St Peter's Parish

Communities of Linton, Skipton, Smythesdale and Snake Valley

Sunday October 20th 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time (C)



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Masses October 26th/27th

Snake Valley Beaufort Skipton Redan Sebastopol

6.30pm Vigil 8.30am 10.30am 6.00pm Vigil 9.00am 10.30am

Next week's readings for 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year C)

Sirac 35:12-14, 16-18 Ps 32:2-3. 17-19. 23 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18 Luke 18:9-14

Recent Deaths: Ron Brewer, Zofia Buzo, Carmel Brinkman, Phil Filippi, Denis Gerdtz,

Br. John Neri Parker CFC, Tom Rush

Anniversaries: Kathleen Foley, Marie Glenane, Eileen Kirby, Mary Phyland,

Eileen Power, Liam Styles, Trevor Thorpe, Joe van der Linden

Please remember in your prayers those who are unwell, especially

Margaret Cranko, Angie Polglaze, Basil Torpy, Milly Yeoman

St Peter's Parish respectfully acknowledge that the Aboriginal people of Australia are our first nation peoples and the traditional owners and custodians of this land.

Combined Parish Council and Parish Finance Committee Meeting – will be held in the Linton Presbytery, Wednesday October 30th at 7.30pm.

Mass of thanksgiving to mark the Ordination of Bishop Shane Mackinlay - will be held at St Patrick's Cathedral Ballarat on Wednesday, November 13 at 7.00pm, followed by supper in the Cathedral Hall.

All Souls Day Mass at Ballarat New Cemetery

To celebrate the Feast of All Souls on Saturday November 2nd, Mass will be celebrated at the Ballarat New Cemetery (Lydiard St entrance) at 10.00 am. BYO chair. This Mass will replace the regular 10am Mass celebrated at the Cathedral each Saturday.

Plenary Council 2020: National Theme for Discernment – October:

How is God calling us to be a Christ-centred Church that is Humble, Healing and Merciful? This National Theme for Discernment is inspired by the voices of the People of God who shared a passion for participating in the missionary nature of the Church and desire stronger support, involvement and formation among all the baptised who make up the Church.

Parish Discernment Gatherings - St James, Sebastopol

Tuesday, October 22nd - How to be a Christ-centred Church that is Missionary & Evangelising Tuesday, November 19th - How to be a Christ-centred Church that is humble, healing & merciful.

Meetings will be held on Tuesday afternoons, 1.00pm - 3.00pm in the foyer of the church.

Parish Discernment Gathering - St Aloysius, Redan

Tuesday, October 29th- How to be a Christ-centred Church that is humble, healing & merciful.

Meeting will be held at 7pm - 9pm in the St. Aloysius Parish Centre.

Please contact Pauline in the St. James Parish Office (5336 1353) or Bernadette in the St. Aloysius Parish Office (0455 212123) to register and obtain a snapshot report to read before the discernment process (commencing with Scripture, silence, spiritual conversations and proposed actions).

Scripture Reflection - Fr. Lovin has offered to facilitate Scripture reflection sessions. These will be held at St. Aloysius Parish Centre on October 24th, November 7th and November 21st. Reflections will be held after the Thursday 9.30am Mass. All welcome to attend.