

The Parish Pump

The Weekly Bulletin for St John's, Dennington and St Pius X, West Warrnambool
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22 October 2017 **29th Sunday In Ordinary Time**

West Warrnambool and Dennington are Child-Safe Parishes

SJOG Christmas Raffle

St John of God Auxiliary is holding a Christmas raffle. Tickets will be sold at weekends until the end of November. The prizes are:

1st prize – \$500:00 Coles Northpoint grocery voucher
2nd prize - \$250:00 McNeils BP petrol voucher

Morning Coffee Party

A morning coffee party for the Good Samaritan Sisters' Missions will be held at St Brigid's Hall Crossley on Monday 6 November from 10 a.m.

Year of Youth 2018

2018 is the Year of Youth in Australia starting on the First Sunday of Advent (3 December 2017). The Year of Youth theme is *Open New Horizons for Spreading Joy*. Parishes and others have been asked to incorporate the Year of Youth in our planning: how might we celebrate locally or in conjunction with neighbours? Year of Youth information is on the Ballarat Diocese website www.ballarat.catholic.org.au /Youth and Young Adult pages, or email youth@ballarat.catholic.org.au



Movie Morning

St John of God Hospital auxiliary is running a movie fundraiser with Dame Judi Dench and Kenneth Branagh in *Murder on the Orient Express*.

Date: 14 November
Venue: Capitol Theatre.
Time: 10:00 am
Price: \$15:00 (with morning tea)
RSVP: 10 November to
Pat Starkie 5562 7200
Pat King 5562 5093
Judy Shanahan 5562 8138

Reminder for Readers

People who proclaim the Scriptures at Mass are reminded to take home a copy of Break Open the Word on the weekend before they are rostered to read. The publication provides a useful help for those who are preparing the readings.

Catholic Mission

October is Catholic Mission month. Next weekend the annual Catholic Mission collection will be taken up after Holy Communion. Your generous response is invited.

St Pius X School- Twilight Fair

St Pius X School will be holding a Twilight Fair on Friday 27 October from 4 p.m. - 7 p.m. at the School. As well as providing loads of fun for the children and food and drink for everybody, people will be able to support the School's fundraising efforts.

Anniversaries

Mary Watt. Aleida Bakker.
Lachlan Lourey

Thank You for Giving

Presbytery last week: \$530.30

Planned Giving September: \$5,363.25

Amount Pledged: \$6,117.00



Give back to Caesar
what belongs to
Caesar...

Mass Rosters Next Week Readers

6 p.m. J. Dean
10 a.m. C. Hughson

Prayers of the Faithful

6 p.m. P. Starkie
10 a.m. K. Harzmeyer

Ministers of Communion

6p.m. N. Russell
N. Stapleton
J. Dean
L. O'Keefe
P. McGennicken
10 a.m. M. Pickett
B. Houlihan
M. McFarlane
G. Hughson
P. McElgunn

Local Sunday Masses

Sat.	6 p.m. 6 p.m.	St Pius X OLHC
Sun.	8:30 a.m. 9 a.m. 10 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	St Joseph's OLHC St Pius X St Joseph's Allansford (1st, 3rd & 5th: Mass) Purnim (1st, 3rd & 5th lay-led) Purnim (2nd & 4th Mass) St Joseph's

Weekday Masses

Monday 23:	7:30 a.m. St Pius X
Tuesday 24:	5:45 p.m. St Pius X
Wednesday 25:	10 a.m. Dennington
Thursday 26:	10 a.m. Mercy Place
Friday 27:	9:15 a.m. St Pius X
Saturday 28:	10 a.m. St Pius X

Confessions

Saturday mornings after Mass or when you can find Father Michael: no appointment necessary.