The Parish Pump

The Weekly Bulletin for St John's, Dennington and St Pius X, West Warrnambool Priest: Father Michael Linehan Presbytery: 76 Morriss Road, Warrnambool Phone: 5562 5033 email: warrnamboolwest@ballarat.catholic.org.au

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Child Safeguarding Officer: Mrs Rachel Brown. 0402 009 785

Finance Committee

The next meeting of the parish finance committee will be held at 7 Kermond Court on Thursday 24 October at 2 p.m.

St Pius X School Twilight Fair

This year's Twilight Fair at St Pius X School will be on Friday 25 October from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. All the stalls, food and entertainment we have enjoyed in past years will again be available. The support of parishioners for our parish school is warmly invited.

Plenary Council 2020

Parishioners are invited to take part in a gathering on Tuesday 29 October in St Joseph's Parish meeting room to consider how God is calling us to be a Christ-centred Church that is Humble, Healing and Merciful. Anyone who is interested in participating is invited to read the Snapshot Report before attending the gathering. That report is available at www.plenarycouncil. catholic.org.au or from Louise in the parish office.

Morning Coffee Party

St Brigid's Hall Crossley will be hosting a Morning Coffee Party for The Good Samaritan Sisters' Mission in Australia, the Philippines, Kiribati, Japan and Timor Leste on Monday 4 November at 10 a.m.

Moving Forward Forum

Information about the Emmanuel Centre forum on healing and health is available in the parish pamphlet rack. The forum will be held on Saturday 23 November from 10 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at the Emmanuel Centre. There will be a focus on many of Warrnambool's community services. All welcome. For further information please phone Marie Morgan on 5562 0048.

Newman Scholarships

Applications are welcome for a residential scholarship at Newman College, Melbourne from any student who intends to study or is presently studvina at the University Melbourne. A limited number of applications are also accepted from students intending to study at RMIT and Monash Pharmacy. Details regarding scholarships and bursaries on offer are available from the college website https://newman.unimelb.edu.au/ prospective-students/scholarships-andbursaries/ or contact the Admissions Office. 9342 1602 on admissions@newman.unimelb. edu.au

Anniversaries

Mary Watt. Patricia Daffey. Aleida Bakker. Geraldine Lourey. Lachlan Lourey. Molly Lourey. Julie Alexander-Stanhope.

Thank You for Giving

Presbytery Last Week: \$515.00 Planned Giving September: \$3,899.65 Amount Pledged: \$4,405.00

Pilgrimage - The Holy Land 2020

Harvest Journeys: The Pilgrimage is being led by Fr John Fitzgerald, 29 May to 10 June. If you are interested please get your booking form in as soon as possible. Brochures are available in St Joseph's Gathering Space.

Anniversary at Portland

The first Catholic Mass in Portland was celebrated on Sunday 3 November 1844. On Sunday 3 November 2019 at 10:30 a.m., Bishop Paul Bird will offer Mass in Portland's All Saints Church in commemoration of the 175th anniversary. A light luncheon will follow at Bayview College. If you would like to attend the lunch after Mass please reply to portland@ballarat.catholic.org. au or call Di Kierce on 0427 946 053.

St Mary's School Swan Hill

Centenary celebrations at St Mary's School Swan Hill will begin with a Parish Mass on November 10 at 10.30 a.m. and a school Mass on Monday 11 November at 9:15 a.m. Tours of the school and St Mary Mackillop College will also be held on both days. For more information go to www. smswanhill100years.com

When the Son of Man comes, will he find any faith on earth?

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Mass Rosters Next Week Readers

6.00 p.m. R. Farrar 10 a.m. J. Guinan

Prayers of the Faithful

6.00 p.m. J. Farrar 10 a.m. L. Dooley

Ministers of Communion

6 p.m. N. Stapleton
Pauline Eccles
Peter Haberfield

C. Murrihy

D. Pasco

10 a.m. A. Mills

S. Malone

B. Ermacora

L. Ermacora G. Hughson

Local Sunday Masses

Sat. 6 p.m. St Pius X

6 p.m. OLHC

Sun. 8:30 a.m. St Joseph's

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6 p.m. St Joseph's

Weekday Mass

Monday 21:
Tuesday 22:
Wednesday 23:
Thursday 24:
Friday 25:
Saturday 26:

7:30 a.m. St Pius X
5:45 p.m. St Pius X
10 a.m. Dennington
10 a.m. Mercy Place
9:15 a.m. St Pius X
10 a.m. St Pius X

Confessions

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