



St Joseph's Church
Mt Beauty

WODONGA PARISH CENTRE

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OFFICE HOURS

9:30 am - 4:30 pm

Monday to Friday

PRESBYTERY

55 High Street Wodonga Vic

PARISH PRIEST

Father Junjun Amaya

0459-356-917

ASSISTANT PRIEST

Father Junray Rayna

Ph: 0403-677-769

PASTORAL ASSISTANT

Sister Eileen Reardon

0458 327 554 (Mt Beauty)

WEEKEND MASSES

WODONGA

Sacred Heart Church

Saturday 6:00 pm.

Sunday 8:30 am 10:30 am

4th Sunday of each month

Youth Mass 5:00 pm

TANGAMBALANGA

Our Lady Help of Christians

2nd & 4th Sunday 10:30 am

BETHANGA

St Francis

2nd Sunday 12 noon

DEDERANG

St Joseph's

1st & 3rd Sunday 10:30 am

5th Sunday 10:30 am

Liturgy of The Word

and Communion

MT BEAUTY

St Joseph's

1st to 4th Sunday 8:30 am

5th Sunday 8:30 am

Liturgy of The Word

and Communion

WEEKDAY MASS:

Sacred Heart Church

Monday: Liturgy of the Word

9:15 am

Mass: Tuesday to Friday

9:15 am

St Augustine's Church

Saturday 9:30 am

RECONCILIATION:

Sacred Heart Church

Saturday 9:00 - 9:30 am

Country Churches

Before Masses

Wodonga Catholic Parish

Including Bethanga, Dederang, Mt Beauty and Tangambalanga Communities



November 11th -2018 - The 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time.

~ YEAR B ~



Words of Pope Francis

True justice comes about in people's lives when they themselves are just in their decisions; it is expressed in their pursuit of justice for the poor and the weak. While it is true that the word "justice" can be a synonym for faithfulness to God's will in every aspect of our life, if we give the word too general a meaning, we forget that it is shown especially in justice towards those who are most vulnerable: "Seek justice, correct oppression; defend the fatherless, plead for the widow"

(Is 1:17). *Pope Francis, Gaudete Et Exsultate (2018) para 79*

Focus on the Readings:

Elijah's numerous adventures: disputes with and denouncements by the king and queen, battles with the priests of baal, prophesies of drought and famine and: today's miracle of the widow's flour and oil and later the revival of the widow's son and triumphs over his enemies are more to do with faith than any show of marvellous acts. He placed his trust in God and was able to convince the pagan woman from Zarephath to do the same. He recognised her destitution (wearing the widow's clothes) and poverty (collecting sticks, lack of food) and responded in God's name. She was a victim of natural disasters (drought and famine) and social structures (the kings actions and stigmatisation by the people). Elijah was able to bring God's mercy and help to her.

A similar but different scenario was played out in today's Gospel. Jesus entry into Jerusalem provided several opportunities to stand and teach in the Temple. Like Elijah he noticed a poor woman in widow's clothing offering her meagre resources to the temple treasury. Like the Zarephath woman, a widow, and so a victim of unjust social structures she gave generously and put her trust in God to supply her needs.

Injustices of King Ahab and Jezebel, the elders and leaders remind us of Jesus' words then and also in the Beatitudes: "Blessed are the poor in spirit, theirs is the kingdom of heaven." Because the Father recognises in the poor and humble an image of this Son, his eyes rest on them with such benevolence and joy.

Recent Deaths: Desmond Taylor (Fr Joe Taylors Father)



Anniversaries: Pat Toole Snr.

Sick: Zak Oliver, Mavis Rogac, Emil Auda, Salome Ramirez, Ric Glavocih, Mary Shaddock, Nola Usher, Ricky Ellul, Pat Gibson, John Radcliffe, parishioners who are ill, their families & Carers.

