



THE CATHOLIC PARISH OF IVANHOE

St Bernadette's Church, 89 Bond St, Ivanhoe West
Mary Immaculate Church, 4 Waverley Ave, Ivanhoe
Mother of God Church, 56 Wilfred Rd, Ivanhoe East

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Masses:

Weekend: Saturday: 6.00pm St Bernadette's **Sunday: 9am** Mary Immaculate; 10.30am Mother of God
Weekday: 9.15am **Tuesday:** Mother of God **Wednesday:** Mary Immaculate **Friday:** St Bernadette's

No. 28

11 – 12 July 2015

15th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME: YEAR B

THE WORD

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON: **As for me, in justice I shall behold your face; I shall be filled with the vision of your glory.**

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: **Lord, show us your mercy and love, and grant us your salvation.**

- V. 1. I will hear what the Lord God has to say, a voice that speaks of peace, peace for his people.
His help is near for those who fear him and his glory will dwell in our land. **R.**
- V. 2. Mercy and faithfulness have met; justice and peace have embraced.
Faithfulness shall spring from the earth and justice look down from heaven. **R.**
- V. 3. The Lord will make us prosper and our earth shall yield its fruit.
Justice shall march before him and peace shall follow his steps. **R.**

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: **Alleluia, alleluia! May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ enlighten the eyes of our hearts that we might see how great is the hope to which we are called. Alleluia!**

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL: Lord hear us: **Lord hear our prayer**

COMMUNION ANTIPHON: **The sparrow finds a home, and the swallow a nest for her young: by your altars, O Lord of hosts, my King and my God. Blessed are they who dwell in your house, for ever singing your praise.**

PRAYERS OF THE COMMUNITY:

We remember Amanda Rathjen, Christine Smith, Br. James Maher MSC, Stuart King, Marty Brown, Ingrid Weinberg, Maria Colavizza, Mike McGuire, Sarah O'Shaughnessy, Margaret O'Brien, Tran thi Kim Chi, Sung Bui, Amy Nguyen, John Coonan and Gino Villani who are in need of prayer at this time. We remember those who support those in need.

We remember those who have died recently. We also remember Fr John Cunningham, Irma Pertile and Frank Ryan whose anniversaries occur at this time. May they rest in peace.



Baptisms: We welcome Aurora Widjaja who is baptised into the faith community of the Catholic Parish of Ivanhoe this weekend. We welcome her family, relatives and friends who have come to share this special occasion, one of many steps in the lifelong journey of faith.

This Week's Readings: 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year B

Amos 7:12-15 **Psalm 84:9-14** **Ephesians 1:3-14** **Mark 6:7-13**

Saint and Feast Days:

Mon 13 July: St Henry

Tues 14 July: St Camillus de Lellis

Wed 15 July: St Bonaventure

Thurs 16 July: Our Lady of Mount Carmel

Fri 17 July: St Marcellina

Sat 18 July: St Freferick

Next Week's Readings: 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year B

Jeremiah 23:1-6 **Psalm 22** **Ephesians 2:13-18** **Mark 6:30-34**

As from 4 July 2015 Mass at St Bernadette's will be at 6.00pm on a permanent basis

HAPPENINGS ACROSS THE PARISH

Saturday 11 July	10.00am	Reconciliation	Mother of God Church
		School Term 3 commences	
Monday 13 July	7.30pm	Baptism Preparation Meeting	Parish Office
Tuesday 14 July	4.15pm	Christian Meditation	Mary Immaculate Hall
Wednesday 15 July	7.00pm	Reconciliation – Catechist Class 1	Mary Immaculate Hall
Thursday 16 July	9.00am	Liturgy Group Meeting	Parish Office
Thursday 16 July	8.00pm	Finance Committee Meeting	
Saturday 18 July	10.00am	Reconciliation	Mary Immaculate Church
Sunday 19 July	10.30am	Mass & Mother of God P.S. Prep – 2	Mother of God Church

Prayers of the Sick: *Please note that names will remain on the sick list for a month.
To extend the time, please make personal contact with the Parish Office 9499 1515.*

Mother of God School Grades Prep - 2: On Sunday 19 July the children and families from Grades Prep-2 at Mother of God School will come join us at the 10.30am Mass at Mother of God Church.

A very significant date for the Catholic Parish of Ivanhoe:

- Have you noticed that there is another foundation stone opposite the one for the present Mary Immaculate Church? It was from the red brick church originally on this site and it was put in place on the 31st October 1915. So we have a centenary to celebrate in October this year. When we had the opportunity, we spoke to Bishop Mark Edwardes, our recently appointed Regional Bishop, about being with us and he pencilled in Sunday afternoon, 25th October. So we have a start.
- Needed now is a group of people to work together to make it a really significant celebration. Maybe you have had family associations with the church and can help us remember. Maybe you are just interested in the history of the Catholic Church in the area. We would like to start with a meeting around the end of May to make a 'grand plan' working out what needs to be done and who can do it - invitations, catering, liturgy, historical records etc. We do look forward to hearing from YOU. - Merle, for Pastoral Leadership Team.

Faith and Fabric – Spirituality through Fabric Art: Uniting Church, 187 Burgundy St, Heidelberg
Exhibition - 23 – 26 July, 10.00am – 4.00pm Presented by Traralgon Uniting Church Fabric Art Group
Workshop Friday 24 July from 10.00am – 2.00pm
Cost: \$30 – BYO Lunch. All materials supplied. Bookings essential: Phone 9458 1984

Short Course on World Religions: Wednesdays 29 July, 5, 12, 19 and 26 August, 6.00 – 8.00pm at Australian Catholic University, 115 Victoria Parade, Fitzroy. Learn about the beliefs and practices of the major world religions with experts from ACU: Dr Edmund Chia, Fatih Erol Tuncer, Rabbi Fred Morgan, Rev. Dr John Dupuche and Prof John D'Arcy May **Registrations and details:** www.acu.edu.au/theology/shortcourses

ROSTERS FOR WEEKEND: 18 – 19 July 2015

<u>ST. BERNADETTE'S:</u> Saturday 6.30pm	Lector C. Dixon	Special Ministers B. Jowett, A. Pellizzari	
<u>MARY IMMACULATE:</u> Leader Sunday 9.00am	Reader	Mass Coordinators	Counters M. Rocco, P. Shannon
<u>MOTHER OF GOD:</u> Sunday 10.30am	Sacristan A. Patterson Altar Society: A. Moloney	Lector A. Patterson	Special Ministers A. Patterson, M. A. Darcy, J. Ellis Choir Coordinator: J. O'Brien

First Collection – Thanksgiving: Envelopes: \$ Loose cash: \$ **Total: \$**
Second Collection – Presbytery: **Total: \$**

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