

WELCOME TO THE PARISHES OF

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Readings - Year C

Year of Mercy



As Christ's disciples our mission is:

*to be inspired by Christ

*to actively live out Christ's message and the Gospel values respecting, celebrating and honouring our Catholic tradition

*to provide welcome and sanctuary for all

*to foster a sense of social justice and to protect, nurture and support our Catholic community and the wider community by respecting life, self, others and the environment.

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Fr. Michael; Alma Limbrick; Luci Quinn;

Katrina Johnson; Joe Chant (Deputy Chair);

Veronica Fox;

Liz Withall; Brendon Lane(Chair);

Mary Zobec

As we come to worship we remember the Bangerang & Yorta Yorta People, the original custodians of this land
We commit ourselves to actively working alongside Aboriginal people for reconciliation and justice.



THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

22ND MAY 2016

Sacred Heart Confirmation Eucharist Sacramental Program 2016 Steps in Faith

Please keep the following students in your prayers as they prepare for their Confirmation and Eucharist in August.



Carsley Kelly
Sophie Lewis
Seth Hutchison
Jack Wiles
Elizabeth Ford
Lucca Pena
Aleina Secomb
Tarah Argus
Gabriel Wilson
Michael Wagner

Ryan Skinner
Isobella Spedding
Sarah Vincitorio
Jerikah Brady
Connor Nevins
Anna Cummins
Xavier Black
Harry O'Halloran
Lachlan Cook

St Vincent de Paul Winter Appeal



Sunday 5th June is Winter Appeal Sunday. Parishioners are invited to bring blankets, non perishable food or items of warm clothing to Mass or take an envelope for a monetary donation, to help those less fortunate in our community.

Also blanket and food items can be left at St Vincent de Paul Centre if desired.





Those who have died recently	Tatura:	
	Kyabram:	Mary (Eileen) Dixon, Justin Boyle
Those whose Anniversary occurs	Tatura:	James (Jim) Curtis, Nicola and Angelina Borrelli
	Kyabram:	Helen Ryan
Our sick and their carers	Tatura:	Sue MacDonald, Denis Smith
	Kyabram:	Julie Shaw, Andrea Cocks, Jim O'Donovan, Natasha Smith, Barry Carrodus

(Our practice is to leave the names on the sick list for a month. To extend the time, please contact the parish office.)

DATE	COMMENTATOR	READER	GOSPEL PROCESSION	PRESENTATION OF GIFTS	SPECIAL MINISTERS	COUNTER
6pm 28 th May	Lou Kerrins	Marli Kelly	Denise Woodman	Margaret Corrigan	D Bourke A Ciavarella S Finlayson	Carol Coulston
8am 29 th May	Carol Coulston	Rob Miller	Bernie Maher	Bryan & Trish Miller	Rob O'Meara C Reilly LCowan	

MASSSES FOR THE COMING WEEK:

DAY	DATE	TATURA	KYABRAM
Monday	23 May	No Mass	No Mass
Tuesday	24 May	9.15am LWWC	No Mass
Wednesday	25 May	9.15 Mass intention for John Reilly	5pm Mass
Thursday	26 May	No Mass	9.15am Mass
Friday	27 May	9.15 Mass	No Mass
Saturday	28 May	6pm Mass	No Mass
Sunday	29 May	8am Mass	10am
at 28 May	11.30am Reconciliation		
ROSARY	15 mins before weekday Mass		

L'Arche Community, Bendigo

The Annual 'Maureen Considine Major Fundraiser' supporting people living with an intellectual disability will be held on Saturday, 20th August, 2016. More information to follow. Enquiries Tel: 0438 439 384

Pentecost Message from Bishop Les Tomlinson

Bishop Les has recorded a Pentecost Message to the Diocese in St Martin's church at Muskerry, within the parish of Elmore.

The message can be viewed on the Diocesan website
www.sandhurst.catholic.org.au

Printed copies are in the Narthex.

