

## ***St Peter's Parish***

Linton, Skipton, Smythesdale, Snake Valley

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***Sunday July 29<sup>th</sup> 2018***

**Recent Deaths:** Dino Bernardini, Margaret Coppock, Joyce Daly,  
Russell Gallagher, Claire Jensen,

**Anniversaries:** Bryan (Joseph) Dowling, Ivan Kovacic, George Morrison,  
William Raymer, Maria Sabo, Noreen Sherritt

**Please remember in your prayers those who are unwell,** especially  
Margaret Cranko, Nancy Hand, Basil Torpy, Milly Yeoman

**Next week's readings:** *Sunday August 5<sup>th</sup> 2018 18<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)*  
Exodus 16:2-4. 12-15 Ps 77:3-4. 23-25. 54. R. v.24 Ephesians 4:17, 20-24  
John 6:24-35

### **Masses:**

**August 4<sup>th</sup>/5<sup>th</sup>** 6.30pm Smythesdale 9.00am Linton 10.30am Skipton

**August 11<sup>th</sup>/12<sup>th</sup>** 6.30pm Smythesdale 8.30am Beaufort 10.30am Snake Valley

### ***Australian Catholic Youth Ministry Convention***

ACYMC 2018, the Australian Catholic Youth Ministry Convention is a national conference for Youth Leaders and Ministers from September 21-23 in Sydney.

Registrations are now open. For more info and to register go to

[www.acymc.org.au](http://www.acymc.org.au) or contact the Ballarat Diocese Youth and Young Ministry Office, ph. 5337 7125.

## ***BBI eConference:***

### ***Synodality in Practice: Listening to the Spirit and Leading Change***

The 14<sup>th</sup> National eConference will focus on engaging communities around Australia in a landmark discussion around the future vision and direction for the Catholic Church in this country. This can be viewed at the Cathedral Parish Mackillop & Glowrey Rooms on Wednesday, August 8<sup>th</sup> 2018 from 10.00am - 3.00pm. All are welcome to attend. BYO lunch. For more information go to: <https://www.bbi.catholic.edu.au/news-events/111/event/217/synodality-in-practice--listening-to-the-spirit-and-leading-change>

## ***Plenary Council 2020***

Plenary Council 2020 is asking us to Listen and Dialogue. This *Listening and Dialogue* part of the preparations for the Plenary Council also offers an opportunity for individuals and groups to have your voices directly heard by the Plenary Council prior to the Council's agenda being developed. This *Listening and Dialogue* phase of preparation is open until Ash Wednesday 2019. These are the questions you are asked to consider and respond to:

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?

Parishes and other groups in the diocese, large or small, are encouraged to gather to listen, talk and respond. A group does not need to develop a single response. All responses can be submitted, all voices are welcome. Listening and Dialogue (Adults);

- PC 2020 Parish Guide;
- Three Year Timeline.
- Other Plenary Council resources, including a helpful FAQ (under 'About') and *Listening and Dialogue* children's version, are available at <http://plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au/>.

