

# St. Paul VI Parish Wimmera-Mallee

Beulah - Dimboola - Hopetoun - Horsham - Kaniva - Minyip - Murtoa -  
Natimuk - Nhill - Rainbow - Rupanyup - Warracknabeal



## BULLETIN

**26th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR C -  
25th September 2022**

**We welcome Fr Rupert Bowd, who will be celebrating Masses in Horsham and Dimboola this weekend while Fr. Matt is away on leave.**

### CONTACTS:

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### Planned Giving

As the current Planned Giving period draws to a close on the 31st October, we thank you all for your generous contributions, which allow our Parish to operate.

The Finance Committee will be providing a report in light of the Financial Year, including the disruption of Covid.

As Planned Giving and donations are our main source of income, we rely heavily on your support.

With one month left in the current Planned Giving period, our records show that approximately 1/3 of our 338 registered participants have not yet contributed this cycle. **If you would like to check if you are up to date in your pledged support, please call the office on 03 5382 1155 and this can be verified for you.**

*All donations and pledged support are greatly appreciated. If you feel you are able to increase your pledge, or would like to participate, such financial ministry assists the life and future of our Faith Communities.*

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Fr. Matt will be on leave from Sunday 18th Sept (after Mass), returning Saturday 8th October.

During this 3 week period (2 weekends), Mons Glynn will be celebrating a weekday mass in **Warracknabeal** on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 1pm.

### WEEKDAY MASSES:

Monday 26th September	<b>No Mass</b>	Warracknabeal
Tuesday 27th September	<b>1pm</b>	Warracknabeal
	9.30am	Horsham
Wednesday 28th September	<b>No Mass</b>	Warracknabeal
	9.30am	Horsham
Thursday 29th September	<b>1pm</b>	Warracknabeal
	9.30am	Horsham
	<b>11am</b>	<b>National Police Remembrance Day Service- Horsham</b>
Friday 30th September	<b>No Mass</b>	Warracknabeal
	9.30am	Horsham
Saturday 1st October	<b>No Mass</b>	Warracknabeal
	9.30am	Horsham

## ST MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH (Warracknabeal) - 2022 LITURGY ROSTER

Date & Time	Time	Readers	Prayers	Collectors	Special Ministers	Cleaning-September
<b>25th September</b>	8.30am	D Baxter	J McFarlane	T Evans & L Casey	M Muller & J McFarlane	M Walder & R Barbetti
<b>1st October</b>	6.30pm	P Winsall	D Baxter	T Evans & L Casey	B Evans & M Muller	

### HORSHAM MINISTRY ROSTER

<b>24th &amp; 25th September</b>	<b>Vigil 6.30pm</b>	<b>Sunday 10.30am</b>
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Lorraine Clancy Micky Robarts	Alison McKinnon Fay Wills Rosie Taylor
<b>Reader</b>	Betty Heinrich	Bob Pritchett
<b>Commentator</b>	Garry Heinrich	Alison McKinnon
<b>1st &amp; 2nd October</b>	<b>Vigil 6.30pm</b>	<b>Sunday 10.30am</b>
<b>Reader</b>	Maree Plazzer	Kingsley Dalgeleish
<b>Commentator</b>	Betty Heinrich	Nerrida Holland
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Cath Taylor Anthony Amor Pat Glaubitz	Mary Dalgeleish Anna Robertson Timothy Lannen
<b>Projector</b>	Geoff Simpson	Gabby Mills
<b>Musicians</b>	Chris Robarts	Choir
<b>Livestream</b>		
<b>Welcomers</b>	Gary Coutts Joan Whiley	Nanette Freckleton Lyn Starr
<b>Prayers</b>	Pauline Breen & Angela Amor	
<b>Church Cleaning &amp; Flower Arranging</b>	<u>2nd October</u> Zita Cannane Lorraine Clancy Veronica Barker	<u>9th October</u> Lucille Pekin Pauline Breen Sue Chalkley Julie Delahunty

Please submit notices for our weekly Bulletin to the Parish Office by C.O.B **Thursday**. Thank you.

