

Parish Newsletter



Parish Priest of Daylesford & Creswick

Fr Gary A Jones

Supervising Priest for Parish of Gordon

Parish Admin: Leonie Bird

"We are a Child Safe Parish"



Sunday Mass 10.30am

Sunday Mass 8.45am

Parish Office: Phone 53018161 -Daylesford (Wednesday- Friday) 9.30– 3.00pm **Safeguarding Officer:** Leonie Bird

Parish Primary School: St Michael's Daylesford -Ethan Corfee & St Augustine's Creswick -Terry Brennan.

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Recent Death: John Morris (Daylesford)

Anniversaries of Death: William Courtney, Rachael Coutts, Pat Treacy, June Rodier, Annie Graham, Klara Rugonyi, Frank Heron, Zac Burns, Lois Yodgee, Judith Gleeson.

Weekday Masses: Creswick Tuesday 10am - Daylesford Friday's 10am

The 6 main themes for the Plenary Council are now published. They invite us, the People of God, to consider how we are called to be a Christ centred church in Australia that is:

1. Missionary and Evangelising
2. Inclusive, Participatory and Synodal
3. Prayerful and Eucharistic
4. Humble, Healing and Merciful
5. A Joyful, Hope-Filled and Servant Community
6. Open to conversion, Renewal and Reform

Each week we will feature a theme

National Theme for Discernment #4 How is God calling us to be a Christ-centred Church that is Humble, Healing and Merciful? This National Theme for Discernment is inspired by the voices of the People of God who expressed a deep and faith-filled trust in God and a need for lament and healing within the Church, acknowledging the sexual abuse crisis as a turning point for the Church in Australia. Find out more at <http://www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au>

Knox Public Lecture by Dr Trudy Dantis on 'The Voices of Plenary Council' : Wednesday 21 August at 7.30pm at the Catholic Leadership Centre, hosted by Catholic Theological College. This lecture will explore some of the themes that emerged from the data and that have helped build the framework for ongoing dialogue on the future of the Catholic Church in Australia. Venue –Cnr of Victoria Pde & Hoddle St. East Melbourne RSVP: 13 August—sarah.styring@ctc.edu.au or 03 9412 3366 (light refreshments will be provided after lecture)





Last Week's Collections: Two collections are presented after the Prayers of the Faithful. The 1st Collection is cash toward the Presbytery for the sustenance of our Priest – with a contribution of 13% to provide support for our retired priests and the Diocese. The 2nd Collection is the Planned Giving (envelopes) or cash for the administration of the Parish & general running costs.

Creswick Parish Collections: 1st Collection: \$211.50 2nd Collection: \$147.00

Daylesford Parish Collections: 1st Collection: \$ 308.50 2nd Collection: \$137.60



***ST FRANCIS XAVIER CHAPEL and CEMETERY EGANSTOWN:**

Sunday August 11th, an official re-opening and blessing of the conservation of the St Francis Xavier Chapel & Cemetery will be conducted. Congratulations to all involved especially John Caines & Kevin Clohesy and all the local tradespeople.



***Anniversaries of Death:** Many parishioners' have asked how to have their loved one remembered in the intercessions and published in the newsletter. They don't automatically get published if they are not buried from St Peter's or St Augustine's. Please advise the office a month before the anniversary date, to ensure it is published.

***Holy Hour for Vocations:** Holy Hour for Vocations will be held at Nazareth House Chapel, 218 Mill Street, Ballarat on Thursday, July 25, 2019 from 7.00pm -8.00pm. All welcome.

***Damascus College Ballarat Enrolment Information:** Information Evenings: Wednesday, September 4, 5.00pm and Tuesday, October 22 at 6.30pm. Open Mornings: Thursday, September 12, 9.00am – 10.30am and Tuesday October 29, 9.00am – 10.30am. Register attendance for both events at: <https://www.damascus.vic.edu.au/prospective-visit-us>

***2019 Christmas Cards:** Only 5 months and it's Christmas! Time to order your Traditional Christmas Cards. 10 Cards with envelopes \$7.00 per set. There is a sample set in the Parish Office in Daylesford if you need to see what you get. If you would like to order a set or more please email or phone the parish office in Daylesford by 30th August.



Roster-weekend: 28th July	Daylesford	Creswick
Welcomer	Brian D	Loretta, Roland K
Commentator		David P
Reader	Rose T	Lois K
Offertory/Gifts	Trish T	Loretta, Roland K
Special Ministers/Eucharist	Denise Mc, Sandra W, Cheryl B	Angeline T, Barb H, Margie G
Projector Operator/Ipad Music	Gabrielle K	Jess & Steve/ Neil D
Sacristan	Kath C	
Counting Team	Brian D, Maree P	Mick G & Peter G