

St. Augustine's Parish, Maryborough

~inc. 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. Augustine's, Burke St, Maryborough~



<u>Parish Priest</u>: Fr. John Monaghan <u>Deacon</u>: Rev. Matthew Restall

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9th January 2022 Baptism of the Lord

Collections "Thank You". First Collection – \$587 For Clergy support and Presbytery expenses.

Second Collection - Parish Planned Giving - \$828 For Parish expenses and Church maintenance.

- ST. KEVIN'S, AVOCA 8.30am Mass 1st and 3rd Sundays of each month.
 - 8.30am Assembly at Avoca on 2nd, 4th & 5th Sundays of each month.
- ST. MARY'S, DUNOLLY 8.30am Mass 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month.
 - 8.30am Assembly at Dunolly on 1st & 3rd Sundays of each month.
- ST. PATRICK'S, BEALIBA 8.30am Mass on the 5th Sunday of each month.
- ST. AUGUSTINE'S, MARYBOROUGH 6.00pm Saturday and 10.30am Sunday

Tuesday 11th January – 10.00am Mass

Wednesday 12th January – 10.00am Mass

Thursday 13th January – 10.00am Mass

Friday 14th January – 11.00am Exposition of Blessed Sacrament

- 12.00 Noon Mass

	Readers	Psalm/Prayer	Gitts
Jan. 8	D. Hamilton	B. Crameri	Walsh Family
Jan. 9	H. Taylor	J. Taylor	B. Alexander
Jan. 15	M. Lacey	G. Loyer	J. Leneaux-Gale
Jan. 16	C. Egan	T. Waterson	Lloyd Family

BAPTISMS: JUDD AHERN AND HARVEY LAY:

With Judd's parents, John and Jobell, and Harvey's parents, Ben and Ella, we welcome them into our parish family through Baptism at St. Augustine's on this very appropriate Sunday of celebrating Jesus' Baptism. We pray that Judd and Harvey and their families will be greatly blessed throughout their faith journey and look forward to their Sacramental steps of Confirmation and First Eucharist.

COVID-SAFE REQUIREMENTS: While some restrictions have been relaxed, we are required to sign in via QR code or manually when we enter a church. Face masks must be worn inside churches by everyone aged eight and above.

ACCOMMODATION SOUGHT: A lovely couple who have newly arrived in our parish to take up employment are desperately seeking a place to live (short or longer term) in place of the expensive caravan park accommodation they can only find so far. This needs to be in Maryborough as they have no vehicle. An unused "granny flat" or anything no matter how simple would be greatly appreciated by them even if just for a short while. Please see Pat Gloury or Fr John who are very happy to vouch for and be guarantor for them.

AUSTRALIAN CATHOLICS – SUMMER EDITION:

Please pick up your free copy of this faith-filled and informative magazine that very appropriately for the Christmas Holidays season is titled Love and Relationships.

2022 COLUMBAN CALENDARS DISCOUNT SALE:

There are a handful of copies of this beautiful calendar available for the now reduced price of \$5.00 each.

LOOKING FORWARD BOOKLET 2021-2025:

The new "Looking Forward" pastoral planning booklet 2021-2025 is now on our diocesan website:

https://www.ballarat.catholic.org.au/our-diocese/looking-forward/with principles to guide pastoral planning, data about our diocese and information on likely parish changes over the next few years.

Remembering those who have died:

We pray for those who died recently and those whose anniversaries are at this time: Kevin Egan, Nadia Zinko, Patricia Fernandez, Thomas Brown, Ivan Wade, Hugh Slater. Brendan Grogan. Ettie Dam, Fred Stuckenschmidt, George Guiney, Brendan Dwyer, David Castanelli, Leanne Howell, John Maddison, Aleyamma Josph, Esther Corcoran, Julie Neville and Graham O'Shaunassy.

9th January 2022 The Baptism of the Lord

Priest: On this day we conclude the Christmas season with the

Feast of the Baptism of Jesus, let us pray that God's favour

be upon us and all people, especially those in need.

Reader: That, with Pope Francis and Bishop Paul, we will be instruments of the Holy Spirit who faithfully proclaim the good news and, with Jesus, humbly serve all people.

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

Reader: That, enlightened by Christ and filled with the Spirit, we will live out our baptismal calling as disciples of Jesus.

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

Reader: That those preparing for Baptism and Confirmation will find strength in the Holy Spirit and the loving support of those whose faith they share on their journey through life.

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

Reader: That those Baptised in our parish this weekend will grow in the light and love of Christ throughout their lives.

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

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

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

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

Priest: God of all creation, whose favour rests upon your beloved

Son, the anointed one, hear our prayers and send us your Holy Spirit that we too may be instruments of your goodness

and truth in Jesus Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.