#### Child Safety Standards: St Paul VI Parish

**Bob Pritchett** and **Jill McGennissen** are our Safeguarding Officers. A **Child Safety Policy** and **Code of Conduct** has been adopted for all who work with children and vulnerable adults in the Parish, to ensure the safety of all. *Our Parish seeks to always be a child safe Parish.*

### HOPETOUN CHURCH ROSTER

	<b>25th September Mass 11am</b>	<b>2nd October Mass 9am</b>
<b>Readers</b>	Horman Family	Marilyn Clancy
<b>Offertory/ Lay-led</b>	Olive Wellington & Claire White	Marilyn Clancy & Therese Bellinger
<b>Special Minister</b>		

### NHILL LITURGY ROSTER

	<b>25th September LLA 10am</b>	<b>2nd October LLA 10am</b>
<b>Reader &amp; Prayers</b>	C Kennedy	A Munro
<b>Lay Leaders</b>	B Tattersall	I Dart
<b>Eucharistic Minister</b>	C Kennedy	J Gurry
<b>Offertory</b>		
<b>Monthly Collector</b>	R Picone	E Cameron
<b>Cleaning</b>	A Munro	C Kennedy

**Natimuk Mass: Tuesday 27th September at 6.30pm**  
At 71 Main St. Natimuk  
**Rupanyup Mass: To be advised**

#### Our Parish Finance:

For all wishing to support either our Parish or Clergy through online banking transfer:

St Paul VI Parish Account (NAB)

BSB: 083-680 Acc. No: 515830337

***(Please state envelope number if you have one, and name)***

St Paul VI **Presbytery** (Clergy Support) Account (NAB)

BSB: 083-680 Acc. No: 515830345

~ The option of regular automatic Direct Debit contributions can be arranged by contacting our office ~

**All amounts are an active support to our faith community and are greatly appreciated.**

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### WEEKEND MASS TIMES

#### **THIS WEEKEND**

#### **4th Weekend of the Month: 24th & 25th Sept**

Horsham: Saturday 6.30pm, Sunday 10.30am  
Dimboola: Sunday 8.30am  
Warracknabeal: Sunday 8.30am  
Minyip: Saturday 6pm  
Murtoa: Sunday LLA 9am  
Hopetoun: Sunday 11am  
Rainbow: Sunday LLA 10am  
Beulah: Sunday LLA 9.30am  
Nhill: Sunday LLA 10am

### WEEKEND MASS TIMES

#### **NEXT WEEKEND**

#### **1st Weekend of the Month: 1st & 2nd October**

Horsham: Saturday 6.30pm, Sunday 10.30am  
Murtoa: Sunday 8.30am  
Warracknabeal: Saturday 6.30pm  
Hopetoun: Sunday 9am  
Rainbow: Sunday 11am  
Dimboola: Sunday LLA 9am  
Minyip: Sunday LLA 10am  
Beulah: Sunday LLA 9.30am  
Nhill: Sunday LLA 10am

## PARISH EVENTS AND NOTICES

### Please Remember in Your Prayers

**RECENT DEATHS:** Noreen Fisher (Melb)

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Beverley Delahunty, Lin Couper, Ken Connellan, Maree Merrett

**SICK:** Ken Dowsley, Des Gaynor, Heather McPhee, Shilpa Joe, Elsie Thomas, Marie Tobin, John Hickey, Mary Thompson, Patricia Simpson, Kobe Davidson, Moira Kelly snr, Pat Hateley, Jill & Christie Higginbottom, Ted Haynes, Sam McCulloch, Laurie Grayling, Max Young, Joan McNamara, Beth Buwalda, Pat Brennan (Ballarat), Alex Kavoor, Elliot Pumpa

#### Anointing:

*On request to Mons. Glynn Murphy or Fr Matt Restall, or please call the Parish Office.*

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#### Communion:

*Upon request to the Parish Office, Holy Communion can be arranged for the sick and infirm.*

#### Confessions:

*After Saturday Morning Mass at Horsham Church, or on request to our Priests.*

### Publications Available for Purchase

- We have a limited supply of **God's Word 2023** available for \$20ea. Please contact the Parish Office to arrange purchase.



