

OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY PARISH

White Hills

Bendigo East

Huntly

THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

10th & 11th DECEMBER, 2016.

Fr. Ted Harte Centre
4 Hamelin Street, White Hills
Hall available for hire
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Holy Rosary Parish Centre on facebook



Our cross lighting the way to faith and friendship

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Communion Antiphon: *Say to the faint of heart: Be strong and do not fear, Behold our God will come, and he will save us.*

Weekend Masses: **Holy Rosary:** Saturday Vigil 6.00 p.m. | Sunday 10.00 a.m.
St Francis Xavier: Sunday 8.30 a.m.

Weekday Masses: **Holy Rosary:** Monday to Saturday 9.00 a.m.
St Francis Xavier: Tuesday 5.45 p.m.

Feast Days: **Tuesday:** St Lucy
Wednesday: St John of the Cross

Our Lady of Good Counsel Charismatic Prayer Group is now in recess till February. For prayer requests during this period phone Denise Ilott 5441 1087.

2016	Altar Servers	Lectors & Offertory Gifts	Ministers of Holy Communion
10 DEC SAT	Eli Flood	Ray Pysing & Lorraine Campbell (L) Mary Abraham & Joe Byrne (O)	Frank Egan
11 DEC SUN	Eli Pearce	Teresa Cooney & Frank Gargiulo (L) Wendy Walsh & Anita Runnalls (O)	Paul Wilkinson
17 DEC SAT	Isabella Tuohey	Noelene Arundell & Len Rodda (L) Maureen & Derek Bonney (O)	Tom Dobeli
18 DEC SUN	Xavier Morrissey	Kevin Churchill (L) Maureen Symons & Cheryl (O)	Noelle Treacy
24 DEC SAT 6 PM	Eli Flood	Frank Egan & Kelly Browne (L) Clare Welch & Catherine Byrne (O)	To be advised
24 DEC SAT 7.30	To be advised	Len & Marg Gaskell (L)	To be advised

ANNIVERSARIES: Fr Don O'Neill, Len Cooper, Ron Grogan, Gary McConnell, Kerry Hogan, Rhonda Tardrew, Fayez Toauk, Kevin Maher, Eileen Coughlan, Tom Hickey, Alice Hickey, Ellen Dempsey, Phil Kane, Fred Price, Gen Barlow, Terri O'Brien, Irene Harty.

COUNTING TEAM - DECEMBER: Doug Lougoon, Frank Egan, Michael McKenzie, Gordon Davidson

CHURCH CLEANING:

DECEMBER 17th & 24th HR. Ladies required? **STFX.** Allen Joy
DECEMBER 31st & 7th JAN HR. Marie Kane, Deanna Keogh **STFX.** Joan Kirwan
YARD ROSTER Week Commencing DECEMBER H.R. Frank Egan & John Carty
YARD ROSTER Week Commencing 18th DEC. STFX. Len Rodda & Tony Egan

Columban Calendars priced at \$9 and **Christmas Cards** will be on sale at the church doors.

The Holy Rosary conference of St Vincent de Paul is currently conducting its **Christmas Appeal** to aid needy families within our parish. We are particularly in need of cash donations, which may be placed in the boxes at the foot of the altar. Gift-wrapped presents, suitable for the elderly, can be left under the Christmas Tree in the church. We would like to say a big thank you in advance for your generosity at this time.

The Aspire Cultural & Charitable Foundation is holding a **Christmas Market** with a variety of food and activities including live music with Fr Rob Galea. **THIS Sunday 11th December from 4:30pm - 7pm** **WHERE:** Sacred Heart Cathedral Grounds, Cnr High and Wattle Street Bendigo. Followed by the annual **Marist Brass & Carols in the Cathedral @ 7.30p.m.** **ADMISSION:** Gold Coin Entry.

Summer School Melbourne - 8-15 Jan 2017 – Early bird registrations closing SOON! With speakers including Tim Kirk, Anna Krohn, Fr Chris Ryan, Fr Dan Serratore & Sr Berna Toohey this is a Summer School not to be missed! Register before 15th Dec for early bird rates. Register as a group of 4 to save \$100 (3 participants must be new to Summer School). More info: melbourne@summerschool.org.au, 0490 157 556 summerschool.org.au

EMPLOYMENT: Child Safety Officer – Catholic Diocese of Sandhurst. Applications are invited for this full time position. The successful applicant is responsible primarily to develop, facilitate and evaluate the implementation of policies and procedures in relation to the Victorian Government's Child Safe Standards and to ensure a safe environment for children. They will work in close collaboration with all parishes, Catholic Education Office, CatholicCare Sandhurst and other Catholic entities operating within the Diocese. It is desired that the successful applicant will have an understanding of and willingness to work within the Catholic ethos. Contact Sally Holmes on Ph (03) 5445 3617 or sally.holmes@sandhurst.catholic.org.au A copy of the position description can be obtained from www.sandhurst.catholic.org.au. Applications close Thursday 15 December 2016.

EMPLOYMENT: Co-ordinator of Pastoral Initiatives and Youth Ministry – Catholic Diocese of Sandhurst. Applications are invited for this full time position. The successful applicant will participate in the development and implementation of a Pastoral Plan and will act as a reference point and co-ordination for a number of pastoral initiatives and movements in the Diocese. The successful applicant is responsible primarily to effectively co-ordinate and manage all resources and personnel involved in the delivery of diocesan services and events related to Youth Ministry whilst fostering the personal and spiritual growth of each person in the Diocese of Sandhurst. They will work in close collaboration with Pastoral Associates, RCIA, Catholic Charismatic Renewal, Adult Faith Education, the Diocesan Liturgical Commission, and Teams of Our Lady. It is desired that the successful applicant will have an understanding of and willingness to work within the Catholic ethos. For any other queries please contact Sally Holmes Ph: 5445 3617 or sally.holmes@sandhurst.catholic.org.au