

CATHEDRAL ROSTERS	This WEEK: 13/1/2019			NEXT WEEK: 20/1/2019		
	8.30am	11.00am	6pm	8.30am	11.00am	6pm
Readers	J Trainor	L Van Emmerik	J Freeman	Sr P O'Connell	J Tolley	N Nowers
Collection	P Breewel	M Mawby	Volunteers Please	P Breewel	M Mawby	Volunteers Please
Offertory	M Gobbie	M & M Nestor	J & J Freeman	A Begg	Whitehouse Family	V Novabos
Extraordinary Ministers of Communion	Y Laventure, M Flynn, S Fairbairn	B Lougoon, I Aying, M Mawby, S Falherty	J & F Russell, J Freeman	K & M O'Brien, J Parker	E Walker, J Hudson, K Smith, K Oviedo, R Aikman	N Crowle, V Novabos
Counters	P & M Pianta			M & M Nestor, K & B McFadden, A Mylon		
Altar Society	Jan 18	F Austerberry, J Parker, L McDonnell		Jan 25 Feb 1	M Nestor, A Mylon, K Breewel, J Smith, J Pengelly	—
Altar Linen	JANUARY	Y Clarke				

**Cantors: 8.30am:** Joanne Bonazza **11am & 6pm:** Sarah Gould

**Mass Setting (All Masses):** Mass of St Francis by Paul Taylor **Postlude (All Masses):** A Noel by Dandrieu

**GATHERING HYMN (388)**

Refrain:

The Spirit of God rests upon me,  
the Spirit of God consecrates me,  
the Spirit of God bids me go forth  
to proclaim God's peace and joy.

Verses:

1. The Spirit of God sends me forth,  
called to witness the kingdom of Christ  
among all the nations; called to  
proclaim the good news of Christ to the  
poor.

My spirit rejoices in God my Saviour.

2. The Spirit of God sends me forth,  
called to witness the kingdom of Christ  
among all the nations; called to console  
the hearts overcome with great sorrow.  
My spirit rejoices in God my Saviour.

3. The Spirit of God sends me forth,  
called to witness the kingdom of Christ  
among all the nations; called to comfort  
the poor who mourn and who weep.  
My spirit rejoices in God my Saviour.

4. The Spirit of God sends me forth,  
called to witness the kingdom of Christ  
among all the nations;  
called to announce the grace of  
salvation to all.  
My spirit rejoices in God my Saviour.

5. The Spirit of God sends me forth,  
called to witness the kingdom of Christ  
among all the nations;  
called to reveal his glory  
among all the people  
My spirit rejoices in God my Saviour.

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**OFFERTORY HYMN (283)**

When Jesus to the Jordan came, the sinless  
one, to know our shame, the waters of the  
earth were giv'n the pow'r to cleanse our  
hearts for heav'n.

A voice like thunder then was heard, the  
Father witnessed to the Word.  
The Spirit like a dove came down and glory  
settled on the Son.

The voice said, "This is my dear Son.  
O hear his words for he has come to save  
the world, to do my will; in him all things  
will be fulfilled."

O praise the Father of the Word!  
O praise our Saviour, Christ the Lord!  
The Spirit living in our hearts, will make our  
praise a joyful task.

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**COMMUNION HYMN (589)**

Antiphon:  
Priestly people, kingly people, holy people,  
God's chosen people, sing praise to the  
Lord.

1 We sing to you, O Christ beloved Son of  
the Father.  
We give you praise, O Wisdom everlasting,  
and Word of God.

2. We sing to you, O Son, born of Mary the  
Virgin.  
We give you praise, Redeemer, born to  
heal us, our saving Lord.

3. We sing to you, Messiah foretold by the  
prophets.  
We give you praise, O Son of Abraham,  
born of David's line.

**RECESSIONAL HYMN (265)**

1. Joy to the world! The Lord is come:  
let earth receive her King; let ev'ry  
heart prepare him a room, and heav'n  
and nature sing, and heav'n and nature  
sing, and heav'n and nature sing.

2. Joy to the world! The Saviour reigns:  
let us our songs employ; while fields  
and floods, rocks, hills and plains  
repeat the sounding joy,  
repeat the sounding joy, repeat the  
sounding joy.

