

SAINT MARY'S PARISH, DONALD

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Donald Monthly Mass Schedule. 1st and 3rd. **10:30am**
2nd; 4th and 5th. **8:30am**

Masses next Week 2/7/2017 13th Sunday

NULLAWIL	7:00 pm Saturday
BIRCHIP	8.30 am Sunday
DONALD	10.30 am Sunday

Weekday Masses:	Tuesday	No Mass
	Wednesday	10.00 am Birchip
	Thursday	10.00 am
	Friday	9.00 am

Recent Deaths:

Anniversaries: John Sullivan, Jim Brennan, Maureen Burke

Sick: Margaret Belleville, Molly Byrne, Fr. Denis Dennehy, Frank Nolan,

PRAYER FOR A PARISH: We belong to the Diocese of Ballarat. This week we hold in our prayers the DENNINGTON parish.

MINISTRIES NEXT WEEKEND 2/07/2017 13th Sunday

WELCOMERS:	John & Monica Slater
COUNTERS:	Peter Barbetti & Len Scarce
CLEANING:	Fatima & Simon Salarda
MASS PREPARATION:	Sue Donnellon
MINISTERS OF THE WORD; 1 & Psalm:	John Barbetti
READING 2 & PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL:	Valsa George
MINISTERS OF COMMUNION:	Week 1
MUSIC:	Margaret Hogan
PROCESSION OF GIFTS:	Pat Hogan

STATE OF THE NATION: Presbytery:	\$298.50	
Parish:	\$2477.00	
Year to 30 th June 2016	\$26,134.00	Promised: \$26,000.00
Year to 30 th June 2017	\$21,869.55	Promised: \$26,324.00
Many Thanks.	PARISH ACCOUNT BSB013605 A/C1998 90097	

FINAL FIGURE FOR PROJECT COMPASSION: \$1044.50

Thanks to all who contributed.

August until the New Year. (updated)

It seems likely that for the remaining part of this year, there will be the need to change some mass times, as I have been asked to be the sole priest for Donald, Birchip, Quambatook and Wycheproof.

Work is currently being done on a new roster, and I will soon be clearer about what it all means.

PARISH GIVING.

There are envelopes available at the back of the church for those who have been part of our Parish offerings over the past twelve months.

If you would like to make an offering or would like to change to direct giving to the Parish Account, note our BSB 014605, A/C 1998 90097.

If you want envelopes or have enquiries,

ring Fr. Eugene at the Presbytery: 54971112.

Today's Readings:

Jeremiah felt trapped by God's call and was known as the reluctant prophet. He suffered greatly and got angry with God, and yet wrote some of the most hopeful lines of faith.

Jesus, himself knew what it was like to have his faith tested to the extreme. Faith is not knowing all the answers.