

We acknowledge the traditional owners and custodians of the land on which we stand, the Gunditjmara people.

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Office Address: 23 Dinwoodie St, HAMILTON

Weekend Mass Times @ Hamilton: 6pm Sat & 10:30am Sun

Weekday Mass Times @ Hamilton: Tues, Wed, Thurs & Fri @ 10am .

Reconciliation (Confession): Sat. 5.30pm & after weekday Mass

We are a Child Safe Parish.

Child Safe Officer: John Hockey 0439 319 823

<http://westernborder.church/child-safe-policy-and-protocol/>

ST MARY'S PRIMARY, HAMILTON

Principal: Mrs Terrielynn Groves

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Principal: Darren Lloyd

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MONIVAE COLLEGE, HAMILTON

Principal: Jonathan Rowe

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Country Mass Schedule

St Joseph's Penshurst

	1 st Sun	2 nd Sun	3 rd Sun	4 th Sun	5 th Sun	Sunday 5 Nov. No service to Hamilton. Sunday 12 November	
Penshurst 8:30am	No Service	Mass	SAWC	Mass	Mass	Lector	Catherine Loria
Dunkeld 8:30am	Mass	No Service	Mass	SAWC	No Service (To Hamilton)	Prayers	Don Adamson
Glenthompson 8:30am	SAWC	Mass	No Service	Mass	No Service (To Hamilton)	Gifts	Eileen & Anita
Macarthur - 1st Sunday of each Month, Uniting Church @ 8.30am.						Special Minister	Helen Brown
Weekday Masses @ St Mary's Hamilton: Tues, Wed, Thurs & Fri. @ 10am. Confession after all weekday Masses & 5.30 Sat. evenings.						Leader	
						Communion to Hospital	

Ministry Roster If you are unavailable for your ministry please try to arrange swap & advise office of change .

	28 & 29 October Ministers of Communion	4 & 5 November Ministers of Communion
6:00pm	Karen Barker	Jacinta Ryan
10.30am	C Schlaghecke & J Hockey	T Irving & R Murphy
The Grange	Margaret Roberts	John Hockey

Date	Open & Welcoming	Cuppa	Computer	Commentator	1nd Reading	2nd Reading
28/10	Pauline Kelly	Trish Soawyer	Jacinta Ryan	Jianna Reji	Terrielynn Groves	Pauline Kelly
29/10	John Hockey	J & S Hockey	Marie Cook	Sherrie Hockey	Helen Tripovich	Jack Bell
04/11	Karen Brewis	Noreen McLeish	Pauline Kelly	Margaret Meagher	Kerry Stevens	Angelina Juby
05/11	Carolyn Stanhope	A&D Slattery	Carolyn Stanhope	Ursula Murphy	Helen Tripovich	Carmel Schlaghecke

Saint Mary MacKillop Parish

Priests' Support (1st Collection)

Credit or debit card online;

<https://westernborder.breezechms.com/give>
or by Telephoning the Parish Office on 5571 1161.

Electronic Funds Transfer

BSB: 083-663 Acc: 51-580-8981

Reference: Priests' Support

Stewardship (2nd Collection)

Electronic Funds Transfer

BSB: 083-663 Acc: 01-715-7303

Reference: Your Name

Credit Card or Direct Debit

Telephoning the Parish Office on 5571 1161 or
emailing to admin@westernborder.church

Our Parish Collections

1st Collection: Priests' Support: \$2,517

2nd Collection: Stewardship Given YTD:\$

2022 FY Full Year Pledged:\$131,856

Western Border Parish Mission Outreach

Mission Donations made this financial year to date.

Sr Lourdes—Kenya Mission \$ 3000

Sr Stella's—India Mission \$3000

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

DEATHS:

Bernadette Hurley (Bullock). Funeral Tuesday
31st Oct. @ 10am. St Mary's Church Hamilton.

ANNIVERSARIES:

Eileen McGrath, Gerard McGrath, Mary Hanes,
Gordon Penington, Jack Gower, Keith Cullinan,
Alois Kathriner, Terry Walsh, Ron Moon, Marjorie
Kearns, Bernie Mahoney.

SICK:

Lynda Freeman.

Pray The Rosary

Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet

Every Thursday at 5 pm in the Blessed
Sacrament Chapel. *All welcome.*

COLUMBAN CALENDAR 2024

Available from Parish Office
or Piety Stall \$10

Fr John McKinnon's Upcoming 90th Birthday Celebrations

You are invited to stay after Mass on
Sat, 4th, or Sun the 5th November.

For soup and rolls
to celebrate with

Fr John McKinnon
who will turn

90 on Friday, 3rd of November.

happy **90** birthday

PRAYER

To love you,
O Lord our God,
with all our heart
and soul and mind,
we must love
our neighbor as ourselves,
and take as our neighbors
those you most love:
the helpless, the strangers
and the poor.
Establish deep in our hearts
your compassionate justice,
that the measure of our love
may be like yours for us,
boundless and unconditional.
AMEN.

Hearts on Fire
FEET ON THE MOVE



Thank you...

for your generous partnership with life-changing mission programs,

like supporting Sr Carolina and the Salesian Sisters and their work through the Maria Auxiliadora Clinic in Venilale, Timor-Leste. Your gift is helping the Sr Carolina continue to provide life-saving treatment and access to resources on health and well-being. Your gift also supports mission programs around the world that reach out and give life to those in most need .



Freecall: 1800 257 296

catholicmission.org.au/timor

All Saints Day



Wednesday 1st Nov.

St Mary's Hamilton Mass @ 10am .

All Souls Day

Thursday 2nd Nov.

St Marys Hamilton

Mass @ **5.15pm.**

(NO 10am daily Mass.)



All Welcome.

Thanks For Your Help Bryan!

Over the past several years, Bryan Roberts has been of tremendous support to me in his role as a member of our Parish Finance Committee. I would like to personally thank Bryan for his listening ear over this time, which helped carry the load when major decisions were on the table.

Bryan brought his much life, parish, and business experience to our committee, and I always appreciated the way Bryan challenged our conversations to ensure the best outcomes were achieved.

During Bryan's tenure, the finance committees' major achievements include the development of the Maryknoll Centre, the building of a school principals' residence at Coleraine, successful merging of the five former parishes into Western Border Parish and the stringent management of the Collery Bequest Share Portfolio. Bryan has additionally served as a member of the Ballarat Diocese Finance Committee of which he is still a very active contributor.

At our last meeting, Bryan announced he would be stepping away from the parish finance committee to make way for someone from a younger generation. We therefore have a vacancy on the committee that we are looking to fill in the coming weeks.

On behalf of Fr Paddy, Fr George, and myself, I thank you sincerely for your dedicated service over this time Bryan! And thanks to Margaret for always supporting, you as well!

John Hockey (Parish Manager)

November Cemetery blessing of graves.



Prayers for our deceased loved ones.

All faiths welcome.

**Hamilton Lawn Cemetery
Prayers & blessing of graves.**

Saturday 18th @ 10am.

**Dunkeld Cemetery
Mass & blessing of graves.**

Sunday 19th @ 8.30.

Please bring camping/fold up chair.

