



# St. Paul VI Parish Wimmera-Mallee

Beulah - Dimboola - Hopetoun - Horsham - Kaniva - Minyip - Murtoa -  
Natimuk - Nhill - Rainbow - Rupanyup - Warracknabeal

## BULLETIN

**THE MOST HOLY TRINITY YEAR B**  
**26th May 2024**



*We welcome to the family of God in Baptism this weekend*

*John James Margetts*

*Son of Russell Margetts and Cherry Latorza*



*May he continue to grow in faith with loving support of his family, friends,  
Godparents, sponsors and our Parish community.*

### CONTACTS:

#### Parish Priest:

Mons. Glynn Murphy  
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#### Assistant Priest:

Fr Sajan Mathew  
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#### Parish Office:

**CLOSED MONDAYS**

Office Hours: **TUES - FRI**  
9am - 12.30pm, 1.30- 4.00pm  
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#### Staff:

- Olivia

Please submit notices for  
our weekly Bulletin to the  
Parish Office by C.O.B  
**Thursday**. Thank you

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<https://www.ballarat.catholic.org.au/parish/wimmera-mallee/>

#### Mass Livestreaming:

Vigil Mass will be livestreamed from the Horsham Church at 6.30pm Saturday night and will be available to watch 'live', or for replay viewing at a time convenient. (Recordings are deleted weekly, and will be available until Friday each week)

#### YouTube Channel Link:

<https://www.youtube.com/@smjchurchhorsham/streams>



**Fr Paddy Mugavin**  
**Golden Jubilee of Ordination**  
**to the Priesthood Mass**

#### 'Parishioner Report'

The Hamilton church was full for Father Pat's 50th anniversary of priesthood. Parishioners from all over Victoria came to wish him well including parishioners from Horsham and Mildura. After mass most people stayed to enjoy memories and morning tea followed by soup and sandwiches. It was pleasing to catch up with Father John and Father Peter who were part of the ceremony along with the school children showing admiration for his work with them.

#### WEEKDAY MASSES:

|                    |        |               |
|--------------------|--------|---------------|
| Tuesday 28th May   | 9.30am | Warracknabeal |
|                    | 9.30am | Horsham       |
| Wednesday 29th May | 9.30am | Warracknabeal |
|                    | 9.30am | Horsham       |
| Thursday 30th May  | 9.30am | Warracknabeal |
|                    | 9.30am | Horsham       |
| Friday 31st May    | 9.30am | Warracknabeal |
|                    | 9.30am | Horsham       |
| Saturday 1st June  | 9.30am | Warracknabeal |
|                    | 9.30am | Horsham       |



#### Funeral Mass for Aida Freijah

Ss Michael & John Catholic Church, Horsham  
Monday 3rd June 2024, 1pm

### HORSHAM MINISTRY ROSTER

| 25th & 26th May                               | 6.30pm Vigil   | 10.30am Sunday  |
|---|--|---|
| <b>Reader</b>                                 | Maree Plazzer  | Nerrida Holland   |
| <b>Commentator</b>                            | John Parker  | Gerard Raven  |
| <b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>                  | Anne Newton<br>Bernadette Trounce<br>Maree Plazzer                   | Nerrida Holland<br>Geoff Simpson<br>Timothy Lannen  |
| 1st & 2nd June                                | 6.30pm Vigil   | 10.30am Sunday  |
| <b>Reader</b>                                 | Anthony Amor   | Alison McKinnon   |
| <b>Commentator</b>                            | May Rosello  | Bob Pritchett   |
| <b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>                  | John Parker<br>Bob Hayes<br>Lesley Price                             | Simon Lynch<br>Anna Robertson<br>Karen Hill   |
| <b>Projector</b>                              | Geoff Simpson  | Gabby Mills   |
| <b>Musicians</b>                              | Chris Roberts  | Choir   |
| <b>Livestream</b>                             | Rob Sartori  | NA  |
| <b>Welcomers</b>                              | Bill & Josie Phelan  | Joan Whiley<br>Mary Dowsley   |
| <b>Tea/Coffee After Mass</b>                  | N/A  | Anne Rowe, Zita,<br>Lynda, Esther   |
| <b>Prayers</b>                                | Angela Amor & Pauline Breen  |   |
| <b>Church Cleaning &amp; Flower Arranging</b> | <b>2nd June 2024</b><br>Jenny Clarke<br>Bernie Lakin<br>Rhonda Tursi | <b>9th June 2024</b><br>Helen Hunter<br>Margaret Fischer<br>Dianne Quinn<br>Maureen McInerney |

