

### Parish Life

Each week we highlight one of our various committees/groups.

**Liturgy Committee:** Fr John, Ben van de Camp, Rodger Punch, Mary Lancaster, Belinda Wrigley, Tanny McInnes, Claire Feery & Leanne McElgunn



**Winter Appeal:** Parishioners are encouraged to support the work of the St Vincent de Paul Society in its endeavours to provide relief to the disadvantaged and homeless in our community. The Annual Appeal will be conducted on Sunday 17th July.

**Amoris Laetitia:** Papal document on marriage and family life: 'The Joy of Love: On Love in the Family'. Available: <https://www.catholic.org.au/synod-2015/home>

**Bishops on the Election:** The Australian Catholic Bishops Conference released a statement regarding the forthcoming Federal Election, 'Voice for the Voiceless'. Further information including a prayer for the Election is available from the ACBC website [www.catholic.org.au](http://www.catholic.org.au)

**St John of God Auxiliary:** Hosting the film 'Wide Open Sky' Thursday 14th July at 10.00am for morning tea. Capitol Theatre: Tickets: \$15.00 Contact Pat Starkie (5562 7200) or Pat King (5562 5093)

**In-Service:** Priests of the Diocese will be attending the Annual In-service in Ballarat on Tuesday & Wednesday.