

St. James' Sebastopol & St. Aloysius Redan

Parish Priest: Fr Kevin Maloney, Ph: 5331 4981

Presbytery: 508 Leith St, Redan

10th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Sunday 5th June 2016

Next week's readings: Sunday 12th June 2016

11th Sunday in Ordinary Time (C)

2 Samuel 12:7-10, 13

Ps 31(32):1-2, 5, 7, 11

Galatians 2:16, 19-21

Luke 7:36-8:3

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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.

Last Weekend's Collections:	Parish	Sebastopol \$574.30	Redan \$1,770.00
	Presbytery	Sebastopol \$261.55	Redan \$580.40

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 **9th June 2016**. For any enquiries please contact Bernadette or Pauline at either parish centre.

Mass Times;

Tuesday	9.30am Redan
	12:05pm Cathedral
Wednesday	9.30am Sebastopol
	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: Margarite Victor,
Stanislaw (Stanley) Wach

Anniversaries:

Aymon Atkinson, Les Atkinson, James Everard Snr.,
Roger Hogan, Fr. John Smith, Ruby Sullivan,
Leo Tuddenham, Nikola Zimmermann,

Please remember in your Prayers the following:

Allen Baldazar, Maria Bessems, Norah Best,
Irina Davis, Julie Delahenty, Fletcher Densley, Joseph
Graafmans, Mary Patricia Guinan, Jim Maher, Frank
Nolan, John O'Keeffe, Mary Skelton, Leonie Street,
Jenny Tan, Connie Vincent, Lynn Whiteley

Back to Ordinary Time

After all the passion of Easter week and the numerous special liturgies that have followed – Pentecost, ...it could be seen as a time when the Church breathes a collective sigh of relief ... and kicks back! But, of course, there is nothing ordinary about the Christian faith.

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 5th June	2.30pm	Good Shepherd Servant Community Prayer Group
Monday 13th June	7pm	St. Vincent de Paul Society Meeting
Thursday 16th June	7pm	Parish Pastoral Team Meeting
Saturday 18th June	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

St. Vincent de Paul Society Winter Appeal 3 – 5 June 2016 (Feast of the Sacred Heart)

Our Parish is invited to donate non-perishable food items, clothing and blankets to the Winter Appeal. Would you please leave in the baskets provided in the foyer. These items will be distributed to people in need in our local area. On Sunday 5 June, the Society will conduct their annual appeal for funds. Envelopes are now available on the pews and all donations will be greatly appreciated.

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.

National Mass Count

Over the past four weekends the national count of attendance has been undertaken. The count was first held nationally in 2001. Thank you to all who undertook this count for us at our Masses. The average numbers: Redan 6pm (137), Redan 9am (118) and Sebastopol 10.30am (136).

Mercy Connect Ballarat – Supporting refugee students in local schools - Volunteer mentors needed.

Mercy Works is currently recruiting volunteers to support refugee students in Ballarat Schools through their Mercy Connect Project. The volunteer commitment is for approximately three hours per week for four school terms. Experience working in an educational setting is preferred, but you will receive ongoing training and support. Initial training for new volunteers will be held in June 2016. Contact Paulene Barton - Mercy Connect Project Coordinator on 0417 624 330 or email: mercyconnectb@gmail.com for information and application form. Applications close on June 7, 2016.

The Jeduthun Concert – The Singing Boholano Priests

“With Love and Faith” in honour of Saint Pedro Calungsod, the second saint of the Philippines. Sunday 19 June at 3pm in the St. James' Parish School Hall. Supported by Filipino Catholic Chaplaincy Melbourne, Filipino Community Council in Victoria Inc. & the Filipino/Australian Association of Ballarat Inc. Inquiries: Sherly 0417 331 756, Linda 0411 692 967, Susan 0422 679 085 or Ness 0404 240 954

Victorian Welsh Male Choir @ Buninyong

Sts Peter & Paul's Church, Sun 26th June, 2pm. Tickets \$30. For further information contact John White ☐ 5341 2675 or 0402 808 299.

