St. James' Sebastopol & St. Aloysius Redan

Parish Priest: Fr Kevin Maloney, Ph: 5331 4981

Presbytery: 508 Leith St, Redan

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Sunday 7th August 2016

Next week's readings: Sunday 14th August 2016 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time (C)

Jeremiah 38:4-6, 8-10 Ps 39(40):2-4, 18 Hebrews 12:1-4 Luke 12:49-53

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

Email: sebastopol@ballarat.catholic.org.au

Office hours: Tuesday 9.30am – 4.30pm, Friday 9.30am – 2.00pm

Bernadette Lynch, Ph: 5335 9460 **Redan Parish Coordinator:**

Email: redan@ballarat.catholic.org.au

Office hours: Tue & Wed 9.00am-12.00pm, Thursday 9.00am-3.00pm

Jacinta Westbrook, Ph: 5331 2933. **Parish Secretary:**

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Office hours: Monday – Friday 10.00am – 5.00pm

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.

Last Weekend's Collections: Parish Sebastopol \$440.70 Redan \$752.00

Sebastopol \$241.40 Redan \$625.05 Presbytery

Baptism Parent Information Evenings for the Parishes of Redan and Sebastopol - Parents wishing to have their children Baptised in the parishes of Redan and Sebastopol need to attend a Baptism preparation evening. At this meeting the enrolment for the Sacrament and date of celebration will be confirmed. These meetings are held on the 2nd Thursday of the month at 7.00pm in the Redan Parish Centre, 506 Leith Street Redan. The next meeting will be on Thursday 11th August 2016. For any enquiries please contact Bernadette or Pauline at either parish centre.

Mass Times:

Tuesday **NO MASS Redan**

12:05pm Cathedral

NO MASS Sebastopol Wednesday

12:05pm Cathedral

Thursday 9.30am Redan

12:05pm Cathedral

Friday 9.30am Sebastopol

12:05pm Cathedral

Sacrament of Penance

Cathedral Friday 11.00am Saturday 11.30 am

Weekend Masses

Cathedral St Aloysius St James'

6.30 pm Vigil 6.00 pm Vigil

8.00 am 9.00 am 10.30 am

10.30 am 5.00 pm

Rokewood 3rd Sunday at 10.30am

Recent Deaths: Noel Cook, Sheila Driscoll, Paschal Farren,

Anniversaries:

Mary Farrugia, Joe Gallagher, Mary Mullane, Wendy & Rod Page, Jula Pavlic, Maureen Phillips, Raymond Quilan, Johanna Skirka, Ada Thyne, Neil

Vagg, Michael Yaworowicz

Please remember in your Prayers the following:

Allen Baltazar, Maria Bessems, Norah Best, Irina Davis, Julie Delahenty, Fletcher Densley,

Joseph Graafmans, Mary Patricia Guinan, Jim Maher, Gerard Molloy (Beaufort), Kevin Molloy (Ararat), Frank Nolan, John O'Keeffe, Mary Skelton, Leonie Street, Jenny Tan, Connie Vincent,

Lynn Whiteley

Feast of the Assumption - Monday 15th August

Lituray of the Word – 8.50am – Lumen Christi School Mass - 9.30am – St. James' Church, Sebastopol Mass - 11.30am – St. Aloysius Church, Redan

St. James' Parish Sebastopol

Opportunities for Prayer

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

Wednesday Rosary will be recited at 9.00am before 9.30am Mass.

Dates to Remember

Sunday 7th August 2.30pmGood Shepherd Servant Community Prayer Group

Monday 8th August 7pm St. Vincent de Paul Society Meeting

Friday 12th August

10.15am
Finance Committee Meeting
Thursday 18th August

7pm
Finance Committee Meeting

Sunday 14th August6.30pm
Mass & Dinner for 10 year Anniversary of the Filipino Rosary Group

Friday 19th August 10.15am Rehearsal for Confirmation

Saturday 20th August 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

Sacrament of Confirmation

This weekend we welcome the children and their parents preparing for the Sacrament of Confirmation. Over the next two Sundays, they will be participating in a dismissal during Mass and then the families will be working together at home on the Diocesan Sacramental Program "Let the Children Come".

The Sacrament of Confirmation will be celebrated at St. James' on Sunday 21st August. Please keep these children and their families in your prayers.

Morning tea will follow in the foyer after Mass. Please bring a plate to share. Thank you.

Spare key for the tabernacle - If anyone knows the whereabouts of the spare key to the tabernacle would you please contact Pauline on 5336 1353. Thank you.

Annual Plan Giving Receipts

For the last financial year are now available for collection in the foyer after Mass. If there are any queries please contact the Parish Office.

