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PARISH PERSONNEL

Moderator	Fr John Fitzgerald
Assistant Priest	Fr Bill Lowry
Assistant Priest	Fr Abraham Thomas
Parish Manager	Tony Herbert
Accounts Manager	Louise Dryburgh
Secretary	Leanne McElgunn
Maintenance	Pat Negri

SCHOOL PRINCIPALS

St John's Dennington	Ben van de Camp
St Patrick's Koroit	Nick Murrell
St Patrick's Port Fairy	Olga Lyons
St Joseph's W'bool	Matthew O'Brien
St Pius X W'bool West	Stacey Atkins (Interim)
OLHC W'bool East	Stephen Madden
Emmanuel College	Peter Morgan

WE ARE A CHILD SAFE PARISH

Star of the Sea Parish adheres to the Child Safe Standards of Victoria. Our policies are on display in each Church, and website.

Parish Safeguarding Officers:

Infant Jesus, Koroit
Nick Murrell

St Patrick's, Port Fairy
Peter Sanderson

St Joseph's, Warrnambool
Anne Maree Mugavin

St Pius X, Warrnambool West
Karen Johnson

OLHC, Warrnambool East
Dion Bartlett

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

We recognise the traditional custodians of parish lands. We acknowledge their ancestors with respect and we are committed to working for justice and reconciliation.

31ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
 11th & 12th November, 2023

Armistice Day

This Day, also known as Remembrance Day in the Commonwealth, is commemorated every year on 11 November to mark the armistice signed between the Allies of World War 1 and Germany at Compiegne (France).

There will be a Remembrance Mass next Sunday (10.30am) 19th November at St Joseph's.

Father of Peace,

We pray for those who have served to protect

our great Southern Land;

We commend to your mercy those who died for our

freedom;

We pray for the safety of those who are currently serving

in the defence forces;

We pray for peace throughout the world.

We ask this through Christ our Lord.

Amen



Liturgy Notes

Did you know some of the books of the Bible have a variety of names?

For Revelation - see Apocalypse
 For Sirach - see Ecclesiasticus
 For Qoheleth - see Ecclesiastes
 For Song of Solomon - see Song of Songs

Recent Deaths: Ellen 'Marj' Spora, Tony Sharkey, Francisco Clau Guterres (Timor Leste), Joseph Twong (Sudan)

Anniversaries: Murt Murrhiy, George Atkinson, Sr Stella Gleeson SGS

Baptism: Matilda Gale, Clara Cassidy and Cooper Trigg are welcomed into God's Family

St Vincent de Paul: Annual St Vincent de Paul Mass for deceased members will be held this Tuesday (14th November) **11.00am** at St Pius X. All are welcome

Catholic Women's League: Invitation to all re Women's Advent Retreat, Saturday 2nd December 10.00am to 4.00pm at St Joseph's. The day will begin with Mass at 10.00am followed by reflections and discussion and shared lunch. Cost \$10. More information or to book 5562 2231

For sale: Columban calendars and Christmas cards are available at St Pius X Foyer after Mass

St Patrick's: The Piety Shop has Columban calendars for sale. Also available are religious items along with the Carmelite nuns range of skin care products Monastique. Enquiries Marita (0402 431 053)

Rosary for World Peace: For the month of November, Praying for world peace will continue Monday to Friday at St Joseph's 7pm

Holy Hour: 10.00am every Monday at OLHC

Food Share: Warrnambool Christian Churches are seeking volunteers to drop off empty bags in designated area Sunday 26th November and collect, hopefully, full bags Saturday 2nd December. If interested or need further information please contact Parish Office.

Community Christmas Day Lunch: Christmas is a time for sharing with family and friends, although for some this is not possible. You are invited to share Christmas Day lunch (12noon - 1.30pm) Monday 25th December at St Joseph's Church Hall. Bookings essential: Mary 0409158177 or Parish Office 5562 2231

Meeting: Wednesday: Parish Finance Council Meeting 12noon

Council of Priests: Priests of the Diocese meet in Ballarat this Tuesday and Wednesday



WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday Vigil
 6:00pm OLHC, Warrnambool East

Sunday Morning
 8:30am St Joseph's, Warrnambool
 9:00am Infant Jesus, Koroit
 9:00am OLHC, Warrnambool East
 10:00am St Pius X, Warrnambool West
 10:30am St Joseph's, Warrnambool
 10:30am St Patrick's, Port Fairy
 11:00am St Anne's, Purnim*
 *Eucharist 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month;
 Assembly of the Word with Communion 1st & 3rd

Sunday Evening
 6:00pm St Joseph's, Warrnambool

RECONCILIATION

St Patrick's	After 10:00am Tuesday Mass
OLHC	After 10:00am Thursday Mass
St Joseph's	After 10:00am Friday Mass
Infant Jesus	After 10:00am Friday Mass
St Pius X	After 10:00am Saturday Mass

WEEKDAY MASSES

NB: MASS OF THE DAY IS REPLACED WHEN A FUNERAL IS HELD AT THAT CHURCH.

Monday	1.00pm Our Lady Help of Christians Requiem: Ellen 'Marj' Spora RIP
Tuesday	11.00am St. Pius X St Vincent de Paul Mass
Wednesday	10.00am St Joseph's Lay-led Assembly 11.00am Infant Jesus Requiem: Tony Sharkey RIP
Thursday	10.00am Our Lady Help of Christians
Friday	10.00am St Joseph's 10.00am Infant Jesus
Saturday	10.00am St Pius X

The Pope's Intention for November: We pray for the Holy Father; as he fulfills his mission, may he continue to accompany the flock entrusted to him, with the help of the Holy Spirit.

Baptisms: An information session takes place at 7pm on the second Tuesday of every month in the Gathering Space at St Joseph's.

Next session: Tuesday, 14th of November
 Please phone Parish Office to book in.