3. He rules the world with truth and  
grace, and makes the nations prove the  
glories if his righteousness, and  
wonders of his love, and wonders of his  
love, and wonders of his love.

*Communion Cont....*

4. We sing to you, the Way to the Father  
in heaven.  
We give you praise, the Way of Truth,  
and way of all grace and light.

5. We sing to you, the Shepherd who  
leads to the kingdom.  
We give you praise, who gathers all your  
sheep in the one true fold.

6. We sing to you, O Manna which God  
gives his people.  
We give you praise, O living Bread,  
which comes down to us from heaven

7. We sing to you, O Lord, whom the  
Father exalted.  
We give you praise, in glory you are  
coming to judge all the peoples.

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# Sacred Heart Cathedral Parish

The Baptism of the Lord Yr C:  
13th January 2019

As a very visible sign of the Church in Bendigo, we aim to be welcoming and hospitable. By using our gifts to build a prayerful, well-informed community, we celebrate liturgy and strive to serve each other and those beyond our Parish, with missionary spirit.

**Bishop:** Most Rev. Leslie Tomlinson D.D

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**Parish Secretary:** Chris Quinn

**PLEASE PRAY FOR RECENTLY DECEASED**

Bernard Holland, Christine Perry

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK**

Sr Maureen Howley, Geoff Adams, Lina Jong,  
Jason Johnson, René Wills, Maree Nash.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR RECENT ANNIVERSARIES**

Bishop Noel Daly DD, Andrew Duffus, Chris Bourke,  
Flora Wiegard, Annie Roper, Theo Greblo,  
Sylvia Marshall, John Millar, Kath Duffy.



**Looking at the Gospel**

Jesus' Baptism by John is recorded in all the four Gospels. Matthew 3:13-17 is the most detailed, then Mark 1:9-11, and then Luke 3:21-22 and John's version is only a reference of the Spirit coming down and resting on Christ, John 1:32-34. Each account gives its own nuance to the event but all share that the Holy Spirit came down and rested on Jesus.

Christian Art for 1,900 years lacked the technic of motion pictures. The artist had to telescope time frames into one still picture. Therefore we have many depictions of Christ's Baptism in mosaics, oil and stone of the one scene of Jesus in the Jordan river: John pouring the water, the heavens opening and the Holy Spirit descending like a dove and the words: "This is my Son, the Beloved, my favour rests on him" (Matt) or "You are my Son, the Beloved, my favour rests on you." (Mark & Luke) Did everything happen together at the same time? The scriptures, in fact, attest that the heavens opened, the spirit descended and the voice heard after Jesus had come out of the river.

Today's Gospel according to Luke (Year C) has a greater time delay: After all the people had gone, and while Jesus was by himself at prayer the voice of God was heard: "You are my Son, the Beloved, my favour rests on you." In Luke's tradition Jesus is at prayer at significant moments (5:16, 6:12, 9:18, 9:29, 11:1, 22:41). Also prayer precedes divine revelation here and especially in his second work, the coming down of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost: Acts 1:13-14, 2:1-4.

**Did Jesus Baptise?**

The Gospel for Saturday after the Epiphany reads "Jesus went with his disciples into the Judaeian countryside and stayed with them there and baptised." (John 3:22), But John was quick to add: "Jesus knew that the Pharisees had heard that he was winning and baptising more followers than John was. But Jesus' disciples were really the ones doing the baptising, and not Jesus himself." (4:1-2). The disciples were for a short time continuing the Baptist's ministry of baptising for conversion. Christian baptism receives its meaning and power from the death and resurrection of Christ as recorded at Pentecost in Acts of the Apostles (2:37-38).

