

Our Lady Star of the Sea Apollo Bay Our Lady of Fatima Lorne St Mary's Colac St Peter's Birregurra St Joseph's Cressy



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Colac and Apollo Bay Parishes are a community of believers, who strive to bring Christ's good news to all people in the district. Through service, caring and love we aim to create an environment of respect and understanding in which everyone can grow. We acknowledge the Traditional Custodians who have walked upon and cared for this land for thousands of years.

10th Sunday of Ordinary Time - 9th June 2024 - Year B

ORDINARY TIME

Responsorial Psalm

With the Lord there is mercy, and fullness of redemption.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia! Alleluia! The prince of this world will now be cast out, And when I am lifted up from the earth, I will draw all to my self says the Lord. Alleluia! Alleluia

This Weeks Readings

10th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Genesis 3:9-15. Corinthians 4:13-5:1. Mark 3:20-35

Next Weeks Readings 11th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Ezekiel 17:22-24. St Paul 5:6-10 Mark 4:26-34.

Deaths: Rene Kenna (Terang), Michael Maher (Echuca), Marie Richardson (N.Z.),

Anniversaries: David Potter, Shane Ward, Claire Russell, Ray Wheeler, Leon Paatsch, Victims: 80th Anniversary of D 'Day: Normandy.

MASS TIMES - COLAC, CRESSY, BIRREGURRA.			
5.00pm	St Mary's		
10.00am		St Mary's	
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6.00pm		St Joseph's Cressy	
6.00pm		St Mary's	
9.00am 11.00am		St Mary's	
Rosary - each Thursday: 9.30am St Mary's Church			
STAR OF THE SEA - APOLLO BAY			
Tuesday		5.30pm	
Wed, Thurs, Friday		10.00am	
Sunday		11.00am	
Our lady of Fatima – Lorne			
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Thank You: @ "I thank all who helped & continued to make my 50TH Anniversary of Ordination such a happy occasion.: And There's More!

9.00am

Cressy: Tea after Friday 7th June - Evening Mass. Birregurra_ A Cuppa Today after 9am Mass.

Sunday

Lorne: Light Supper: Friday 21st June at Church Unit.

Apollo Bay: Light Supper: Sunday 16th June after 11am Mass (Gathering Space).

St Brendan's - Supper Sun. 23rd June after 5pm Mass.

SYMPATHY TO: Terry Richardson (Birregurra) on the death of his mother: Marie in New Zealand this week.

**Placement of Ashes: Church Columbarium: Frank Suto (wife Cath Kavanagh dec' d). Today Sunday 9th June 12.30pm.

Diocesan Appointments:



Appointments from July 1.

In view of recent health problems, Fr Gary Jones has proposed that he conclude his time as Parish Priest of Hampden Parish / Terang on June 30 this year and I have accepted this proposal.

To provide for the pastoral care of the Hampden Parish, I am appointing Fr Neville Stanislaus (C'down) as Parish Administrator of Hampden Parish, in addition to his current responsibilities as Parish Priest of Camperdown and Timboon. I am appointing Fr Jim McKay, currently Assistant Priest at the Cathedral Parish, to be Visiting Priest for the Hampden Parish. Also from July 1, Fr Abraham Thomas MST will move from his role as Assistant Priest in the South West (W'bool), Coast Parish to the role of Assistant Priest in the Cathedral Parish.

Deacon Xuan Cay Trinh is due to conclude his studies at Corpus Christi Seminary at the end of this semester. I am appointing Deacon Cay to the Sunraysia (Mildura) Parish for the coming months. He will serve as Deacon in the Sunraysia Parish from July 1 till November 3. He will then make final preparations for his ordination to the priesthood, which is scheduled for Saturday, November 23. God bless you all. Bishop Paul Bird

Congratulations -Baptisms Celebrations this weekend at: St Mary's Church ~ Colac:

> Julian & Beatrice Hogan. Albion & Zinnia Hogan

RESPONSIORIAL PSALM

With the Lord there is mercy, and fullness of redemption.

Out of the depths I cry to you, O LORD;

LORD, hear my voice!

Let your ears be attentive

to the voice of my pleading.

If you, O LORD, should mark our guilt,

LORD, who would survive?

But with you is found forgiveness,

for this we revere you.

My soul is waiting for the Lord,

I count on his word.

My soul is longing for the Lord

more than watchman for daybreak.

Because with the LORD there is mercy

and fullness of redemption,

Israel indeed he will redeem from all its iniquity

With the Lord there is mercy, and fullness of redemption.

*150th Anniversary Formation: Sessions to be held around the diocese with a focus on leadership & governance in preparation for the Diocesan Assembly in November 2024.

Fr. Justin Driscoll to facilitate the Formation Sessions: Colac July 30th.

Colac Formation Day Schedule:

Begin with 10am Mass

10.45am Morning Tea

11.15am Welcome and Introduction

11.45am First Session

1.00pm Lunch

2.00 pm Second Session

3.00 pm Finish with prayer

* Please RSVP Colac Parish by 22nd July12pm Parish Office 52312177

Pope's Prayer Intentions for June

For migrants fleeing their homes We pray that migrants fleeing from war or hunger, forced to undertake journeys full of danger and violence, find welcome and new opportunities in the countries that receive them.

APOLLO BAY & LORNE FIRST COLLECTION

BSB: 083585 Acc: 810967715

SECOND COLLECTION

BSB: 033600 ACCOUNT: 230038

GLEESON FAMILY GROUP

Our next outing is our Winter Celebration at Gleesons on Saturday 22nd June 6.30 to 7 pm start. BYO Drinks, Meal Provided. Please RSVP to Pat on 0413081617 by 19th Wednesday.

CRAWFORD FAMILY GROUP

Lunch at Culture Café 20th June at 12.30pm RSVP Mary 52312107

CENTACARE

Family Counsellor Wendy **Appointments Contact:** *5559 3006*

EARLY NOTICE - Parent Sacramental Meeting **Thursday 20th June** 5pm & 7pm

Ss Johns Anglican Women's Guild

Invite you to bingo with playing cards 'Hoy Afternoon' 1.30pm Wed 19 June \$7 -Afternoon Tea and prizes RSVP Carolyn Weston 5231 2011.

New 'Planned Giving Program' to Commence I July 2024.

For many years, the Parish has been Budgeting on \$125,000. Annually. Our only source of income is Planned Giving Envelopes and Direct Debit. With a month to go we have received \$101,620. with appreciation. You may be able to catch us up.

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I/We	
Address	
Phone Number	Would like to contribute to the Financial costs of St Mary's Parish
by: Envelopes or D	Direct Debit (please circle one) Please place on the collection plate or post to
	ST MARY'S PARISH, PO BOX 310, COLAC 3250

*ALSO, IF YOU REQUIRE TO CHANGE YOUR PLANNED GIVING PLEDGE -FORMS ARE ON THE TABLE IN THE GATHERING SPACE. YOU MAY TAKE ONE AND RETURN IN THE COMING WEEKS.