

## 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.~

### 27<sup>th</sup> August 2017 Twenty First Sunday in Ordinary Time

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**Weekends:** - MARYBOROUGH – Mass 6.00pm Sat. & 10.30am Sun. AVOCA – Mass 8.30am 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sun.  
Assembly 8.30am 2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Sun. DUNOLLY – Mass 8.30am 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sun. Assembly 8.30am 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sun.  
BEALIBA – Mass 8.30am 5<sup>th</sup> Sun.

**Collections "Thank You". First Collection - Presbytery \$1108 – Supports our Priest and Presbytery running expenses.**  
Second Collection \$1412 towards Parish Planned Giving – For Parish expenses and Church maintenance.

**Sacrament of Reconciliation (First Rite)** – Upon request to visiting priest while Fr John away.

Sanctuary Cleaning and Flowers	Sept. 1 -	I. Lloyd, B. Alexander.
	Sept. 8 -	D. Rinaldi, T. Branton, J. Branton, R. Wiseman.
Planned Giving Counters	Aug. 27 -	M. & M. McNeilly, J. Taylor
	Sept. 3 -	R. Iles, M. Hutchinson, A. Butler, C. Scott.

<u>READER</u>	<u>PSALM/PRAYER</u>	<u>MINISTERS OF COMMUNION</u>	<u>GIFTS</u>
<u>Weekend August 26/27</u>			
6.00pm M. Lacey	S. Huggett	P. Huggett, M. Gowers, B. Cramer.	Broadway Family
10.30am G. Loyer	C. Egan	T. Waterson, T. Bell, M. Flowers.	CameronFamily
<u>Weekend Sept. 2/3</u>			
6.00pm T. Lacey	G. Loyer	D. & M. Forster, S. Huggett	Bates Family
10.30am M. McNeilly	S. Dellavedova	Volunteer, E. McKinley, F. Upson	M. Lang

#### THIS WEEK:

<b>TUESDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST</b>	<b>- 9.30AM ASSEMBLY</b>
<b>WEDNESDAY 30<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST</b>	<b>- 9.30AM ASSEMBLY</b>
<b>THURSDAY 31<sup>ST</sup> AUGUST</b>	<b>- 9.30AM ASSEMBLY</b>
<b>FRIDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> SEPTEMBER</b>	<b>- 11.00AM EXPOSITION OF BLESSED SACRAMENT</b>
	<b>- 12.05PM ASSEMBLY</b>

#### NEXT COUNTRY MASSES:

**St. Patrick's, Amphitheatre** – Next Mass 6.00pm Friday 29<sup>th</sup> September.

**St. Patrick's, Redbank** –11.00am Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> October.

**St. Francis Xavier's, Tarnagulla** –11.00am Sat. 21<sup>st</sup> October.

**St. Patrick's, Bealiba** –8.30am Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> October.

**WELCOME BACK FR. ED.** This weekend Fr. Ed Moloney celebrates our Masses with us whilst Fr. John is away on holiday. Thank you Fr. Ed.

**WOOLWORTHS EARN AND LEARN PROGRAM.** St. Augustine's School are participating in the Woolworths Earn & Learn program to help fund new educational resources. From Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> July to Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> September (or while stock lasts) you will receive a sticker for every \$10 spent at Woolworths. St. Augustine's are collecting these Stickers in collection boxes in the Church Foyer, School foyer and at Woolworths, Maryborough. We greatly appreciate your donations! Further details from Miss Wood at St Augustine's School: [kwood@samaryborough.catholic.edu.au](mailto:kwood@samaryborough.catholic.edu.au). Thank you for your support!

**VINNIES WINTER APPEAL:** Envelopes at back of church that can be put on Collection plate or dropped into Vinnies Shop. Many thanks for your continued generosity and support.

**CLERGY SUPPORT FUND APPEAL 2/3 SEPTEMBER:** This year's Collection for Retired and Sick Priests of our diocese is next weekend (*Collectors, please take this up after Communion*). Our priests thank our parish for the \$2,624 we generously contributed in 2016 out of the \$59,698 from our diocese. Donations can be either put in the special collection or on any collection in the "Caring for those who Cared" envelopes from back of church or in your own envelope marked "Retired Priests Appeal."

