

St. James' Sebastopol & St. Aloysius Redan

Parish Priest: Fr Kevin Maloney, Ph: 5331 4981

Presbytery: 508 Leith St, Redan

31st Sunday in Ordinary Time - Sunday 4th November 2018

Next week's readings: Sunday 11th November 2018

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)

1 Kings 17:10-16

Ps 145(146):7-10

Hebrews 9:24-28

Mark 12:38-44

Sebastopol Parish Coordinator: Pauline O'Brien, Ph: 5336 1353,

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Redan Parish Coordinator: Bernadette Lynch, Ph: 5335 9460

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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:

Anniversaries:

Wendy Commons (Dark), Nina Fatouros, Maria Graffmans, Nora Irvin, Verna Loader, Kathleen Marsh, David Mitchel, Frank Robbie, Gregory Spicer, Libby Sullivan, Matthew Sullivan, Mary Taranto, Theo van den Hoek, Laurina van Gaans

Please remember in your Prayers the following:

John Bond, Fletcher Densley, Andrew Flood, Margaret Harty, Sr. Rosemary Kelly rsm, 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.

Plenary Council Prayer

Come, Holy Spirit of Pentecost. Come, Holy Spirit of the great South Land.

O God, bless and unite all your people in Australia and guide us on the pilgrim way of the Plenary Council.

Give us the grace to see your face in one another and to recognise Jesus, our companion on the road.

Give us the courage to tell our stories and to speak boldly of your truth.

Give us ears to listen humbly to each other and a discerning heart to hear what you are saying. Lead your Church into a hope-filled future, that we may live the joy of the Gospel.

Through Jesus Christ our Lord, bread for the journey from age to age. Amen.

Our Lady Help of Christians, pray for us. St Mary MacKillop, pray for us.

Finance Group – A combined meeting of the St. James and St. Aloysius Finance Committees will meet on Wednesday 7th November at 10.30am in the St. Aloysius Presbytery

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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 4th November	2.30pm	Good Shepherd Community Prayer Group
Monday 5th November	1pm	Parish Craft Group
Monday 12th November	4pm	St. Vincent de Paul Society Meeting
Tuesday 13th November	9.30am	Caring Group Meeting
Saturday 17th November	9am	Men's Breakfast

Filipino Community

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

Remembrance Day Mass

This Sunday, we welcome all visitors and parishioners to our Remembrance Mass. 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.

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.

New Planned Giving Envelopes

are available for collection in the foyer. Thank you to all contributors to the St. James's Parish Stewardship program. If you would like to join the Stewardship program by making a regular financial contribution to our Parish, you can do so by either direct debit or the envelopes. Please contact Pauline in the Parish Office on 5336 1353.

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.

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.

BUPA Aged Care - Prayer services at the BUPA Aged Care on **Thursday 8th November at 10.30am**. All welcome.

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?*

Please submit your responses by Ash Wednesday, March 5, 2019 at www.plenarycouncil.org.au

Catholic Theological College Open Day

Wednesday 7 November 4.30pm – 6.30pm. Includes Study Options, Building and Library Tour, Refreshments. RSVP to Jenny Delahunt by Friday 2 November on 9412 3314 or jenny.delahunt@ctc.edu.au

Mass at Pootilla Cemetery - will be celebrated at Pootilla Cemetery (Bungaree) on Sunday 11th November, 9.30am. All welcome. Some chairs provided; BYO if possible. Info: ph. 5334 0450

Mass at Gordon Cemetery-Sunday, November 18 at 11.00am. Please bring a chair. Mass at Ballan will be held at 8.45am (no mass at St Patrick's church). Weather permitting. All welcome to attend.

The Ballarat Young Vinnies

will be hosting a bush dance on Saturday the 10th of November at 7.30pm at the St Patrick's Cathedral Hall. Admission at the door - \$15 per adult, \$25 per family. Please bring small change for the raffle and activities. Light refreshments and supper to be provided. All welcome!

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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.

Memorial Masses

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Caring Circle – This group will meet on Wednesday 7th November, 1pm in Ryan Hall

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.

Roster November 10th/11th

Mass	Leader	Reader	Offertory	Sp Ministers	Welcomer	Projector	Counters	Cleaners
6pm	M. van Ravenstein	J. Burge	N. McGuigan	N. Conroy J. wright	N. McGuigan	M. Poliness	Team 2 M. Coughlin T Kennedy	Team 1 C Quick M Czurlowski K Butler N Chapman
9am	J. Burns	M.O'Meara	Brodie Family	A. Densley C. Orchard	J. George	A. Dulfer		

Children's' Liturgy – V. Dulfer

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

Nazareth House Ballarat Fete

The Annual Nazareth House Fete will be held on Saturday, November 17, 2018 at 10.00am. This is a fun family day and a great chance to buy up on homemade goodies, grab a bargain and win a prize on the very popular spinning wheel. We are continuing to collect donations of items for our spinning wheel or other homemade wares and food for selling at our stalls. Donations can be collected by contacting Margaret, ph. 0419 003415 or left at Nazareth House Reception.

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 0401 175045, E - annekav123@yahoo.co.uk

Safeguarding Officers:

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St. James': Pauline O'Brien