St. Augustine's Parish, Maryborough

~inc. St. Francis Xavier's, Stanley St. Tarnagulla. St. Kevin's, Barnett St. Avoca,

St. Mary's, Hardy St. Dunolly, St. Patrick's, Pyrenees H'way & Evans St. Amphitheatre,

St. Patrick's, Main St. Bealiba. St. Patrick's, Barkly-Redbank Rd. Redbank.~

15th April Third Sunday of Easter Year B

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Weekends: MARYBOROUGH – Mass 6.00pm Saturday & 10.30am Sunday.

AVOCA – Mass 8.30am $\mathbf{1}^{\text{st}}$ & $\mathbf{3}^{\text{rd}}$ Sunday. Assembly 8.30am $\mathbf{2}^{\text{nd}}$, $\mathbf{4}^{\text{th}}$ & $\mathbf{5}^{\text{th}}$ Sunday. DUNOLLY – Mass 8.30am $\mathbf{2}^{\text{nd}}$ & $\mathbf{4}^{\text{th}}$ Sunday. Assembly 8.30am $\mathbf{1}^{\text{st}}$ & $\mathbf{3}^{\text{rd}}$ Sunday.

BEALIBA – Mass 8.30am each 5th Sunday of the month.

Collections "Thank You". First Collection - Presbytery **\$688** – Clergy support and Presbytery expenses. **Second Collection** - Parish Planned Giving **\$1412** – For Parish expenses and Church maintenance. **Sacrament of Reconciliation (First Rite)** – Saturdays at 10.00am (enter door near Sacristy) or upon request.

Sanctuary Cleaning and Flowers April 20 - K. Mullane, J. Lennen
April 27 - V. Lowery, P. Gloury

Planned Giving Counters

April 15 - M. 8 M. McNeille, L. Tou

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April 22 - P. Cameron, J. McKinnis, C. Scott, C. Schwager

	READER	PSALM/PRAYER	MINISTERS OF COMMUNION	<u>GIFTS</u>
Weekend Ap	oril 14/15			
6.00pm	D. Forster	B. Crameri	S. Huggett, T. Lacey, M. Forster	J. Walsh Family
10.30am	S. Meerbach	B. Dellavedova	G. Loyer, A. & J. Maruca	Lloyd Family
Weekend Ap	oril 21/22			
6.00pm	G. Loyer	M. Gowers	P. Huggett, M. Lacey, J. McKnight	Bates Family
10.30am	M. McNeilly	S. Dellavedova	S. Meerbach, T. Plucke, F. Upson	Maruca Family

Monday 16th April - 1.30pm Regina Molinaro Funeral Prayers

Tuesday 17th April - 9.30am Mass

Wednesday 18th April - 11.00am Mass at St. Patrick's, Redbank

Thursday 19th April - 9.30am Mass Friday 20th April - 9.30am Mass

Saturday 21st April - 11.00am Mass at St. Francis Xavier's, Tarnagulla, byo chair.

St. Patrick's, Redbank -11.00am Wednesday 18th April

St. Francis Xavier's, Tarnagulla -11.00am Saturday 21st April.

St. Patrick's, Amphitheatre – 6.00pm Friday 27th April.

St. Patrick's Bealiba - 8.30am Sunday 29th April.

REGINA MOLINARO RIP: We pray for Regina Molinaro of Maryborough and extend our condolences to her family. Regina's Funeral Prayers will be at St Augustine's church 1.30pm tomorrow (Monday) followed by her burial at Maryborough cemetery where her parents are buried.

TARNAGULLA FINAL MASS: Following the recent sale of St Francis Xavier's church, our final Tarnagulla Mass will be there at 11.00am next Saturday. Please byo chair. Following Mass, we are welcome to adjourn to the Golden Age Hotel for a drink and/or lunch.

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING 7.30PM TUESDAY 24th APRIL: In the Presbytery.

2020-2021 PLENARY COUNCIL PRAYER AND MISSION: A Plenary Council is planned for October 2020 and May 2021 to consider where God is calling our Australian Catholic Church to better live and share the Good News across our nation. Please take a card with "A Prayer for the Plenary Council" on one side and a message from Bishop Paul on the other. To help us prayerfully prepare for this, ten Redemptorist priests will be conducting a mini Mission across our diocese including Fr Tuyen returning to our parish on 24-25 April.