Filipino Mass & Dinner

You are invited to join us on Sunday 14th August at 6.30pm for a Holy to celebrate 10 years since the commencement of the Filipino Holy Rosary Group. Mass celebrants are Fr. Junray Rayna & Fr. Nov Lim. Fellowship dinner after Mass in the Foyer. Please bring food to share and join with us for dinner. Inquiries contact: Shirly Hart 0417 331 756 or Urbana 0419 558 965. All welcome to attend.

Afternoon Tea

Will be held on Tuesday 9th August at 2pm as Ian & Myrna Dewar will be visiting Ballarat and would like to get together with some Parishioners. All welcome.

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.

Lay Pastoral Ministry Program Update - new study cycle in August

A new online study cycle is commencing towards the end of August as part of the Lay Pastoral Ministry Program that the Ballarat Diocese has initiated. This program offers opportunities for formation, study, certification and support for lay workers, both employees and volunteers, in the diocese. It includes on-line study with a wide range of subjects presented as short courses – you can do one subject or many. Subjects are offered six times a year and you can start at whichever time suits you. If you are interested, please check out the details on the diocesan website (link from bottom of front page), then contact Amanda Smith, ph. 5337 7125 or email amanda.smith@ballarat.catholic.org.au

CWL Morning of Reflection

CWL general members invite you to a morning of reflection with Fr James Kerr at Nazareth House on Friday, August 12, 2016 at 10.00am. Morning tea available from 9.30am. There will be time for Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and the Sacrament of Penance. Mass will be celebrated at midday, followed by a light lunch. Bookings by Wednesday, August 10. Cost is \$12.00 per person to cover lunch, etc. We extend a warm welcome to all interested in a quiet time of reflection. Please contact Maureen, ph. 0431 273 953 or Sheila, ph. 0407 884 681. No CWL meeting on August 3.

St. Aloysius Parish Redan

Invitation to pray the Rosary - Tuesday and Thursday mornings at 9.00am before the 9.30am Mass

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

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The Sacrament of Confirmation will be celebrated at St. Aloysius on the weekends of 20th/21st & 27th/28th August. Please keep these children and their families in your prayers.

Family Groups

25th Anniversary of Family Groups in the Redan Parish. To celebrate this occasion the Family Groups will host a catered breakfast gathering in Ryan Hall after the 9.00am Mass on Sunday August 14. All Parishioners welcome. For catering purposes please indicate on the sheets in the foyer if you will be attending.

BUPA Age Care

We celebrated a beautiful prayer service at BUPA Age Care last Thursday August 4 at 10.15am. We will continue these prayer services every second Thursday.

Roster 13th/14th August

Mass	Leader	Reader	Offertory	Sp Ministers	Welcomer	Projector	Counters	Cleaners
6pm	M Van Ravenstein	P Kendrick	M Cushing & Family	J Moylan J Burge	V Tempany	M Coughlan	M Hayes T De Natris	B & B McCarty
9am	Family Group	Family Group	Family Group	Family Group	Family Group	Family Group		M Brown A Yal

Children's Liturgy: Carmel Murphy

St Vincent de Paul Society

A significant number of our clients have expressed a desire for assistance with household budgeting. To address this need we are planning to offer sessions at our Relief centre at O'Collins Hall on Tuesdays. Clients would meet by appointment with two volunteers. Please note this is not financial planning and all volunteers would be provided with training via the program, "Where Did All The Money Go?" designed to give volunteers knowledge of what practical assistance can be offered to people living on low incomes. If you feel that you would be interested in being part of this new and exciting initiative you are invited to an information session at O'Collins Hall Dawson St on Wednesday 10th August 1.00pm. For further information - Mary McAloon 0419 897 345

St Patrick's College 2018 Year 7 Information Evening

on Wednesday October 26th from 7.30 pm. For a 2018 Enrolment Package contact Mrs Caitlin Bennett 53 311688 cbennett@stpats.vic.edu.au

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Bombs, Blasphemy and Religion in Pakistan

Father Robert McCulloch will present "Bombs, Blasphemy and Religion in Pakistan" on Friday August 19th at 7pm at the Nazareth House Hall, Mill Street, Ballarat. This talk will be preceded by Holy Mass at 6 pm in the Chapel. Entry by donation and a plate of supper. Refreshments will follow the presentation. Inquiries Carmel 0401175045/53322103. All welcome.

The Melbourne Singers of Gospel are giving a Concert on **Saturday 20th August at 3pm at Ballarat Central Uniting Church.** All proceeds will go to UnitingCare Ballarat's Homelessness programmes, including Breezeway.

St Vincent de Paul Redan & Delacombe Bread Run

We are looking for volunteer assistants on the bread run. Applicants would need to be able to work with a partner to collect large bags of bread, move them for repacking and then drive around the parish on the delivery. If you can help contact Tony Haintz 0408 356 369 or T.Haintz/medamascus.vic.edu.au