

Minutes of the Consultors Meeting,
held at the Catholic Diocesan Offices, Ballarat
on ~~10 Dec 1985~~ ^{14 Jan 1986} at 2.30 pm.

Present Bishop Mulkeens, Mgr Nolan, Mgr Fiscalini, Fr. P. Downes,
Fr. D. Arundell, Fr. J. Martin, Fr. B. Finnigan, Fr. E. Bryant.

Matters Arising
Fr. J. Fitzgerald has agreed to work in the REC and will take study leave as from mid 1986.
Fr. T. Kiniry wrote on 30 Dec 1985 stating his intention to resign from Port Fairy but is willing to continue in a parish.
Warrnambool parish is a possibility.

Business Fr. F. Crowe on 19 Dec 1985 tendered his resignation as parish priest of Portland and will retire to the flats in Warrnambool.
He is prepared to supply for priests.

Landsborough Fr. K. Arundell is prepared to move to another parish.

Maryborough: could become a one priest parish if Avoca went to Landsborough and Lexton to another parish.

Fr. K. O'Brien is desiring a change of appointment
Fr. W. Van der Camp has indicated he would prefer a new appointment in the south.

Fr. P. Brennan has asked to be considered for Sunn Hill if and when it becomes vacant.

Fr. W. O'Connell is open to the possibility of a change in appointment.

Appointments

Port Fairy

That Fr. P. Downes be appointed Parish Priest of Port Fairy

Moved Mgr Fiscalini, seconded Fr. E. Bryant
Carried

Portland

That Fr. K. Arundell be appointed Parish Priest of Portland.

Moved Fr. B. Finnigan, seconded Fr. P. Downes
carried

Robinvale

That Fr. D. Arundell be appointed Parish Priest of Robinvale

moved Fr. P. Downes, seconded Mgr. H. Nolan
carried

Vacancies at Swan Hill, Landsborough.

New Guinea

3 priests had indicated their preparedness to go to New Guinea —
Fr. D. Denehy, Fr. D. O'Shea, Fr. E. McKinnon.

Assistant Priests

4 assistant priests have been in their present appointments for (more than) 4 years or more.

They are Fr. G. Prunty, Fr. P. Colley, Fr. J. Keane,
Fr. M. McKinnon.

Possible Placements

Fr. G. Prunty to Horsham, Fr. M. McKinnon to Colac,
Fr. P. Colley to Ballarat East.

Fr. T. Kiniry to Warrnambool

Fr. B. Stickland to Portland.

Fr. P. Ryan to replace Fr. J. Fitzgerald in Terang.

Fr. M. Delahanty: Bishop MulKearne to

contact Fr. Delahanty about the timing of his resignation. Prefer to have it now or in twelve months

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Landsborough: Fr. K. O'Brien or Fr. P. Murrey (SSR)

Mildura may be left with only two priests if
Fr K'O'Brien moves.

Appointments will take effect on 1 Feb 1986

The next meeting will be on 23 January 1986
at 10.30 am.

The meeting concluded at 4.50 pm.

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Dio. of Ballarat.
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