

# St. Paul VI Parish Wimmera-Mallee

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

# BULLETIN

# THE SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 21ST JULY 2024 YEAR B

## Mons Glynn on a week's Leave

Mons Glynn is taking interstate Leave for one week, from 17th - 23rd July. Fr Sajan will be based in Horsham instead of Warracknabeal during that time. *Please note the changes in this weekend's Mass schedule (pg2).* 

Daily Mass times will alter accordingly, per notice on the Bulletin.



#### CONTACTS

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**CLOSED MONDAYS** 

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

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#### 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



Sea Sunday: July 21 & 28, 2024

Sea Sunday is a day when the church prays for all those who live and work at sea. There will be an Appeal for Stella Maris, Apostleship of the Sea, the

official maritime welfare agency of the Catholic Church. Funds collected will be used to provide practical and spiritual support to seafarers visiting our ports. As it is dependent on voluntary donations, please give generously. To donate or for more information go to www.stellamarisaustralia.org

#### <u>Prayer for Sea Seafarers from Pope John Paul II</u>

Mary, Star of the Sea, light of every ocean, guide seafarers across all dark and stormy seas that they may reach the haven of peace and light prepared in Him who calmed the sea.

As we set forth upon the oceans of the world and cross the deserts of our time, show us, O Mary, the fruit of your womb, for without your Son we are lost.

Pray that we will never fail on life's journey, that in heart and mind, work and deed, in days of turmoil and in days of calm, we will always look to Christ and say, "Who is this that even wind and sea obey him?"

Our Lady of Peace, pray for us!

Bright Star of the Sea, guide us!

Our Lady, Star of the Sea, pray for seafarers, pray for us.

WEEKDAY MASSES				
Tuesday 23rd July	5.30pm	Warracknabeal		
	9.30am	Horsham		
Wednesday 24th July	9.30am	Warracknabeal		
	9.30am	Horsham		
Thursday 25th July	9.30am	Warracknabeal		
	9.30am	Horsham		
Friday 26th July	10.30am	Sunnyside Lutheran Rest Home Mass (visitors welcome, conditions apply- see pg2 of bulletin)		
	11am	Nhill- Funeral Mass for Una Bartlett		
	5.00pm	Warracknabeal		
	5.00pm	Horsham		
Saturday 27th July	9.30am	Warracknabeal		
	9.30am	Horsham		



Funeral Mass for Una Bartlett St Patrick's Catholic Church, Nhill Friday 26th July 2024 at 11am



HORSHAM MINISTRY ROSTER				
20th & 21st July	6.30 Vigil	10.30am Sunday		
Reader	John Parker	Bob Pritchett		
Commentator	Anthony Amor	Anna Robertson		
Eucharist Ministers	Anne Newton Bernadette Trounce Maree Plazzer	Zita Cannane Gerard Raven Nerrida Holland		
27th & 28th July	6.30 Vigil	10.30am Sunday		
Reader	Emelia Sudholz	May Rosello		
Commentator	Maree Plazzer	Dianne Noy		
Eucharist Ministers	John Parker Bob Hayes Lesley Price	Geoff Simpson Alison McKinnon Fay Wills		
Projector	Geoff Simpson	Gabby Mills		
Musicians	Chris	Choir		
Livestream	Rob Sartori	N/A		
Welcomers	Bob & Tess Hayes	Joan Whiley Mary Dowsley		
Tea/Coffee After Mass	N/A	Jayson Agustin, Janeth, Pam, Ruby, Maria, May		
Prayers	Anita Masiero & Mary Dalgleish			
Church Cleaning & Flower Arranging	28th July 2024 Lynda Hutchinson Bernadette Delahunty Gwen Antonucci Carmel O'Connor	4th August 2024 Josie Phelan Pauline Irwin Joan Butler Margo Hogan		

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.