**COLUMBAN CALENDARS**

There are still some Columban Calendars for 2019 available. They are located at the back of the Cathedral for \$10.00



### CLUSTER EVENTS

**BOOK ORDER:** The 2019 Break Open the Word books have arrived for readers and are available in the parish office at a cost of \$5.00

**DIVINE WILL CONFERENCE:**  
Prof Tony Hickey 9.00 – 3.30 pm (Mass 9.00 am) 25th January 2019, Holy Rosary Church 550 Napier St White Hills BENDIGO. Tony Hickey, Professor in Sacred Scripture and Theology, international presenter and retreat master from Manchester UK, will speak on Luisa Piccarreta, the Doctrine of Divine Will and the Lord’s Prayer. Please bring a plate to share for lunch. Tea & Coffee provided. See parish poster for more information or contact: Alison Buman ‘Ph: 0400 543 776 E: alisonbuman@yahoo.com.au

#### PLENARY COUNCIL GATHERING FOR CATHEDRAL CLUSTER PARISHIONERS.

Monday 21st January 2019, 7pm-8.30pm in Sacred Heart Hall, Short Street, Bendigo  
Your voice is important, speak boldly and with passion, listen with an open heart/with faith and guided by the Holy Spirit we journey toward the future. In the Australian Catholic Church, together we are on a journey of listening to one another. All people are invited. Please contact..... Lyn 0417 770 067 or Romy 5407 1705, to let us know if you would like to join us.

#### CATHEDRAL GARDEN SURROUNDS

Thanks to the generous estate of the late Grace Maguire, a former parishioner of St. Mary’s Myrtleford who bequeathed a significant amount to the Diocese and the Myrtleford Parish, we are able to extend the existing landscaping of the Cathedral surrounds beyond what has already been undertaken. As of 14 January this year the garden surrounds closest to the Cathedral structure, on the Mackenzie Street side will commence. The project will follow a similar design as the High Street side of the building as drawn up by leading garden designer, Paul Bangay. Over this construction period may I apologize for any inconveniences that may occur, whilst ensuring you of my commitment to minimizing such an occurrence.

#### ST. JOSEPH’S QUARRY HILL CHURCH REFURBISHMENT

Over the next few months work will begin with the refurbishment of the Church at Quarry Hill. This will initially take the place of the much needed replacement of the carpet. Commercial quality carpet is limited in color and design in the form of broadloom. Larger samples will be provided for your consideration in the near future. It is envisaged that, as in many Churches now, that quality carpet and underlay, will allow for the removal of ‘kneelers’, which are proving to be a hazard and cumbersome movement for an ageing population. Also due to inappropriate environment for the celebration of the Sacrament of Reconciliation, the existing confessionals will be removed, opening up greater use of facilities in the space provided formerly by the building.

### CLUSTER/DIOCESAN NOTICES

#### PLENARY COUNCIL

Thank you to those people who have responded so far to the three questions put forward in the Plenary Council questionnaire. There is great honesty and serious reflection gone into to your responses. As planned the responses received, will begin to be displayed in the Churches of the Cathedral Cluster. I encourage you to read what has been presented so far. You may have something to add yourselves as you see and listen to what others are saying. Sheets of paper and marker pens will be provided for you to express such thoughts of your own. You may not agree or may even be uncomfortable with other’s reflections. As this is a time of listening, I ask you to reserve judgement and take others and your own reflections to God in prayer. Doubt in the process has been expressed by some as to whether or not their responses will be vetted. I can assure you that all will be placed directly to the Council via their website, as well as being presented to the appointed Diocesan Committee. Transparency and honesty will be the key to the success of such an undertaking. The responses received on a national level will be processed and published for further reflection and comment throughout 2019. The areas of concern as expressed by the people of Australia will then be taken to the Plenary Council for discussion, voting and ongoing action.

So that we can process and seek yours and broader consultation via your families and friends, Catholic and non-Catholic, I would ask that your responses be returned by Sunday 20 January via mail, in the boxes in each Church or directly to the Plenary Council website.

#### KANGAROO FLAT CHURCH/COMMUNITY CENTRE PROJECT

The stage at which we are working on the much needed conversion and construction of the Church building space to incorporate meeting areas, small office area and versatile community gathering space is currently advancing slowly, however nonetheless advancing. We are at the stage of fine tuning the requirements in line with a budget. The working group will meet soon to further tease out ideas and possibilities with our architect, Matthew Dwyer of Y2 Architects. Then we will call a general meeting to present a concept, floor plan and 3D presentation and consultation to work out our way forward. Stay tuned!!!!

