

St. Aloysius Redan & St. James' Sebastopol

Sunday 20th October 2019

29th Sunday of Ordinary Time Year C

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Next Week's Readings: Exodus 17:8-13, Ps 120(121), 2 Timothy 3:14-4:2, Luke 18:1-8

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

Monday 12.05pm Cathedral

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Thursday 9.30am Redan 12.05pm Cathedral

Friday 9.30am Sebastopol 12.05pm Cathedral

Saturday 10.00am Cathedral

Sebastopol

10.30am

Rokewood

3rd Sunday at 10.30am

Sacrament of Penance Cathedral

Friday 11.00am

Saturday 11.30am

Recent Deaths: Ron Brewer, Zofia Buzo, Carmel Brinkman, Phil Filippi, Denis Gerdtz, Br. John Neri Parker CFC, Tom Rush

Anniversaries: Juanito Abarquez, Adrian Bartolo, Scott Brooks, Ernest Dawson, Jack Donegan, John Doyle, Jacob Everett, Shirley Kearney, Sr. Janja Kolaric, Aileen Harris, Allan Krzempek (Huggard), Gordon Lewin, Reginald Mullane, Rene and Jim Nester, Paddy O'Brien, Ricky Stephens, Neil (Bill) Vagg,

Please remember in your prayers the following: Tony Bazzano, Margaret Cooper, Lanie Dugay, Corazon Laduan, Alex McLaren, Maureen Mulcahy, Alonso Ng, Jonathon Rice, Leonie Street

BUPA Aged Care - Prayer Service on Thursday 24th October at 10.30am. All Welcome

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 meeting will be held on Thursday November 7th.

Mission Sunday 20th October - The annual appeal will be held this weekend. Envelopes are available on the pews. Please place on the collection plate. Thank you.

We are Child Safe Parishes

St. Aloysius Parish Redan

Collections for previous weekend

Parish: \$626.00

Presbytery: \$772.60

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

4th Friday family group - will meet at Formosa Gardens on 25 Oct 12.00 noon Please ring Brian on 5535 9904 for booking and Andy on 0421855881 for transport. New members most welcome.

We welcome to our Parish through the Sacrament of Baptism;

Isabella May Elizabeth Catley

daughter of Justin and Nichole

Poppy and Woody Bowler

children of Kevin and Lauren

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

Memorial Masses - At both Masses on the weekend of November 2nd/3rd we will remember those who have died in the past 12 months. Please print the name of your loved one on the form in the foyer of the church, your name and the date of their death. These people will be registered in our memorial book, at the Masses you will be invited to light a candle as we pray for them. Light refreshments will be offered after each Mass in the Parish Centre.

Catholic Professional Standards Audit of St Aloysius Parish - In recent months St. Aloysius Parish was one of 11 parishes in the Diocese of Ballarat to be audited by Catholic Professional Standards. The audit has been a helpful process in our ongoing commitment to the safeguarding of children. The audit highlighted the following strengths in our Parish safeguarding.

- Aware of and good promotion of the diocesan and parish Child Safeguarding Policy, Commitment Statement and Code of Conduct
- Organised buddy groups for Sudanese families to assist them in communicating better their needs
- Parish maintains a volunteer register which they also use to monitor expiration of WWCC for parish personnel and volunteers
- Good communication between the Parish and the Diocesan Safeguarding Co-Ordinator for queries and/or issues regarding education and training
- Parish risk management checklists have been completed
- Child Safety Policy is uploaded on the parish website

Roster November 26th / 27th

Mass	Leader	Reader	Offertory	Sp Ministers	Welcomer	Projector	Counters	Cleaners
6pm	M Bond	K Andrews	M Flood	B Van Ravenstein	M Van Ravenstein	M Poliness	Team 1 T Kennedy P McGowan N McGuigan	Team 3 B & B McCarty M Brown
9am	J Burns	M Kennedy	K Brodie and Family	P & A Kennedy	J George	C Orchard	C Vanderkley	A Yal

Children's Liturgy - A Hirth

St. James' Parish Sebastopol

Collections for previous weekend

Parish: \$644.00 Presbytery: \$298.00

Opportunities for Prayer - Monday 10.30am Adoration and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. All welcome.

Dates to Remember:

Sunday 20th October	2.30pm	Good Shepherd Servant Community Prayer Group
Monday 21st October	1.00pm	Parish Craft Group
Sunday 27th October	11.30am	GIANT PLANT SALE
Monday 29th October	4.00pm	St. Vincent de Paul Society Meeting

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

Sacrament of Baptism

This Sunday, we welcome to our Parish through the Sacrament of Baptism, Matisse Tyler Aspland, daughter of Lesley and Clinton. *May Matisse grow in faith in her loving faith and the Catholic Community.*

Remembrance Mass

The Funeral Ministry and Caring Group Teams are organising a Remembrance Mass which will be held on Sunday 3rd November at 10.30am. This will be a time when we can all pray for and remember with love, the members of our families who have died. Morning tea will follow in the foyer. All welcome.