- We will also be ordering copies of **Heart of the Disciple**, a 28 day reflection resource priced at \$5 each, and the **2023 Columban Art Calendar**, priced at RRP \$10 each. Please contact the office as soon as you can by phone or email to express interest and secure your copy.

### PRAYER FOR THE SICK AND CARERS:

Compassionate and ever-loving God, You are the source and creator of all healing power. We entrust our sick to your loving care. We pray your blessings upon all in their own homes, in hospitals, nursing homes, hospice care, palliative care. May You be their source of comfort in pain, of hope in times of despair, woundedness or sorrow, their solace and inspiration when they are unable to lift their hearts, minds and voices to You in prayer. Bless them with courage and faith to place their trust in your healing touch and love. Bless caregivers, as channels of your love, they are your hands on earth.

Give them gentleness as they help the sick, give them respect for their dignity and value to You. Give carers and helpers patience and courage as they manage their time, to best serve those who are needful of their care, to continue to serve when weakened by constant demands and when they need your enduring help. Give them love and understanding to be a caring companion, on the path of pain and sadness with the sick. Bless the ministry of those who take Holy Communion to the elderly or sick, in homes or nursing homes.

#### St Vincent De Paul

A representative of St Vincent de Paul is available to assess and assist cases on Mon, Wed and Fri mornings between 11am-12noon.  
\***Appointments are essential**- Phone 53812371 to book.

**Have your contact details changed in the last few years?**

**Please call the office on 5382 1155 and check if we have your current postal address and phone number.**  
~ Thankyou ~

### YOU ARE INVITED

Ballarat Diocesan Social Justice Commission (BDSJC) is hosting an online forum,

**Respect: Confronting Violence and Abuse**  
on Saturday the 1st October 2022, 10am-12pm.

The forum will be conducted online and can be viewed by attending the **Parish Office** in Horsham (large meeting room), or **register individually via the booking link below to attend online via zoom in your own environment.**

**Please RSVP to attend at the Parish Office by Thursday 29th September.**

**Individual Online booking:**

<https://www.trybooking.com/CCSWQ>

### WEEKLY ACTIVITIES IN SMJ CHURCH HORSHAM:

#### Morning Craft Group:

**Wednesdays** in Parish Office Meeting Room, 9.30-11.30am.

#### Meditation Group:

Tuesdays 2pm in the Church Meeting Room

#### Choir Practice:

2nd Wednesday of the month, 4pm

#### Men's Fellowship Breakfast:

7.30 - 8.30am, 3rd Thursday of each month @ the Parish Hall

**Note: COVID restrictions, Public Holidays, Seasons and times where the Priest/Organiser is away may cancel the event.**

### **The Parish Council is inviting Parish Working groups to develop. Would you like to help?**

We are inviting Parishioners to put names forward to become involved in the below working groups. Over the next week, we are developing a short description page for each interest area. These will be available from the Parish Office, or via email, for interested parishioners to consider possible involvement.

Liturgy & Worship	Pastoral Care	Parish Schools/Sacramental Programs
Communication	Facilities and Maintenance (inc OHS)	Adult Ongoing Faith Formation
Youth and Community Engagement	Child Safety Standards	Culturally and Linguistically Diverse (CALD) Inclusion

**Sunday Mass**  
25th September 2022

**THE LITURGY OF THE WORD**

*First Reading*

Amos A reading from the prophet Amos 6:1, 4-7

The almighty Lord says this:

Woe to those ensconced so snugly in Zion and to those who feel so safe on the mountain of Samaria. Lying on ivory beds and sprawling on their divans, they dine on lambs from the flock, and stall-fattened veal; they bawl to the sound of the harp, they invent new instruments of music like David, they drink wine by the bowlful, and use the finest oil for anointing themselves, but about the ruin of Joseph they do not care at all. That is why they will be the first to be exiled; the sprawlers' revelry is over.

*Responsorial Psalm* Ps 145:6-10

**R.** Praise the Lord, my soul!

It is the Lord who keeps faith for ever,  
who is just to those who are oppressed.  
It is he who gives bread to the hungry,  
the Lord, who sets prisoners free.