### WARRACKNABEAL LITURGY ROSTER

|                   | 26th May<br>Mass 8.30am | 2nd June<br>Mass 8.30am |
|-------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| <b>Reader</b>     | D Baxter                | M Aitken                |
| <b>Prayers</b>    | L Casey                 | P Winsall               |
| <b>Collectors</b> | L Casey                 | B Bentley & L Downes    |
| <b>Cleaning</b>   | J Robertson & K Baxter  |                         |

### NHILL LITURGY ROSTER

|                  | 26th May<br>Mass 11am | 2nd June<br>Mass 11am |
|------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| <b>Sacristan</b> | J Gurry               | M Millington          |
| <b>Reader</b>    | M Millington          | C Kennedy             |
| <b>Collector</b> | R Picone              | J Kennedy             |
| <b>Music</b>     | Paul Ramas            | Paul Ramas            |
| <b>Cleaning</b>  | A Munro               | M Millington          |

### HOPETOON LITURGY ROSTER

|                             | 26th May<br>LLA 9am              | 1st June<br>Mass 6.30pm |
|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|
| <b>Readers</b>              | Luca & Dakota                    | Claire White            |
| <b>Offertory</b>            | Cynthia Maiden &<br>Robyn Hallam | Marilyn & Therese       |
| <b>Eucharistic Minister</b> | Therese Bellinger                |                         |

**Natimuk Mass:** TBA

**Rupanyup Mass:** TBA

#### Child Safety Standards: St Paul VI Parish

Bob Pritchett is our Safeguarding Officer, Horsham and Cynthia Maiden, Hopetoun.

A Child Safety Policy and Code of Conduct has been adopted for all who work with children and vulnerable adults in the Parish, to ensure the safety of all.

*Our Parish seeks to always be a child safe Parish.*

### HOLY COMMUNION TO SICK, ELDERLY OR HOUSE BOUND:

Parishioners interested in receiving *preparation/guidance to be able to bring Holy Communion from our churches to Parishioners* can notify Mons Glynn.

#### Our Parish Finance:

For all wishing to support either our Parish or Clergy through online banking transfer:

St Paul VI Parish Account (NAB)

BSB: 083-680 Acc. No: 515830337

*(Please state envelope number if you have one, and name)*

St Paul VI Presbytery (Clergy Support) Account (NAB)

BSB: 083-680 Acc. No: 515830345

~ The option of regular automatic Direct Debit contributions can be arranged by contacting our office ~  
The Parish also has an NGR number for grain growers who wish to donate through harvest.

**All amounts are an active support to our faith community and are greatly appreciated.**

### WEEKEND MASS TIMES THIS WEEKEND

4th Sunday of the month: **26th May 2024**

Horsham: **Saturday Vigil 6.30pm, Sunday 10.30am**

Dimboola: **Sunday Mass 8.30am**

Warracknabeal: **Sunday Mass 8.30am**

Beulah: **Saturday Vigil 6pm**

Nhill: **Sunday Mass 11am**

Minyip: **Sunday LLA 10am**

Murtoa: **Sunday LLA 9am**

Hopetoun: **Sunday LLA 9am**

Rainbow: **Sunday LLA 10am**

### WEEKEND MASS TIMES NEXT WEEKEND

1st Sunday of the Month: **2nd June 2024**

Horsham: **Saturday Vigil 6.30pm, Sunday 10.30am**

Murtoa: **Sunday Mass 8.30am**

Warracknabeal: **Sunday Mass 8.30am**

Nhill: **Sunday Mass 11am**

Hopetoun: **Saturday Vigil 6.30pm**

Rainbow: **Sunday LLA 10am**

Dimboola: **Sunday LLA 8.30am**

Minyip: **Sunday LLA 10am**

Beulah: **Sunday LLA 9.30am**

## PARISH EVENTS AND NOTICES

### Please Remember in Your Prayers

**RECENT DEATHS:** Aida Freijah

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Terry Vincent, Joan Vincent, Murray Lloyd

**SICK:** Pat Hateley, Ted Haynes, Max Young, Joan McNamara, Alex Kavoor, Elliot Pumpa, Kevin Clancy, Jodie White, Bernie Ryan, Brendan McKinnon, Cynthia Maiden, Peter James, Noel Kearns, Brenda Ramsdale, Patricia Simpson, Frank White, David Gillard, Maggie Landrigan, Jason O'Connell, Tim Clancy, Lyn Simpson, Cassie Simpson, Jean Simpson, Rebecca Scown

### St Vincent de Paul

A representative of St Vincent de Paul is available to assess and assist cases in **Horsham** on **Mon, Wed and Fri** mornings between 11am-12noon. \***Appointments essential**- Phone 5381 2371 to book.

Fr Sajan is returning from Annual Leave this weekend, 25th & 26th May.  
*We welcome him back to St Paul VI Parish!*

Warracknabeal Conference of St Vincent de Paul will meet at St Patrick's Church Minyip on Wednesday 29 May at 2:00pm



### CDF Giving

This QR code can be used by parishioners for setting up regular giving or for one-off payments to either Stewardship (Parish), Priest Support (Presbytery) or some special collections.

If you are unable to scan the QR code, please follow this direct link <https://ballarat.cdfpay.org.au/details/?id=622457>

Please contact the Parish Office if you require assistance.

## St Paul VI Parish Sacramental Preparation

### ~ First Holy Communion ~

Parents of those children who have celebrated their First Reconciliation sacrament earlier this year will be notified by email in early June of an Information Session date, where resources for First Holy Communion preparation will be distributed. Initial guidance will be given at the Information Session along with the resources and two further meeting dates will follow, to complete the necessary requirements before the sacrament is received.

Celebration of First Holy Communion will occur in Sunday Masses on set dates across the parish, most likely over August/September.

### ~ Confirmation ~

Preparation for the Sacrament of Confirmation will take place with a similar structure (home preparation and consolidation discussions in different churches) on a slightly later date scale.

Confirmation will be celebrated with Bishop Paul attending/visiting the parish as part of our Diocese 150<sup>th</sup> Year jubilee. Currently that timing is set for November.

*All parishioners are invited to keep these children and their families in our prayers over the coming months. May the grace of God touch their hearts and souls with the privilege of sacramental life shared with our Risen Christ. May Christ, the Good Shepherd, lead their preparation.*

## St Paul VI Parish Luncheon:



**HO, HO, HO!**



Join us for our next Parish luncheon at the **Warracknabeal Golf Club House** (off Henty Hwy, just Nth of Warracknabeal)

**Date: Thursday 27th June**

**Time: 12pm Cost: \$40**

**Theme: Olde English Christmas**

**Enjoy a Christmas Lunch with trimmings**

*There will be surprises galore, a special guest, and fun activities!*

*(Plenty of time to consider your BEST Christmas attire.)*

*A limit of 50 places available, please provide names to the Parish Office by*

Thurs 20th June

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### ACTIVITIES IN SMJ CHURCH HORSHAM:

**Morning Craft Group:** The Craft Group gather weekly in the Parish Office meeting room on Wednesdays, 9.30-11.30am

**Choir Practice:**  
2nd Wednesday of the month, 4pm at the Church  
- **Any newcomers always welcome**

**Men's Fellowship:** Breakfast - 3rd Thursday of the month 7.30am - 8.30am. Venue TBC. All men welcome

**Meditation Group:** The Meditation Group meet weekly on Tuesdays, at 2.00pm in the Church meeting room.

**Prayer Group:** Prayer Group will meet on the **1st and 3rd Wednesdays of each month**, at 1.30pm in the church meeting room.



## Sunday Mass

26 May 2024

### THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

#### *First Reading*

*A reading from the book of Deuteronomy 4:32-34, 39-40*

Moses said to the people: 'Put this question to the ages that are past, that went before you, from the time God created man on earth: Was there ever a word so majestic, from one end of heaven to the other? Was anything ever heard? Did ever a people hear the voice of the living God speaking from the heart of the fire, as you heard it, and remain alive? Has any god ventured to take to himself one nation from the midst of another by ordeals, signs, wonders, war with mighty hand and outstretched arm, by fearsome terrors - all this that the Lord your God did for you before your eyes in Egypt?'

