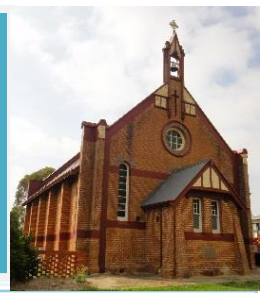




# BAIRNSDALE - OMEO

## Eastern Region of the Diocese of Sale



### THE FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - 7<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2013 YR C

#### Parish Contacts

**Parish Priest:** Fr Peter Bickley 0408 517 073  
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#### Bairnsdale Presbytery

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#### St Mary's Parish Pastoral Centre

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#### Pastoral Centre Staff

**Parish Business Manager:** Martin White  
**Parish Sacramental Coordinator:** Dan Hession  
**Pastoral Coordinator:** Pattie Pruscino  
**CatholicCare:** Tracey Moffat Phone 5153 2012

**St Mary's Primary:** Phone 5152 3706  
**Principal:** Kevin Greenwood

**Nagle College:** Phone 5152 6122  
**Principal:** Neville Powles

**O.L.S.H:** Sr. Jeanette Phone 5152 7152

**Parish Pastoral Council** meets on the 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of the month. Please submit items for consideration to the Parish Centre by 10.00am, Tuesday the week before the meeting.

**Elected members:** Chris Power (Chair), Jan Coverdale, Megan Kool, Frank Brown-Graham, Bernie O'Kelly, Leo Hamilton and Kaye Minchin.

**A Parish Directory of all Groups** and contact details is available at the Pastoral Centre

#### Liturgy / Mass Times

#### WEEKEND

#### ST MARY'S BAIRNSDALE:

Sat.: 7:00pm, Sun: 9:00am & 11:00am

#### ST PATRICK'S PAYNESVILLE:

1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Sun: 9.00am

#### ST CANICE'S LINDENOW:

1<sup>st</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Sun: 11.00am

#### 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> weekends of the Month

**IMMACULATE CONCEPTION, OMEO:** Sun: 9.00am

**SACRED HEART, SWIFTS CREEK:** Sat: 6.30pm

**ST FRANCIS of ASSISI, BENAMBRA:** Sun: 11.00am

#### 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> weekends of the Month

**IMMACULATE CONCEPTION, OMEO:**

Sun: 9.00am Liturgy of the Word

#### SACRED HEART SWIFTS CREEK:

June Sun: 8.30am Liturgy of the Word

#### ST JOSEPH'S ENSAY:

July Sat: 6.30pm Liturgy of the Word

#### ST FRANCIS of ASSISI, BENAMBRA:

Sun: 9.30am Liturgy of the Word

#### WEEKDAYS

#### ST MARY'S BAIRNSDALE:

Mon: 9:10am

Tue: 9.10am

Wed: 9.10am

10.30am Domain Aged Care

Thur: 9.10am

Fri: 9:10am

Sat: 9:10am (Mass for Vocations)

#### RECONCILIATION

ST MARY'S BAIRNSDALE: After Fri & Sat 9:10 am Mass

OTHER CHURCHES: Before Mass

#### DEVOTIONS

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

After 1st Friday Mass

Morning Office: 8.45 am in St Mary's Chapel

Rosary: after morning Mass/Liturgy of the Word

### **NEXT WEEKEND JULY 13<sup>th</sup> - 14<sup>th</sup>**

#### **ROSTERS**

7:00pm  
 9.00am  
 11:00am

#### **Commentators**

C Shanahan  
 G Mason  
 G Burton

#### **Proclaimers**

J DeBoer, M Elliott  
 K Broome  
 D Roberts

#### **Procession of Gifts**

P Alexander  
 J & E Delany  
 R David, J Burton  
 R Smith

#### **Special Ministers**

C Shanahan, M Elliott, D Mihan  
 J Delany, D Atkins, G Neeson  
 A Chila, G Burton, A Roberts

**CHURCH CLEANING:** 15<sup>th</sup> July - 22<sup>nd</sup> July J Delany, H & J Coverdale

## *Please pray for*

**OUR RECENTLY DECEASED:** Tess Allison, Pat Royal, Louise Bowers, Domenico Galati, Jeff Davis (former Business Manager of Sale Diocese), Sr Mary Fyfe OLSH

**AND FOR ALL WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES: occur about this time:** Kerrie Knott, Emily & Charlie Fermio, Joan Overend, Pasqualina DiPalma, Michelle McCormack, Eric Lenehan, Norman Dore, Melissa Overy, Ross Scott, Antonio Lupo DiPalma, Maurice Walsh, Rik Vijverborg, Margaret Scott, Christopher Ward, Margaret Morgan, Kevin Mason

