

# St. Aloysius Redan & St. James' Sebastopol

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**Sunday January 5th, 2020**

**The Feast of the Epiphany Year A**

Parish Priest: Fr. Kevin Maloney  
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**Next Week's Readings:** Isaiah 42:1-4, 6-7      Ps 28:1-4, 9-10      Acts 10:34-38  
Matthew 3:13-17

*The parishes acknowledge that the Aboriginal people of Australia are our first nation peoples and the traditional owners and custodians of this land.*

## Mass Times

### Redan

6.00pm Vigil      9.00am

### Cathedral

6.30pm Vigil      8.00am      10.30am      5.00pm

### Sebastopol

10.30am

### Rokewood

3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday at 10.30am

Monday	12.05pm Cathedral
Tuesday	12.05pm Cathedral
Wednesday	12.05pm Cathedral (Funeral Mass - Moya Hall)
Thursday	9.30am Redan      12.05pm Cathedral
Friday	9.30am Sebastopol      12.05pm Cathedral
Saturday	10.00am Cathedral

**Sacrament of Penance Cathedral      Friday 11.00am      Saturday 11.30am**

**Recent Deaths:** Moya Hall, Greg Hogan, May Kirby, Jean McMahon, Teresa Stewart

**Anniversaries:** Charles Bartolo, John Bond, Louis Camilleri, May Coad, Sr. Emmanuel Cook rsm, Marie Cranage, Joan Dowdell, Margaret Harty, Peter McBryde, Edwards Mulcahy, Terrence Page, Helen Spencer, Robert Treganowan

**Please remember in your prayers the following:** Margaret Cooper, Fletcher Densley, Lanie Dugay, Corazon Laduan, Alex McLaren, Alonso Ng, Jonathon Rich, Mary Skelton, Leonie Street, Sr. Patricia Vagg

We are Child Safe Parishes

# St. Aloysius Parish Redan

**Parish Office Hours** - The Parish Office is closed for the January holidays and will reopen Tuesday, January 28th, 2020

**Invitation to pray the Rosary** - Thursday morning at 9am before the 9.30am Mass  
**Adoration and Exposition** - 1st & 3rd Friday of the month, 7.00pm-8.00pm

**Ministries for the month of January** - Volunteers required, please see Fr. Kevin at the beginning of each weekend Mass

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# St. James' Parish Sebastopol

**Parish Office Hours** - The Parish Office is closed for the January holidays and will reopen Tuesday, January 28th, 2020

**Opportunities for Prayer** - Monday 10.30am Adoration and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

## Dates to Remember:

**Saturday 18th January 9am**

Men's Breakfast

**Saturday 18th January 3pm**

Feast of Holy Infant Santo Nino

**St. James' Parish Office** is closed and will reopen on Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> January 2020. Fr. Kevin can be contacted at the Redan Presbytery on 5331 4981. For all bulletin notices please contact the Cathedral on 5331 2933.

**A Big Thank you** to all who have setup the nativity scene, decorated the sanctuary, arranged flowers, mowed lawns, washed linen and cleaned for us. Also to all who contributed to our Christmas Masses making them a wonderful and prayerful time. Many thanks to you all.

## Sacrament of Baptism

This weekend, we welcome to our Parish through the Sacrament of Baptism, Estelle Tori Walker, daughter of Nicole and Heath. May Estelle grow in faith in her loving family and the Catholic community.

## St. James' St. Vincent de Paul Branch Advent Christmas Appeal

Thank you to all who have contributed to the Jesse Tree Appeal through the donation of non-perishable food items and appeal envelopes. Vinnies Christmas Appeal envelopes are still available in the foyer for those wishing to make a donation and can be placed on the collection plate. If details are left receipts will be issued. *Please help us to help others in need in this local community.* Enquiries Anne 0409 547 953.

**Sacramental Program 2020** - Leaflets are available in the foyer after Mass.

**Feast of the Holy Infant Santo Nino (Infant of Prague)**

January 18th with Mass at 3pm and supper to follow in the foyer. The celebrant will be Fr. Jorge DeChavez OSJ. All welcome.

**Parish Good Shepherd Community Prayer Group**

Will recommence on Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> February at 2.30pm. All welcome to join in.

**Mercy Works Raffle**

The winners are: 1<sup>st</sup> prize Christmas Hamper: Bill Creati, 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize Kitchen Processor: Anne Porter and 3<sup>rd</sup> prize Quilt: Emmylou Sensearick. Thank you to all who purchased tickets. Sr. Marie.

**St. James' Parish Filipino Community**

Rosary 2nd Wednesday of the month at 7pm  
Good Shepherd Community Prayer Group 1st & 3rd Sunday of the month at 2.30pm

**Prayer after Communion**

*God, my creator, breathe on me, renew me, refresh me, extend my abilities, comfort me in adjusting to changes in health, mobility and activity. Body of Jesus Christ flow through every fibre of my being. Keep me well, and hope filled, always. Holy Spirit use me in my situation, for the good of others.*

*Amen*

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## **Ballarat Diocesan Information, News and Events**

**Baptism Parent/Information Sessions -**

These sessions are offered to parents wishing to have their children under 7 years of age Baptised. Meetings are held in the Mary Glowrey room in the St. Patrick's Cathedral precinct, 3 Lyons street Sth, Ballarat at either 10.00am or 7.00pm. The next meetings will be held on Thursday February 6th, 2020

**Plenary Council Delegates from the Diocese of Ballarat** - Bishop Paul is inviting us to nominate delegates from our diocese for the sessions of the Australian Plenary Council to be held in 2020 and 2021. Copies of Bishop Paul's letter are available through parishes, through the diocesan website at [www.ballarat.catholic.org.au](http://www.ballarat.catholic.org.au) and are also attached. Nominations need to reach Bishop Paul by Friday, February 7, 2020.