Filipino Remembrance Mass

The Filipino Community invites you to attend their annual Remembrance Mass on **Saturday 1st November with 2.30pm arrival for 3pm Mass**. The celebrant will be Fr Jorge De Chavez OSJ. All welcome.

Volunteers Wanted - we welcome any Parishioners who would like to join our ministry roster or take communion to Aged Care homes. Please contact Pauline at the Parish Office on 5336 1353.

St. Vincent de Paul Society Piety Stall - Columbian Calendars 2020 are now available.

Sebastopol Parish Fundraiser.... A giant plant sale....Sunday 27th October. 1 weeks to go! A big thankyou to all those Parishioners who have already dropped off plants. Special thanks to the St. Aloysius Parishioners who have also contributed plants for sale. To date, we have 340 plants for sale. A table with a small section of plants to purchase will be available this Sunday. Would you please drop off plants to the foyer or if you require plants to be collected please contact Joe on 5340 0767 by **Friday 25th October** . Thank you. Plants will be on sale on Sunday 27th October between 11.30am - 1.00pm.

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

Ballarat Diocesan Information, News and Events

For sale - Four 12 foot pews from the Spingdallah Church. \$150 each. Contact Marg 0407 056 795.

Combined Finance meeting - for both Parishes will be held on Thursday 14th November at 10am, in the St. Aloysius Presbytery.

Scripture Reflection - Fr. Lovin has offered to facilitate scripture reflection sessions. These will be held at St. Aloysius Parish Centre on November 14 and November 28. Reflections will be held after the Thursday 9.30am Mass. Parishioners from both parishes are invited to attend.

Inaugural Combined Parish Pastoral Team meeting - for both the Parishes of Redan and Sebastopol will be held on Tuesday 19th November at 7pm, in the foyer at St. James' Parish Church.

Mass at Pootilla Cemetery - Mass will be celebrated at Pootilla Cemetery (Bungaree) on Sunday 10th November, 9.30am. All welcome. Some chairs provided; BYO if possible. Info: ph. 5334 0450

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. Singers and musicians in the diocese are invited to join the music group which is being formed for this Mass to be held at St Patrick's Cathedral Ballarat on Wednesday, November 13 at 7.00pm. Practice times to be advised. Please contact Julie Boyd in the Pastoral Ministry Office to register your interest julie.boyd@ballarat.catholic.org.au or ph. 5337 7159.

Save the Date: RCIA Diocesan & State Conferences, "It takes a village" - The diocesan RCIA Conference will be held on Friday, November 15 from 5.30pm – 9.00pm and the RCIA State Conference will be held on Saturday, November 16 from 9.30am – 4.30pm. Both events will be held at St Patrick's Cathedral Precinct, Ballarat. Flyer on the noticeboard.

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. Plenary Council Discernment sessions will be held at both parishes and members from each parish are invited to attend.

Parish Discernment Gatherings - St James

Tuesday 22nd October - How to be a Christ-centred Church that is Missionary & Evangelising

Tuesday 19th November - 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. Please contact Pauline in the Parish Office to register and obtain a snapshot report to read before the discernment process (commencing with Scripture, silence, spiritual conversations and proposed actions).

Parish Discernment Gathering - St Aloysius

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

Meeting will be held at 7pm - 9pm in the Parish Centre. Please contact Bernadette in the Parish Office to register and obtain a snapshot report to read before the discernment process (commencing with Scripture, silence, spiritual conversations and proposed actions).

Swiss Family Robinson Film - Family fun night, Saturday October 26th, 6.30pm at Grenville Hall. Entry \$8 individual or \$20 per family. Dinner will be available for purchase on the night. All proceeds to the local Asylum Seeker Project.

Nazareth House Auxiliary Annual Fete - on Saturday, November 16, 2019 at Mill Street, Ballarat starting at 10.00am. Cake and produce stalls, plants, spinning wheel and raffles, morning tea, sausage sizzle, horse rides and much more. For further information contact Margaret, ph. 0419003415

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.

Ballarat Friendship Walk - Ballarat Interfaith Network & Jewish Christian Muslim Association of Australia invite you to the Ballarat Friendship Walk on Sunday October, 20, 2019 from 2.00pm to 5.00pm. Meeting place and planned walking route: 2.00pm Central Uniting Church, 103 Lydiard Street South; 3.00pm Synagogue cnr Princes St and Barkly St South, Bakery Hill; 4.30pm Mosque at 116 Elsworth St East, Canadian. To register: [bin-jcma-friendshipwalk19.eventbrite.com.au](https://www.eventbrite.com.au/bin-jcma-friendshipwalk19). For information contact Elham, ph. 0411 493 327