# WEEKEND MASS TIMES THIS WEEKEND

3rd Sunday of the month: 21st of July, 2024

Horsham: Saturday Vigil 6.30pm, Sunday 10.30am

Hopetoun: Sunday LLA 9am Murtoa: Sunday LLA 10.30am

Warracknabeal: Sunday Mass 8.30am

Nhill: **11am LIVESTREAM**Beulah: Sunday LLA 9.30am

Dimboola: NO LLA

Rainbow: Sunday LLA 10am

WARRACKNABEAL LITURGY ROSTER				
	<u>21st July</u> Mass 8.30am	28th July Mass 8.30am		
Reader	D. Baxter	M Aitken		
Prayers	M. Farrall	L Casey		
Collectors	B. Bentley & L. Downes	D & K Baxter		
Cleaning	D Sleep & P McCoy			

NHILL LITURGY ROSTER				
	21st July Livestream 11am	28th July Mass 11am		
Sacristan	C. Kennedy	J Gurry		
Reader	M. Millington	Vanessa T		
Collector	J. Millington	J Millington		
Music	Paul Ramas	Paul Ramas		
Cleaning	C. Pilgrim	C. Pilgrim		

HOPETOUN LITURGY ROSTER				
	21st July LLA 9am	28th July LLA 9am		
Reader	Claire White	Horman Family		
Offertory	Offertory Marilyn & Therese			
<b>Eucharistic Minister</b>		Therese		

Natimuk Mass: TBA

Rupanyup Mass: July 25th at 6.30pm 25 Stewart St Rupanyup

Mass on the last Friday of the month at
Sunnyside Lutheran Rest Home in Horsham, at the
moment allows visitors to attend the Mass providing
they produce a negative RAT result, and must wear a
mask. The next Mass scheduled is 10.30am
Friday 26th July.

(Please note that circumstances can change at any time, you may like to check with the Rest Home prior to attending.)

# WEEKEND MASS TIMES NEXT WEEKEND

4th Sunday of the month: 28th July 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 10.30am Hopetoun: Sunday LLA 9am Rainbow: Sunday LLA 10am

#### PARISH EVENTS AND NOTICES

### Please Remember in Your Prayers

**RECENT DEATHS:** Una Bartlett

ANNIVERSARIES: Betty Nevill, Alfonso Bamford

and Kieran Hallam

**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, Cassie Simpson, Jean Simpson, Joan Whiley, Adam Cooper

#### 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.

#### St Brigid's College Alumni Committee & Reunion Planning

We invite those interested to attend our *upcoming meeting* on **Monday 29 July, 6pm** at St Brigid's College (arrive to the Front Office). We will be discussing and planning this years milestone reunion. If you are part of the graduating classes of 1974, 1984, 1994, 2004 or 2014, we would particularly love to see you there. We are looking for people who can spread the word amongst former classmates about the milestone reunion planned for Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> October, 2024.To register your interest or find out more information, contact <a href="mailto:alumni@stbc.vic.edu.au">alumni@stbc.vic.edu.au</a> or the College Front Office on (03) 5382 3545.



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#### ST VINCENT DE PAUL WINTER APPEAL June 1st—August 31st



Our parish is supporting the St Vincent de Paul Society's Winter Appeal. Each year, our Winter Appeal plays a vital role in enabling the good works of the Society and, with your support, we hope to achieve a strong result so we can continue serving the community.

Over the past six months, the Society has provided over \$5 million in material assistance, including food, clothing, furniture and financial support, to families and households in need throughout Victoria alone.

With the current homelessness crisis, the assistance we provide for people experiencing hardship this Winter will be needed more than ever. Parishioners are encouraged to donate generously to help continue the Society's work of helping those most in need.

Envelopes are available in Horsham church foyer or visit <a href="vinnies.org.au">vinnies.org.au</a>. Clean household items are needed, also bedding and blankets, which can be donated at your local St Vincent de Paul assistance centre. (Horsham & Warracknabeal)

#### **ACTIVITIES IN SMJ CHURCH HORSHAM**

#### Morning Craft Group

The Craft Group gather weekly in the Parish Office meeting room on Wednesdays, 9.30am -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 at the Parish Hall. All men welcome

#### **Meditation Group**

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

#### **Prayer Group**

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

# Sunday Mass 21 July 2024

#### THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

# First Reading

A reading from the prophet Jeremiah 23:1-6

'Doom for the shepherds who allow the flock of my pasture to be destroyed and scattered - it is the Lord who speaks! This, therefore, is what the Lord, the God of Israel, says about the shepherds in charge of my people: You have let my flock be scattered and go wandering and have not taken care of them. Right, I will take care of you for your misdeeds - it is the Lord who speaks! But the remnant of my flock I myself will gather from all the countries where I have dispersed them, and will bring them back to their pastures: they shall be fruitful and increase in numbers. I will raise up shepherds to look after them and pasture them; no fear, no terror for them any more; not one shall be lost - it is the Lord who speaks!

