



THE PARISH PUMP

The Weekly Bulletin for St John's, Dennington & St Pius X, West Warrnambool

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SUNDAY 21st FEBRUARY 2021

FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT (B)

West Warrnambool and Dennington are Child-Safe Parishes

St Vincent de Paul Lenten Appeal

The customary St Pius X Lenten Appeal will be organised again this year by the parish conference of the Society of St Vincent de Paul. You are asked to contribute the following goods on the named weekends:

20-21 February	Cereal
27-28 February	Spaghetti/Baked Beans
6-7 March	Tinned Fruit
13-14 March	Pasta/Pasta Sauce
20-21 March	Tea/Coffee
27-28 March	Tinned Soup

Project Compassion. Envelopes and boxes now available to take home.

Recent Deaths: Jim McNamara.
Anniversaries: Kevin Carroll.

LOCAL WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday 22 nd	10:00am, St Pius X
Tuesday 23 rd	9:30am, Our Lady's
Wednesday 24 th	9:30am, Our Lady's
Thursday 25 th * Residents only	9:30am, Our Lady's 10:30am, Mercy Place*
Friday 26 ^h	9:30am, Our Lady's 10:00am, St Joseph's
Saturday 27 th	9:30am, Our Lady's

Lenten Prayer Group

A Lenten prayer group will meet every Tuesday in Lent in the St Pius X church foyer. All most welcome.

1:30 *Sorrowful Mysteries of the Rosary*
2:00 *Scriptural Study and Reflection*

Stations of the Cross

Our Lady's — 10am Monday
St Joseph's — 7:30pm Friday

Online Lent Retreat on Forgiveness

Walk the arduous and sometimes lonely journey from unforgiveness to forgiveness. You can register at any time and go at your own pace.

Cost: \$200

Visit: tinyurl.com/forgive2021

LOCAL CONFESSION TIMES

Friday 26 th	10am, Our Lady's
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Fridays in Lent: The common practice of penance is fulfilled by **any one** of:

Prayer (eg: attending Mass; or praying the Rosary; or praying the Way of the Cross);

Self-denial (eg: a diet of bread and water; or abstaining from meat; fasting from TV);

Almsgiving (eg: visiting the sick; or donating to Project Compassion; or donating to the St Vincent de Paul Lenten Appeal).



FOURTH SUNDAY OF ST JOSEPH

His sorrow when he heard Simeon's prophecy; his joy when he knew so many would be saved.

Collect: O most faithful Saint Joseph who shared the mysteries of our redemption: the prophecy of Simeon, concerning the sufferings of Jesus and Mary, caused you to shudder with mortal dread, but at the same time filled you with a blessed joy for the salvation and glorious resurrection that would be attained by countless souls. By this sorrow and this joy, pray that we may number among those who, through the merits of our Lord Jesus Christ and the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary, are predestined to a glorious resurrection.

Litany of St Joseph: Lord, have mercy on us: **Christ have mercy on us.** Lord, have mercy on us, Christ hear us: **Christ, graciously hear us.**

God the Father of Heaven: **Have mercy on us.**
God the Son, Redeemer of the world: **Have mercy on us.**
God the Holy Spirit: **Have mercy on us.**
Holy Trinity, one God: **Have mercy on us.**

Holy Mary: **Pray for us.**

Next Sunday's Roster: 28th February, 2nd Sunday of Lent

Lector: J. Farrar
Prayer of the Faithful: R. Farrar
Holy Communion: J. Beks

Fr John Corrigan is away this week
on retreat in Halls Gap until Friday.

St Joseph: **Pray for us.** Illustrious son of the house of David: **Pray for us.** Splendour of patriarchs: **Pray for us.** Spouse of the Mother of God: **Pray for us.** Guardian of the Virgin: **Pray for us.** Foster father of the Son of God: **Pray for us.** Faithful guardian of Christ: **Pray for us.** Head of the holy family: **Pray for us.** Joseph most chaste: **Pray for us.** Joseph most just: **Pray for us.** Joseph most prudent: **Pray for us.** Joseph most courageous: **Pray for us.** Joseph most obedient: **Pray for us.** Joseph most faithful: **Pray for us.** Pattern of patience: **Pray for us.** Lover of poverty: **Pray for us.** Model of workers: **Pray for us.** Example to parents: **Pray for us.** Guardian of virgins: **Pray for us.** Mainstay of family life: **Pray for us.** Comfort of the afflicted: **Pray for us.** Hope of the sick: **Pray for us.** Patron of the dying: **Pray for us.** Terror of demons: **Pray for us.** Protector of the Church: **Pray for us.**

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: **Spare us, O Lord.** Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: **Graciously hear us, O Lord.** Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: **Have mercy on us.**

God made him master of his household:
And put him in charge of all that he owned.

Let us pray: Almighty God, in your infinite wisdom and love you chose Joseph to be the husband of Mary, the mother of your Son. As we enjoy his protection on earth, may we have the help of his prayers in heaven. We make this prayer through Christ our Lord. Amen.