It is the Lord who gives sight to the blind,  
who raises up those who are bowed down.  
It is the Lord who loves the just,  
the Lord, who protects the stranger.

He upholds the widow and orphan  
but thwarts the path of the wicked.  
The Lord will reign for ever,  
Zion's God, from age to age.

**R.** Praise the Lord, my soul!

*Second Reading*

A reading from the first letter of St Paul to Timothy 6:11-16

As a man dedicated to God, you must aim to be saintly and religious, filled with faith and love, patient and gentle. Fight the good fight of the faith and win for yourself the eternal life to which you were called when you made your profession and spoke up for the truth in front of many witnesses. Now,

before God the source of all life and before Jesus Christ, who spoke up as a witness for the truth in front of Pontius Pilate, I put to you the duty of doing all that you have been told, with no faults or failures, until the Appearing of our Lord Jesus Christ, who at the due time will be revealed by God, the blessed and only Ruler of all, the King of kings and the Lord of lords, who alone is immortal, whose home is in inaccessible light, whom no man has seen and no man is able to see: to him be honour and everlasting power. Amen.

*Gospel Acclamation* 2 Corinthians 8:9

Alleluia, alleluia!

Jesus Christ was rich but he became poor,  
to make you rich out of his poverty.

Alleluia!

*Gospel*

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke 16:19-31

Jesus said to the Pharisees: 'There was a rich man who used to dress in purple and fine linen and feast magnificently every day. And at his gate there lay a poor man called Lazarus, covered with sores, who longed to fill himself with the scraps that fell from the rich man's table. Dogs even came and licked his sores. Now the poor man died and was carried away by the angels to the bosom of Abraham. The rich man also died and was buried.

'In his torment in Hades he looked up and saw Abraham a long way off with Lazarus in his bosom. So he cried out, "Father Abraham, pity me and send Lazarus to dip the tip of his finger in water and cool my tongue, for I am in agony in these flames." "My son," Abraham replied "remember that during your life good things came your way, just as bad things came the way of Lazarus. Now he is being comforted here while you are in agony. But that is not all: between us and you a great gulf has been fixed, to stop anyone, if he wanted to, crossing from our side to yours, and to stop any crossing from your side to ours."

'The rich man replied, "Father, I beg you then to send Lazarus to my father's house, since I have five brothers, to give them warning so that they do not come to this place of torment too." "They have Moses and the prophets," said Abraham, "let them listen to them." "Ah, no, father Abraham," said the rich man "but if someone comes to them from the dead, they will repent." Then Abraham said to him, "If they will not listen either to Moses or to the prophets, they will not be convinced even if someone should rise from the dead."

**LOYOLA PRESS REFLECTION**

A major theme in the Gospel of Luke is the importance of the care of the poor in the life of discipleship. In the parable found in today's Gospel, Jesus contrasts the life of a rich man and the poor man, Lazarus, who lives in the shadow of the rich man and his wealth. Both die. Lazarus finds himself in heaven; the rich man in the netherworld. The rich man asks for assistance from Lazarus in his torment. But Abraham reminds the rich man of the good things he had in his life and describes the current situation as a reversal of fortunes. The rich man then asks that Lazarus be sent to warn his family, but this is denied with the reminder that Moses and the prophets have warned of judgment for those who neglect the care of the poor. In the context of Luke's Gospel, this parable, delivered in the presence of a crowd of listeners, is part of Jesus' response to some Pharisees. These Pharisees

are described in Luke's Gospel as "loving money." (Note: The Pharisees were followers of a sect of Judaism active before, during, and after Jesus' lifetime. They taught an oral interpretation of the Law of Moses as the basis for popular Jewish piety. They put less emphasis on Temple worship and more on applying the law to everyday life. Though they are often portrayed negatively in the Gospels, they shared many of Jesus' and the early Church's concerns about the law.) Jesus observed that the actions of some Pharisees betrayed misplaced priorities: they spoke one way, but acted in another. The story of the rich man and Lazarus demonstrates the importance of the care of the poor and is a reminder to those who would follow Jesus of the unimportance of wealth for its own sake, not being used for the good of people, in the eyes of God.