

# The Parish Pump

**Weekly Bulletin for St John's, Dennington & St Pius X, West Warrnambool**  
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**Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> January, 2021** **Third Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)**  
*West Warrnambool and Dennington are Child-Safe Parishes*

## The Year of Saint Joseph

The Church remembers St John of Antioch as "Golden Mouth" (*Chrysostom*) and St Peter of Ravenna for his "Golden Words" (*Chrysologus*). But we remember Joseph for getting things done. Among all who have laboured, in all of history, Joseph is the one known as "the Worker."

In working, Joseph knew that he was like God, and he knew this from the first pages of Genesis. Pope Francis gives a modern voice to ancient understanding:

It is clear from the very first pages of the Bible that work is an essential part of human dignity; we read "the Lord God took the man and put him in the garden of Eden to till it and keep it" (Gn 2:15). Man is presented as a labourer who works the earth, harnesses the forces of nature and produces "the bread of anxious toil" (Ps 127:2), as well as cultivating his own gifts and talents.

Joseph allowed this teaching to shape his life and his approach to his craft. And because he did this, he became not only a builder of benches and tables. Like Adam and like God, he also became a builder of the world.

## Pope Francis' Prayer to St Joseph

*Hail, Guardian of the Redeemer,  
Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary.  
To you God entrusted his only Son;  
in you Mary placed her trust;  
with you Christ became man.*

*Blessed Joseph, to us too,  
show yourself a father  
and guide us in the path of life.  
Obtain for us grace, mercy and courage,  
and defend us from every evil. Amen.*

## Lay-led Liturgy

To prepare for all situations, there will be two workshops in February/ March to form lay leaders of worship. For more information, call St Joseph's.

## Fr John Corrigan Away


After Monday's Mass, Fr John is away until Friday evening.

## Stay COVID Safe

Please note that face masks are no longer mandated, but they are recommended when physical distancing of 1.5 metres cannot be maintained.

## The Faithful Departed

We pray for **Duncan Crow**, **Anne van Duynhoven**, and **Maree O'Shanassy** who died recently, and **Jack Brown** and **Valmai Paten** whose anniversaries occur at this time. May they rest in peace.



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to put your money  
on the plate.

## Local Weekday Masses

Mon 25 <sup>th</sup>	10:00am, St Pius X
Tue 26 <sup>th</sup>	9:30am, Our Lady's
Wed 27 <sup>th</sup>	9:30am, Our Lady's 10:00am, Infant Jesus
Thu 28 <sup>th</sup>	9:30am, Our Lady's
Fri 29 <sup>th</sup>	9:30am, Our Lady's 10:00am, St Joseph's
Sat 30 <sup>th</sup>	9:30am, Our Lady's

## Mass Rosters Next Week

### Readers

6:00 pm R. Farrar  
10:30 am D. Webster

### Prayer of the Faithful

6:00 pm J. Farrar  
10:30 am A. Webster

### Ministers of Communion

6:00 pm P. Haberfield  
10:30 am S. Malone

## New Mass Schedule for the Warrnambool Ministry District

### Saturday Vigil

6:30pm Infant Jesus, Koroit

### Sunday Mass

8:30am St Joseph's, Warrnambool

9:00am St Patrick's, Port Fairy

10:00am St Joseph's, Warrnambool

**10:30am St Pius X, West Warrnambool**

11:00am St Anne's, Purnim  
(Eucharist 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays,  
Lay-led Assembly 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Sundays)

6:00pm St Joseph's, Warrnambool  
(Regional Mass)

This schedule begins in February. A meeting of communities will review the arrangement in a few months time.

Good-will and support will sustain all of us as we venture into uncharted waters. We are truly blessed in our region with the number and choice of Mass times. A number of faith communities in our Diocese celebrate Mass just once a month. We invite all to continue to support one's own parish as much as possible as we work together to bring praise and glory to God in our service of one another.

### Note also: Our Lady Help of Christians, East Warrnambool

6:00pm Saturday Vigil Mass

9:00am Sunday Mass

10:30am St Carthage's Allansford  
(Eucharist 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Sundays,  
Lay-led Assembly 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays)