

St Augustine's Church 150th Celebrations

SAVE the DATES

September 17th & 18th 2022

Update

Sunday June 26th

Newsletter



The Countdown Begins!

In **September**, we are celebrating the 150th Anniversary of the opening of the St. Augustine's Church Creswick building in September 1872. We welcome all Parishioners, past and present with their associated families to help make our celebrations a success. As we feverishly work towards making this weekend a great success, we also welcome any offers of help from our community.

Celebration Dinner

Saturday September 17th

One of the Anniversary weekend's major events will be the **150th Celebration Dinner** on **Saturday evening, September 17th**, to be held at the Doug Lindsay Reserve.

Tickets are only \$40 per person and we encourage you to book early as this will be a wonderful night.

Please book your tickets now either through email at staugustines150th@gmail.com or by using one of the Dinner Booking Envelopes located at the back of the Church. If you need help, contact Brian Rowe.

Need a lift to the Dinner?

We are looking to provide transport to those who wish to attend the Dinner and need help to get there. Please let Brian Rowe know if you need transport.

Do you Know ?

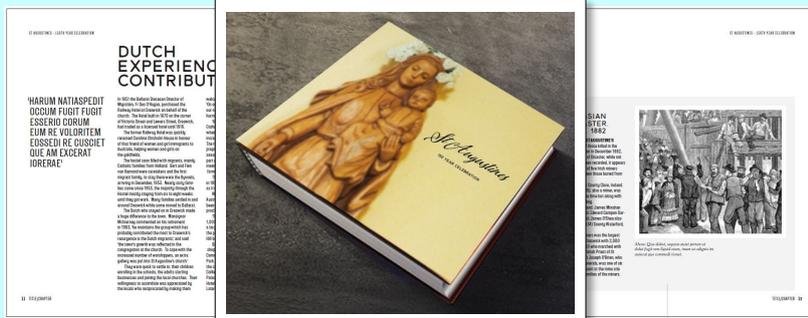
Think you know who these happy newly-weds are?

Find out in the next edition of the St Augustine's 150th Anniversary Newsletter.



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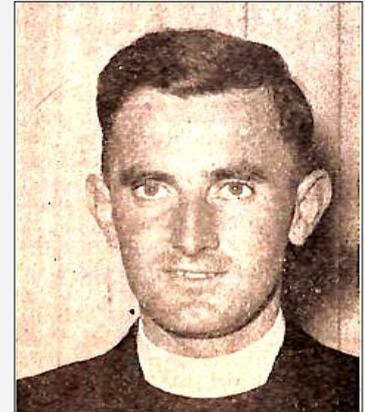
Limited Edition Book The stories behind our Church and our People



With a limited print run of just 100 copies, this is your opportunity to pre-order your very own special commemorative book being prepared for the St Augustine's 150th Anniversary.

Spanning the entire 150 year history of the Church and written entirely from a local perspective, you will find many fascinating facts and stories about our wonderful Creswick icon and its Parishioners.

To reserve your copy now please email: staugustines150th@gmail.com



Can you guess who this dashing young man is?

Here's a clue....

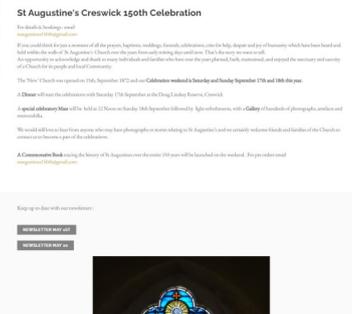
Many of you will know this man very well.

Find the answer in the next edition of the 150th Anniversary

See our 150th Anniversary Website

Looking for more information on our 150th Anniversary celebrations?
<https://staugustines150.weebly.com>

A new website is in the process of being produced. You can book Dinner Tickets, order your copy of the commemorative book, volunteer to help, ask questions and see lots of photos.



Answers to Quiz Questions from 22nd May, 2022 Edition



Do you know why we have a statue of Saint Patrick overlooking the entrance to Saint Augustine's?

A: Great question but we have no idea! We suspect it was one of the early Irish Priests who may have appropriated this patron saint's presence as a way of keeping the snakes away from Parishioners on their way to Mass. Indeed, we have had just one snake, around 70 years ago, in the Church since the statue was placed.



Can you name this St Augustine's rising tennis star?

A: This is none other than our very talented Margie Goates. These days Margie is best known for the great work she does helping in many areas of our Parish life.