

THE PARISH PUMP

The Weekly Bulletin for St John's, Dennington & St Pius X, West Warrnambool

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SUNDAY 27th JUNE 2021

13th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Safety Officer: Karen Johnson Warrnambool and Dennington are Child-Safe Parishes

WARRNAMBOOL MINISTRY DISTRICT MOVES TOWARDS BECOMING ONE PARISH

On Tuesday 22 June, Bishop Paul Bird CSsR tabled a proposal to the Council of Priests to incorporate the parishes of Dennington, Koroit, Port Fairy, West Warrnambool and Warrnambool into one new parish. Positive discussion followed and the proposal will be acted on. Larger parishes continue to be established throughout the diocese. For example, on 1 July, the parishes of Hopetoun, Horsham, Nhill and Warracknabeal will merge into the new parish of St Paul VI, Wimmera-Mallee.

For ourselves, this news means:

- adopting the mindset that we are now one Parish: a community of communities;
- there will be one bulletin where now there are three;
- the Purnim community belongs to the new parish but will be served by Fr Lawrie;
- for administration purposes there will be one BAS statement;
- the parish office will be located at the St Joseph's Parish Centre;
- there will be one Finance Committee that will be responsible for all assets within the boundaries of the new parish. As Planned Giving has significantly decreased it is important that our present assets become income producing assets.

Thank you to all who presented names for our new parish. There were quite a number of suggestions associated with the ocean/sea, as all the boundaries of our present parishes border the Southern Ocean. When the bishop erects the new parish, he has indicated that it will be called "Star of the Sea."

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Saturday Vigil Mass

6:30pm Infant Jesus, Koroit

Sunday Morning Masses

8:30am St Joseph's, Warrnambool

9:00am St Patrick's, Port Fairy

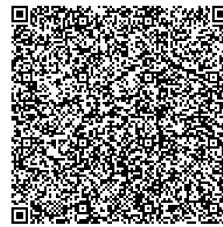
10:00am St Joseph's, Warrnambool

10:30am St Pius X, West Warrnambool

Sunday Evening Mass

6:00pm St Joseph's, Warrnambool

Also Our Lady's: 6pm Saturday, 9am Sunday



Contact Tracing

The State Government requires people check in using QR codes connected to its database. You can scan the image here or on the posters at the church entrance.



Towards the first Assembly 2nd - 10th October 2021

From today's Gospel:

"Do not be afraid; only have faith."

"While being conscious of the work to be done, we also have much to be thankful for. There are many signs of hope in that members of the faithful persevere with the practice of the faith... and are living their commitment to love of neighbour in myriad ways."

(Instrumentum Laboris, §65)

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You can view the text of Fr Michael Linehan's homily at Tuesday's Jubilee Mass at www.ballarat.catholic.org.au



- Last Sunday Ms Charlene Mason sang *I'll not pass this way again* to the obvious delight of the congregation.
- For those who have children and don't know it, we have a crèche downstairs.
- Next Thursday we have tryouts for the choir — they need all the help they can get.

Recent deaths: Sr Luke Kenna RSM.
Anniversaries: Terry Patterson, Dawn Woods.

NEXT SUNDAY, 10:30am MASS

4th July: 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

First & Second Readings: P. Starkie

Prayer of the Faithful: C. Reid

Holy Communion: Gary Hughson

Counters: Roy McGrath

WEEKDAY LITURGIES IN OUR REGION

Mon 28th	9:30am Mass, St Pius X
Tue 29th	9:30am Mass, Our Lady's 10:00am Mass, St Patrick's
Wed 30th	9:30am Mass, Our Lady's 10:00am Mass, Infant Jesus
Thu 1st <i>*TBC</i>	9:30am Mass, Our Lady's 10:30am Mass, Mercy Place* 3:30pm Mass, Moyneyana
Fri 2nd	9:30am Mass, Our Lady's 10:00am Mass, St Joseph's 6:00pm Mass, St Pius X
Sat 3rd	9:30am Mass, Our Lady's

First Friday Mass in honour of the Sacred Heart. 6pm, St Pius X. An opportunity to "Be still and know that I am God."

CONFESSION TIMES IN OUR REGION

Mon 28th	5pm to 6pm, St Pius X
Tue 29th	5pm to 6pm, St Pius X
Wed 30th	None
Thu 1st	5pm to 6pm, St Pius X
Fri 2nd	After 9:30am Mass, Our Lady's After 10am Mass, St Joseph's 5pm to 6pm, St Pius X
Sat 3rd	10am to 11am, St Pius X