




# Immaculate Conception Parish of Tumut

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**22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**1 September 2024**

Immaculate Conception Parish acknowledges the Wiradjuri people of Tumut,  
 being the traditional owners of the land on which we gather and worship

 <p><b>Tumut Mission</b>        Tumut, Gundagai, Adelong,        Batlow, and Talbingo.        Fr Joseph Neonbasu        Mobile: 0497 783 924        Email: yoseph.neonbasu@cg.org.au        Fr Rofin Raphel        Email: rofin.raphel@cg.org.au</p> <p>Tumut Mission Secretary – Sue Hall  <b>Tumut Office Hours</b> – Tue, Thu, Fri 9-2pm  <b>Email:</b> tumut@cg.org.au <b>Ph.</b> 69474599  <b>Parish web page:</b> cg.org.au/Tumut  <b>Facebook:</b> Immaculate Conception's        Parish Tumut</p>	<b>Tumut - Mass Times</b>		<b>Country Mass Times</b>		
	<b>Sunday</b>	Rosary Mass Confession	9.30am 10am 9 - 9.45am	Gundagai	Friday 12noon Saturday 5pm
	<b>Tuesday</b> (Chapel)	Eucharistic Adoration Mass	5pm 6pm	Batlow	8am Confession 8.30am 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday 5pm 4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday
	<b>Wednesday</b> (Chapel) No School Mass	Mass – Wed 4 Sept Mass – Wed 11 Sept	8am 8am	Adelong	8am Confession 8.30am 1 <sup>st</sup> /3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday
	<b>Thursday</b> (Chapel)	Mass	8am	Talbingo	8.00am 5 <sup>th</sup> Sunday
	<b>Saturday</b> (Chapel)	Eucharistic Adoration Rosary Mass Confession	8am 8.30am 9am 9.30am	Blakeney Lodge	Mass 4 <sup>th</sup> Tuesday
			Uniting Care Mass	4 <sup>th</sup> Thursday	

Roster	1 September	8 September
<b>Acolyte</b>	Anita Mason	Tony Butler
<b>Reader</b>	James McDonald & Patrick McCabe	Lisa Pannell & Peter Meli
<b>Music</b>	Monica & Pat	Marty
<b>Linen</b>	Bev Piper	Bev Piper
<b>Church Care</b>	Onions Family	Onions Family

**PRAYER REQUEST: the Mass Offerings are offered at/during Weekday Masses**

 <p><b>Recently Deceased</b>        Sheila Cox        Stuart Tidmarsh        Peter Roche        Fr Peter Gannon        John Piper        Thomas Pankhurst        Anthony Marley        Maria Torino        Bernadette Strack</p>	 <p><b>Mass Offering</b>        Chris Ballard, Hans &amp; Maria van de Brug,        Russell Breward, Jenny Cattigan, Merle Sturt,        Sheila Cox, Robyn Dowling, Bernie Strack, John        McAlister, Patricia Green, Martin Farrell,        Ken Elliott, Muriel &amp; Harry Nancarrow,        Ralph Klaus, Frederick and Mabel McInerney,        Paul Kelly, Lenny McInerney, Norman Paul,        Kevin &amp; Marion Smith,        Con, Ennis and Francis Twomey,</p>	 <p><b>The Sick</b>        Catherine Parker        Sylvia Flynn        Stephen Dean        Bruce Wallace        Cathy McKelvie        Evelyn Bare        Jim McCaig        Evelyn Heffernan        Claire Gordon</p>
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<b>Parish Pastoral Council</b>	<b>Parish Finance Council</b>
James McDonald , Evelyn Cisneros, Fr Joseph Neonbasu, Fr Rofin Raphel, Eamonn Moore, Trish Matthews, Anita Mason, Sarah McDonald & Patricia Mangelsdorf	Mark Hogan, Eamonn Moore, Sue Bulger, Fr Joseph Neonbasu & Fr Rofin Raphel

Banking / Planned Giving (for envelopes, contact Parish Secretary) Immaculate Conception Tumut <b>BSB</b> 062 786 <b>AC</b> 000015049	Collection Plate \$537.35
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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Sacraments</b></p> <p>Confession Before Sunday Mass 9am - 9.45am        Marriage By appointment        Baptism By appointment</p> <p>These forms are on Parish Website, call or email to book an appointment.  <a href="#">To arrange a Pastoral care visit please contact the office.</a></p>	<p>Please pray for <b>Deacon Mark Ha's Ordination to the Priesthood</b> on Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> October at 5pm at Christopher's Cathedral, Manuka, Canberra.        For more information visit our Churches website.</p> <p><b>Holy Spirit Retreat 27th- 29th of September</b>        Join us for a prayerful, camping weekend in the Goobarragandra Valley. For information - Felicity McCabe        0427227890</p>
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### Prayer to the Holy Spirit

O God, who by the light of the Holy Spirit,  
did instruct the hearts of the faithful,  
Grant that by the same Holy Spirit  
we may be truly wise and ever rejoice in His  
consolations.