MAY / JUNE DIARY DATES

Mon	23 May	
Tues	24 May	7pm School Board Meeting Feast of Our Lady Help of Christians (Patroness of Australia)
Wed	25 May	Fr Michael Assisting with Reconciliation in Echuca 5.30pm/7.30pm
Thurs	26 May	St Augustine's Principal to speak to Yr.6 parents
Fri	27 May	
Sat	28 May	6pm Mass
Sun	29 May	8am Mass Corpus Christi
Mon	30 May	Pupil free day – Staff PD
Tues	31 May	St Augustines Open Day
Wed	1 June	
Thurs	2 June	
Fri	3 June	9.15am Feast of Sacred Heart School Mass
Sat	4 June	6pm Mass Immaculate Heart of Mary
Sun	5 June	8am Mass

PASTORAL CARE

- Trish Miller 5824 1841; Marli Kelly 0457 772 869
- Anne Hutchison 5824 3460 Debbie Worm 5824 1841

"Everything comes to you in the right moment.
Be patient."

St Anthony's Feast Day Celebrations

St Mel's Parish Shepparton is holding a St Anthony's Feast Day Celebration. Everyone is invited to join the festivities on Sunday June 12th starting at 9:30am with Mass and continuing with music, dancing and a shared lunch BBQ. For more information please phone St Mel's Parish Secretary, Tonina, 03 5831 2194.

RIGHT TO LIFE

Courageous, Victorian MP Dr Rachel Carling-Jenkins MLC has introduced the Infant Viability Bill 2015 into Parliament. The legislation will ban abortions from 24 weeks of pregnancy and instead offer assistance to mothers in distress.

Email your members of the Legislative Council in the Northern Region:

Wendy.lovell@parliament.vic.gov.au
Damian.drum@parliament.vic.gov.au
Steve.herbert@parliament.vic.gov.au
Jaclyn.symes@parliament.vic.gov.au
Daniel.young@parliament.vic.gov.au

What to say?

- Remind the MP that some babies aborted in Victoria are older than many in the neo-natal wards of our hospitals
- Many are aborted have a disability
- Many are aborted because of their gender
- It is shameful that Victoria is now the abortion state!
- Ask them to vote for Dr Carling-Jenkins "Infant Viability" bill.
- Many babies are aborted live and left to die.

This bill will be debated on Wednesday 25th May so please email them before then.

CONCERT FOR A CAUSE

A group of priests from Bohol (the state where Fr. Joven – St Mel's came from) is coming to St. Mel's with their Bishop as part of their concert tour.

The concert "With Love and Faith" is on Monday 13th June at 3.00pm St Mel's Parish Hall, 35 Hamilton St Shepparton.

Tickets are \$30 in aid of the 7.2 earthquake that struck Bohol in 2013.

"THE FRINGE OF HIS GARMENT" TWO DAY COURSE

Do you want to be healed of wounds and their effects?

You are invited to touch "The Fringe of His Garment" a two day Catholic School of Evangelisation course.

Where: St Therese's Hall, Albion St., Kennington,

Date: Sat 4th - Sun 5th June.

For more details contact Denise Illott 0407 506 813

SPIRITUALITY IN THE PUB

Spirituality in the Pub at the Terminus Hotel, Shepparton on **Monday 30th May 7.30 – 9 pm** (meals from 6pm optional).

Pope Francis declared 2016 a year of mercy so come and join the conversation as we reflect on **THE QUALITY OF MERCY** and how we might respond? Speakers are **Br Mark O'Connor**, Director of the Archbishop's Office for Evangelisation, author of *Reflections on the Works of Mercy*, and **Nathan Carroll**, RE Leader at Notre Dame College.

More information on fliers at back of church.

Enquiries: Kerry 0408 579 904
Frank 5821 4362 or Fran 5829 0301.

CORPUS CHRISTI COLLEGE

The Regional Seminary for Victoria and Tasmania shares some of the statistics of their home for priestly training:

- 47 – Seminarians.
- 12 – Countries of Origin (Australia, Croatia, India, Indonesia, Myanmar, Nigeria, The Philippines, Poland, South Korea, Sri Lanka, Vietnam and Zimbabwe.
- 9 – Different Archdioceses and Dioceses (Melbourne, Hobart and Adelaide; Sandhurst, Sale, Ballarat, Wollongong, Port Pirie and Darwin).
- 4 – Priestly Ordinations (all for Melbourne)
- 4 – Seminarians for Sandhurst Diocese: Jackson Saunders (2nd year), D.J. Suguitan (3rd year), Adi Indra (4th year), Dean Bongat (5th year).

FETE 2017

Next meeting: Tuesday 14th June at 7pm will be our next fete meeting at St Mary's Hall.

Following on from our first meeting everyone is welcome to join the discussion to start creating the Fete event for 2017.

Please contact committee chairperson Maria Spedding 0418129528 or secretary Marli Kelly 0457772869 with any queries, or if you can't make it to the meeting and would like to contribute or join a team. Hope to see you there!



*Readings for
this Sunday:*
Proverbs 8:22-31
Romans 5:1-5
John 16:12-15



*Readings for
next Sunday:*
Genesis 14:18-20
1 Corinthians 11:23-26
Luke 9:11-17



Liturgical Jottings

With the pouring of water in the sacrament of Baptism come the words, "I baptise you in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit." If this pouring of water happens during Mass we all clap and so we should. We are celebrating the reality of a child loved by its parents becoming a child of God. That same joy was experienced when new people were welcomed into the new communities of faith that developed in response to the teaching of Paul and the Apostles.

Feast of the Week

Our Lady Help of Christians was declared patroness of the Church and people of Australia at the first synod of Bishops in 1844. We pray to her for wisdom for our leaders and integrity for our citizens, so that, under her protection, Australia may know harmony, justice and peace. Her feast day is on 25 May.

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Looking at the Readings

In one of Gerard Manley Hopkins poems there is a line which says there lives the dearest freshness deep down things. As we reflect on the experiences of the Apostles each Easter we get some insight into how they reacted first to the abject cruelty of the execution of Jesus who had become their friend, teacher and inspiration. Then came his rising from the dead and the growing awareness that beyond the grave their friend and mentor really was still with them. Then came the Ascension and the realisation that this time he was leaving them to return to his Father. Remember the apostles were fishermen and workman, but not scholars or especially creative people. Then came Pentecost with the gift of the Holy Spirit, the Advocate sent by the Father to be with them always and to equip them for the mission Jesus had entrusted to them.

Then came their awareness of the dearest freshness deep down things. It is what we celebrate today. That the one true God was their Father and Creator, their Saviour and friend and the Advocate who would be with them to be their light and strength forever. The wonder is that the freshness deep down this most wonderful of all mysteries is still there for us to discover and be part of us in ever new ways.

This feast day in celebration of the Holy Trinity is refreshing to our minds and our hearts simply because we are integrated so deeply into this mystery. It is not remote or incomprehensible. Remember it was delivered to us by simple people who were given the responsibility of handing it on in order to renew the face of the earth. The collect, our first prayer in the Eucharist today, begins with the words, "God our Father, who by sending into the world the Word of truth and the Spirit of sanctification made known to the human race your wondrous mystery ..." All the freshness of the relevance of the Holy Trinity to our daily lives is there in those words. They describe how awareness of the love of God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, became part of the life of the Church and something for us to share with others.

On the Lighter Side

As a mother was driving home from school with her daughter who just started school this year the little girl said out of the blue, "Our teacher told us there were three of them." "Three of what, dear?" her mother asked, quite perplexed. "Well there's the Father and the Son and I think the other one is the Holy Spirit," replied her daughter. It's good to be reminded that our insight into deep mysteries often has a simple beginning.



God doesn't ask you to figure it all out,
he only asks you to believe.