**AUSSIE CATHOLICS:** Disregard where this says on the cover "Gold Coin Donation" and pick up your FREE Spring 2017 issue of Australian Catholics magazine. Titled "No one is an Island" take, read and share its inspiring stories of faith from around our nation.

**ARE YOU A FORMER STUDENT OF ASSUMPTION COLLEGE, KILMORE?**

Alumni Development Officer Maria Cleve would love to hear from former students as ACK prepares to celebrate its 125th anniversary in 2018. Please phone Maria Cleve on (03) 57835 343 or email: maria.cleve@assumption.vic.edu.au

**PARISH FINANCE REPORT 1/7/2016-30/6/2017:**

<b>Income:</b>	Planned Giving	\$81,851	
	Interest	\$1,469	
	Care Group	\$10,827	
	Other*	\$13,875	(*includes \$12,000 from sale of Sr Barbara's car)
	Total	\$108,022	
<b>Expenses:</b>	Administration	\$10,250	Sincere thanks for your great generosity
	Diocesan Levies	\$14,016	helping our parish to be in a good
	Rates/Utilities/Insurance	\$26,353	financial state. In this new financial year
	Salary/Related	\$21,111	a major expense is likely to be replacing
	Care Group	\$6,336	the storm-damaged Presbytery roof
	Liturgical	\$3,836	which will be partly funded by Insurance
	Capital Expenses	\$3,636	and the balance (as yet unknown)
	Repairs/Maintenance	\$2,045	needing to be paid for by us. Fr John
	Total	\$87,583	

**PRESBYTERY (CLERGY SUPPORT) 1/7/2016-30/6/2017:**

<b>Income:</b>	First Collection	\$40,612	<b>Expenses:</b>	House Expenses	\$5,723
	Xmas/Easter Dues	\$1,712		Diocesan Levies*	\$40,569
	Baptisms/Funerals	\$7,020		(*stipend/car/bishop/retired priests/etc)	
	Interest	\$74		Priest Supply	\$1,340
	Total	\$49,418		Travel/Related	\$2,616
				Total	\$50,248

**EUTHANASIA AND ASSISTED SUICIDE PROPOSALS.** In April this year, the bishops of Victoria published a pastoral letter in response to proposals to introduce legislation allowing euthanasia and assisted suicide. As a follow-up to that letter, a group of lay people has prepared a flyer encouraging people to write to parliamentarians and express their opposition to such legislation. Copies of the flyer have been made available for your consideration. You are invited to write to parliamentarians as suggested.

**PLANNED GIVING BOXES AND ENVELOPES:** If you haven't received your new Planned Giving boxes or quarterly or annual envelopes, or **if you require a receipt for 2016/17 giving, please contact the parish office.** New givers always welcome – please fill in form below.

*Remembering those who have died:*

*We pray for those who died recently and those whose anniversaries occur at this time, Joseph Elias Crameri, Julie Cameron-Ryan, Christine Fraser, Ada Harper, Terry Norton, Bill Maher, Don Livingstone, Harley Walsh, Eileen Wilkinson, Patricia Quinlivan, Josie Maffescioni, Jacob Sevenich, Priscilla McCrohyan-Shipp, Francis Cudmore, Alan Peters, William Rafferty, Sheila Graves, Ellen Murphy and Kevin Ellis.*

**PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL**

27<sup>th</sup> August 2017

Priest: How rich are the depths of God. With confidence let us turn to the Lord who answers those who call out in prayer.

**Reader: That Pope Francis, Bishop Paul and all Church leaders will be faithful and courageous.**

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

**Reader: That those who search for meaning will find wisdom and knowledge in God who knows all things.**

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

**Reader: That those who are sick will find us compassionate and understanding.**

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

**Reader: That our parish will build up the Church by our words and deeds.**

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

**Reader: For those who died recently and those whose anniversaries are named on the Bulletin.**

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

Priest: Seeking Mary's intercession, we pray: – "Hail Mary ...

Priest: God of wisdom, you have built your Church on a firm foundation. Hear these prayers that we may become living stones, giving witness to Christ, the Son of the living God. We ask this in Jesus' name.

All: Amen.