#### BEYOND THE NUTS AND BOLTS

Whilst many of the notices have been about material aspects of being community, I am conscious of the fact that these aspects must maintain a focus in which they serve our needs as a faith community and not the reverse. More to come in relation to the people based projects of further connecting ourselves with one another under the leadership and promptings of our God, lived and experienced in community.

#### First Reading:

##### A reading from the prophet Isaiah

*Here is my servant, my chosen one in whom I am well pleased.*

Thus says the Lord: Here is my servant whom I uphold, my chosen one in whom my soul delights. I have endowed him with my spirit that he may bring true justice to the nations. He does not cry out or shout aloud, or make his voice heard in the streets. He does not break the crushed reed, nor quench the wavering flame. Faithfully he brings true justice; he will neither waver, nor be crushed until true justice is established on earth, for the islands are awaiting his law. I, the Lord, have called you to serve the cause of right; I have taken you by the hand and formed you; I have appointed you as covenant of the people and light of the nations, to open the eyes of the blind, to free captives from prison, and those who live in darkness from the dungeon.

#### Responsorial Psalm

(R.) *The Lord will bless his people with peace.*

O give the Lord you sons of God, give the Lord glory and power; give the Lord the glory of his name. Adore the Lord in his holy court. (R.)

The Lord’s voice resounding on the waters, the Lord on the immensity of waters; the voice of the Lord, full of power, the voice of the Lord, full of splendour. (R.)

The God of glory thunders. In his temple they all cry: ‘Glory!’ The Lord sat enthroned over the flood: the Lord sits as king for ever. (R.)

#### Second Reading:

##### A reading from the Acts of the Apostles

*God anointed him with the Holy Spirit and with power.*

Peter addressed Cornelius and his household: ‘The truth I have now come to realise’ he said ‘is that God does not have favourites, but that anybody of any nationality who fears God and does what is right is acceptable to him. ‘It is true, God sent his word to the people of Israel, and it was to them that the good news of peace was brought by Jesus Christ – but Jesus Christ is Lord of all men. You must have heard about the recent happenings in Judaea; about Jesus of Nazareth and how he began in Galilee, after John had been preaching baptism. God had anointed him with the Holy Spirit and with power, and because God was with him, Jesus went about doing good and curing all who had fallen into the power of the devil.’

#### SOUTH EAST CLUSTER MASS TIMES: CATHEDRAL/QUARRY HILL/KANGAROO FLAT

<u>Monday</u>	8am	Poor Clare Convent
<u>Tuesday</u>	11.30am 6pm	St John of God St Joseph’s Quarry Hill
<u>Wednesday</u>	8am 11am	Cathedral Bethlehem
<u>Thursday</u>	8am 11.30am	St Joseph’s Quarry Hill St John of God Hospital Mass
<u>Friday</u>	8am 9.30am	Cathedral- Bendigo St Monica’s, Kangaroo Flat
<u>Saturday</u>	6pm 6pm	St Joseph’s, Quarry Hill St Monica’s, Kangaroo Flat
<u>Sunday</u>	8.30am 9am 11.00am 6pm	Cathedral St Monica’s, Kangaroo Flat Cathedral Cathedral

**Confession:** Cathedral, Saturday 10.30 - 11.30am or by arrangement with the Clergy.

#### Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Cathedral, St Augustine’s Chapel  
Wednesday 8.30am - 2pm

#### Gospel Acclamation

**Alleluia, alleluia!**  
The heavens were opened and the Father’s voice was heard:  
this is my beloved Son, hear him.  
**Alleluia!**

#### GOSPEL

##### A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke

*When Jesus had been baptised and had been praying, the heavens were opened and the Holy Spirit came upon him.*

A feeling of expectancy had grown among the people, who were beginning to think that John might be the Christ, so John declared before them all, ‘I baptise you with water, but someone is coming, someone who is more powerful than I am, and I am not fit to undo the strap of his sandals; he will baptise you with the Holy Spirit and fire.’

Now when all the people had been baptised and while Jesus after his own baptism was at prayer, heaven opened and the Holy Spirit descended on him in bodily shape, like a dove. And a voice came from heaven, ‘You are my Son, the Beloved; my favour rests on you.’