

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

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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
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Principal: Jonathan Rowe
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Country Mass Schedule

	1 st Sun	2 nd Sun	3 rd Sun	4 th Sun	5 th Sun
Penshurst 5 pm	No Service	Mass	SAWC	Mass	No Service (To Hamilton)
Dunkeld 8:30am Mass 9am SAWC	Mass	No Service	Mass	SAWC	No Service (To Hamilton)
Glenthompson 8:30am	SAWC	Mass	No Service (To Dunkeld)	Mass	No Service (To Hamilton)

Macarthur - 5th Sunday of the Month, Uniting Church @ 8.30am.

**No Lay-led or Masses
Tue 29, Wed 30 or Thurs 31.**

*** Mass - Fri 1st Nov: All Saints Day @ 10am.**

St Joseph's Penshurst - Mass 10/11

Lector - Don Adamson
Prayers - Terry Pezzutti
Gifts - Eileen & Helen
Leader -

**Fatima Statue
This Week**

Marg Callaway
29 McPherson Street
Rosary daily at 3.30 pm.



To host contact

Chris Jansen 0407719530.

Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet

Thursdays @ 5pm St Mary's Church.

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

	26 & 27 Oct. Ministers of Communion	2 & 3 Nov. Ministers of Communion
6 pm	Maureen Dunn	Pauline Kelly
10.30am	Trish Irving	R & U Murphy
The Grange	Frank Soulsby	Maria Patience

Date	Open & Welcoming	Cuppa	Computer	Commentator	1 nd Reading	2 nd Reading
26/10	Karen Brewis	Kylie-Anne & T Shanahan	Pauline Oliver-Snell	Pauline Kelly	Karen Brewis	Volunteer
27/10	Carolyn Stanhope	M Patience & T Irving	Glenn Howell	Carolyn Stanhope	Carmel Schlaghecke	Helen Tripovich
02/11	Margaret Meagher	Ophiya & Ance	Jacinta Ryan	Karen Brewis	Sarah Mandy House	Angelina Juby
03/11	Carolyn Stanhope	A & D Slattery	Glenn Howell	Carolyn Stanhope	E S Member	E S Member

Saint Mary MacKillop Parish

Donation Point – Collection Bowls

Over the coming weeks, all our communities will have their first collections changed over to a Donation Point bowl. These bowls will allow you to make your offering using either card or cash.

These bowls have proven very successful in increasing the Priests Support collection in Hamilton over the last twelve months. They work most successfully when passed along the congregation.

I thank you for your patience as these are introduced and we all get used to this technology! *John Hockey (Parish Manager)*

Tap n Go

Now on the First Collection Bowl.



Select the amount you wish to donate then tap your card.

It's as Simple as That!

Our Parish Collections

1st Collection: NYC

2nd Collection: Stewardship—2024FY

Given : \$48,037 Budget: \$125,092.

Western Border Parish

Mission Outreach

Mission Donations made last financial year to date.

Sr Lourdes—Kenya Mission \$ 3,000

Sr Stella's—India Mission \$ 10,500

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

DEATHS:

ANNIVERSARIES:

Joan Holyoak, Eileen McGrath,
Gerard McGrath, Mary Hanes,
Gordon Pennington, Jack Gower,
Keith Cullinan, Alois Kathriner.

SICK:

Mark Brown.



COLUMBAN CALENDAR

2025

Available
from Parish
Office
or Piety Stall
\$10

PLEASE NOTE —

**No Weekday Lay-led/Masses
for Tue 29, Wed 30
and Thurs 31.**

***Mass -Friday 1st Nov**

All Saints Day @ 10am.

***Emergency Services Mass
St Mary's Church, Hamilton.***

***Sunday 3rd November
@ 10.30am.***

***Please bring a plate of food to
share with Cuppa after Mass.***

Prayer

**O God,
light to the blind
and joy to the afflicted,
in your only-begotten Son
you have give us a high priest
who is just
and compassionate.**

**Listen, then, to the cry of our prayer:
May all who are in need
recognise you in Jesus of Nazareth
and gladly follow
Jesus on the way that leads to you.
Praying as always
through Jesus the Christ.**

AMEN.

**All Saints
Friday 1st Nov.**

St Mary's Hamilton Mass @ 10am.

**All Souls
Saturday 2nd Nov.**

St Marys Hamilton Mass
@ 6pm.

**November Cemetery
blessing of graves.**

Prayers for our
deceased loved ones.
All faiths welcome.

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

Sunday 3rd November @ 8.30.

**Penshurst Cemetery
blessing of graves**

Sunday 10th November @ 4pm.
Mass @ 5pm.

**Macarthur Cemetery
blessing of graves.**

Sunday 24th November @ 3pm.

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

Saturday 30th November @ 10am.

Please bring camping/fold up chair.

**Cay Trinh
Ordination Mass
to the Priesthood.**



**Saturday 23rd November
@ 10.30am
St Patrick's Cathedral
Ballarat.**

Expression of interest to
attend Cay's Ordination Mass
Please RSVP to St Mary's
Parish office on 5571 116.

If needing
transportation please also call
Office to put name on list.
before Friday 15th November.

Dear parishioners

You are invited to make a donation to be presented to
Fr Cay Trinh upon his Ordination.

This will help contribute to him bringing out his
Mother & Father from Vietnam for his Ordination.

This contribution will also allow him to return to
Vietnam to celebrate Mass with his family and
community and to help provide for the extensive
hospitality that is expected in the Vietnamese
Catholic culture.

DONATIONS CAN BE MADE

EFT transfer to : BSB: 083-663

Acc:01 715 7303

Ref: Cay Trinh

**Leaving collection
NEXT Sunday 3rd November.**