

4. George St Anne's & St Laurence (Newstead & Sandon)

I am a Solicitor and have run my own legal business as a sole legal practitioner since 1980. This is my 50th year of working in a legal practice. My legal experience has covered most of areas of legal practice and included work in all Courts. Also relevant to my experience, is my work with my wife, in running a sheep farming business producing both wool and meat since 2010

WORSHIP TIMETABLE



Saturday		
Reconciliation	St Mary's	5.30pm
Vigil Mass:	St Mary's	6.00pm
<i>Rosary is prayed before Mass</i>		
Sunday		
Reconciliation:	St Brigid's	8.15am
Mass:	St Brigid's	8.30am
Mass:	St Mary's	10.30am
Tuesday: <u>St Mary's</u>		
Adoration		5.00pm
Mass		6.00pm
Wednesday <u>St Mary's</u>		
Adoration		8.00am
Mass		9.15am
<i>Rosary after Mass</i>		
Thursday <u>St Brigid's</u>		
Adoration & Rosary		10.00am
Mass:		11.00am
Friday <u>St Mary's</u>		
Adoration:		8.00am
Mass:		9.15am
<i>Rosary after Mass</i>		
Second Sunday of the Month		
Adoration, Rosary & Benediction		5.00pm
Mass: St Anne's		6.00pm
Fourth Sunday of the Month		
Adoration, Rosary & Benediction		5.00pm
Mass: St Laurence		6.00pm

CONTACT DETAILS

St Mary's

Primary School
Acting Principal: Gemma
Phone: (03) 5472 2270

Parish Church Secretary

Eva Jansen
OFFICE HOURS ONLY:
TUESDAY: 10 am to 4pm
WEDNESDAY: 10 am to 4pm
THURSDAY: 10 am to 4pm
Phone: (03) 5472 1900

Baptisms, Marriages

Pastoral Care of the Sick
For details regarding the celebration of these sacraments

St Brigid's Hall

Bookings for St. Brigid's Hall

St Mary's Hall

Bookings for St. Mary's Hall

Death Anniversary: John Winkels
Recent Deaths: Mary Stroud, Tito Man-dozzi, Dianne Russell, Adrian Turley

CATHOLIC PARISH OF CASTLEMAINE



- HOLY NAME OF MARY, CASTLEMAINE • ST BRIGID'S, MALDON
- ST ANNE'S, NEWSTEAD • ST LAURENCE O'TOOLE, SANDON



30th August 2026

Year A – 22nd Week in Ordinary Time

Presbytery: 76 Hargraves Street / PO Box 151, Castlemaine 3450

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*We are proud to acknowledge the Dja Dja Wurrung people
as the traditional owners of this land.*

29/30 August 2026

Jeremiah 20:7-9
Psalm 62(63):2-6,8-9
Romans 12:1-2
Matthew 16:21-27



5/6 September

Ezekiel 33:7-9
Ps 94(95): 1-2,6-9
Romans 13:8-10
Matthew 18:15-20



Responsorial Psalm

My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord my God,

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, Alleluia!

May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ enlighten the eyes of our heart, that we might see how great is the hope to which we are called.

Alleluia!

Stewardship Reflection

"What profit would there be for one to gain the whole world and forfeit his life?" - MATTHEW 16:26

St. Francis of Assisi said, "Remember, you are what you are in the eyes of God, and nothing else." We often forget this stewardship wisdom when we spend all of our time, talent and treasure to gain more of the world's riches. We need to set our priorities based on God's values and not the values of the material world.

The Catholic Parish of Castlemaine is committed to the safety, wellbeing and dignity of all children and the vulnerable.

NEW PARISH FINANCE COMMITTEE

1. Katherine— St Mary's Castlemaine

School Board at St Brigid's College Horsham – 8 years, Secretary Horsham North PS – 3 years, Teacher – Primary School, Secondary School and Ballarat University Horsham Campus – 15 year, Consultant – Gifted Student Program – Ballarat Regional Office, Victorian , Ministry of Education – 3 years, Business partner, Office Manager and Company Director/Secretary PJ , Driscoll Building Constructions – 30 years in Horsham and 10 in Adelaide 2010. Diploma of Visual Art – Major – Printing, Accounting Software – Reckon and general computer skills, 40 years in the Construction Industry

2. David—Harcourt

David has a background in engineering and business, having worked across both large and small organisations providing consulting services to Government. He is currently a General Manager of a small consulting firm, where he leads a team of 14 employees.

3. Sergio—St Brigid's Maldon

Drawing South Homes, Sergio Uribe brings over 30 years of industry experience. He holds an architectural degree from Latin America and Australian qualifications as a registered building practitioner, among others. His boutique firm, operating across Victoria, including Maldon and Mornington, has completed over 800 projects. His work has earned international accolades, including Best Boutique Architecture & Interior Design Practice (2024) and Most Innovative Building Design & Renovation Company in Victoria (2026) from BUILD UK Magazine.

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LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

14/15th August

6.00pm Saturday—Castlemaine

Reader: Bernadette

8.30am Sunday - Maldon - St Brigid's

Reader: Jacquie Wiltshire & Isabelle

Sacristan: Michael

10.30am Sunday—Castlemaine

Reader: Tindi & Jenny

Sacristan: Christine

Chapy's Weather Report

23 rd August	-0.2 C	14.7 C
24 th August	7.1 C	15.1 C
25 th August	9.2 C	15 C
26 th August	2.8C	16.5 C
27 th August	-1.6 C	14.6 C
28 th August	-0.1C	15.6 C
29th August	-1.1C	

ONLINE GIVING

PRESBYTERY

Acc. Name Castlemaine Parish
Presbytery Account

BSB 083-347

Account No. 635 910 163

CHURCH

Acc. Name Castlemaine Parish
Church Account

BSB 083-347

Account No. 636 421 759

BUILDING FUND

Acc Name: St Mary's Catholic Parish,
Castlemaine Church Parish Building Fund
Account

BSB: 083-347

Acc Number: 95 664 6500

PARISH DIARY

Tuesday 1st September

4.15pm Legion of Mary (Buckley Room)
5.00pm: Adoration & Benediction
6.00pm : Mass

Wednesday 2nd September

8.00am: Adoration and
Benediction
9.15am: Mass—St Mayr's Castlemaine

Thursday 3rd September

10:00 am : Adoration, Rosary and Benediction
11am Mass—St. Brigid's Maldon

First Friday - Friday 4th September (no evening mass or all night vigil)

8am: Adoration and
Benediction & Confessions

9:15am: Mass—St. Mary's Castlemaine

First Saturday—Saturday 5th September

8am—Adoration & Confession
9:15am Mass & rosary at Grotto
10am-1230am—Working Bee 1230pm-130pm
BBQ with Germany sausages donated by
parishioner

THANKSGIVING

	1st	2nd
St Mary's Cash	\$ 317.30	\$206.05
St Mary's Envelopes	\$154	\$172
St. Brigid's Cash	\$180	\$106.10
St Brigid's Envelopes	\$45	\$115
St Anne's Cash	\$275	\$65
St Anne's Envelope's	\$0	\$100
Quest Tap n Go	\$ 0	\$64.47
Online	\$ 340	\$215.25
Total	\$ 1311.30	\$1043.90