

St. James' Sebastopol & St. Aloysius Redan

Parish Priest: Fr Kevin Maloney, Ph: 5331 4981

Presbytery: 508 Leith St, Redan

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time - Sunday 18th November 2018

Next week's readings: Sunday 25th November 2018

Our Lord Jesus Christ, Universal King (B)

Daniel 7:13-14

Ps 92(93)1-2, 5

Apocalypse 1:5-8

John 18:33-37

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There are two collections. The first (Presbytery collection) is for the support of the parish priest and follows the sermon. The second is for the running of the parish (planned giving, envelopes) and occurs after the Intercessions.

Baptism Parent Information Sessions: - Parent information sessions for the Baptism of children will be held on the first Thursday of each month. The next meetings will be on **Thursday 6th December at 10.00 am & 7.00 pm**, in the hall at the back of the Cathedral Presbytery, 3 Lyons St. South, Ballarat. All families wishing to have their children (under 7) baptised are invited to attend one of these preparation sessions so that they can enrol their children for Baptism at these preparation sessions. For any enquiries, please contact Bernadette or Pauline at either parish centre.

Mass Times;

Monday	12.05pm Cathedral
Tuesday	12:05pm Cathedral
Wednesday	12:05pm Cathedral
Thursday	9.30am Redan 12.05pm Cathedral
Friday	9.30am Sebastopol
Saturday	10.00 am Cathedral

Sacrament of Penance

Cathedral Saturday 11.30 am

Weekend Masses

Cathedral	St Aloysius	St James'
6.30pm Vigil	6.00pm Vigil	
8.00am	9.00am	10.30am
10.30am		
5.00pm		

Rokewood 3rd Sunday at 10.30am

Recent Deaths: Philip Auer, Margaret Roberts

Anniversaries:

Adrianna Cook, Elnora Cudia, Milly Finn, Bill Forbes, Debbie Hudson, Adrian Joore, Jack McEldrew, Maxwell Rae, John Reynolds, Anne-Marie Smerdon, Christopher Storey

Please remember in your Prayers the following:

John Bond, Fletcher Densley, Andrew Flood, Margaret Harty, Alex McLaren, Kathryn Orchard, Raymon Reed, Neil Reyes, Basil Torpy, Jan Verberne

**If you would like a person to be prayed for, ask for their permission. Names will be included for the duration of ONE MONTH after which more time can be requested.*

Privacy: In 2001 the Commonwealth and Victorian governments introduced legislation that deals with the manner in which public and private sector organisations may record, use, store and disclose information. We can only accept requests for names on the bulletin by immediate family members.

Parish Census Update

On the weekends of November 17/18 and November 24/25 the 6 Ballarat Parishes will be begin the process to review and update the Parish census. At all Masses parishioners will be given the opportunity to update their details on a new census card.

World Day of the Poor – November 18, 2018

In his message for the second World Day of the Poor, Pope Francis has called for a new evangelisation that prompts Catholics "to make tangible the Church's response to the cry of the poor". In a letter to clergy throughout Australia, Bishops Commission for Pastoral Life chairman Bishop Terence Brady encouraged all Catholic communities to be involved and respond to the theme of day: "This poor man cried and the Lord heard him" (Psalm 34:7).

Catholic Mission Annual Appeal

Thank you to those parishioners who have already donated. If you wish to contribute to the work of mission, it is not too late. Please place your donation into a clearly marked envelope and place onto the collection plate. Your prayers and financial support is greatly appreciated.

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Opportunities for Prayer

Monday 10.30 am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament including Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Your presence is welcome.

Dates to Remember:

Sunday 18th November	2.30pm	Good Shepherd Community Prayer Group
Monday 19th November	1pm	Parish Craft Group
Friday 23rd November	10.15am	Liturgy Group Meeting
Monday 26th November	4pm	St. Vincent de Paul Society Meeting

Filipino Community

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

Thank you

To our wonderful Caring Group and Parishioners for supplying the delicious morning tea for our Remembrance Mass. It was greatly appreciated. Once again, many thank you.

November Prayers for our Deceased Loved Ones

In November, we traditionally place a special emphasis on praying for those who have died. Our Book of Remembrance is available for all to include the name of our loved ones. Parishioners wishing to have a Mass celebrated can use the envelopes in the foyer.

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace.

St. James' St. V de Paul Conference

are seeking new members from the local Parish community to join us in the lead up to Christmas, one of our busiest times. Enquiries Anne on 0409 547 953.

St. Vincent de Paul Piety Stall - packs of Christmas cards are now available.

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.

Advent Anointing Masses

St. Aloysius Redan - Thursday 6th December with 11am Mass and light lunch to follow in Ryan Hall
St. James' Sebastopol - Friday 7th December with 1.30pm Mass and afternoon tea to follow in the foyer.

There will be no 9.30am Mass on these days.

Advent Reconciliation Service

Wednesday 19th December 7pm at St. James' Sebastopol

Advent Anointing Aged Care

Thursday 20th December at 10.30am - BUPA
Friday 21st December at 10.30am - QE

Plenary Council 2020 - HAVE YOUR SAY?