What's Happening in Our Parish

Knights of the Southern Cross News

Knights of the Southern Cross Bunning`s

BBQ Our next BBQ at Bunning`s is on **11/11/2018**. Volunteers would be most welcome. Contact Michael McCormick 0429009595 OR Des Lonergan 0408575825

Bible Study with Fr Junjun

Where: The Parish Centre Meeting Room

When: **Tuesday 20th of Nov- @ 4:30-5pm start**

Who: Fr Junjun

All welcome. Please bring your Bible.

Annual Memorial Mass

November is traditionally a time to pray for those who have died. The Annual Memorial Mass for deceased parishioners will be held at Sacred Heart Church, Wodonga on Tuesday 20th of November at 7.30 pm. Contact the Parish Centre on 6024 3366

Plenary Council 2020 Small Groups Training

An opportunity for those in parishes, schools, pastoral associates, youth ministry workers, prayer groups, members of pastoral initiatives and interested persons in our Diocese to receive training in facilitating discussion groups of the Plenary Council 2020-2021 initiative."

Date: Tuesday 13th November

Place: Wodonga Catholic Parish Church foyer

Times: 4.00 – 5.30 pm OR 7.00 – 8.30 pm.

Facilitators:

Ruth Lawlor, Anthony Holligan, Lyn Breen

Parish Talk CHRISTMAS Edition

Many thanks for the submissions received for the Spring Edition of **Parish Talk**.

The deadline for the Christmas, 2018 edition is MONDAY 12th, Nov - 2018.

We will accept photos with a brief description of the event. Please email articles or photos to wcpstalk@gmail.com or contact the Parish Centre.

Readers & Eucharistic Ministers Rosters

New rosters have been prepared for the period December to March and are available in the church foyer.

Mass Commemorating Baptism

This weekend at all Masses our reconciliation candidates are continuing their faith journey celebrating Mass Commemorating Baptism .

MASS of Anointing Group

The Mass of Anointing Group meet at **11:00am** on **Wednesday December 5th** Sacred Heart Church. Contact Helen Hanrahan 6024 2024

Mass of Anointing

The Mass of Anointing will take place at **1:45 pm - Wednesday December 5th** at Sacred Heart Church. Contact Helen Hanrahan 6024 2024



Plenary Council 2020
Listen to what the Spirit is saying...

Do you need more information about the Plenary Council?

Go to <https://sandhurst.catholic.org.au/plenary-council>

Follow the links -

WODONGA ROSTERS 18TH NOVEMBER 2018

SACRED HEART CLEANING: Natasha Pyneappels, Catherine Caton

SACRED HEART ALTAR: Ddot Larkin, Carmel Gannon

MASS TIMES: 6.00 pm 8.30 am 10.30 am

<p>ALTAR SERVERS Peter, Michael, David.</p> <p>Lector 1: Fiona Barret</p> <p>Lector 2: Marg Ware</p>	<p>ALTAR SERVERS Edward, Henry, Jess, Mac, Oliver, Billy, Tommy</p> <p>Lector 1: Barry Jackson</p> <p>Lector 2: Kate Rotherham</p>	<p>ALTAR SERVERS Honorina, Eliza</p> <p>Lector 1: Ampy Clark</p> <p>Lector 2: Pt Oliver</p>
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EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

6.00pm: Cathy Campbell, Erris Black, Amilia Dealtry, Syd Taylor, Denise Piergrosse
8.30am: Pauline Acott, Nina de Kruiff, Michelle McCarty, Judy Elkington, Ros Revell, Cecilia McCormick
10.30am: Jacinta Bartlett, Dianne King, Ken Fuchsen, Gabrielle Radcliffe, Yves or Edwidge

Children's Liturgy: 8.30 am Mass: Timele & Steve 10.30 Mass: Timele

COUNTERS: THIS WEEK 11TH NOVEMBER

THIS WEEK: TEAM 4: Margo Dare, Pauline Acott, Kate McAlinden, Kath Didier, Graeme Stewart
NEXT WEEK: TEAM 5: Pat Toole, Margo Keat, Mark & Monica Wallace, Gerry & Marion Fitzpatrick

