

### MOYNE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

St Patrick's Parish, Port Fairy Infant Jesus Parish, Koroit



### Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday 29th June and Sunday 30th June, 2019

### **RESPONSORIAL PSALM**

### You are my inheritance O Lord.

Preserve me, God, I take refuge in you.

I say to the Lord: 'You are my God.

O Lord, it is you who are my portion and cup;

it is you yourself who are my prize.' (R.)

I will bless the Lord who gives me counsel.

who even at night directs my heart.

I keep the Lord ever in my sight: since he is at my right hand, I shall stand firm. (R.)

And so my heart rejoices, my soul is glad;

even my body shall rest in safety.

For you will not leave my soul among the dead,

nor let your beloved know decay. (R.)

You will show me the path of life, the fullness of joy in your presence, at your right hand happiness for ever. (R.)

### **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

Alleluia, alleluia!

Speak, O Lord, your servant is listening;

you have the words of everlasting life.

Alleluia!

### RECENT DEATHS **& ANNIVERSARIES**

Please pray for Leo Dalton, who died on Thursday, and John Bond, who died early Sunday. May God console their families in their loss.



### **WEEKDAY MASSES**

Wednesday, Koroit: 11 am Requiem Mass for Leo Dalton.

Thursday, Port Fairy: 11 am Requiem Mass for John Bond.

FUNERAL MASSES REPLACE REGULAR SCHEDULE.

### **PLANNED GIVING**

Koroit: Presbytery: \$185.90

Parish: \$889.50

Pt Fairy: Presbytery: \$236.80

Parish \$131.00



**Annual Collection for the Pope.** A collection is scheduled for Masses next weekend.

# THANKS AND CONGRATULATIONS TO JEAN FITZGIBBON

Jean has officially retired, although she has kindly agreed to work a few hours in the office each week until Fr John Fitzgerald selects her successor. Jean, both parishes owe you a huge debt of thanks for your generous service over many years, much of which was rendered in a voluntary capacity, and which God willing will continue for many years to come.

In this new beginning, may a new rhythm emerge: one that forms a pleasing balance between rest and engagement. May you enjoy good health, joy in abundance and peace in heart and mind.



### ST JOHN'S DENNINGTON CENTENARY CELEBRATIONS

Celebrations are planned for Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> March, 2020, starting with 10am Mass. Anyone with stories or memorabilia is invited to contact Sharon Easley. Text: 0423 361 914. Or e-mail: 100years@sjdennington.catholic.edu.au

### HEALING PRAYER SERVICE 2:30pm, Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> July St Joseph's Meeting Room

An ecumenical outreach centred on scripture which supports victims of sexual abuse as they journey through the process of healing. For further information, see the flyer at the church entrance, or contact Sandra on 0400 123 586.

### UPDATE FROM BISHOP PAUL IN ROME

There is a video update from Bishop Paul on his *Ad Limina* visit to Rome on the diocesan website: www.ballarat.catholic.org.au.



### **DURING THE FLU SEASON**

- *Hand sanitiser* is available at the church entrance.
- At the sign of peace, parishioners are asked to *refrain from hand shaking*, and instead express the Lord's peace with a simple bow.
- Communion under both kinds will continue, in accord with our Lord's instructions to eat his Body and drink his Blood. But drinking from the chalice is always an option not an obligation and those who abstain from the chalice still receive the fullness of the Lord's Body and Blood in the Sacred Host.

(NB: Church law prohibits communicants from dipping the Host in the chalice. Self-intinction risks accidental desecration, as a drop of the Precious Blood might be spilled on the floor.)



## SCRIPTURE REFLECTION by Sr Diane Bergant CSA

Today we consider some of the personal difficulties we might have to face as disciples. First, there is no part-time discipleship. Our commitment must be wholehearted and complete. We must have a willing attitude that frees us interiorly from all other concerns so that we might be able to follow Christ regardless of our state in life or our occupation. This attitude of commitment comes not merely from our own generosity of heart but from our having been transformed into Christ through faith and baptism.

We may face conflicts when our various allegiances seem to clash. There are children to raise, elderly parents or infirm relatives to care for. What does discipleship require of us? We all must earn a living. Are we expected to leave our employment to follow Jesus? And if so, what then will we do? All disciples must face the interior struggle caused by the conflict of legitimate responsibilities.

The freedom of which Paul speaks comes with genuine love. If, out of love, we can negotiate successfully these conflicts caused by competing responsibilities, without compromising our total commitment to Christ, we will find a new kind freedom. This is the freedom that enables us to be faithful to both sets of responsibilities according to the proper priority. We will see that commitment to Christ is primary and the circumstances of our lives with the accompanying responsibilities set the parameters within which we live out our commitment. It is not in opposition with these responsibilities or despite them, but by means of or through them that we live out our discipleship.

#### **NEXT WEEK'S READINGS**

**First Reading.** *Is* 66:10–14. The Lord will prosper Jerusalem.

**Second Reading.** *Gal 6:14–18*. Paul boasts of the cross of Christ.

**Gospel.** *Lk* 10:1–12,17–20. Jesus sends forth the seventy-two.

### **KOROIT ROSTER: 7 JULY**

Leader: Margaret Cashill.

Readers: Doreen Bowron, Kate Dobson.

Communion: Christine Russell, Clare Gleeson,

Margaret Moloney.

Gifts: Leisa McCosh and family.

Counters for July: Margaret Cashill, Rita

McCluskey.

Cleaning and Flowers for July: Margaret

Gleeson, Margaret Cashill.

**PORT FAIRY ROSTER: 7 JULY** 

Leader: Gen Verdonck.
Readers: Trish Grady.

Communion: Sr Maureen, Henk Winnen, Marj

Murrihy.

Gifts: M. McAlinden, F. Lynch. Cleaning and Flowers for July:

#### **SUNDAY MASSES**

### 1st Sunday of the month

Koroit (Vigil): 6.30pm Sat Port Fairy: 10.30am Sun

### 2nd Sunday of the month

Port Fairy (Vigil): 6.30pm Sat

Koroit: 10.30am Sun

### 3rd Sunday of the month

Koroit (Vigil): 6.30pm Sat Port Fairy: 10.30am Sun

### 4th Sunday of the month

Port Fairy (Vigil): 6.30pm Sat

Koroit: 10.30am Sun

### 5th Sunday of the month

Koroit (Vigil): 6.30pm Sat Port Fairy: 10.30am Sun

**EASY TO REMEMBER:** 

Port Fairy, Sunday morning: 1st, 3rd and 5th Koroit, Sunday morning: 2nd and 4th

#### RECONCILIATION

St Joseph's, Warrnambool,

following 10am Friday Mass.

**West Warrnambool**, following 10am Saturday Mass.

Koroit and Port Fairy,

every Saturday, 5pm - 6:15pm, at the place of the Vigil Mass.

**WE ARE A CHILD SAFE PARISH.** Our Child Safe Policies can be read at the church entrance and on the parish webpage. Our parish safeguarding office is **Peter Sanderson**.

**CANONICAL ADMINISTRATOR:** Fr John Fitzgerald.

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