### **PLEASE REMEMBER ALSO THE SICK:**

Fr John Allen, James Warren, Brian Rowe, Ern Powell, Elizabeth Scott, Gus Morgan, Frank Power, Peter Koby, Mary Anne Esmonde, Andrew Prior, Ann Farrell, Trish Henderson, Peter Zuino, Cecily Tilley, Anna Louise Sheba, Kellie Haeusler, Kevin Grant, Brendan Prendergast, Ron Hannaford, Murray Dawson Smith, Wendy Houston, Terry Martin, Harry Hoare, David Saxton, Daniel Maglione, Fr Dan O'Sullivan, Tammy Cross, Sr Kathleen Gaffey OLSH, Roslyn Websdale, Jan Hynes  
*(Please let the Parish Centre know if you wish to add or remove a person from the sick list)*

### **POPE'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR JULY 2013**

- That World Youth Day in Brazil may encourage all young Christians to become disciples and missionaries of the Gospel.
- That throughout Asia doors may be open to messengers of the Gospel.

### **ADULT FAITH ONLINE**

Adult Faith Online has resulted from participants at earlier eConferences saying to the Broken Bay Institute they wanted to continue their adult faith education with quality courses which were enjoyable and had no exams or assessments. As long as you have the internet, you can access Adult Faith Online from anywhere in the world. A list of courses is available at  
<http://www.bbi.catholic.edu.au/adult-faith>

### **ELECTION STATEMENT**

Australia's Catholic Bishops have produced an election statement to focus on some key issues of vital concern to the Australian community. 'As Bishops we want to focus your attention on some key issues of vital concern to the Australian community,' the statement says. 'We encourage Catholics to look beyond their own individual needs to apply a different test at the ballot box – the test of what we call the common good. The good of the individual and the good of society as a whole must be brought together in harmony. When they are, we have the common good.' You can find the statement at St Mary's website [www.stmarysbairnsdale.net](http://www.stmarysbairnsdale.net) and [www.catholicsvote2013.org.au](http://www.catholicsvote2013.org.au) Copies are available in the foyer of the church.

### **ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER SUNDAY**

**Today, July 7<sup>th</sup>**, is recognized by the ABC as Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Sunday which aims to celebrate the gifts that Indigenous Catholics bring to the Church in Australia. A resource containing a letter from Bishop Christopher Saunders, entitled 'Living the Gospel of Hope', together with resources for liturgy and group reflection, is available at  
<http://www.natsicc.org.au/>

### ***Fr John's Anniversary***

Please note that on **July 28<sup>th</sup>**, only one mass will be offered at the **10.30am** for Fr John's 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary.

The Bairnsdale Conference of the St Vincent de Paul Society wish to thank parishioners for their generous support of this year's Winter Appeal. A sum of \$6140 was raised for the poor and disadvantaged.

Alcoholics Anonymous wants us to know that they are available to people who wish to speak with them at any time. If there is some problem you wish to discuss, please do not hesitate to call Bruce (5156 6921) or Carolyn (5157 5534). They will be very glad to speak with you.

## NATSICC

The National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Catholic Council (NATSICC) received a petition on behalf of the delegates at the 2012 NATSICC Assembly in Melbourne. The petition stated: ***We the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Catholics of Australia do hereby strongly recommend that the Australia Catholic Bishops Conference give general approval for the use of the Aboriginal Eucharistic Prayer, Rituals and Symbols in the Mass celebrated in Aboriginal communities, Parishes and Schools.***

A copy of this petition is available in the foyer of the church.

## SACRAMENTS

Sacramental Information and registration Forms are available at:

[stmarybairnsdale@gmail.com](mailto:stmarybairnsdale@gmail.com)

**Baptism** – Baptism preparation sessions are held regularly. Please call the Sacramental Co-ordinator to register for a class.

**Weddings** – Six months preparation required. Schedule dates with the priest.

**Funerals** – Please schedule with priest before publishing dates and times.

**Anointing of the Sick** – Please call the Parish Office 5152 3106

**Communion to the Housebound** – Please call Margaret Sheehan 5152 4382

**Special Wedding Anniversaries** – the parish would like to celebrate with you by facilitating a Papal Blessing, please give six months notice

### CHRISTMAS SHOPPING IN JULY!

**Nagle College P.F.A.**  
**Invites you to do some early Christmas shopping Friday, 26<sup>th</sup> July – 7.00pm – St Mary's Parish Centre – Tickets available at Nagle College or at the door. Prizes, great products – 18 stalls.**

### PARISH COLLECTIONS – LAST WEEKEND 23<sup>rd</sup> July

Envelopes & Cards \$ 7729.55  
Loose Change \$ 263.60  
Second Collection \$ 690.20