'Understand this today, therefore, and take it to heart: The Lord is God indeed, in heaven above as on earth beneath, he and no other. Keep his laws and commandments as I give them to you today so that you and your children may prosper and live long in the land that the Lord your God gives you for ever.'

#### *Responsorial Psalm Ps 32:4-6, 9, 18-20, 22*

**R.** Happy the people the Lord has chosen to be his own.

The word of the Lord is faithful and all his works to be trusted. The Lord loves justice and right and fills the earth with his love.

By his word the heavens were made, by the breath of his mouth all the stars. He spoke: and they came to be. He commanded; they sprang into being.

The Lord looks on those who revere him, on those who hope in his love, to rescue their souls from death, to keep them alive in famine.

Our soul is waiting for the Lord. The Lord is our help and our shield. May your love be upon us, O Lord, as we place all our hope in you.

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#### *Second Reading*

*A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Romans 8:14-17*

Everyone moved by the Spirit is a son of God. The spirit you received is not the spirit of slaves bringing fear into your lives again; it is the spirit of sons, and it makes us cry out, 'Abba, Father!' The Spirit himself and our spirit bear united witness that we are children of God. And if we are children we are heirs as well: heirs of God and coheirs with Christ, sharing his sufferings so as to share his glory.

#### *Gospel Acclamation (Rev. 1:8)*

Alleluia, alleluia!

Glory to the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit: to God who is, who was, and who is to come.

Alleluia!

#### *Gospel*

*A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew 28:16-20*

The eleven disciples set out for Galilee, to the mountain where Jesus had arranged to meet them. When they saw him they fell down before him, though some hesitated. Jesus came up and spoke to them. He said, 'All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go, therefore, make disciples of all the nations; baptise them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teach them to observe all the commands I gave you. And know that I am with you always; yes, to the end of time.'

#### **GOSPEL REFLECTION**

This week we return to the liturgical season of Ordinary Time. This Sunday and next Sunday, however, are designated as solemnities, special days that call our attention to the central mysteries of our faith. Today, on the first Sunday after Pentecost, we celebrate the Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity. This feast invites us to consider what we believe about God, who has revealed himself to us in the Trinity, one God in three Persons. The Gospel for this Solemnity is taken from the Gospel of Matthew. In its conclusion, Matthew's Gospel quickly moves from the disciples' discovery of Jesus' empty tomb and Jesus' appearance to Mary Magdalene and the other Mary to the commission that Jesus gives to his disciples in today's Gospel.

The final commission, as this part of Matthew's Gospel is sometimes called, is given on the mountaintop. Throughout Scripture, many of the most important events happen on a mountaintop, and Matthew used this motif often. Peter, James, and John saw Jesus transfigured on the mountaintop, and Jesus taught the crowds from the mountaintop in the Sermon on the Mount. In today's Gospel, the eleven disciples go to the mountaintop in Galilee, as Jesus had instructed them through Mary Magdalene and the other Mary. They see Jesus, and they worship and doubt at the same time. Jesus approaches them and commissions them to baptize and teach. It is a task for which Jesus had previously prepared his disciples; recall that Jesus had already sent the twelve apostles to preach the Kingdom of God and

to heal. Yet earlier, the Twelve were sent only to the House of Israel; in this final commission, the eleven are told to go to all nations. The mission of Jesus is now to be taken to all people, and the task is to baptize and to teach.

Jesus commissions his disciples to baptize in the name of the Trinity; this is one of the clearest attestations for Baptism in the name of the Holy Trinity found in Scripture. Other New Testament references to Baptism describe it as being celebrated in the name of Jesus. As we read this Gospel on the Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity, we are reminded that this central mystery of faith is meant to be lived. As baptized Christians, we share in the life of the blessed Trinity and seek to invite others to share in God's love.

#### **Next Weekend's Readings: The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ Year B, 2nd June**

**1st Reading:** Exodus 24:3-8

**Responsorial Psalm:** Ps 115:12-13,15-18

**2nd Reading:** Letter to the Hebrews 9:11-15

**Response:** I will take the cup of Salvation, and call on the name of the Lord.

**Gospel:** Mark 14:12-16,22-26