Mass to celebrate Jubilees

A Mass will be celebrated at Our Lady Help of Christians on Tuesday 14th June at 5pm to celebrate the Jubilees of ordination of Fr. Shane Mackinlay (25 years) & Fr. Dan Arundell, Fr. Damien Heath & Fr. Kevin Condon OP all ordained 60 years. All welcome.

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.

First Eucharist (Holy Communion)

This weekend we welcome the following children who are celebrating the Sacrament of Eucharist. Bridgette Andrews, Kiah Bennetts, Declan Eden, Molly Harris, Charley James, Dylan Pengelly, Imogen Peterken, Ava Postlethwaite, Maddison Ward, Alexandra Watt, Patrick Ritchie, Katelyn Ritchie, McKenzie Marin. Please keep these children and their families in your prayers.

ET boxes They can be returned this weekend or next weekend at St Aloysius church, thank you for your support.

GodStart Meeting – this meeting will be held on Tuesday 7th June at 10am in the Parish Centre. All Welcome

Liturgy Team – This group will meet on Thursday 9th June at 10am in the Parish Centre

Family Groups

- This year marks the 25th Anniversary of the introduction of Family Groups to the Parish. To mark the occasion the Family Groups will host a meal after the 6.00pm Mass (Saturday 13th August 2016) in Ryan Hall. All parishioners are invited to the event. Further notice closer to the event.
- The coordinators for the Parish Family Groups are Mary Poliness & Kate Andrews
- Family group members are invited to a formation weekend on June 9 & 10 at Holy Cross Centre, 207 Serpells Rd Templestowe 3106. \$25 covers all meals and accommodation. Further enquiries: pfgm.victas@gmail.com or 03 9846 5094

Roster 11th/12th June

Mass	Leader	Reader	Offertory	Sp Ministers	Welcomer	Projector	Counters	Cleaners
6pm	H Gibcus	M Van Ravenstein	N Conroy	J Buge B Van Ravenstein	M Flood	M Coughlan	A Naus N McGuigan	V Dulfer L Spencer
9am	M O'Meara	C Orchard	A Hirth & Family	C Densley A Dulfer	L Coombs	T Haintz	P McGowan	B Martin C Densley

Children's Liturgy: Annette Hirth

ACBC Statement re Federal Election

The Australian Catholic Bishops Conference have released a statement regarding the upcoming federal election, "Voice for the voiceless: A statement by the Catholic Bishops of Australia on the election" dated 16 May 2016 (attached). Further information, including a prayer for the election, is available from the ACBC website www.catholic.org.au

OLHC Parish Wendouree – Parish Coordinator Vacancy

OLHC Parish Wendouree invites applications for the part-time position of Parish Coordinator (12 hours per week). A role description and application form can be accessed from the diocesan website <http://www.ballarat.catholic.org.au/> search Employment or Wendouree Parish.

ASYLUM SEEKER FUNDRAISER - ANNUAL SOUP LUNCHEON - JUNE 22, 2016

Please come along and hear how former child soldier from South Sudan, Isaac Moses, a Ballarat resident has risen from the trauma of war and displacement, to become an Australian citizen and student of Social Work at Federation University. Wednesday June 22nd, at 12.30, Nazareth House Hall, Mill Street, Ballarat. Entry \$20 Conc. \$15. Cake stall and competitions. All welcome - especially children. Inquiries - Carmel -53322103/0401175045 - annekav123@yahoo.co.uk http://www.parramattamercy.org.au/images/logos/how_logo.jpg

Walk-4-One Lunch

St Michael's Parish, Bungaree presents "Walk-4-One" lunch with guest speaker, Sam Clear, on Sunday, June 19, 2016. Sam, a young Tasmanian, pledged himself to a mission: he would walk around the world in an effort to urge and inspire all Christians to unite. Tickets available from Amanda Elliott ph. 0427 713064 or amanda@rumerz.com.au.