

# St. Aloysius' Redan St. James' Sebastopol St. Peter's Linton

(Encompassing Skipton, Smythesdale and Snake Valley)

## Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi) Year B Sunday 6th June 2021

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**Next Week's Readings: Ezekiel 17:22-24; 2 Corinthians 5:6-10; Mark 4:26-34**

*The parishes acknowledge that the Aboriginal people of Australia are our first nation people and the traditional owners and custodians of this land.*

As you would be aware that the restrictions in regional Victoria have been eased. The following provisions for Masses in our churches is as follows:

Religious gatherings and ceremonies will be permitted for up to 50 people per venue, with a density quotient of 1 person per 4 square metres. Masks must be worn at all Masses

We can no longer use the previous permanent bookings lists; you will need to ring and make a new booking for every Mass

St James Sebastopol - For the next three weekends Saturday 5th, 12th & 19th June Fr Eugene has generously offered to celebrate an extra Mass at 7pm. You will need to ring and book in for these Masses.

St Aloysius - We are celebrating First Eucharist at all Masses over the next 3 weekends. Therefore there will be very limited numbers so it is essential that you ring to make a booking.

### Country churches

Linton - now has a capacity of 19 people

Skipton - now has a capacity of 24 people

Snake Valley - now has a capacity of 24 people  
again here bookings are essential

If you turn up without a booking you may be turned away if the capacity has been reached.

#### St. Aloysius, Redan

Thursday 9.30am

**Saturday 5.00pm (from now till October)**

Sunday 9.00am

#### St Brigid's, Snake Valley

Saturday 6.30pm

#### St Peter's, Linton

Sunday 9.00am

#### St. James, Sebastopol

Friday 9.30am

Sunday 10.30am

#### St John's, Skipton

Sunday 10.30am

## Recent Deaths:

**Anniversaries:** Aymon Atkinson, Leo Atkinson, James Everard, Peter Hammond, Roger Hogan, Pat Kelleher, Ruby Sullivan, Fr. John Smith, Leo Tuddenham, Nikola Zimmermann,

**Please remember in your prayers:** Margaret Cooper, Fr. Denis Dennehy, Heather Healy, Gerard Hoogenboom, Constancio Laduan Sr., Corazon Laduan, Lucas Mactingrao, Dianne Parrot, Jonathon Rice, Louis Sykes, Sr. Patricia Vagg,

**Centralised Baptism Preparation Session** will be held at MacKillop and Glowrey Rooms of St. Patrick's Cathedral Hall on **Thursday 1st July 2021 at 10.00am & 5.30pm**. Bookings to be made with Parish Offices.

**The Parishes of St. Aloysius, St. James' & St. Peter's are committed to the care, wellbeing and protection of children, young people and vulnerable adults in our community. We uphold that child protection and the dignity of every person is the responsibility of every adult.**

## St. Aloysius' Parish Redan

**Opportunity for Prayer at St Aloysius** - You are invited to join in saying the rosary, Thursday at 9am, all welcome.

**Sacrament of Eucharist / First Communion:** Celebrations for this Sacrament will take place at parish Masses on the weekends of 5/6th June, 12/13th June and 19th/20th June.

## St. James' Parish Sebastopol

**Opportunity for Prayer at St James'** - Wednesday at 10.30am Adoration & Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.

**Sacrament of Eucharist / First Communion:** This weekend we welcome Paul Armeni, Kynan Barrell, Alice Byvoet, Austin Kasbach, John Reus, Ellissa Sebastian, Nethanel Silva, Indianna Walker and Elliot West as they celebrate their First Eucharist. *May pray that the Holy Spirit continues to strengthen and guide them through-out their lives.*

**Vinnies launches 2021 Winter Appeal** - As Vinnies responds to a growing demand for services following the end of JobKeeper and cuts to Job Seeker, the National Council of St Vincent de Paul Society in Australia is calling for donations to help support the rising number of people experiencing or at risk of homelessness, including children, which have all been exacerbated by the economic impact of the COVID-19 pandemic. The Society provides vital services and support for individuals and families facing financial hardship. With generous support from the public, Vinnies aims to maintain the dignity of those on the edge and restore hope to people who have fallen on hard times. Donation envelopes are available on the table. Contact Anne 0409 547 953.

## Ballarat Diocesan Information, News and Events

**Plenary Council Prayer Campaign** - Fan the Flame: Towards Plenary Assembly One October 2021. 'This is my blood, the blood of the covenant, which is to be poured out for many' Mark 14:12-16,22-26.

The Lord has redeemed all of us, all of us, with the Blood of Christ. And this Blood makes us children of God of the first class! [W]e all have a duty to do good. If we, each doing our own part, if we do good to others ... we will make that culture of encounter. (Pope Francis Homily, May 2013)

[www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au/fanthefflame/](http://www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au/fanthefflame/)

**ST VINCENT PALLOTTI SCHOLARSHIP TRUST** - offers scholarships to enable lay people to further their understanding and skills in leadership/ministry or a specialised activity, such as promoting faith enhancement, social justice and pastoral care. More information and Applications Forms are available on our website <https://pallottine.org.au/scholarships/st-vincent-pallotti-scholarship-for-lay-ministry.html>. Closing Date 30 July

**Year of St Joseph Monthly Reflections** - Each month during the year of St Joseph, the Australian Catholic Bishops Conference will publish a reflection on the various aspects of St Joseph's life and character. Fr Khalid Marogi, Director of the Australian Catholic Migrant & Refugee Office, reflects on "Joseph as 'Protector'" (Mt 2:13-18) and this will coincide with Refugee Week, June 20-26, 2021 - <https://catholic.org.au/yearofstjoseph>