

St Peter's Parish

Linton, Skipton, Smythesdale, Snake Valley

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Sunday March 11th 2018



Recent Deaths: Stephen Heys

Anniversaries: Brian Bagnall, Nick Bomitali, Madge Conrick, Max Gilbert, Peg Giuliano, Barbara Gleeson, Peg Lines, James Maloney, Morris Nash, Pat O'Halloran, Jeffrey Page Patricia Pearce, Michael Preece, Barry Ridsdale, Patricia Torpey

Please remember in your prayers those who are unwell, especially Margaret Cranko, Nancy Hand, Grace Molloy, Milly Yeoman

Next week's readings: *Sunday March 18th 2018* *5th Sunday in Lent (B)*

Jeremiah 31:31-34 Ps 50:3-4. 12-15. R. v.12 Hebrews 5:7-9 John 12:20-33

Masses: March 17th/18th 6.30pm Smythesdale 9.00am Skipton 10.30am Rokewood

March 24th/25th 6.30pm Snake Valley 8.30am Beaufort 10.30am Skipton

Stations of the Cross during Lent Wednesdays in the Cathedral at 11.30am.

Nazareth House Auxiliary Irish Music Afternoon

Nazareth House Hall Friday 16th March 1.30pm – 3.00pm

Admission: \$5 Entrance prize, afternoon tea, raffle and a cake stall.

Did Jesus Truly Rise from the Dead?

Come and join Raymond De Souza KM at Mountain of Praise Retreat Centre, 23 Cemetery Hill Rd, Carngham 8.00pm, Saturday March 17th.

From the meeting of the Linton Parish Delegates Meeting with Fr Justin

1. Review of Mass times on the second Sunday of the month.

The current schedule is 2nd Sunday 6.30pm Skipton 8.30am Beaufort 10.30am Snake Valley. Because the Vigil Mass at Skipton has not been well attended it is proposed to have the 6.30 pm Vigil at Smythesdale on the 2nd Sunday of each month. The Mass schedule for the other Sundays of the month would remain unchanged. Please offer your feedback to the delegates or the priests.

2. Holy Week in the Linton Parish

Holy Thursday – Mass of the Lord’s Supper	7.30pm Linton
Good Friday – Celebration of the Lord’s passion	3.00pm Linton
Easter Vigil (Saturday)	7.30pm Linton
Easter Sunday	10.30am Skipton

3. Independent School Proposal to lease the former Linton presbytery

The proposal from the group of families proposing to lease the former Linton presbytery for up to five years to commence an independent school was received and discussed, together with the proposed plans for the presbytery building. The group would spend approximately \$60,000 on the building which would be in lieu of rent. The delegates raised many questions about the proposal and through the Parish Finance committee meeting next will ask for more details about the proposed school finances and the projected enrolment numbers as well as a proposed timeline.

4. Work on St Mary’s Church Smythesdale

A quote was tabled for proposed work on the Church at Smythesdale which includes restumping, insulation, lowering the internal roof and installing ramps to both the front and side doors. This quote does not include painting.

The next Finance Committee meeting will be held on Wednesday, March 14th **7.30pm**