HAVE YOUR SAY: Central Goldfields Shire Council invites us to share our thoughts on what we like about our Shire and our suggestions for the future. Please take a green, postcard size card from the church and drop this into one of the Feedback boxes listed on the front. Further details from www.centralgoldfields.com.au RSVP by Monday 30th April.

CENTACARE NO INTEREST LOANS SCHEME: Centacare in the Ballarat diocese has No Interest Loans available for up to \$1,500 to assist low income people purchase furniture and white goods and pay for health expenses and other approved items. NILS information leaflets are available from our parish office or contact Centacare www.centacareballarat.org.au or 5337 8999 or email Nils@centacareballarat.org.au

ST. THOMAS AQUINAS CHURCH, CLUNES – CLOSING EVENT: An afternoon to farewell their French harmonium organ before it is moved to the Clunes Museum will be held on Sunday, 29 April at 2.30pm. This organ is a rather rare instrument and Clunes Museum have accepted our offer to put this on permanent display. Purchased after the church was built, this has been the church organ ever since. Also the last opportunity to come to St Thomas Aquinas Church as this has been sold. Pews and fittings have been removed so if seating is required, you will need to byo chair. Afternoon tea will be provided. Enquires to 0432 390 314 or 54766233

OUR DIOCESAN COMMUNITY – **MARCH 2018:** Please pick up your free copy from side or back of church. This edition includes a special feature "The Adventures of Paul Bird" as our bishop reflects back over fifty years as a Redemptorist and an educational article "Preparing Liturgy (Part 1)" among the many informative stories and photos from around our Ballarat diocese.

NEW MINISTRY ROSTERS: Now available on centre table in St Augustine's church.

ONLINE SCRIPTURE COMMENTARY AND SUNDAY REFLECTIONS: Fr. John McKinnon is a retired priest of our Diocese who has written books of the Gospels and whose website *johnmckinnon.org* is a vast Scripture resource with his Commentaries on each of the four Gospels plus Sunday and Weekday Homilies and Reflections.

NICENE CREED: Since 2011 we've had new translations of the Apostles Creed (an Early Church statement of belief) and the Nicene Creed (named after the First Church Council of Nicaea which formulated this in 325 A.D). While till now mainly using the Apostles Creed, since the start of Lent we've begun praying/reciting the Nicene Creed in our Parish each weekend.

ST VINNIES UNITS VACANCY: A one bedroom unit will soon be available in Kars St. If interested in finding out more or you know of an aged person this could be suitable for, you are invited to contact Margaret Gowers 0427 612 352 for further details or an application form.

Remembering those who have died:

We pray for Regina Molinaro who died recently and for those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Kathleen Gleeson, Pam Shields, Dorothy Stevens, Martin Greymans, Mary Hillman, Aubrey Baker, Michael Harnetty, Jack Maffescioni. Minnee Mannix, Joseph Divola, Geoffrey Walsh, Kath Williams, Chloris Nunan, Maurice Stafford, Marie-Louise Young, Kelvin Gordon, Henry O'Toole and Maurice Smith.

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

Priest: Sisters and brothers, having listened to Christ's word in the

Scriptures, and with hearts open in faith to what God asks of us,

we pray for our needs:

Reader: That Pope Francis and Bishop Paul will remain faithful teachers of Jesus' Good News and for us to live by the Gospel we profess.

(pause) Lord, hear us: All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader: That we will recognise Christ in one another and God's kingdom in

our world.

(pause) Lord, hear us: All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader: That those who feel the absence of God will be filled with the

presence of the risen Christ.

(pause) Lord, hear us: All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader: That those weighed down by the burden of sin will look to Christ;

our advocate and in whom God's love reaches its perfection.

(pause) Lord, hear us: All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader: For Regina Molinaro, who died recently, and all whose

anniversaries are named on the Bulletin.

(pause) Lord, hear us: All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Priest: For Mary's intercession we pray: "Hail Mary......

Priest: God of all time, you have extended to us the gift of salvation

promised to our ancestors. Help us to live as faithful witnesses to

Christ, risen among us, whose Good News is for all creation.

This we pray through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.