Phase 1: Listen and Dialogue To prepare the agenda for the Plenary Council, all of God's people are invited to reflect on:

1. What do you think God is asking of us in Australia at this time?
2. What questions do you have about the future of the Church for the Plenary Council to consider in 2020?
3. Do you have a story of your experience of faith, or the Church you would like to share?

Two opportunities for a listening and dialogue encounter will be held in November

St. James' Church Foyer on Tuesday 20th November at 10.30am or St. Aloysius Ryan Hall on Tuesday 20th November at 1.30pm. If you are unable to make this meeting you may wish to take a response form home and return into the Parish Office or you can submit your responses by Ash Wednesday, March 5, 2019 at www.plenarycouncil.org.au

Presentation to Bishop Paul Bird

A special invitation has been extended to all children who have received the Sacraments of Confirmation, Reconciliation and First Eucharist this past year will be presented to Bishop Paul Bird on:

Saturday 1st December at 6pm Mass at St. Aloysius Redan
Sunday 2nd December at 9am mass at St. Aloysius Redan
Sunday 2nd December at 10.30am Mass at St. James' Sebastopol

St. Aloysius Parish Redan

Invitation to pray the Rosary - Thursday morning at 9.00am before the 9.30am Mass

Adoration and Exposition – 1st & 3rd Friday of the month, 7.00 pm – 8.00 pm.

4th Friday Family Group – This group will meet on Friday 23rd November, for 12pm lunch at the Ballarat Leagues Club (BLC), corner of Humffray and Mair Streets, Ballarat. For transport please ring Andy 0421 855 881

Morning Tea & Liturgy Group– the next parish morning tea will be held on Thursday 29th November after the 9.30am Mass in Ryan Hall. The Liturgy group will meet after morning tea.

ET Boxes – Thank you to all who contributed, we collected \$370.25. This money will be given to Klibur Domin to give assistance to their TB patients.

Caring Circle – Mass of Anointing is on Thursday 6th December, 11am, followed by a light lunch and Christmas fun, Everyone welcome. Raffle will be drawn at lunch. Prizes include a Christmas Hamper, an original Painting, cushions and a rug. Tickets are \$1 each, on sale after each Mass this weekend. All funds aid the work of the Caring Circle.

We welcome to our Parish through the Sacrament of Baptism;

Madilyn Ava Weissenfeld daughter of Mark and Claire

Frankie Fynn Haworth son of Renae and Shaun

May they grow in faith in their loving families and our Catholic Community



Roster November 24th/25th

Mass	Leader	Reader	Offertory	Sp Ministers	Welcomer	Projector	Counters	Cleaners
6pm	B. Lynch	K. Andrews	N. McGuigan	N. Conroy A. Braybrook	B. Lynch	M. Poliness	Team 4 Michael Hayes Tony De Natris	Team 2 V Dulfer L Spencer B Martin C Densley
9am	M. McDonald	M. Burns	B. Van Ravenstein	C. Densley C. Orchard	J. George	M. Brown		

Children's' Liturgy – M. Flood

BUPA Aged Care - Prayer service at the BUPA Aged Care on **Thursday 22nd November at 10.30am**. All welcome.

Joy+ Youth Festival Ballarat! - Joy+ Youth Festival for 15-30 yo. Sunday, 25 November, Cathedral Precinct, Ballarat 2.00pm - 8.00pm. Fantastic music with Genevieve Bryant and band, special guests include Sam Clear and Sr Elizabeth Young. This is a free event including evening meal. Breakout sessions include music making with Genevieve - feel free to bring musical instrument. Come for all or part of the day. Please register online for our planning. Details on youth ministry page www.ballarat.catholic.org.au or youth@ballarat.catholic.org.au

Garden Party - Asylum Seeker fundraiser - On Sunday November 18th, the annual fundraiser for Asylum seekers/Refugees and vulnerable people will be held from 2 pm to 4pm at 30 Waller Avenue, Newington. Celtic Music, Irish dancing, children singing, Guest speaker. cake stall, plant stall, face painting. Drawing of Victor Harbour holiday competition. Mini auction. Lucky Dips. Entry \$20. Children free. All welcome. Carmel 0401175045, E - annekav123@yahoo.co.uk

June 2019 Cathedral Parish Holy Land Pilgrimage - An information session will be held at 6.00pm on Wednesday, November 21, 2018 in the Ballarat Cathedral Presbytery for the June 9 – 22, 2019 pilgrimage to the Holy Land. Fr Justin Driscoll and Leonie Spencer from Lifestyle Travel in Ballarat invite interested people to 'come and see'. This pilgrimage will include Petra in Jordan, the Dead Sea, Mt Nebo, Madaba, Bethlehem, Nazareth, Capernaum, Cana, Sea of Galilee, Jerusalem, Ein Kerem, Jericho and Quamran

Joy Spreading - The next *Joy Spreading* event for young adults (18–30 yo) will be held Friday, December 7, 2018 from 6.30pm – 9.00pm in the Cathedral Parish Office meeting room with guest speaker Fr Justin Driscoll. An opportunity for young Catholic adults to share ideas and views in a friendly environment. Festive snacks and drinks provided. Info: www.ballarat.catholic.org.au or ph: 5337 7160.

Safeguarding Officers:

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