'See the days are coming - it is the Lord who speaks - when I will raise a virtuous Branch for David, who will reign as true king and be wise, practising honesty and integrity in the land. In his days Judah will be saved and Israel dwell in confidence. and this is the name he will be called: The Lord-our-integrity.'

## Responsorial Psalm Ps 22

R. The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.

The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want. Fresh and green are the pastures where he gives me repose. Near restful waters he leads me, to revive my drooping spirit..

He guides me along the right path; he is true to his name. If I should walk in the valley of darkness no evil would I fear. You are there with your crook and your staff; with these you give me comfort.

You have prepared a banquet for me in the sight of my foes. My head you have anointed with oil; my cup is overflowing.

Surely goodness and kindness shall follow me all the days of my life. In the Lord's own house shall I dwell for ever and ever.

R. The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.

# Second Reading

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Ephesians 2:13-18

In Christ Jesus, you that used to be so far from us have been brought very close, by the blood of Christ. For he is the peace between us, and has made the two into one and broken down the barrier which used to keep them apart, actually destroying in his own person the hostility caused by the rules and decrees of the Law. This was to create one single New Man in himself out of the two of them and by restoring peace through the cross, to unite them both in a single Body and reconcile them with God. In his own person he killed the hostility. Later he came to bring the good news of peace, peace to you who were far away and peace to those who were near at hand. Through him, both of us have in the one Spirit our way to come to the Father.

## Gospel Acclamation John 10:27

Alleluia, alleluia! My sheep listen to my voice, says the Lord; I know them, and they follow me. Alleluia!

## Gospel

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark 6:30-34

The apostles rejoined Jesus and told him all they had done and taught. Then he said to them, 'You must come away to some lonely place all by yourselves and rest for a while'; for there were so many coming and going that the apostles had no time even to eat. So they went off in a boat to a lonely place where they could be by themselves. But people saw them going, and many could guess where; and from every town they all hurried to the place on foot and reached it before them. So as he stepped ashore he saw a large crowd; and he took pity on them because they were like sheep without a shepherd, and he set himself to teach them at some length.

### GOSPEL REFLECTION

In this today's Gospel, we read the report of the return of the Twelve, who were sent by Jesus to preach repentance, heal the sick, and drive out demons. When the Twelve return to Jesus, he invites them to come away from the crowds and rest. But the crowds will not give them peace. As the Twelve have shared in Jesus' ministry, they now appear to share in his popularity. The crowds continue to approach them, and Mark reports that the disciples don't even have time to eat. In an effort to get away, Jesus and his disciples board a boat in hopes of finding a deserted place. But the crowds notice this and arrive ahead of them. The crowds are so persistent that Jesus and his disciples cannot find a place to be alone. Mark's Gospel

tells us that Jesus is moved with pity and begins to teach the crowds.

Our Gospel for today stops here, but Mark's report of the unyielding demands of the crowd continues in the verses that follow. If we were to continue reading from Mark's Gospel, we would hear Jesus instruct his disciples to feed the crowd in the familiar miracle of the multiplication of the loaves and fishes. The work of Jesus and his disciples appears to be a round-the-clock job. In the next few weeks, we will hear the story of Jesus' feeding of the multitude, but our Lectionary will turn to the sixth chapter of the Gospel of John to report and reflect on this story.

In today's Gospel, we hear the Twelve referred to as "apostles." The

word *apostle* is a Greek word meaning "one who is sent." Jesus chose twelve men from among his disciples whom he sent to share in his ministry of preaching and healing. The first report of this is found in the third chapter of Mark's Gospel, where the Twelve are also called apostles and the names of this select group are listed.

We who are Jesus' disciples today have also been sent to share the Gospel with others. Perhaps our commitment to following Jesus as his disciple leaves us feeling tired and overwhelmed. In today's Gospel, we hear Jesus affirm the importance of times of rest and renewal. Jesus wanted his disciples to come away and spend time alone with him. This is what we seek and find in our life of prayer and in our celebration of the Eucharist.

#### Next Weekend's Readings: 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B

1st Reading: Second book of Kings 4:42-44

**Responsorial Psalm:** Ps 144:10-11,15-18 **Response:** The hand of the Lord feeds us; he answers all our needs.

2nd Reading: St Paul to the Ephesians 4:1-6

Gospel: John 6:1-15