MT BEAUTY ROSTERS: 18TH NOVEMBER	DEDERANG ROSTERS: 18TH NOVEMBER
LECTOR: Roseanna	FIRST / SECOND READING: Harrison Fischer
Backup: Deb	WELCOME/PSALM/PRAYER OF FAITHFUL: McEvoy Family
COMMENTATOR: Barb	POWERPOINT: Madison Coulston
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Bruce & Volunteer	OFFERTORY: Fischer
Mowing: Peter	CLEANING ROSTER: Sharon McEvoy

GOSPEL: MARK 12:28-34

In his teaching Jesus said,
 ‘Beware of the scribes who like to walk about in long robes,
 to be greeted obsequiously in the market squares,
 to take the front seats in the synagogues and the places of honour at banquets;
 these are the men who swallow the property of widows,
 while making a show of lengthy prayers. The more severe will be the sentence they receive.’
 He sat down opposite the treasury and watched the people putting money into the treasury,
 and many of the rich put in a great deal.
 A poor widow came and put in two small coins, the equivalent of a penny.
 Then he called his disciples and said to them,
 ‘I tell you solemnly, this poor widow has put more in than all who have contributed
 to the treasury; for they have all put in money they had over,
 but she from the little she had has put in everything she possessed,
 all she had to live on.’

<p>Readings this week</p> <p>_1 Kings 17:10-16 Hebrews 9:24-28 Mark 12:38-44</p> <p>Readings next week:</p> <p>Daniel 12:1-3 Hebrews 10:11-14, 18 Mark 13:24-32</p>	<p>Responsorial Psalm: Praise the Lord, my soul!</p> <p>Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! Happy the poor in spirit; the kingdom of heaven is theirs. Alleluia!</p> <p>Prayer of the Faithful: Lord, hear our prayer!</p>
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ALPHA YOUTH



Alpha is a series of interactive video sessions that engage people in conversations about life and faith.

And it's coming to WODONGA!!

Wodonga Catholic Parish Youth are giving anyone between the ages of 13 - 21 the opportunity to get involved in a like-minded community where we can share stories, beliefs and feelings about our own faith and life.

Sessions involve games, food, music, videos and discussions.

Invite your brother, sister, neighbours, friend down the street, your whole friendship group to join hosts Ben and Jason as they travel the world, unpacking the basics of the Christian faith.

Almost 24,000,000 people in 169 countries have gone through Alpha, will you be the next one?

Not convinced?

Come along and see for yourself, make some new friends and jump into an experience that could be life changing. Still not convinced?

Contact us; we can answer any questions you might have.

Emily Cariss :

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To view our Child Safe Policy

visit our website @

wodongacatholicparish.com.au

Go information - Go WCP CHILD SAFE POLICY.

Or contact Sonni @ the Parish

Centre Ph: 6024-3366 OR E:

wodcath@bigpond.net.au

Our Child safety Officers are

Jacinta Bartlett

0429850874

Or

Sonia La Motte-Schubert

0434179411

Stronger - November 17th - need more info?

<https://www.facebook.com/wodongaparishyouth/>



Diocese of Sandhurst

LITURGY IN OUR DIOCESE

An invitation is warmly extended to all Parish Priests and Clergy, all Pastoral Associates, persons involved in music ministries, RE Coordinators, those involved in Youth Ministry, Parish Liturgy Teams, and all interested persons to attend one of three liturgy workshop days to be held later this year



WODONGA CATHOLIC PARISH

WHEN: THURSDAY DECEMBER 6th - 2018

TIME: 10.00 am - 3.00 pm

PROGRAM FOR THURSDAY DECEMBER 6 - 2018

10.00 – 10.15am PRAYER

10.30 – 12.00pm WORKSHOP ONE

1. Preaching & Homilies *Fr Brian Boyle*

OR

2. Music in Liturgy

*Dr Paul Taylor &
Joanne Bonazza (Cantor)*

12.00 – 1.30pm Meal Break *(Provided)*

1.30pm – 2.30pm WORKSHOP TWO

1. Masses With Children *Lee Pethybridg
& Children's Liturgy*

OR

2. Music in Liturgy *(Repeat) Dr Paul Taylor &*

Joanne Bonazza (Cantor)