

## 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~

**Parish Priest:** Fr. John Monaghan **Deacon:** Rev. Matthew Restall

**Parish Secretary and Child Safety Officer:** Jill Morse **Pastor Emeritus:** Fr. Pat Flanagan

**Parish Office:** 21 Burns St. Maryborough. **Open:** 9.00am–12.00 noon Wednesday and Friday

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**St Augustine's School:** 5460 4440 **Principal:** Mrs. Sonia Turner

## 30<sup>th</sup> January 2022 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C

Collections "Thank You" First Collection – \$661.45 *For Clergy support and Presbytery expenses.*

Second Collection - Parish Planned Giving – \$364.25 *For Parish expenses and Church maintenance.*

**ST. KEVIN'S, AVOCA – 8.30am Mass 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays of each month.**

**– 8.30am Assembly at Avoca on 2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Sundays of each month.**

**ST. MARY'S, DUNOLLY – 8.30am Mass 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays of each month.**

**– 8.30am Assembly at Dunolly on 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays of each month.**

**ST. PATRICK'S, BEALIBA – 8.30am Mass on the 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of each month.**

**ST. AUGUSTINE'S, MARYBOROUGH – 6.00pm Saturday and 10.30am Sunday**

**Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> February – 10.00am Mass**

**Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> February – 10.00am Mass**

**Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> February – 10.00am Mass**

**Friday 4<sup>th</sup> February – 11.00am Exposition of Blessed Sacrament**

**– 12.00 Noon Mass**

	Readers	Psalm/Prayer	Gifts
Jan. 29	Volunteer	J. Leneaux-Gale	B. Crameri
Jan. 30	C. Hadwen	S. Dellavedova	Schwager Family
Feb. 5	J. Walsh	Volunteer	Lacey Family
Feb. 6	P. Egan	T. Bell	B. Alexander

**DAVID HICKEY (22/4/1937 – 21/1/2022) RIP:** A great husband, father, farmer and CFA captain of Timor West for most of his life who has died just a few weeks before his 3<sup>rd</sup> March Diamond Wedding anniversary. Well-known for describing his place in his family as: "I'm the youngest of eleven; born in 1937," Dave now joins his parents and siblings in eternal life. We extend our prayers and sympathy to Dave's dearly loved wife, Margaret, their children, Pamela, Martin, Veronica, Kevin and Fiona, many grand and great grandchildren and all who mourn the loss of this pillar of our parish and district whose Funeral Mass was held at St Augustine's on Friday followed by his burial at Timor cemetery.

**BAPTISM: THOMAS JAMES O'CONNOR:** With his parents, Joshua and Aislinn, we welcome Thomas into our parish family through Baptism at St. Augustine's. We pray that they will be greatly blessed throughout their faith journey together.



**NATIONAL CHURCH LIFE SURVEY:** Our parish is one of a select few in our diocese chosen to be part of this census-type survey conducted in Churches of all denominations across Australia every few years. Next weekend we'll be invited to complete a survey form during Mass to help us understand how our parish is ticking and assist with planning for the future.

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

**PARISH COUNCIL MEETING:** 6.00pm Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> February.

**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 Maryborough. An unused "granny flat" or anything very simple would be greatly appreciated by them even if just for a short while. Please see Pat Gloury or Fr John for further details.

**AUSTRALIAN CATHOLICS – SUMMER EDITION:**

Please pick up your free copy of this faith-filled and informative magazine.

**DICTIONARIES FOR EAST TIMOR:** We have had a request for dictionaries to send to East Timor to assist students studying English. Any of our old or unused dictionaries will be greatly appreciated by these students and can be given to Pat Gloury or Fr John.

**CARITAS APPEAL FOR TONGA:** After the recent eruption of undersea volcano Hunga-Tonga-Hunga-Ha'apai on January 15, which triggered tsunamis, destroyed telecommunications and contaminated water supplies, the people of Tonga require extensive assistance. Visit: <https://www.caritas.org.au/donate/emergency-appeals/pacific/> or call 1800 024 413 to donate to our Pacific Emergency Appeal.

*Remembering those who have died:*

*We pray for Dave Hickey who died recently and those whose anniversaries are at this time: Arthur Mooney, Jim Peart, Max Beveridge, Bev Cooper, Pat Czochara, Mary McCarthy, Joanna Rus, Victor Ross and Florence Thornton.*

Priest: Let us bring our needs before God, our hope and our strength.

**Reader: That with St Paul we will be ambitious, not for personal fame and fortune, but for the higher gifts of faith, hope and love.**

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

**Reader: That unborn babies will be kept secure from harm, born safely and warmly welcomed into their families and communities with Thomas O'Connor, Baptised into our parish this weekend.**

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

**Reader: That children returning to school will be ready to meet the challenges and joys of the coming year; supported by their families, teachers and our parish.**

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

**Reader: That conflict between nations will be resolved through mutual respect and humility and what is good for one person and nation be celebrated as good for all.**

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

**Reader: For Dave Hickey 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 time, who knew us before we were formed, hear our prayers and, through your Words of life, help us be people of faith, hope and love whenever we gather in your name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**All: Amen.**