

Immaculate Conception Parish of Tumut

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2nd Sunday Of Advent 8 December 2024

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

 <p>Tumut Mission 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 Tumut Office Hours – Tue & Thu 9-2pm Email: tumut@cg.org.au Ph. 69474599 Parish web page: cg.org.au/Tumut Facebook: Immaculate Conception's Parish Tumut</p>	Tumut - Mass Times		Country Mass Times	
	Sunday (Church)		Gundagai	Friday 12noon Saturday 5pm
	Rosary	9.30am	Batlow	8am Confession 8.30am 2 nd Sunday 5pm 4 th Sunday
	Mass	10am	Adelong	8am Confession 8.30am 1 st /3 rd Sunday
	Confession	9 - 9.45am	Talbingo	8.00am 5 th Sunday
	Tuesday (Church)		Blakeney Lodge	Mass 4 th Tuesday at 11am
Eucharistic Adoration	5pm	Uniting Care	Mass 4 th Thursday at 11am	
Mass	6pm			
Wednesday (Church)				
Mass	10.15am			
Thursday (Church)				
Mass	8am			
Saturday (Church)				
Eucharistic Adoration	8am			
Rosary	8.30am			
Mass	9am			
Confession	9.30am			

Roster	8 December	15 December
Acolyte	Tony Butler	TBA
Reader	Ivana Michelini & Anita Mason	Lisa Pannell & Anne Huebner
Music	Marty	Francis & Prince
Linen	Sue	Sue
Church Care	-	-



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

 <p>Recently Deceased Shirley Casey Vera Roddy William Symons Peter Williams Marie Ambrose Mona Burgess Helen Kell Sheila Cox Stuart Tidmarsh</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Mass Offering</p> <p>Angela Lynch, Tom & Dulcie Matthews, Con, Ennis & Francis Twomey, Mons. John Twomey, Sr M. Canice O'Sullivan, Sr M. Brenda Twomey, Sr Mary Smyth, Sr Celine McCormack, Cathy Purcell, Anne Lawrance, Dot Marzol, Erwin Chvojan, Joan Malone, Colin & Natalie Baker, Robert Baker, Frederick & Mabel McInerney, Ken Elliott, Lenny McInerney, Imelda & Francis McInerney, Ivan Noble, Christine Noble, Gus & Kath Clout, Ian & Ina Clout, Ab & Mildred Shanahan</p>	 <p>The Sick Sophie Erzay Barbara Taylor Catherine Parker Sylvia Flynn, Stephen Dean Bruce Wallace Cathy McKelvie Evelyn Bare, Jim McCaig Evelyn Heffernan Claire Gordon</p>
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<p>Parish Pastoral Council Fr Joseph Neonbasu, Fr Rofin Raphel, Eamonn Moore, Trish Matthews, Anita Mason, Patricia Mangelsdorf and Rebecca Fardell</p>	<p>Parish Finance Committee Mark Hogan, Eamonn Moore, Sue Bulger, Angela Crane, Rebecca Fardell, Fr Joseph Neonbasu and Fr Rofin Raphel</p>
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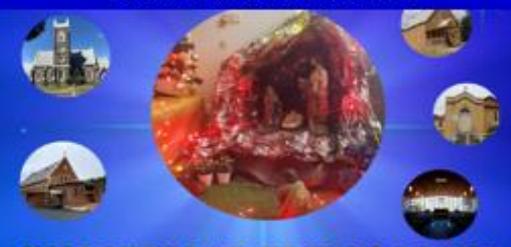
<p style="text-align: center;">Sacraments</p> <p>Confession Before Sunday Mass 9am - 9.45am Marriage By appointment Baptism Saturday 10.30am These forms are on Parish Website, call or email to book an appointment. For a Pastoral care visit contact the office.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Parish Feast Day The Feast Of The Immaculate Conception: As a Parish Community of Immaculate Conception, we invite you all to celebrate together our Feast Day on 8th December begin with Holy Mass at 10am at the Church and followed by Lunch at St. Mary's Hall. Please bring some food to share!</p>
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Prayer for the Parish Mission

O Most Holy Virgin, immaculate in body and spirit look kindly on us as we implore your powerful intercession.
O Most Holy Mother, receive our prayers as we present them to God. O Mary, Mother of Jesus and our Mother, you intercede for us with your Son.
O Mary conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to thee.
Our Lady of the Immaculate Conception, pray for us
St Mary of the Cross MacKillop, pray for us
Blessed Carlo Acutis, pray for us.

Christmas Masses

Immaculate Conception Tumut, St Patrick's Gundagai, St James Adelong, St Mary's Batlow, St Paul's Talbingo



CHRISTMAS EVE MASSES, Tuesday 24th December 2024:

@6pm:
St Patrick's Gundagai
Immaculate Conception Tumut

CHRISTMAS DAY MASSES, Wednesday 25th December 2024

@8am: St Patrick's Gundagai
@8.30am: St James Adelong
@10am: Immaculate Conception Tumut

THE ADVENT PROGRAM

Immaculate Conception Parish, Tumut



Wed. 27th Nov. Wed. 11th Dec.
Wed. 4th Dec. Wed. 18th Dec.

Group and individual reflections for Advent on Sunday Readings

Resource: HOPE Reigns. The Archdiocese of Brisbane Publication.

The Advent Program

We have started an Advent Program which is on every Wednesday during Advent Season. It is a **Group and Individual reflections on Sunday Readings for Advent**. It will be at 6pm on Wednesday - 11th & 18th Dec. All Welcome!

We need you!!

The Parish Secretary, Sue, will be on her annual leave, from 21 December 2024 until 22 January 2025. If possible, we need a volunteer to call in and prepare the bulletins while she is away. If you are interested in helping out, please let Fr Joe and Sue know. Sue can show you what and how it is done. We are experiencing some difficulties with **emails**, due to this, your emails may not be received. So please could you contact the parish office by phone instead. Thank you!



Christmas Raffle

We are running a raffle again this year to raise money for the restoration of our beautiful old church. There are three prizes:

- A beautiful Christmas Hamper
- A \$100 Franklin Meat voucher
- A \$50 Coles voucher, a picnic rug & a tin of chocolates

First ticket drawn chooses their prize, second ticket drawn chooses their prize and third ticket gets the last prize

Please support us through this raffle.



Second Sunday of Advent: Peace

The second candle, is purple, represents Peace. It is called the "Bethlehem Candle" as a reminder of Mary and Joseph's journey to Bethlehem.

Joseph and Mary travel from Nazareth in Galilee to Bethlehem in Judea. Luke 2:4



Christmas Masses at Blakeney Lodge & Uniting Aged Care

Blakeney Lodge: Tuesday, 17 Dec at 11am.
Uniting Aged Care: Thursday, 19th Dec at 11am.

If you are interested in attending and singing together the Carols, please let Priests know.



Baptism

A couple of weeks ago on 16/11/24, we celebrated the Baptism of Alina Teresa Mendes Krause. It was a lovely service shared with Alina's parents, Christine and Jason, her older sister, plus Alina's Godparents Elyse and Dean.

Congratulations! Congratulations to you all.

We follow lots of things in life: advice, fashion trends, other people. However, there is only one type of following that comes with a promise as wonderful as the one in this text. Jesus, who is the light of the world, promises that we won't walk in darkness when we follow him. He lights the path for us when we are close to him. Light and following go together. How closely are we following? Are we going our own way or are we leaving everything and following Jesus wherever he leads?