## NOVENA PRAYER FOR FR JOHN ALLEN

**Ever Generous God, You inspired Saint Mary MacKillop to live her life faithful to the Gospel of Jesus Christ and constant in bringing hope and encouragement to those who were disheartened, lonely or needy. With confidence in Your generous providence and through the intercession of Saint Mary MacKillop, we ask that You grant our request**  
**for: FR JOHN ALLEN**

**We believe in God's loving kindness for all people. Through our faith and hope in God's love we are confident that our prayers will be granted. We pray through the intercession of St Mary MacKillop whose life demonstrated the effects of God's great love.**

**We humbly and joyfully acknowledge God's honour and glory in our world.**

### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

**PLEASE NOTE THAT IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE PRIEST SAYS 'LET US SHARE WITH EACH OTHER THE SIGN OF PEACE' IS THE TIME FOR YOU TO APPROACH THE ALTAR, NOT BEFORE.**

### CELEBRATING THE MASS

Are you unable to physically join your parish community either weekdays or on the weekend for Mass? We invite you to join the congregation of our Lady of the Rosary Cathedral, Waitara, or the staff at Bishop David's Office in the Chapel of the Caroline Chisholm Centre, Pennant Hills for Mass Streamed Live at  
<http://www.ddb.org.au/index.cfm>

### ECUMENICAL PASTORAL CARE GROUP MEETING

**Thursday July 18<sup>th</sup>**

**St John's Parish Centre - 12 Noon**

**Please bring a plate for shared lunch. Guest Speaker. Contact person: Margaret Sheehan - 5152 4382.**

## **14<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time – Yr C**

### **Entrance Antiphon:**

Your merciful love, O God, we have received in the midst of your temple. Your praise, O God, like your name, reaches the ends of the earth; your right hand is filled with saving justice.

### **A reading from the prophet Isaiah: 66:10-14**

Rejoice, Jerusalem, be glad for her, all you who love her! Rejoice, rejoice for her, all you who mourned her!

That you may be suckled, filled, from her consoling breast, that you may savour with delight her glorious breasts.

For thus says the Lord: Now towards her I send flowing peace, like a river, and like a stream in spite the glory of the nations.

At her breast will her nurslings be carried and fondled in her lap. Like a son comforted by his mother will I comfort you.

And by Jerusalem you will be comforted.

At the sight your heart will rejoice, and your bones flourish like the grass. To his servants the Lord will reveal his hand.

The word of the Lord.

### **Responsorial Psalm: 65:1-7, 16, 20**

Let all the earth cry out to God with joy.

### **A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Galatians: 6:14-18**

The only thing I can boast about is the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom the world is crucified to me, and I to the world. It does not matter if a person is circumcised or not; what matters is for him to become an altogether new creature. Peace and mercy to all who follow this rule, who form the Israel of God.

I want no more trouble from anybody after this; the marks on my body are those of Jesus. The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with your spirit, my brothers. Amen.

The word of the Lord.

### **Gospel Acclamation:**

***Alleluia, alleluia!***

May the peace of Christ reign in your hearts, and the fullness of his message live within you.

## **A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke: 10:1-12, 17-20**

The Lord appointed seventy-two others and sent them out ahead of him, in pairs, to all the towns and places he himself was to visit. He said to them, 'The harvest is rich but the labourers are few, so ask the Lord of the harvest to send labourers to his harvest. Start off now, but remember, I am sending you out like lambs among wolves. Carry no purse, no haversack, no sandals. Salute no one on the road. Whatever house you go into, let your first words be, "Peace to this house!" And if a man of peace lives there, your peace will go and rest on him; if not, it will come back to you. Stay in the same house, taking what food and drink they have to offer, for the labourer deserves his wages; do not move from house to house.

Whenever you go into a town where they make you welcome, eat what is set before you. Cure those in it who are sick, and say, "The kingdom of God is very near to you."

But whenever you enter a town and they do not make you welcome, go out into its streets and say, "We wipe off the very dust of your town that clings to our feet, and leave it with you. Yet be sure of this: the kingdom of God is very near." I tell you, that on that day it will not go as hard with Sodom as with that town.'

The seventy-two came back rejoicing. 'Lord,' they said, 'even the devils submit to us when we use your name.' He said to them, 'I watched Satan fall like lightning from heaven. Yes, I have given you power to tread underfoot serpents and scorpions and the whole strength of the enemy; nothing shall ever hurt you. Yet do not rejoice that the spirits submit to you; rejoice rather that your names are written in heaven.'

The Gospel of the Lord

### **NEXT WEEKEND – July 13<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup> READINGS:**

#### **15<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YR C)**

Deuteronomy	30:10-14
Psalm	18:8-11
Colossians	1:15-20
Luke	10:25-37