Through the same Christ our Lord. Amen  
St Mary of the Cross MacKillop, pray for us  
Our Lady help of Christians, pray for us.

The **Church of Saint Paul Talbingo** has been successful in obtaining a Snowy Hydro grant to build an access ramp for our church. We have Heritage reports, etc but require assistance with drawings for the Development Application. If anyone has these skills and can assist or know someone who may be able to help - please email [stpaulstalbingo@gmail.com](mailto:stpaulstalbingo@gmail.com) or contact: Leanne 0417274346.

### Parish Pastoral Council (PPC) and Parish Finance Committee (PFC):

We are inviting and encouraging all Parishioners to take part in the recruitment of the NEW PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL and the NEW PARISH FINANCE COMMITTEE members. Please take one nomination card to nominate the person for the new PPC and PFC members and then put your nomination in the box provided at the back of the Church! You may nominate yourselves for these ministries for our Parish.

**Safeguarding Officer:** We are looking for a volunteer to take up the Ministry as Safeguarding Officer. Please let us (Priests or PPC members) know if you are interested in this ministry in our Parish. The Archdiocese Safeguarding Officer, Maria Hicks will come to speak to us in our next PPC meeting for the clarity of this role.

**Safeguarding Sunday:** The Catholic Church in Australia marks Safeguarding Sunday 2024 on the 8th September, at the conclusion of National Child Protection Week. Safeguarding Sunday seeks to acknowledge the immense damage caused by the sexual abuse of children and adults at risk, including by priests, religious and lay people within Catholic contexts. It makes a commitment to practices and protocols that create and maintain safe environments for all people. It invites people to pray for those harmed by abuse directly and indirectly.

This year Safeguarding Sunday has adopted the theme of National Child Protection Week - "**Every conversation matters**". Embracing this theme, we are reminded that every conversation about safeguarding matters. Children and adults at risk are more likely to raise concerns and issues in an organisation that empowers and listens to them, and creating space for children and adults to have a say in decisions that affect them is an integral part of every safe organisation. Let us take part in this mission to make a safe Church for all!

### Becoming Catholic

The Catholic Church has a special way of initiating adults into the Catholic faith. It is called the **Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)**. It is a period of Christian formation offered to those seeking to become Catholic. The RCIA may also be referred to as the Catechumenate, highlighting its roots in the Christian formation of the early Church. The Rite encompasses all aspects of the Christian life and includes an adaptation for children. We are going to start The Program in our Mission from Sept 2024 until April 2025 (24 weeks of journeying with God toward Easter celebration). It offers a way to grow in knowledge of Christ and the Catholic faith in company with others on a similar journey. To know more information, please contact the Parish Office.



*Come, Holy Spirit*

**Archdiocesan Assembly**  
18 - 20 October 2024



You are all invited to take part in the Archdiocesan Assembly that will explore the theme "Come Holy Spirit". This will focus on celebrating the Year of the Holy Spirit and explore new opportunities for evangelisation and synodality in the life and mission of our local Church going forward.

This is a chance for all to gather, discuss and discern the Holy Spirit at work in our midst.

Where: Canberra, Narooma, Cooma, Young and Goulburn. When: Friday - Sunday 18-20 October Detailed information, registration & formation materials available at [cgevangalisation.org.au/assembly](http://cgevangalisation.org.au/assembly)

### Father's Day Appeal - Collection for our retired priests

There are 25 priests in our Archdiocese. We should remember our retired priests as we celebrate the theme for the **Second World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly**

"In old age they will still bear fruit" (Psalm 92:15).

Please join us in generous giving. You can make a gift today - By envelopes in the back of the Church, by giving at: [www.cgatholic.org.au/donate](http://www.cgatholic.org.au/donate) or by calling: (02) 6239 9876

Thank you for taking care of our priests in their retirement.